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School reopened on 15th June after summer vacation. Students plunged into their class activities & play. Junior classes have their tabletop activities for learning colours and shapes, with plenty of hand-eye coordination activities & object play.



The Primary unit has tabletop activities of number concepts, etc., through activities.



Senior sections have more of a functional reading, writing & computer classes.



The occupational therapy unit was engaged in a proprioceptive strengthening programme involving joint pressure on the limbs, along with addressing students' vestibular issues.



The physiotherapy unit was bustling with various individual programs focused on mobility and muscle strengthening, as well as stretching routines tailored for students.



Sensory integration was focused on smell stimulation for students.



Hydrotherapy started in June, where students attended class-wise. The provision of a garden pool for our early intervention unit adds more fun water play for students.



Students have more indoor play due to the heat.



Vocational unit students were engaged in laundry work, i.e. collecting towels & washing.



Senior students list the maintenance stock and also supervise ADL work, i.e., class cleaning after lunch, on rotation, along with kitchen work.



Primary unit students learn washing as part of their ADL programme.



Students enjoy collecting summer fruit, wax apple (Jamrul), with the gardener.



Tiffin time and lunch time are moments that students eagerly anticipate, as they not only learn to be independent during meals but also embrace the responsibility of helping their peers.



International Yoga Day was a highlighted event of June. We celebrated on 22nd June. Students were engaged in various yoga activities during the morning assembly and also in their respective classes in the corridor.



