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Annual Prize Distribution

18th March 2023



Congratulations!



The Annual prize distribution and felicitation programme for students and parents was conducted by W.H. Smith Memorial School on 18th March, 2023 for encouraging and boosting confidence in the students and to show appreciation to the parents for the constant support that they showed throughout the year.

The entire programme was divided into two segments. The first part of the programme was for the students of Classes Lower Nursery to 5. It was held in the morning, from 9:00 AM - 12:00 noon. The Chief Guest was Padmashree Dr. Saroj Churamani Gopal and the Guest of Honour was Dr. Esha Pai. After being felicitated by Principal Ma'am, they spoke to the students and inspired them with their words. Prizes were given away to the deserving students in many categories, like Best in Art, Best Handwriting, All rounder of the class etc. It was a proud moment for all the Parents, Teachers and Students.

Prizes were also given to the Conscientious parents. The entire programme was compared by Mrs. Rakhi Verma and finally the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Mrs. Sandhya Kapoor. The second part of the Prize Distribution Ceremony was for the Middle and Senior sections held from 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM. The Chief Guests, Prof. M.K. Thakur and DGND Rtn. Dr. Ashutosh Agrawal were welcomed warmly. The audience was told about the school and its achievements by the principal, Dr. Anita Pauline Dey in her welcome address. The Annual Report was presented by the Co-ordinator, Mrs. Sangeeta Nayak. After that, names of the proud prize winners was announced from Classes 6 to 12. A token of the school's love was presented to the Chief Guests, after which they both gave motivating speeches about their life experiences. The entire programme was compared by Mrs. Minakshi Singh and the Vote of Thanks was proposed by Mr. Manu Kapoor.

IMPORTANT DAYS OF MARCH



3 MAR.



8 MAR.



4-10 MAR.



15 MAR.



20 MAR.



22 MAR.



24 MAR.



27 MAR.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MONTH



LET US REMEMBER THE REMARKABLE PERSONALITY OF LATE MR. P.M SODHI ON HIS BIRTH ANNIVERSARY (24TH MARCH) BY PAYING A HUMBLE TRIBUTE TO THE SOUL, WHO STRIVED UNCEASINGLY FOR THE BETTERMENT OF W.H.SMITH MEMORIAL SCHOOL FOR TAKING IT TO THE NEW HEIGHTS OF GLORY AND EXCELLENCE



STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN GLOBAL GENERATION (TOPIC: CLIMATE CHANGE)



Smith Talent Search Examination Prize Distribution

(CLASSES LN-12)

The Smith Talent Search Examination was held for the classes Lower Nursery to 4 on 27th January 2023 and classes 5 to 12 on 28th January 2023. Just like every year, all the students took part enthusiastically. The Smith Talent Search Examination is held every year to enable the students to identify their talents in various subjects thereby helping the students to aspire for their future aspirations. It was an eagerly awaited and fiercely contested exam. Toppers from each section were given cash prizes. The top 10 meritorious students from each section were also recognised and awarded, along with their proud parents.



Fun Time

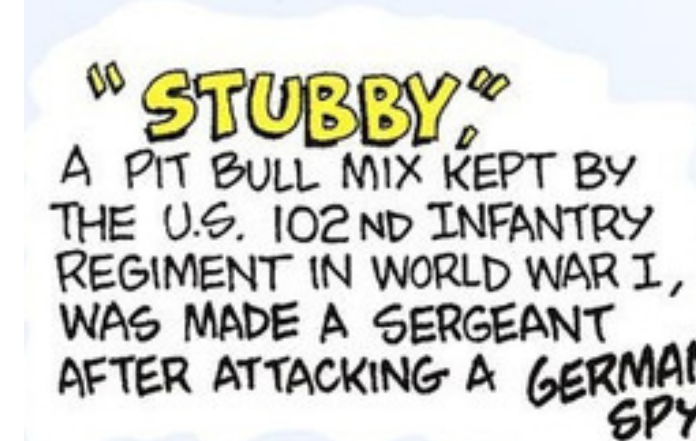
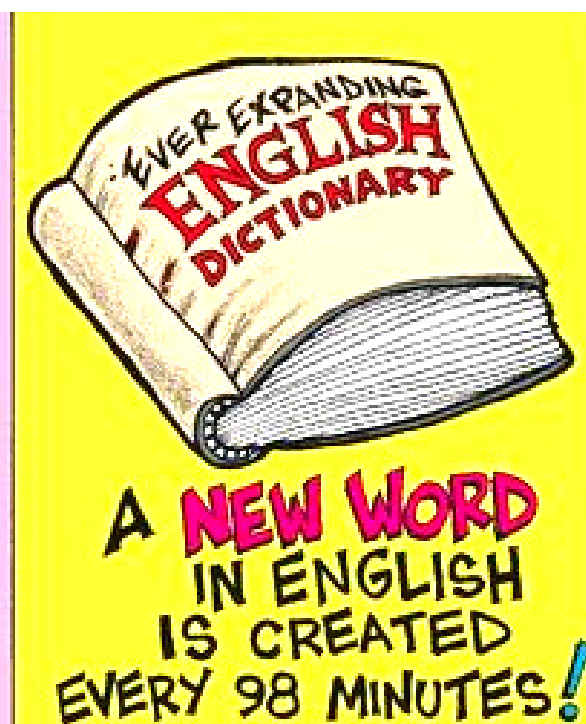
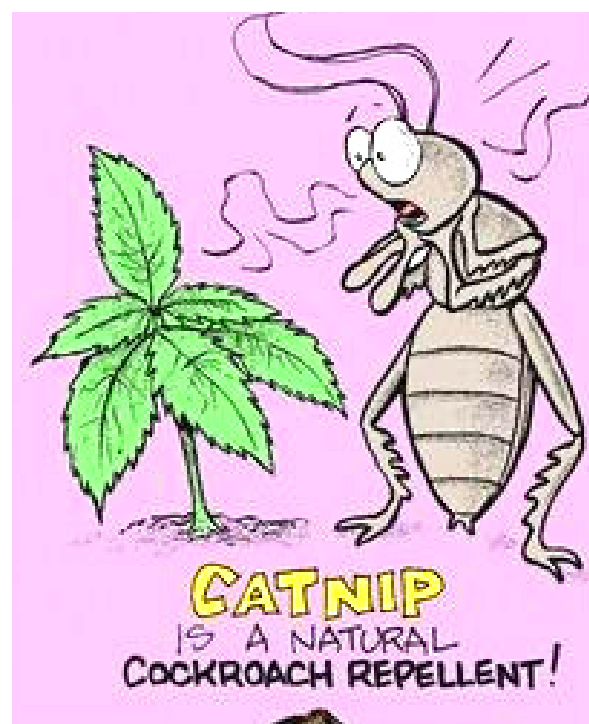
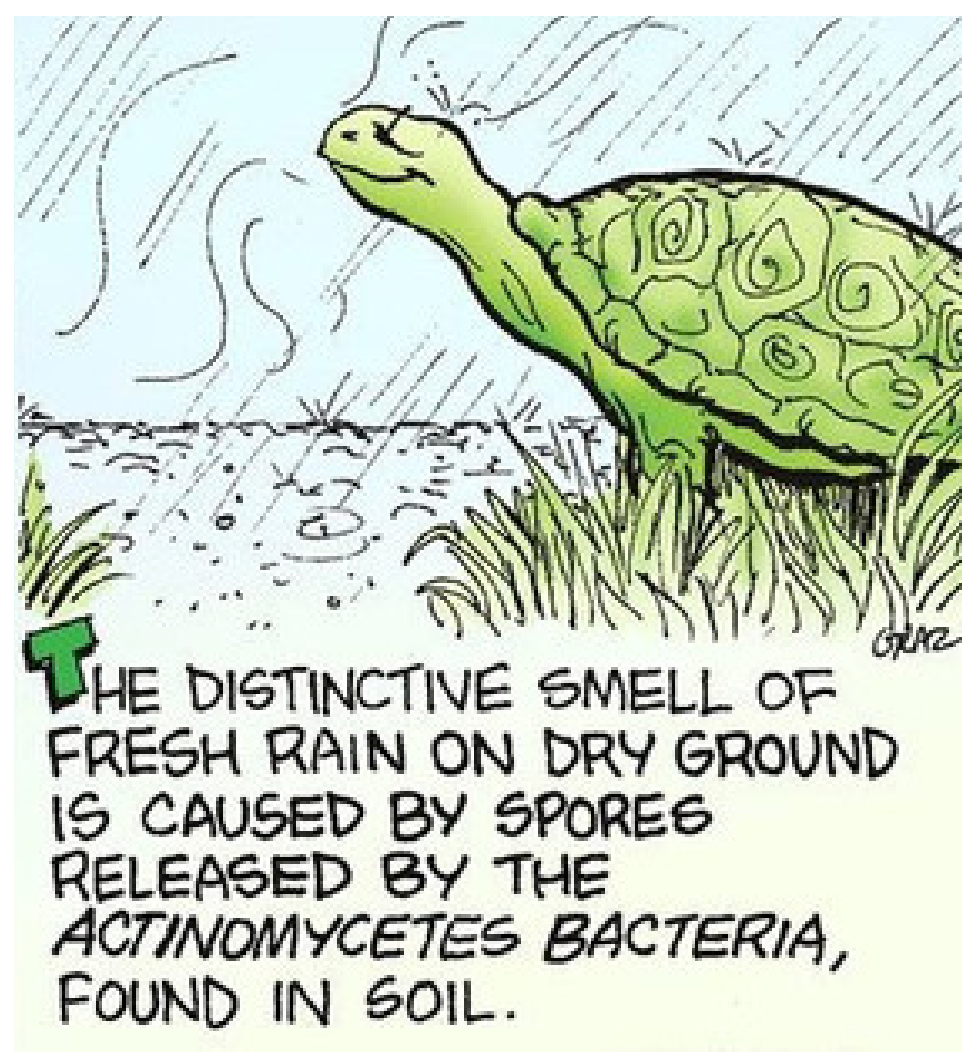


10 Steps to Happiness

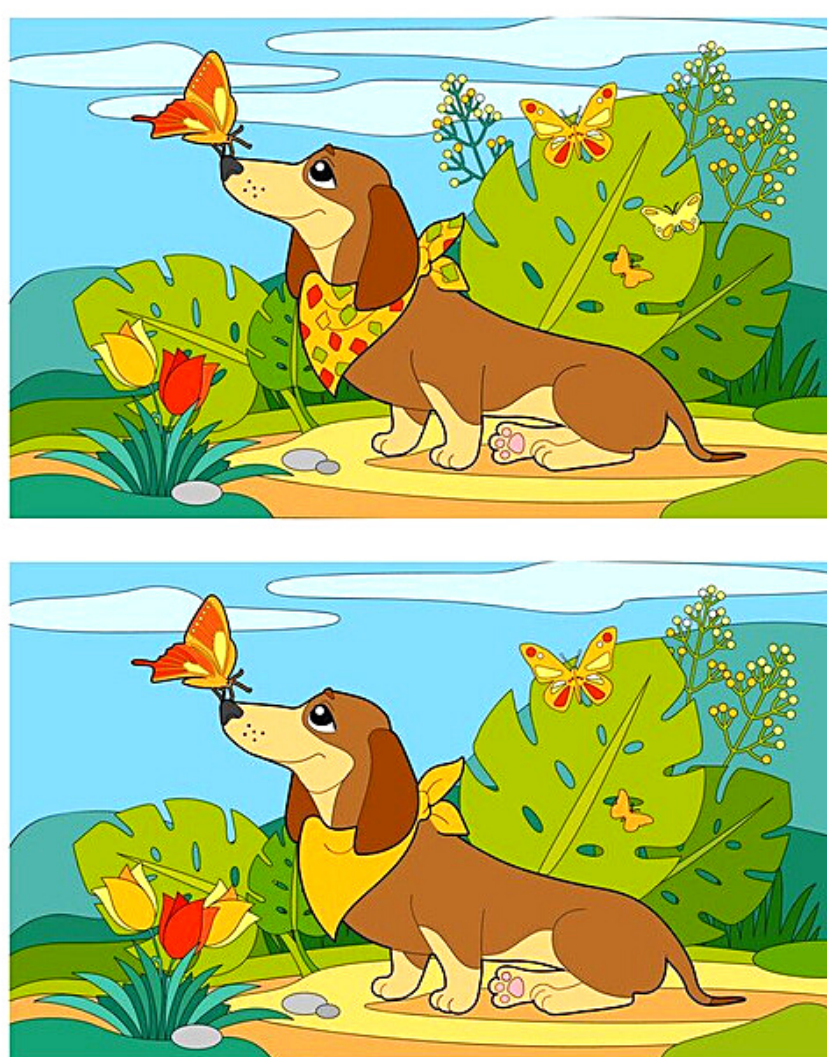
"What you seek is seeking you"
- Rumi



SMITHIANS - BELIEVE IT OR NOT



ENJOY THE LITTLE THINGS



Find 5 differences

10 AFFIRMATIONS FOR KIDS

1. I can do hard things.
2. I am loved.
3. I am important.
4. I believe in myself.
5. I do not give up.
6. I am kind to myself and others.
7. I am a problem-solver.
8. I am strong.
9. I am beautiful inside and out.
10. I love myself as I am.



Top 10 most powerful women in India



1. Nirmala Sitharaman

On the No. 1 position is India's Finance Minister, Nirmala Sitharaman



2. Nita Ambani

Nita Ambani is the Director, Reliance Industries & Chairperson, Reliance Foundation.



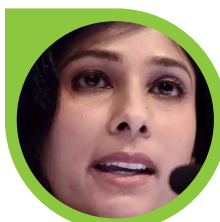
3. Leena Nair

Leena Nair is the CEO, Chanel. She is the first Indian-origin CEO to lead the French luxury group, Chanel.



4. Falguni Nayar

Falguni Nayar is the founder and CEO, Nykaa. She is India's wealthiest self-made woman entrepreneur.



5. Gita Gopinath

Gita Gopinath is the Deputy Managing Director, International Monetary Fund (IMF).



6. Madhabi Puri Buch

Madhabi Puri Buch is the Chairperson, Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI). She is the first woman head of Securities and Exchange Board of India.



7. Kalli Puie

Kalli Puie is the Vice-chairperson, India Today Group. She is a graduate from Oxford University, UK in Politics, Philosophy & Economics.



8 .Ms. Shobana Kamineni

Ms. Shobana Kamineni is the Executive Vice Chairperson of Apollo Hospital Enterprise Limited and a member of its founding family.



9. Anshula Kant

Anshula Kant is the Managing Director (MD) and CFO World Bank Group. She has over 35 years of experience in banking.



10. Aparna Bawa

At the No. 10 position of Futune India's Most Powerful Women's List is Aparna Bawa. She is the COO & Interim Chief Legal Officer, Zoom Video Communications.

The theme for this year's International Women's Day is Embrace Equity or #EmbraceEquity, which aims to highlight the importance of gender equity in every society. The difference between equity and equality is also emphasized, with equity recognizing that each person has different circumstances and allocating resources and opportunities accordingly to achieve an equal outcome.



G.K of the Month

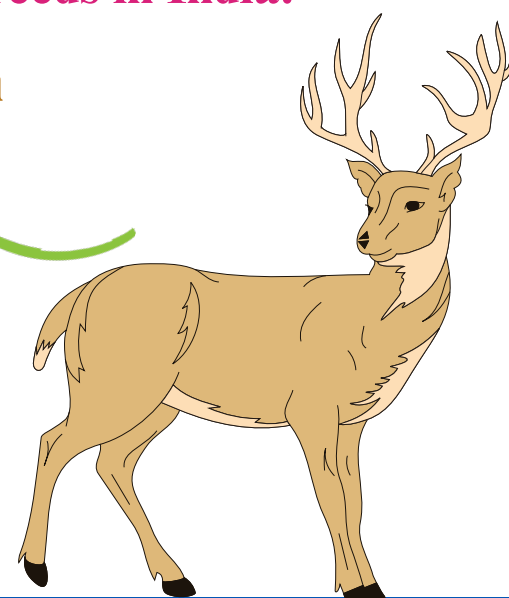
- Every year on March 30, people around the world celebrate the International Day of Zero Waste, a day designated by the United Nations General Assembly to promote reducing waste and sustainable consumption and production patterns. This day promotes the creation of a more sustainable and waste-free world.

- Scintists from thet Australian Museum Research Institute, the University of Sydney, and the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory have identified a new species of the genus Nemateleotris. The lavender blushed dartfish, or Nemateleotris lavandula, was discovered in the western and central Pacific Ocean.



- The National Dairy research Institute (NDRI) in Karnal, Haryana, has produced the country's first cloned female calf of the desi breed Gir, named 'Ganga. The NDRI had initiated a project to clone indigenous cow breeds such as Gir and Sahiwal to increase milk production. Gir, Sahiwal, Tharparkar, and Red-Sindhi are indigenous cattle breeds in India.

- A team of researchers from the Museo Nacional de Ciencias Naturales in Madrid, Spain, has described a new species of deer, Dama celiae, from fossils found in the Manzanares valley.



- The BrahMos missile is a type of supersonic cruise missile that can be launched from various platforms aeroplanes, or land. It is currently the fastest supersonic missile in the world and was developed by a partnership between India's Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) and Russia's NPO Mashinostroyeniya, forming BrahMos Aerospace.