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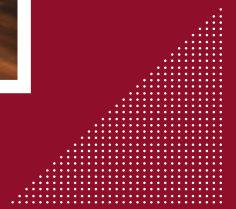
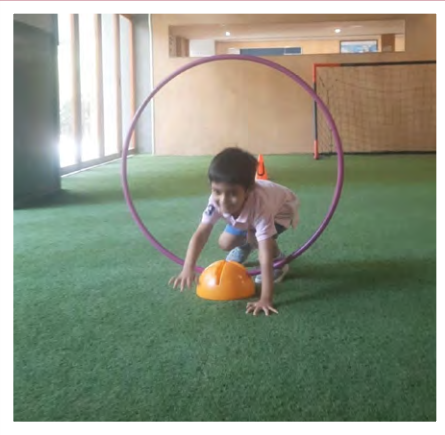
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LIFE AT LFIM

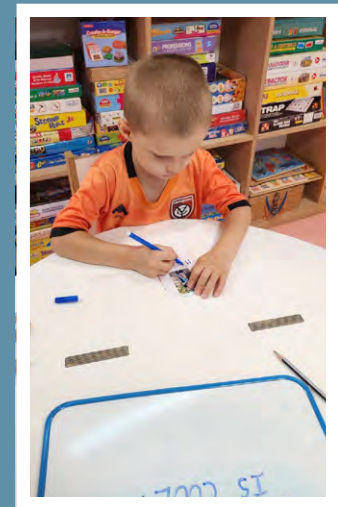
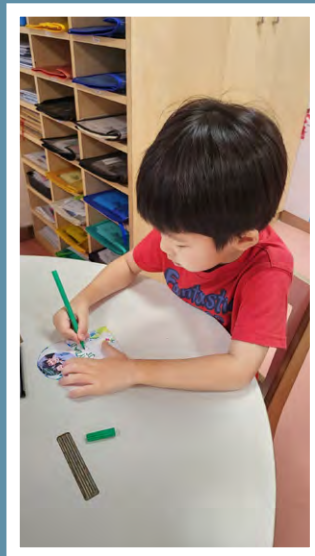


HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

There's no better gift to give your dad than ice cream!

As part of their Father's Day celebration, the MS and GS students in their English class created colorful ice cream cards for their dads. Inside, they wrote special messages, followed by...'My Dad is cool!'

Thank you Vidhi for this wonderful activity.





IT'S TIME FOR CP !

Summer vacations mark a new beginning for all LFIM members. Particularly for the GS students, who will move to CP after the summer.

As a special surprise, the GS spent some time being mentored by their older friends from CP.

As well as introducing them to books and the work that awaits them in September, the GS also explored their new classroom and soaked up the atmosphere before the start of the new school year.

ELLIE : THE ANIMATRONIC ELEPHANT

Organized by PETA India, CE2, CM1 and CM2 students visited our neighbors DSB and discovered Ellie: the animatronic elephant.

Accompanied by their teachers Sayali, Anne-Lise and Pawan, the students learned about empathy and kindness from Ellie herself. Voiced by Indian actress Dia Mirza, Ellie spoke about the inhumane way elephants are treated and hunted.

We thank DSB and PETA India for inviting our students to take part in a truly wonderful exhibition.

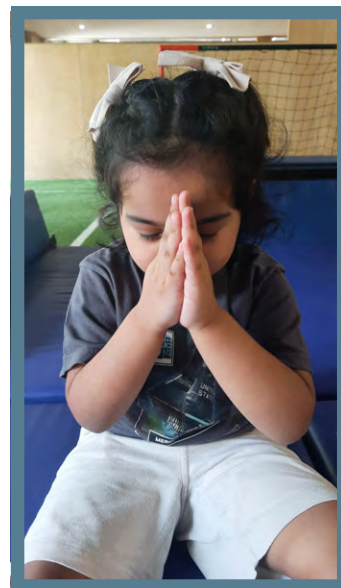


INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

June 21 marked International Yoga Day, and our students from PS to Terminale pushed their limits.

Guided by their sports teacher Pawan, the students practiced their breathing and performed various postures, including, but not limited to, the surya namaskar.

A calming way to refocus on oneself and reduce any lingering aches and pains.





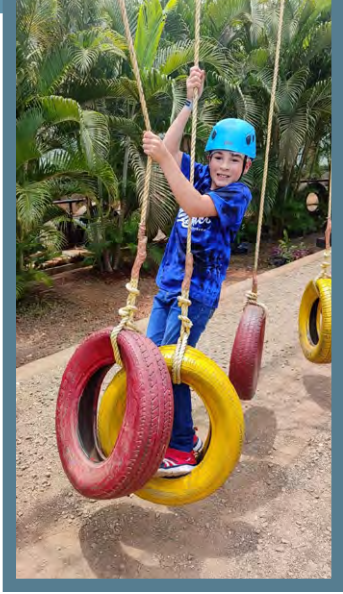
OFF TO LONAVALA

Students of CE2, CM1 and CM2 spent the day at Della Adventure Camp, in Lonavala.

Leaving and returning to school by bus and accompanied by their teachers Anne-Lise and Sayali, and two parents Gaby and Victoria, the children took part in a variety of activities such as indoor climbing, table soccer, animal riding, and even rolled on the surface of a body of water in a game known as “Roller Zorb”.

What a fun way to step outside the classroom and spend time with classmates and teachers!





THE MS GO TO THE SWIMMING POOL !

To prepare them for swimming lessons once they reach GS, the MS1 and MS2 children joined their GS classmates at the pool for an exceptional class.

Over two separate days, each class was taught by Barbara, the English teacher, under the supervision and support of Pawan and the class assistant (ASEM). The children swam in the small pool and practiced their basic movements.

Lots of splashing and laughter ensued, and the swim was a real success!





THE CHAMPIONS OF LFIM

The winners and runners-up of the LFIM Football and Dodgeball competitions received their trophies, medals and certificates!

As part of these competitions organized by our sports teacher Pawan, elementary and secondary students received their honors not only from Pawan, but also from their own class teachers!

Seeing our students demonstrate remarkable sportsmanship is a sign of great things to come.





DELFDALF EXAMS AT LFIM

For the first time in its history, LFIM hosted the DELF and DALF exams.

DELF (Diplôme d'Etudes en Langue Française) and DALF (Diplôme Approfondi de Langue Française) are official diplomas issued by the French Ministry of Education to certify the French language skills of foreign candidates.

Conducted by the Alliance Française de Bombay, students from all over Mumbai visited the school to sit for their exams, ranging from levels A1 to C1. We even had a few parents sitting for their exams.

All the very best to all the students!



THE FRENCH BACCALAUREATE SPORTS EXAMS

Our Terminale students were joined at LFIM by students from the French schools of Kathmandu (Nepal) and Dhaka (Bangladesh) for their Physical Education and Sports tests, as part of the final exams of the French Baccalauréat.

The students from the visiting schools were accompanied by their respective sports teachers and a parent. The Principal of the Lycée Français de Delhi accompanied his students and was responsible for conducting and assessing the exams. The day began with the running exams, held at a sports track in Bandra. The group then moved on to LFIM, for their table tennis exams.

This gathering of students from 4 French schools testifies to the uniqueness and proximity of the AEFÉ network.



**WELCOME TO THE END
OF THE YEAR SHOWS
AT LFIM**



TOUTE PETITE SECTION

The performances began with our youngest TPS children, who presented a bilingual dance and gymnastics show.

Led by their teachers Anshu and Hadrien, their assistants Shaila and Vanita, and with the support of their sports teacher Pawan, the TPS began the show by dancing to classic nursery rhymes in French and English.

This was followed by a gymnastics demonstration that allowed them to showcase the development of their gross motor skills.

Finally, parents were invited onto the dance floor to tap their feet with their children!



PETITE SECTION

Petite Section students joined their classmates in Yves Saint Laurent's exclusive fashion show at our school.

Guided by their teachers Aude, Barbara, Anshu and Enara, the students wore clothes inspired by Dutch artist Piet Mondrian, renowned for his works featuring geometric elements.

This was followed by bilingual dance performances, including a song with towels, which emphasized good hygiene habits.

For their final performance, the indoor playground was transformed into a gymnasium and the children took part in an obstacle course.





MOYENNE SECTION ET GRANDE SECTION

MS1, MS2 and GS put on a combined show, presenting dances from different parts of the world.

Led by Vidhi, Barbara, Karine and Enara, the children began with Japanese movements, dressed in their best kimonos. This was followed by a French-themed dance, with the performers dressed in red, white and blue. Finally, a Scottish country dance with bagpipe-inspired music led the children in pairs and allowed them to follow progressive dance patterns.

Three distinct movements under one roof!





COURS PRÉPARATOIRE

CP began the morning with a French-language performance of “Peter and the Wolf”, which included never-before-seen background music, sounds and costumes.

This was followed by “The Three Little Pigs”, in the form of an English musical. Little Red Riding Hood waved her water pistol at the audience, and the Big Bad Wolf huffed and puffed at the cardboard house.

The children particularly impressed us with their singing abilities.



COURS ÉLÉMENTAIRE 1

The CE1 children performed Robin Hood, as a musical.

Apart from the water pistol used during the hearing, the brilliant costume changes of His Majesty the King and the use of comedic timing, the children certainly did not hold back in their performance.

A 45-minute performance that kept the audience coming back for more!



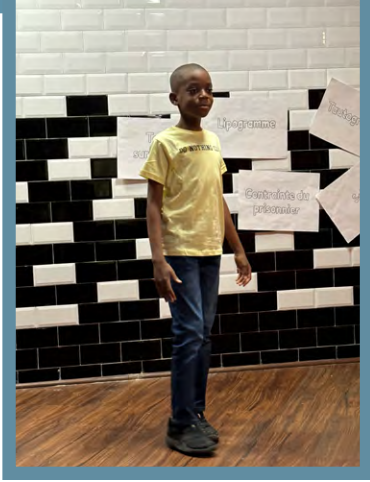
COURS ELÉMENTAIRE 2

The CE2 students showed us their genius and sense of humor.

Their French show began with a humorous version of an inspector visiting a classroom and a teacher constantly mispronouncing his name.

The English show brought to life all the colors in a box of crayons, each complaining of being either overused, or not touched at all. Our sympathies go to the color 'white', which cannot be seen without a border.





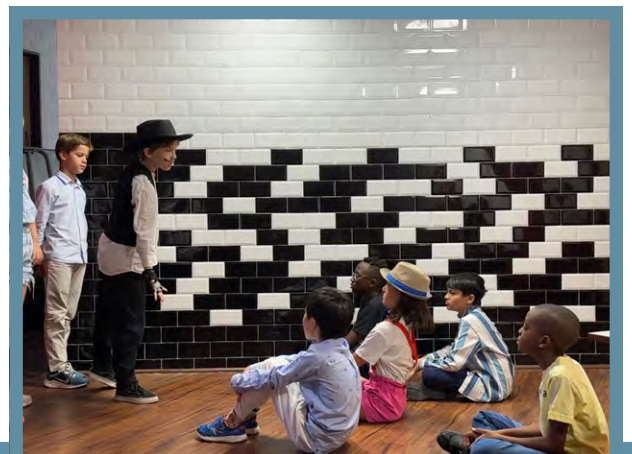
COURS MOYEN

1 ET 2

The CM1 and CM2 students left us all in awe!

In French, they used numbers and invented language based on Lipograms, and even quizzed the audience.

In English, our students presented the iconic story of Pinocchio and his father and creator Geppetto. A show that featured rap, tongue-in-cheek humor and laughter.





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