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Welcome

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“ Greetings of the season to all our readers!




- ★ It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all to “Spotlight on Young Writers & Artists” — a celebration of creativity, imagination, and expression.
- ★ At Jain Public School, we strongly believe that every child is a bundle of brilliance waiting to be unwrapped. Today, we shine a light on those budding writers and artists who have dared to dream, create, and express. This platform is not just an event — it is a stage where voices take form through stories, poems, brush strokes, colors, and ideas.
- ★ To our young participants — you are the heart of today’s celebration. Your words and artwork are windows into your thoughts and reflections. Whether you paint with colors or with words, your creations remind us that art and writing are not just skills, but powerful tools of change, empathy, and connection.
- ★ To the teachers and parents — thank you for nurturing these talents with love and encouragement. Your support continues to be the soil in which our children’s creativity blooms.
- ★ Let today be a reminder that in every child, there is an artist... a writer... a thinker. Let us continue to celebrate and nurture that spark.
- ★ Wishing all our young creators a wonderful journey ahead. May this spotlight be just the beginning of your bright and beautiful path.
- ★ We are always interested in hearing your views. We invite articles on the topic **‘Rise of lifestyle disorders : A growing crisis in India ’** for our next issue of the newsletter. If you have any comments about the newsletter, or if you'd like to tell us about what's happening at school, please email us at principal@jpschennai.org.



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In remembrance of our Founder, we continued our tradition this year by visiting the same orphanage. We donated clothes and biscuits, spreading warmth and kindness to those in need.



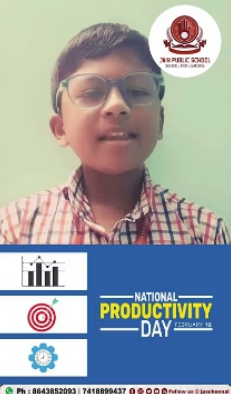
YouTube Trends



NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY
28 FEBRUARY

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Jain Public School - National Science Day
158 views



NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY DAY
28 FEBRUARY

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Jain Public School - National Productivity ...
120 views




An umbrella can't keep you safe from the rain but it can keep you safe from the sun.

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26 Apply Now
- Grade XII

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Jain Public School - World Umbrella Day
117 views



WORLD Radio Day
13 FEBRUARY

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112 views



World Marriage Day

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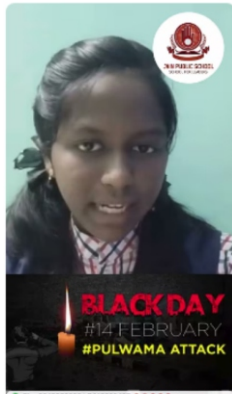
Jain Public School - World Marriage Day
92 views



Mr. SUDHIR KUMAR SURANA
Founder chairman
1963 - 2022
Day of Remembrance (BARS)

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Jain public school Day of Remembrance Mr. ...
79 views



BLACK DAY
#14 FEBRUARY
#PULWAMA ATTACK

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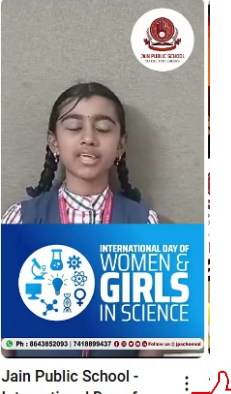
Jain Public School - Black Day (Pulwama ...
72 views



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PreKG - Grade XII

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Jain Public School - World Wetland Day
47 views



INTERNATIONAL DAY OF WOMEN & GIRLS IN SCIENCE

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Jain Public School - International Day of ...
46 views



Rotary International Day
February 23rd
INSPIRE

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Jain Public School - World Rotary Day
41 views



WORLD NGO DAY

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Jain Public School - World NGO Day
36 views



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Jain Public School - Indian Coast Guard Day
35 views

SOCIAL MEDIA

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Mr. Sambath Natesan
Grand Father of
Rithik (Grade IX)



Ms. Revathi Shankar
M/O ADHIRAN (Grade 2B)
& Arjun S (Grade 6B)



INFOCUS

Spotlight on Young Writers & Artists

Celebrating Creativity, Imagination & Expression at JPS

Unveiling Hidden Talents

The corridors of Jain Public School came alive with color, creativity, and storytelling during the much-awaited event, **"Spotlight on Young Writers & Artists."** This inspiring initiative was designed to provide a platform for our budding poets, storytellers, illustrators, and visual artists from across all grades to showcase their talents.



A Canvas for Every Imagination

Whether it was a poem that tugged at the heartstrings, a short story that made us smile, or a painting that spoke a thousand words — our students stunned the audience with their creative brilliance. Each piece was a reflection of their unique worldviews, emotions, and dreams. The event proudly displayed:



- ✦ **Original poems and short stories** penned by young authors.
- ✦ **Sketches, paintings, and mixed-media artwork** from talented student artists.
- ✦ **Interactive storytelling corners** for younger participants.
- ✦ **Art installations and creative writing displays** throughout the school campus.



Beyond Academics: Nurturing the Creative Spirit

At JPS, we believe that creativity is just as important as academics. Events like these not only encourage students to think beyond textbooks but also boost their confidence, communication skills, and emotional intelligence. By giving students a voice and a canvas, we aim to help them discover the joy of expressing themselves freely.



The Power of Words and Colors



The most heartwarming part of the event was witnessing how deeply the audience connected with the students' work. Parents, teachers, and peers walked through the exhibition with admiration, pausing to read, reflect, and applaud the effort that had gone into each creation.

A Word from the Principal

"Spotlight on Young Writers & Artists is more than an event — it is a celebration of the dreams, thoughts, and creativity that live within our children. I am proud of each participant who has dared to imagine and share. May their journey of expression continue to shine brighter with every step."

– **Mr. Saravanan Thiyagarajan**, Principal

Looking Ahead

With overwhelming support and appreciation from the entire school community, "Spotlight on Young Writers & Artists" is set to become an annual tradition at JPS. We look forward to nurturing more young voices and giving flight to their imagination in the years to come.

Educators' CORNER

 **TAMIL NADU EDUCATION COUNSELORS WELFARE ASSOCIATION (TECWA) & TAMIL NADU PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION TEACHERS ASSOCIATION (TNPEITA)** 

(BEST PRINCIPAL AWARD)
சிறந்த முதல்வர் விருது



Date
14th Feb, 2025

Time
10.00am to 1.00pm

திரு. சரவணன் தியாகராஜன்
M.Sc., M.Phil., B.Ed.,
ஜெயின் பப்ளிக் பள்ளி, சென்னை.

We are incredibly proud to announce that our esteemed Principal has been honored with the Best Principal Award by both the **Tamil Nadu Educational Counsellors Welfare Association** and the **Tamil Nadu Private Educational Institution Teachers Association**. This prestigious award recognizes their unwavering dedication, exceptional leadership, and relentless pursuit of academic excellence. Join us in congratulating our Principal for this remarkable achievement and for being an inspirational beacon of quality education.



We were deeply honored to have our esteemed Principal grace the **25th Annual Day of Good Hope New Gen Senior Secondary School as the Chief Guest**. Under their exemplary leadership and unwavering dedication, the school has flourished, setting new standards of excellence.

India's Adopter School In Problem Solving

2024

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Thank you for supporting us in creating a community
of young leaders equipped with 21st century skills.

School Outreach Partner



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President Strategy
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HCL JIGSAW 5.0 - Appreciation Certificate

2024

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Proud Moment for Jain Public School!

We are honored to be recognized as India's Adopter School in Problem Solving 2024 by **HCL Jigsaw!** This recognition reflects our commitment to nurturing young leaders with 21st-century skills and fostering a culture of critical thinking and innovation. A big thank you to **HCL Jigsaw, Twinning Owl, and the HCL Group & Shiv Nadar Foundation for this acknowledgment.** Together, we continue to shape the future of education!



"Celebrating Excellence! Congratulations to our Senior Secondary Coordinator, **Ms. Vidhya Sriram**, for being honored as the **Best Coordinator** in the **National Road Safety Mission Winter Edition 2024-25**. Your dedication and leadership shine bright!"



JPS is proud that **Mr. K. Natarajasundharam**, our **Creative Head**, participated as a delegates in the Kasi Tamil Sangamam event, which fosters Tamil heritage and cultural exchange. In recognition of his unwavering dedication, the honorable **Governor of Nagaland, Thiru. La. Ganeshan**, presented him with an award. This prestigious honor underscores **Mr. K. Natarajasundharam**, commitment to promoting language, culture, and creativity, reflecting JPS's core values. His selfless contribution serves as an inspiration to students and staff alike, demonstrating how service, leadership, and passion can truly make a positive difference in society.



Talk Over Cookies, a renowned online cultural exchange program, proudly certifies Jain Public School for its outstanding participation and commitment to fostering global connections among students in Grades 4-8. **Special Recognition** We extend our heartfelt appreciation to:- **Mr. Saravanan Thiyagarajan**, Principal , **Ms. RadhaAnand**, Program Coordinator & **Ms. Poornima Murugan**, Executive Faculty for their exceptional leadership and vision in making this program a resounding success.

"Once Upon a Time at JPS: Where Stories Come Alive"



On February 8th, a day so bright,
Three divas shone, with storytelling light.
Sridevi, a genie, with magic spell,
Transported children to a world to tell.



Swarna's puppetry, a wonder to see,
Brought laughter and joy, to you and me.
Her skilled hands, brought the puppet to life,
As children watched, with wonder and delight.

Gowri Bhargav, with Ramu's courageous tale,
Inspired young hearts, to be brave and prevail.
Her words wove a spell, of adventure and might,
As children listened, with eyes shining bright.



Grades 1 to 8, united in delight,
As the three divas, brought stories to light.
A day of wonder, a day of glee,
A celebration of storytelling, for all to see!



Radha Anand
K-8 Co ordinator





Success Corner



"Young champions **Koka Deshika (G 6)** and **Koka Sri Mounish (G 4)** made our school proud by shining at the **State-level Competition** held at Nehru Park, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu, Chetpet. Kudos to both for their excellent performance!"



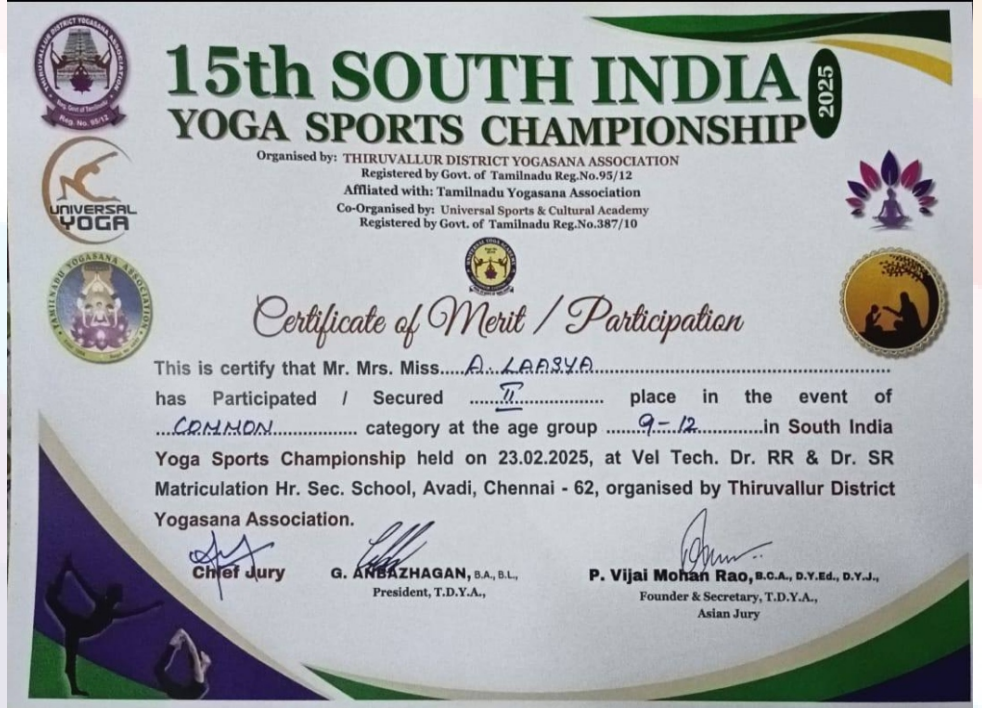
A Laasya of Grade 5B has achieved great success in the **National Level Yogasana Championship** organized by **Vina Sri Yoga & Research Centre at Gummidipoondi**.

Laasya has won 3rd place in two categories:

1. Yoga asanas
2. Surya Namaskar (108 times at one stretch)



Our talented student, **Prakrti**, has achieved a remarkable feat! She has **WON THE 1ST PRIZE in the Silambam State Level Skills Grading Test!** We're thrilled to celebrate Prakrti's outstanding achievement and recognize her hard work and dedication. Her accomplishment is a shining testament to the talent and excellence that our students embody! Join us in congratulating Prakrti on this impressive win!



Tamil Nadu Yogasana Association has conducted the Yoga Sports Championship at **Vel Tech Mat. School, Avadi, Chennai today (23/02/2025)**, in which A. Laasya has secured 2nd Prize in the 9-12 year age group category in the South India Yoga Sports Championship.



Koka Deshika of **grade 6A** has achieved success in the **National Level Yogasana Championship** organized by **Vina Sri Yoga & Research Centre_Online** at **Gummidipoondi**. She has won **1st** place in Yoga asanas on **09.02.2025**



Congratulations to **Dhruv Rajesh** for securing third place in the table tennis tournament ! His dedication and hard work have truly paid off. Let's cheer for **Dhruv** and his impressive achievement!





" Our young champ exhibited extraordinary talent and sportsmanship during their participation in the **Zenitra Inter-School Sports Fest at Amethyst International School**. Their dedication, teamwork, and competitive spirit were truly commendable, making our school proud. It was a memorable day filled with energy, enthusiasm, and remarkable achievements, reflecting the school's commitment to excellence in sports and holistic development."





Best Teen Horse Rider Part 8

Threads of truth unveil layer by layer

Before going to the shoot, my mother asked me to wash my hair with a paste which she had brought from the countryside, that morning. I was unaware of the amount of the paste to be put in the hair for a wash. So, I put three handful quantity of that paste on my head and spread it equally and washed the paste out like a lunatic. After which, I dried my hair and looked into the mirror before jumping into my outfit for the day. But an astonishing news was awaiting me. My beautiful, dark brown hair was faded into a pale Navy Blue. Was I teleported to a parallel universe?

No, I was not. Fate is currently deep frying me at 140°C. What am I supposed to say mom? On top of everything I have a photo shoot today! What will my manager say? I gathered up all my courage, and knocked on my parents' room. My mom and my dad were sitting on cloud nine, wearing sunglasses and drinking sodas after hearing my offer. But as they saw me they were pulled by gravity into the Bertho Rogers gas well.

They were not mad at me but just dumb-struck unable to ponder about the possibilities. They let out a deep sigh and said, "We don't care how this happened, we'll ring up your manager and tell him about it, it's his decision to take you in or send you out". I had my fingers, toes and even knees crossed. I needed this to prove that I deserve the spotlight and not just to be used by people around. Thankfully my twists, somehow worked, the manager said it was not an issue. My parents and I hit the spot and were waiting in the reception of the studio for me to be called. I think before I have, charming sparkling blue eyes of Rare shade. What I got into the shooting room of the studio. The director's gaze caught me for 5 minutes straight. I was quite confused thinking that my new hair colour was something unusual for models to possess. But he wanted me to tell something in person. He said he was a great admirer of a young model who was around 11 years old a few years ago. He heard about her being a goddess and also that she thought should take over the home modelling industry some day. He showed me some of her pictures and pointed out the resemblance of my new look to hers. I myself was ostrich steamer videos and images of breathtaking looks. She was very charming for an 11 year old. Looking closely at one of the videos in which she was modelling for a very famous brand in Italy. I noticed the left calf of her leg, she had a birthmark exactly like the one I have at the same spot. In another, in which she spelled out the brand's name, my jaw was inches away from touching the ground.

Keep your hopes up and theories written down, you'll get to know if they are true in the next part!

And you will get to know about it in the next part!

Until then,

It's Amrithavarshini of Grade 9,

Signing off!



Monthly Calendar

March 2025						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

Dates

Important Events

05

1. Thiruvalluvar Statue Unveiling - Dr. Thamizhachi Thangapandiayan
2. Term2 board exam begins for grades G3 to G9 & G11

08

Women's day celebration - Ms Aishwarya Sivakumar

10

1. KG to G2 term 2 exam begins
2. Grade 10 board exam ends

08

Story Telling Session for Grades 1 To 8

21

Term 2 exam ends for KG to G11

22

1. KG graduation
2. Term 2 exam holiday begins

29

1. Grade 12 board exam ends
2. G12 graduation day