



The Bishop's School, Camp
Pre-Primary Section
Report on "World First Aid Day"
Thursday 08th September 2022

First Aid is the emergency care or treatment given to an ill or injured person before professional medical aid can be obtained. This year World First Aid Day was observed on 10th of September, 2022 to demonstrate the importance of first aid practices in saving lives. The theme for this year was "LIFE LONG FIRST AID."

The Pre-Primary Section children celebrated First Aid Day with great enthusiasm on the 8th of September, 2022.

The children were shown the first aid kit which had band aids, a small bottle of Dettol, cotton, a thermometer, pair of scissors etc. They were also shown different types of adhesive bandages, antiseptic ointments and sterile gauze.



The first aid kit included general items that can be used in treating scrapes and cuts. The children learnt how to administer first aid if someone is hurt.



An awareness was created among the children about the necessity of first aid in the event of an accident.

A novel way to teach the children the importance of first aid with two common incidents which usually take place in school were demonstrated before the children by the teachers.



Incident-1: A child has a fall on the playground and is bruised. During the enactment the teacher showed the children the use of an antiseptic lotion to clean the wound when they get scraped 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 administrating first aid in such a situation.



Incident -2: Use of first aid when a person feels dizzy and falls down due to the heat. In the second incident when a child felt dizzy while playing in the sun, the teacher explained the initial step was of making the child sit in the shade and giving him a glass of water preferably mixed with Glucon D.



To further explain and commemorate 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 making the head bands with the medical logo on it. Most children 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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