



# JOHN'S CENTRAL SCHOOL

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## Voyager

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## THE CORRESPONDENT'S MESSAGE

"Education is not preparation for life, education is life itself" stated John Dewey. John's Central School concurs with the magnitude of this statement and strives to impact the lives of the students in its fold with positive and transforming learning experiences. We believe in all – round education. We at JCS create a balance in the academic and physical development of the students.

We believe that in today's world where change is constant and fast paced, we need as educators to adapt to the continuous changes and trends in education. This motivates us to deliver and give the best to our children in all fields. The teachers are trained to meet the emotional needs of the children. We provide continuous training to our staff in order that they may be agents of qualitative and holistic transformation in the lives of

students who pass through our school.

We have been striving to give our best to our students in order to transform and shape them not only in the pursuit of personal excellence but also a social and value based conscience.

Adv. **J. JEBIL WILSON**  
M.A., B.Ed., L.L.B

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Students and Parents,

I am honoured to be the Principal of the John's Central School, Anjugramam. On behalf of the entire team of employees at the JCS, I welcome you all to the John's family. At John's we strongly promote our students' academic achievement by implementing a well balanced curriculum to ensure that the children who walk into the portals of our school will not just love their school years but truly be prepared to face life's challenges.

Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students and enthusiastic parents with high expectations. Academic excellence is our major thrust and our school is devoted to moulding the students for life, grooming them to face the challenges of tomorrow and encouraging them to be socially relevant. As we understand that a child's experience in the early years has a major impact on their future life, we aim for high quality in every aspect of our learning programme.

I am confident that the John's will make itself stronger day by day, adding a new leaf to its grandeur.



Mrs. **SHERENE CHANDRA LEELA**  
M.Sc., (Physics), M.Sc., (IT), M.Phil., B.Ed



## OUR VISION

We foster our students' love for learning, encourage them to try new and exciting things, and give them a solid foundation to build on.

Our vision is to develop well rounded, confident and responsible individuals who aspire to achieve their full potential. We will do this by providing a welcoming, happy, safe, and supportive learning environment in which everyone is equal and all achievements are celebrated.

We believe that a happy child is a successful one. We are committed to providing a positive, safe and stimulating environment for children to learn, where all are valued. We intend that all children should enjoy their learning, achieve their potential and become independent life-long learners.

Our vision is to forge strong, positive connections with students so they can achieve independence, build confidence, and gain academic knowledge.

We aim to develop well-rounded and thoughtful students prepared to cope with a changing post-modern and globalized world.

## A GLIMPSE AT OUR JOURNEY

Our school came into existence in the year 2014 with God's promise

"Commit thy works unto the Lord and thy thoughts shall be established."

Our Chairman, Dr. P. John Wilson, is a dedicated educationalist. He has devoted his life to education and has acquired invaluable expertise. Of his 51 years of experience in the field of education, 38 years have been spent in running a school to lift the standard of education in the rural areas. Thousands of children in rural areas have been benefitted from his commendable service. Lately he wanted to bring about a change in the pattern of learning – rote learning (learning everything by heart). As a result of his vision, The John's Central School was started with the view to helping children acquire Higher Order thinking Skills. Inspired by his devoted thought this school took root in the year 2014 under Adv. J. Jebil Wilson, the Correspondent of the School. The staff of the school were prepared to create children with all round ability to face this competitive world. Ever since its inception, the entire community of JCS has been relentlessly engaged in creating citizens who stand for justice, soar with pride and exhibit the values of compassion, respect and responsibility in all walks of life.

Our philosophy is to have an effective blend of scholastic and co-scholastic activities for the holistic development of children. We aim to create a child centric learning environment based on the theory of learning by doing, which helps develop multi – faced and multi-talented personalities. We aspire to maximize the learning for the students by integrating the curriculum with real life experiences.

## OUR MISSION

We are committed to providing a positive learning environment that advocates considerate, responsible, and emotionally healthy behaviours.

# VOYAGER 2024-2025



## | Academic Achievement

This academic year began on the 5th of June with classes X and XII, KG to IX and XI came on the 12th of June. The hard work of our teachers bore very good fruit and we got 100% results in X and XII. We are very proud to say some of our X and XII children had scored centum in Tamil, Maths and Computer Science.

## | Grade XII

Ivan Nilash X and Balatharun R got the first mark and secured centum in Computer Science. Angelin Blessy M.S got the second mark. Ashak Madniel J got the third mark.



## | Grade X

Jai Priya Dharma D got the first mark and secured centum in Maths. Amirtha P got the second mark and secured centum in Maths and Tamil. Asmitha M got the third mark. Akilendran K.R, Deepika R and Ajolin Monitta A secured Centum in Tamil.

## | Prayer for X and XII students

A Special prayer was organized by the school for the grades X and XII students. Mrs.Fabiola Clifford delivered the words of God and prayed for the children



## | Chairman's Birthday

On April 17, our Chairman's birthday was celebrated in the Stella's auditorium. On that day our chairman turned 75. This year the birthday programme was done by the John's and Stella's together. The newsletter 'Voyager 2023-2024' was released by the chairman. In honour of his platinum birthday, a song sung by his grand daughter Sheril Stella was released. The management threw a party to the staff and their children.

## | Summer Day

On the 18th of April, Summer Day was celebrated. Students dressed up in cotton dresses and complimented their outfits with sunglasses, summer hats and sun crowns. They enjoyed different kinds of natural juices prepared by their teachers.



## | Faculty Development Programme

Teachers had a workshop on how to use the interactive panels. Foundation course teachers had a refreshment class. Regular workshops and seminars were conducted by various resource persons to enrich the teachers' knowledge and keep them updated on the current techniques and pedagogy followed by the NEP.

## | Blue Day

Blue day was celebrated on 26th of June. Children were allowed to wear blue casual dresses. Drawing and poster making competition was conducted for students.



## | Correspondent's Birthday

The correspondent's birthday was celebrated on 26th of June. Birthday cake was cut at the assembly. A special lunch was given to all the teaching and non-teaching staff.

## | Felicitation Ceremony for Cambridge YLE Students

YLE certificates were presented to the children by the Chief guest Ms.Sorambi, Director of i3 Training Solution, Madurai. The parents had been invited to take part in the ceremony.





## | Parents Orientation Programme

Parents of kindergarten and grade 1 students had an orientation programme on Saturday 6th of July. Pattern writing was taught by our teachers. Some instructions and guidance were given by the Principal. After refreshment, parents were asked to meet the respective class teachers of their children.

## | Tara English Class

Our school introduced the Tara English Class, a new initiative aimed at improving students' English language skills.



## | Motivational Programme

A motivational programme, organized by Jesus Redeems was conducted for students of classes IX to XII. The session aimed at inspiring and encouraging students to stay focused and believe in their potential to achieve success.

## | Reading Competition

To enhance the reading ability of the students, reading competition was conducted for grades I, II & VI to IX in English and Tamil by the literary club.



## | Election

The School Council election for the year 2024 was held on 6th July 2024 and all the students from grade 6 to 12 enthusiastically cast their vote in a confidential manner. The polling came to an end by 3:30 p.m. It was conducted in disciplined, free and fair manner. Class Head leaders election was also conducted in a transparent manner. The votes were counted by the election officer, committee members, teacher volunteers in presence of the student agents.

## | Club inauguration

The inauguration of various clubs of the school for the academic session 2024-2025 was held on 11th of July. The student-leaders incharge of all the clubs were presented badges by the teachers of each club.



## | Kamarajar's birthday

On July 15 our school celebrated the birthday of Kamarajar, who is fondly remembered as the "Kingmaker". The special assembly held in his honour highlighted his contributions to education, leadership and national development.

## | Cycling Club

On July 17, the cycling club of our school organized a cycling trip from the school campus to Aralvaimozhi. Students from classes X,XI and XII participated enthusiastically.



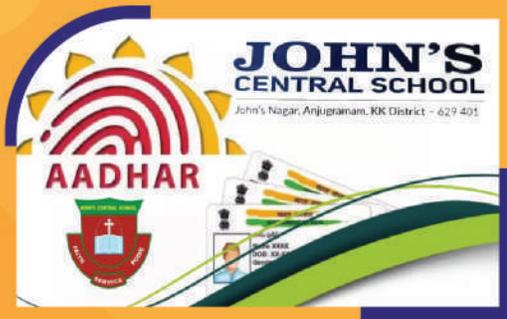
## | KG Flowers day

The kindergarten students celebrated the "Flowers Day" on the 25th of July, Thursday. The Flowers Day Celebration was a vibrant and joyous event held for our kindergarten students. The event aimed to celebrate the beauty and significance of flowers in our lives. Dr Jane Theeba, an associate Professor at Scott Christian College Nagerkoil and Mrs. Sugantha David were the Chief Guests of this event. Various competitions like the flower king and queen contest, fancy dress competition and flower arrangement were held on that day.

## | Investiture Ceremony

Investiture ceremony was on the 26th of July. The Chief Guest was Dr Sujatha M.A.,M.C.J.,M.Phil, Assistant Professor, Vivekananda College of Arts and Science, Agastheeswaram. All the school cabinet ministers were inducted on that day. They took oath and took charge of their duties.





## | Aadhar Camp

An Aadhar camp was organized in our school to facilitate the updation of Aadhar details for the students.

## | Health and Cleanliness Awareness Programme

A Health and Cleanliness Awareness programme was organized to promote the importance of health and cleanliness among students and the community. The programme began with a pledge taken by the students, vowing to maintain personal hygiene and work towards a clean and healthy environment. Following this, a rally was conducted by the students, who carried colourful placards and banners with catchy slogans.



## | Book Fair

Our school hosted a two-day book fair in collaboration with Sudharsan book store. The event was a wonderful opportunity for students and teachers to explore a wide range of books, including fiction, non-fiction, educational resources and more. The wonderful variety of books displayed encouraged the students to develop a love for reading.

## | Co-Curricular and Extra curricular activities

Our school organized inter house competitions from Nursery to grade XII like dance, singing, recitation, elocution, fancy dress, rangoli, quiz, puppet show etc. to provide maximum exposure to make the latent talents blossom.

Our students actively took part in various competitions conducted at St. Alphonsa School, Nagercoil, Rotary Club Nagercoil and Vins School of Excellence, Chunkankadai and brought laurels to our school by winning prizes and overall championships.

Our students took part in Archery competition which was conducted at Vedic Vidyashramam Vallioor and bagged the overall championship.

Students from grades I to IX and XI participated in Chess and Silambam tournaments conducted in Nagercoil and made us proud.

Little Champion Chess Academy conducted an Intra school chess tournament for our school on December 21st.

Professional and dedicated trainers are training our children in all the Extra Curricular activities like Skating, Silambam, Chess, Drawing, Classical dance, Taekwondo, Archery, Abacus, Violin, Keyboard, Piano, Guitar and Drums.



## | Club Activities

Various clubs such as Nature, Literary, Astro, Art, Culinary, Life Skills, Scout and Guide, Junior Red Cross and Robotics were introduced for grades VI to XII children. Our robotics students took part in an Artificial Irrigation Competition held at St. Xavier's Engineering College and won the overall trophy and a cash prize of Rs.5000.



## | Robotics club

This year, our school introduced the Robotics Club, providing students with an exciting opportunity to explore the world of technology and innovation. The club aims to enhance creativity, problem-solving skills, and hands-on learning in the field of robotics.

## | Food Safety Awareness

Food Safety Awareness programme was organized for the students of classes 3 to 7. Ms. Amrita who worked on Govt. projects and created awareness among people about the right food to eat was the Guest of Honour. It was a very lively and informative session.



## | Competitive Exams

To improve the quality of critical thinking, students were given opportunity to take part in different competitive exams. Students from grade I to XII participated in NCES National Level Competitive Examination, Olympiad, Prodigy Hunt and Spell Bee under various categories.

## | Inter School Competitions

This year, students from grades IX, X, XI and XII represented our school at prestigious competitions held at Corpus Christy School, Pioneer Kumaraswamy College and Bishop Remigious School and won the overall championship trophies with cash prizes.





## Independence Day

On the Independence day there was a combined programme at Stella's school. Students and staff from Stella's school and John's school took part in it.

## Principal's Birthday

John's School and Stella's school came together on the 15th of August to celebrate the birthday of our beloved Principal, making it a day filled with joy, gratitude and sincere wishes. The celebration began with teachers expressing their warm wishes, thanking the Principal for her dedication and guidance. Teachers presented special gifts, symbolizing their respect and admiration. A special lunch was given to all the teaching and non-teaching staff.



## Sports Day

This year's Sports day was on 30th of August. The Chief Guest was Mr Mahesh Kumar, DSP, Kanyakumari Sub division and the Guests of Honour were Mrs P Vijaya Kumari M.A., M.Ped.,M.Phil.,B.Ed, Chief Inspector of Physical Education (Rtd) and Mr V Jose Divahar, 11th ward member, Anjugramam Town panchayat.

## Sports Achievements

We are immensely proud to announce that our school has secured overall trophies in various games and sports.

At Dakshin Sahodaya CBSE Volley ball tournament, our under-19 boys' and girls' teams emerged as runners-up.

In Kabbadi under-14 boys secured the runners-up position.

In Throwball, under-19 boys' team also claimed the runners-up title.

Demonstrating skill and strategy our under-17 boys' Basket ball team emerged as champions.

Our students also excelled in track and field events, securing gold, silver and bronze medals in various categories.

Additionally our students brought glory to the school by winning the bronze medal at the cluster championship.

- Vijay Barshith Raja of grade X won bronze in the under-17 taekwondo.
- John of grade XII won bronze in the under-19 Discuss throw.
- Akash Narayanan of grade XII secured bronze in the under-19 Long Jump.



## | Intramural Games

Intramural games were conducted for both boys and girls and the winners were presented trophies.



## | Kindergarten Sports Day

Sports day was conducted for the students of kindergarten on the 6th of September. The chief guests were Ms.Usha Gracy, the executive officer in Anjugramam Town Panchayat and Mr Jose Divahar, the 11th ward member, Anjugramam Town Panchayat. Children participated in the march past, lighting the Olympic torch, field demonstration, human pyramid formations and track races. The winners of the races were awarded with certificates and medals.



## | Nutrition Week

We had a nutrition week in our school during the first week of September, to promote healthy eating habits among students. To make the event interactive and educational, a nutritional food chart was provided to all the children. The students brought the recommended healthy food throughout the week.



## | Teachers' Day

The teachers' day was celebrated on the 5th of September, honouring the dedication and hard work of our beloved teachers. The students organized a variety of entertaining programmes. A unique highlight of the celebration was the creation of two tree diagrams. These creative displays were brought to life as teachers added their thumb prints to the trees, making them colourful and symbolic of the strong bond between teachers and students.



## | Onam Celebration

Onam was celebrated on the 13th of September. This year too, the celebration had all the traditional activities.





## Recreational Trips

As a part of our commitment to experiential learning and recreation, students were taken on educational and fun-filled trips: Grades XI and XII explored Hyderabad. It was organised by Prompt Tours, Chennai.

Grades IX and X visited Ooty and Black Thunder. In Ooty, students visited the Botanical Garden, where they admired the lush greenery and a wide variety of exotic plants. Another highlight of the trip was boating, where students enjoyed the peaceful waters while taking in the breathtaking views of Ooty's natural beauty. It was organised by Travel Mate, Madurai.



Grade VII and VIII enjoyed a trip to Magic Planet, world's first Magic Theme Park. A multitude of fascinating activities were conducted by the differently abled people.

Grades VI students had a fun-filled experience at GoGo land, a destination filled with fun, adventure and excitement. Gogo Land offered a variety of rides and attractions, which kept the students entertained



Grades III to V visited Trivandrum, visiting the Zoo, Museum and Planetarium. At the zoo, students were thrilled to see a variety of animals and birds, learning about their habitats and behaviours. The visit to Museum was equally fascinating as students explored ancient sculptures and cultural exhibits. Finally students were amazed by the wonders of space in the planetarium.

## Vijayadhasami Admission

Like previous years, the Vijayadhasami admission was quite successful and many children were admitted



## Eye Camp

On 23rd of October, our school, in association with Vasam Eye Care, organized a free eye camp to raise awareness about eye health and ensure students' well-being. A team of expert eye specialists from Vasam Eye Care conducted thorough eye check-ups for the students.

## Diwali

The festival of light, Diwali was celebrated on the 30th of October. The students shared sweets among themselves, spreading joy and fostering a sense of unity and friendship.



## Educational Trips

To enhance their practical learning experience, students of grade XII were taken on an educational trip to Kudankulam Nuclear Power Station, where they gained first hand knowledge about nuclear energy production and safety protocols. Also the grade X students were taken to a paddy field, where they learned about the process of cultivation, understanding traditional and modern farming techniques.

## Children's Day

Our school campus buzzed with excitement and joy on the 14th of November as it was Children's day. The highlight of the event was a spectacular performance by the teachers, who entertained the students with songs, dances and a humorous act featuring Charlie Chaplin. A puppet show competition was organized for classes 6 to 11. Students displayed their creativity and storytelling skills using colourful puppets, making the competition both engaging and





## | Cartoon Day

Cartoon day, one of the favourite days of kindergarten students was on the 17th of November. Children came dressed like their favorite cartoon characters and were excited to talk about them. An hour was spent in watching a cartoon movie and the children were given popcorn.

## | Speech Contest

On November 29th and 30th, Lingua Franca organized a speech contest. The event witnessed an overwhelming participation of 215 students.

The contest was judged by a distinguished panel consisting of:

Ms. Devi, principal of Devi Matriculation school

Ms. Mahalakshmi, CEO of Sai Language Institute

Ms. Anju Jasmine, Trainer from Devi Matriculation School

The students showcased their exceptional verbal skills, and the winners were awarded prizes for their outstanding performances.



## | Silver Bells

An inter school carol fest was organized by our school successfully for the third time on the 6th of December. Sacred Heart International School, Marthandam bagged the first prize under the Junior and Senior category

## | Christmas Celebration

Christmas celebration was on the 23rd of December. The school was colourfully decorated with Christmas decoration. The celebration began with various performances by students, including dance performances and skits depicting the story of Jesus Christ's birth. The most awaited moment was the arrival of Santa Claus, who brought extra cheer by distributing sweets to all the students. The Christmas message was given by the Chief Guest Rev. Jose Dobin, Pastor of the Kanimadam CSI church.



## | Helping Drive

Our school organized a helping drive for the students. Students enthusiastically contributed to the drive. The things were donated to various orphanages and old age homes across Kanyakumari district.

## | Spell Bee

The spell bee competition brought excitement and pride to our school as several students showcased their exceptional spelling skills and qualified for the state level competition. Adding to the excitement, the state-level round of the competition was hosted in our school. This prestigious event brought together talented participants from various schools, making it a memorable and inspiring occasion for everyone involved.



## | Pongal

The festival of Pongal was celebrated with great enthusiasm at our school. Students were dressed in beautiful traditional attire. The celebration included a series of traditional games, which were enjoyed by everyone, creating a sense of community and cultural appreciation.

## | Blood Donation Camp

A blood donation camp was organized on 25th January in collaboration with Johns Trust and Kumai Arakattalai. Our teachers and parents donated their blood on that day.



## | Tamil Day Celebration

Our school celebrated Tamil day with great enthusiasm on 29th of January. The celebration began with a special assembly conducted entirely in Tamil. The prayer, pledge and speeches were all delivered in Tamil, emphasizing its beauty and significance. Students dressed as Thiruvalluvar, adding to the cultural essence. Each child recited Thirukkural, spreading the wisdom of the ancient Tamil literature.

## | Annual Award Ceremony

The Annual Award Ceremony was celebrated for the secondary and senior secondary children on the 1st of February. Chief Guest Tmt. Y Sheela John BSc (Horti), MBA., Deputy Director of Horticulture, Nagercoil and the Guest of Honour, Mr V.T Puthiavan AMIE, M.Tech., Former Deputy Project Director, GSLV, MK3 presented the certificates for the children.





## Annual Award Ceremony for Primary

The Annual Award Ceremony was celebrated for the primary students on the 1st of March. The chief guest Mrs Anusha Sweetlin Beaula.G (Deputy Registrar of Cooperative Societies) and the guests of honour Mr. Brigadier Israel Arumay Raj, Sena Medal (Retired) and Mr. Jose Divahar (11th ward member, Anjugramam Town Panchayat) presented the certificates for the children.

## Wall of Wishes

Our school created the Wall of Wishes, providing students with an opportunity to express their dreams and aspirations. A large wall was specially set up, inviting the children to share their wishes. Students eagerly participated, writing down their personal goals, hopes for the future and messages of positivity.



## Medical Camp

A medical camp was organized for both teaching and non-teaching staff at our school. The camp was led by Dr. G Herrin Sales, Govt. Primary Health Centre, Agastheeswaram. It provided free medical check-up, consultations and essential health screenings to ensure that everyone received proper care and attention.

## Science Day

Our school celebrated Science day with great enthusiasm on 28th of February. The event began with an inspiring speech by a student. The tiny tots from Kindergarten stole the show with their adorable performances, dressed as honeybee, butterfly and firefly. A role play by class 5 students brought science to life in an engaging way. One of the most exciting segments of the celebration was the Parade of Scientists, where students dressed up as famous scientists like Albert Einstein, Marie Curie, C.V.Raman, and others. They marched proudly, showcasing their contributions to science and inspired everyone to explore the world of discovery.



## Farewell day celebration

Our school bid an emotional farewell to the Class 12 students, organized by the Class 11 students. The event was filled with memories, gratitude, and warm wishes for the outgoing batch. Students from Class 12 shared their thoughts and experiences, expressing gratitude towards their teachers and recalling their journey in school. As a symbolic gesture, candles were lit, representing the light of knowledge and the bright future awaiting the students. To honour their time at school, the management presented mementos to all the students as a token of appreciation.





## Women's Day

Our school celebrated Women's Day with enthusiasm, honouring the achievements and contributions of women. Teachers set the tone for the celebration with a beautiful song, expressing appreciation for the strength and resilience of women. Students presented speech and poem recitations in both English and Tamil.

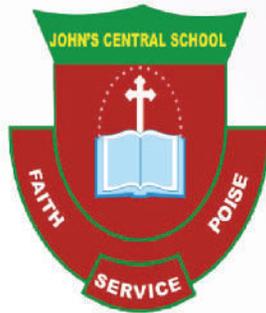
## Road Safety Awareness Programme

Our school organized a Road Safety Awareness Programme to educate students about the importance of following traffic rules and staying safe on the roads. The session was led by traffic police officials. Mr Jaya Prakash, Traffic Sub-inspector of police, Kanyakumari District, shared valuable insights on road safety measures. During the session, he explained the rules and regulations that every citizen must follow to ensure a safe and disciplined traffic system. He also advised students not to ride bikes without a valid license, emphasizing the risks and legal consequences.



## Kindergarten Graduation Day Celebration

Our school celebrated Kindergarten Graduation Day with great enthusiasm, marking a special milestone in the young learners' journey. The event was graced by a distinguished chief guest Mr A Thiruneela Prasad B.Sc.,B.L., District Judge (Rtd) , President District Consumer Redressal Commission, Thoothukudi and guests of honor, Dr A.T Dinesh Kumar MDS. , Endodontist and Dr Sandeep Kumar David M.B.B.S., MS General surgery, DLS, FALS, FIAGES, PG, Dip Diabetology, MBA – Hospital Administration, General and Laparoscopic surgeon, Professor of Surgery at Dr SMCSI Medical College, Karakonam, Consultant Surgeon at Irene Hospital, Nagercoil added to the significance of the occasion. The ceremony began with the prize distribution, where students were recognized for their achievements and efforts throughout the year. Their proud smiles reflected their excitement and sense of accomplishment. Following this, the little children showcased their talents through cultural performances, entertaining the audience with their charming acts, songs, and dances. Their confidence and enthusiasm made the event even more delightful. The celebration was a memorable and joyous occasion, filled with encouragement and appreciation for the young learners as they stepped forward into the next phase of their education.



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