

The Bishop's School, Camp Pre-Primary Section-Session 1 and 2 Report on "World First Aid Day" Monday 11th September 2023

World First Aid Day is observed on the second Saturday of September each year to raise awareness about the importance of first aid and to promote the knowledge and skills necessary to provide immediate assistance in emergencies. This year the day was observed on 10th of September,2023 and the theme was "FIRST AID IN THE DIGITAL WORLD."

The Pre-Primary Section children celebrated First Aid Day with eagerness and zeal on the 11th of September, 2023. The children were shown the first aid kit that encased band aids, a small bottle of Dettol, some cotton, some general medicines, a pair of scissors etc. The little ones were also told the value of First Aid and how it should be given in different situations. The children learnt how to provide first aid if someone is hurt.

An awareness was created amongst the children about the necessity of first aid in the event of an accident. A creative way to teach the children the importance of first aid with three common incidents which usually take place in school and home were demonstrated before the children by the teachers.





Incident-1: A child has a fall in the corridor and is bruised. During the enactment the teacher showed the children the use of an antiseptic lotion to clean the wound when one gets grazed or cut. They were also

informed that the wound should be first always cleaned with an antiseptic ointment to prevent infection. The teacher further explained the procedure of administering first aid in such a situation.

<u>Incident</u> -2: Use of first aid when a person touches any hot object. In the second incident when a child touches a hot pan, the teacher first explained the initial step. Put the injured hand immediately under running water and later apply Burnol on it.



Incident -3: A child is playing in the classroom and gets hurt on the forehead. In this incident the teacher showed how to clean the wound and how to apply band aid on the forehead carefully under the teacher's supervision.

To further celebrate 'World First Aid Day' a PowerPoint Presentation

was shown to the children which also included a video explaining the importance of first aid and what measures need to be taken during accidents.





The children enjoyed colouring the first aid kit. The kit included an outline of four pictures - Cotton, a medicine strip, a Savlon bottle and

The children then took the kit home. Children

a band aid with the medical logo on the kit.

understood that first aid plays an important role in everyone's life and that they must always carry a first aid kit while travelling and also that they must keep one handy at home.

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