

Monthly progress Report of November and December 2023



November is the eleventh month of the year and has 30 days. The month of November of this year, according to Nepali calendar, started from Wednesday 15th of 2080. The months of October and November of this year have mostly been spent on festival holidays. After long Dashain holidays, our Filosofiska Nepal school opened from October 29, Sunday. But it was the first day after the Dashain holidays, the attendance of the children was a little less. Some of the students had gone to their villages to celebrate Dashain with their families, but the parents informed the teachers through phone that they could not be present as soon as the school started. The school was operating smoothly for two weeks from October 29 to November 10. After that again from October 12 to October 19, the school was closed for Tihar and Chhath festival, the second great festival of Hindus.

As the month of November started, it was a bit cold in Kathmandu. The weather in Kathmandu was a bit cold in the mornings and evenings. As it was cold, we suggested the children to wear warm clothes to come to school.

In Nepal we celebrate Tihar as the second major festival. We also organized Tihar festival program in school on October 10th. For the program we all the teachers and students arranged the time a few days ago and started preparing. Gauri and Ulina were busy in art and craft while Smriti was busy teaching dance to children. Even on the day of the event, we, the whole school team, were busy in cooking Tihar's special sweet Sel roti, decorating the class, making rangoli etc. on this day, some students performed dances on various popular Tihar songs while other sang tihar songs and added a touch of spice to the program. At the last stage of the program, we let the children eat dishes that are specially eaten in Tihar Festival. Then we gave notice that the school will be closed from Tihar to Chhath festival and sent the students home.



Some glimpses of the special preparations made for the Tihar program.



Some pictures of dances presented by students from class L.K.G to class three in the Tihar special program. On this day, students dressed up in cultural costumes and performed dances on various Tihar songs. Thank you Smriti Rawat for this.



Some pictures of the adorable moments of the kids singing Deusi and Bhailini songs.



Group photo session taken at the last stage of Tihar program.

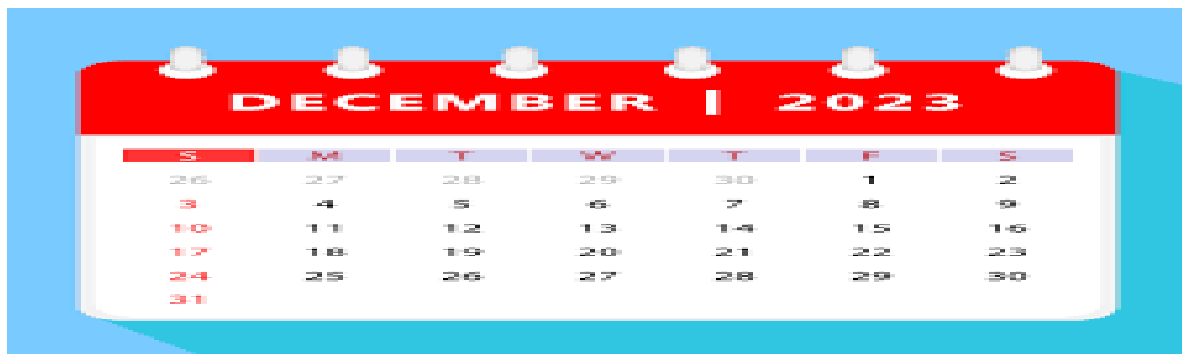
Our school teacher Saraswoti Kunwar's birth day was on November 26. On her special day, she celebrated the children of our Filosofiska Nepal School by providing delicious foods and sweets. She is the grade teacher of class Nursery and class L.K.G in our school. She has been teaching the students of our school continuously since last year.



Saraswoti Kunwar ma'am taking pictures with children in dining area on her birthday.



Students of Class L.K.G and Nursery are having their lunch in her birthday.



December is the twelfth and final month of year. Its length is 31 days. With the beginning of December, the weather in Kathmandu is getting colder. In this month, our main focus was studying because the second terminal examination was being held at the end of this month. The teachers were busy completing the courses and preparing questions papers for the examination. Students were also working hard for the exam. Since we saw the need to make the students of class one a little harder, we kept them in extra classes. Since their studies are a little weak, we started classes for them from December 5th according to the advice of the teachers. In this way, some improvement was seen in the children after extra classes. Both their reading, drawing and writing were seen to be a little better. Among them Sabin Tamang, Samikshya Majhi and Aakash Tamang are better than others. Apart from these, Samikshya Rana, Ansunan Bardewa and Shusant Tamang have also been better than before. But Bhupati Bhandari and Sakshyam Darji need to work harder. In the same way, the studies of the students of class U. K.G and L.K.G are good, but since the children of class nursery are a little younger, it is seen that they also need to work hard.

On the 3rd of December was the birthday of this Filosofiska Nepal teacher Smriti Rawat. She gave delicious food to the children of our school in her birthday. For this she had procured organic red rice, ghee and vegetables from her village Jumla through her cousin brother. For this, we also want to thank her cousin brother from the bottom of our hearts. Jumla Nepal is a poor or less developed district. The road system in JUMLA is not good. Therefore, the facilities of vehicles here are also not good. People have some difficulty moving around. Despite this, Smriti had procured organic food from the Jumla (birth place of smriti) through her cousin brother. I want to thank you once again for feeding the children and staffs of our school on her birthday.



Thank you Smriti for providing delicious organic lunch for us.



Students of class one, class two and class three are taking photos in dining hall on Smriti's birthday.

Similarly, our talkative student Sameer Tamang of class L.K.G also celebrated his birthday with his friends at school. He celebrated his birthday by distrusting chocolates to all his friends.



The photo of friends wishing Sameer by singing a birthday song on his birthday.

Similarly, our three student Ridam Tamang class – three , Ansuman Bardewa class – one and Prasant Giri class – Nursery celebrated their birthday with all their friends at school on December 22nd . They celebrated their birthday happily by giving chocolates to all their school friends. The friends also sang a sweet birthday song and wished them a birthday.



This is the photo of the students wishing their friends Anuman, Ridam and Prasant a happy birthday during the final phase of the morning assembly.



Prasant, Ansuman and Ridam are distributing Chocolates to their friends on their birthday.



On December 25 of this year, we celebrated the great Christian festival of Christmas at the school like every. Children are attended school mostly in red outfits. All the children were happy and eager to celebrate Christmas since morning because they had been practicing

dance for a week. Smriti ma'am was also busy during break time for a week to teach dance. We always appreciate her hard work. Other teachers were busy with art and craft and decoration. This year we made Deepson from class L.K.G present as Santa Claus among everyone. He was very happy to become Santa Claus himself. In this way, the children danced to Christmas songs, wished each other Christmas, ate the chocolates that Santa gave them, and at the end had a delicious snack and celebrated Christmas with joy and returned home.



Students of class L.K.G are posing with their friend Deepson in the picture.

This December 27th, the second terminal examination had started in our Filosofiska Nepal School. Due to some problem with the printer of the school, this time we had to get the question paper printed on the outside stationary. Due to some financial problems of the school, we have not been able to get the printer repaired till now. Due to this, we could not conduct the exam at the specified time according to the school schedule. Due to this difficulty, we started the exam in the school from December 27th and finished it on January 3 2024.



Students of class nursery are appearing their exam with the help their teachers.



Photo of Students from class one to class three are giving their exam calmly.