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Pre Phase

- ✓ At Foster Billabong High International School, Hyderabad -
- ✓ Teaching and Learning is just not a process, it is a **TEAM** of progressive minds thinking and working together to build new strength and energy persistently. The Globe is evolving with gale speed and technology is seeping into it with never estimated dimension and dynamics. To cope with this changing scenario **WE** at FBHIS always research upon novel ways to adapt and adept to meet the prevailing intellectual requirements meticulously following the guidelines laid by KKEL, Billabong and CBSE.
- ✓ We believe in motion curriculum – From conceptual to intellectual, abstract to concrete, routine to creativity, random to sequential.
- ✓ It's about rearing Gen next - framed through ideas, powered by Content Design , Affective Hearts, Cognitive Minds, Psychomotor Actions, the past and the future–We invest our time and energy in the right direction to make things better for our students.

AY 2019-20 Happy Endings!!

TEAM was all set to take off for the Academic year 2020 -21 – In a thrice the announcement of lock down.

Under the dynamic leadership of the Director Ms. G. Sunitha Rani, TEAM lead by the Principal, Academic Head, respective coordinators and super motivated teachers' - pilot online classes were initiated during the month of March 2020. By the month of June, the programme picked up speed and the stake holders reaped the benefits of online schooling. Without the fear of Pandemic, the TEAM marched ahead adhering to the vision and mission of the school.

Since the students and teachers were separated by distance, to make the curriculum more effective and build a better connect the management has gifted us with effective teaching platforms/tools like Skippitech and Sea – Saw App for Pre – School, Billabox for Primary through middle and Edubrisk platform for Middle School through Grade X. All the classes were effectively monitored by the Principal, Academic Head and the Coordinators and guidance was given throughout.

Computers, Blue Tooth Connected Head Sets, High Speed Internet Connect Dongles, HD High Resolution Cameras for Online Classes, Zoom Video Conference Application – Zoom Licenses for the entire school and material resources were distributed to all the staff in school vehicles with police permission.

Instructional classes were conducted as per the Alternate Academic Calendar released by the CBSE, Subject Enrichment Activities, Multiple Strategy Assessments, Portfolios and Pen & Paper Assessments were scheduled as per Annual Plan. Classroom

observation and feedback sessions were conducted/ participated by the Head Office as per protocol.

For Pre – School and Primary the KKEL researched curriculum was executed without any dilution and compromise. Special sessions were catered for CWSN students as a part of “ Inclusive Policy”

Inter and Intra School competitions were conducted, Virtual Investiture Ceremony, Cultural Fiesta “Expressions” with plethora of events, Sperker’s meet and Career Counselling Sessions were extraordinarily conducted as though they were conducted in the real time situation. Appreciation letters from the Parents boosted our energy and made the TEAM proud of incorporating Intellectual property into the virtual platform.

National Festivals, Regional Festivals, National Youth Day and Special Assemblies were conducted with pride. One on One online PTM’s were conducted where parents could meet all the teachers on one platform, report cards were screen shared and progress tracked.

The following five operations kept us going throughout the Pandemic:

- **Technical challenges and cyber security issues scuttled and nipped at the bud.**
- **Shift from freeware to licensed zoom.**

- **More power to control and monitor.**
- **More power to fight against time.**
- **Effective Parent Communication.**

As mandated by CBSE – Teacher’s Training sessions were meticulously conducted. Teachers participated in all the sessions with enthusiasm to gain knowledge through this pandemic. Periodic In-house training sessions were also conducted to equip teachers with evolving and updated conduction of online classes.

By the month of December 2020, the school was ready with School resumption plan. School committees as mandated by the state govt were formulated and the TEAM was ready to run the school from 1st February 2021.

School resumption preparedness demo video with Google acceptance form was sent to all the parents. Classrooms with seats arranged at social distancing and meticulous sanitization protocol was freezed under the direction of Director and the TEAMS started operating with full strength.

After carefully scrutinizing the google forms, the students were delightfully invited to the school and necessary transport arrangements were made for those who requested.

There was a sense of relief, after eleven long months Students of Grade X on the 8th February and students of Grade IX on the 18th February 2021 started coming to school. The new normal plan was

absolutely executed until the state govt announced a second lock down for all the educational organizations.

Meanwhile the school could successfully organize Governing Body Meeting to finalize certain key decisions for the up-coming academic year. One of the prime decisions were to upgrade the school to senior secondary level from the AY 2022 – 23 considering the New National Education Policy 2020. An excerpt of the same was shared with all the parents via e-mail as a part of pre-preparation plan.

Long story cut short – the TEAM feels proud of being a part of dynamic system that could effectively transact the curriculum through these challenging times to the utmost satisfaction of students and parents.

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