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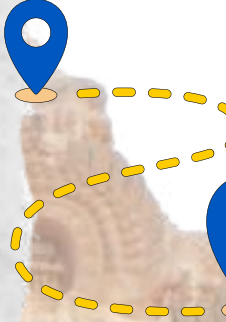


" SHAPING TOMORROW TODAY "

**EMBARKING ON ITS VICENNIAL YEAR
(20TH YEAR)**

DECEMBER 2025

EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIP



On the 2nd and 3rd of December, Grade 7 students embarked on a transformative educational journey to Thanjavur, renowned for its historical and cultural significance. The expedition to the iconic Brihadeeswarar Temple, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, immersed students in the profound architectural brilliance and historical grandeur of the Chola dynasty. This carefully curated field trip extended the classroom experience, offering students a tangible connection to history and culture, reaffirming Montfort School's unwavering dedication to holistic education and experiential learning.



CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

HOLY MASS

The Montfort Auditorium resonated with reverence and serenity on December 4 as a Special Christmas Holy Mass was solemnly celebrated by Rev. Fr. Arul Xavier Raj, Parish Priest, Amalashram. The sacred liturgy beautifully captured the essence of the Christmas season.

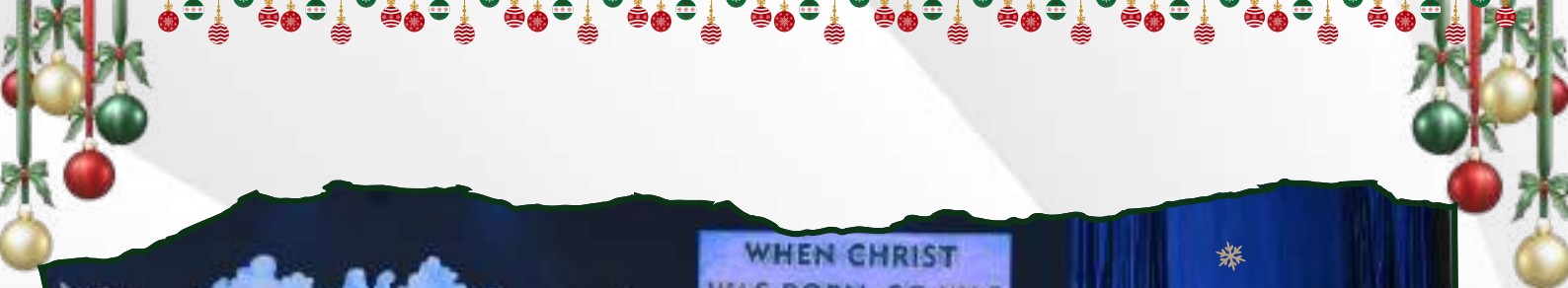
Through an inspiring homily centred on love, peace, humility, and selfless service, the celebration invited the community to embrace the message of Christ in daily life. The Holy Mass concluded as a grace-filled moment of shared joy, uniting hearts in faith and preparing all to welcome the hope and joy of Christmas.



STUDENTS' CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

On December 5th, Montfort School was abuzz with warmth and festive spirit as students gathered for a heartwarming Christmas celebration. The event reflected the core values of faith, gratitude, and unity, inviting students to engage with the deeper significance of the holiday season. The occasion was graced by Rev. Fr. Madalaimuthu Philomindas, who delivered a powerful reflection on the essence of Christmas—love, humility, gratitude, and service. His words inspired students to live with integrity, embrace compassion, and be a source of hope and kindness within their families and communities





Merry
Christmas



Third Week of Advent

- Joy Celebration



On December 15th, the Montfort teaching community celebrated the Third Week of Advent, embracing the themes of reflection, gratitude, and joy. Rev. Bro. Robert delivered a profound message on the true meaning of Christian joy, emphasizing faith, hope, and compassionate living. He encouraged teachers to embody this joy within their classrooms, fostering kindness and service among students. The celebration not only uplifted spirits but also highlighted Montfort School's commitment to nurturing the spiritual well-being of its educators, empowering them to be role models of faith and professional excellence.





CAREER GUIDANCE PROGRAM

On December 19th, Montfort School hosted an enriching Career Guidance Program for Grades 9 to 12, featuring esteemed Career Consultant, Mr. Jayaprakash Gandhi. This insightful session guided students through various career paths and higher education options, helping them understand the importance of aligning their personal strengths and passions with future aspirations. Mr. Gandhi's motivational presentation encouraged students to explore diverse fields, set clear goals, and confidently navigate their academic and professional journeys. This initiative exemplified Montfort School's commitment to providing students with the tools they need to succeed in a dynamic, globalized world.

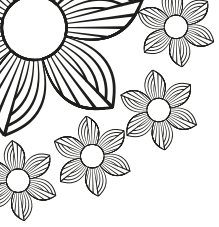


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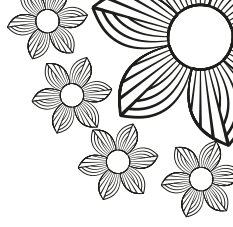
Christmas Celebration

In an atmosphere of joy and reflection, Montfort School staff gathered on December 19th for a memorable Christmas celebration at the Montfort Auditorium. The occasion was marked by Rev. Bro. Robert's heartfelt message on gratitude, compassion, and the spirit of giving. His words reminded educators of the importance of unity and purpose as they continue to inspire and nurture the next generation of leaders. The celebration fostered a deep sense of camaraderie, appreciation, and renewed purpose, underlining Montfort School's commitment to creating a supportive and compassionate educational community.

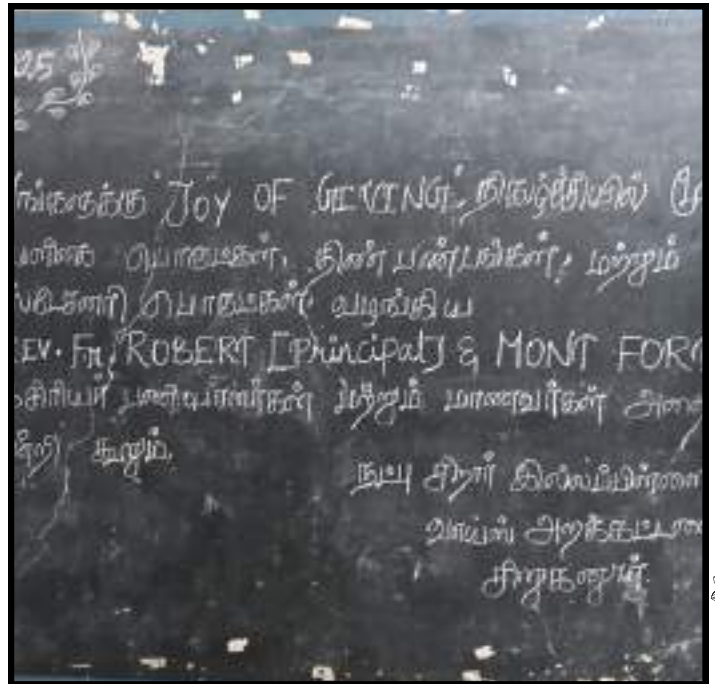




Joy of Sharing



Embodying the true spirit of Christmas, students from Grades 6 to 12 participated in the "Joy of Sharing" outreach initiative, visiting orphanages across the region. This noble initiative, led by teachers, saw students and staff distributing gifts, essentials, and goodwill, reinforcing the values of empathy, kindness, and social responsibility. The programme not only provided essential support to those in need but also instilled in students a profound sense of service, compassion, and community engagement. Through this act of generosity, Montfort School's students and teachers shone as beacons of hope, demonstrating that the spirit of Christmas is truly alive in the hearts of those who serve others.





MONTFORT JUNIOR SCHOOL

Half Yearly Exams Begin for Classes I & II



Dec 01st, 2025



EXAM
Day





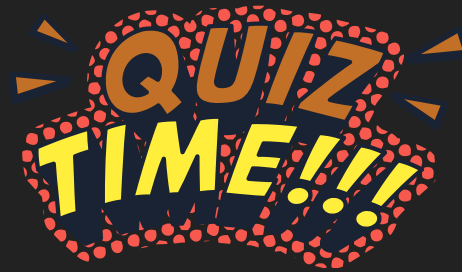
Silverzone Olympiad Exams

Olympiad Exams were conducted on the following days for classes I to V



Dec 02 .2025

AI



Dec 03rd , 2025
Social Studies

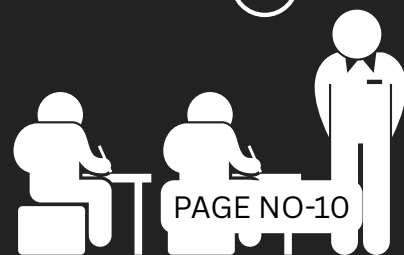


Dec 04th , 2025

STEM



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Christmas Programme

Montfort Junior School, in collaboration with the Senior School, celebrated Christmas on 5th December with great joy and devotion beautifully bringing out the spirit of Christmas.

The Junior School students, guided by their teachers, creatively portrayed the humble birth of Jesus through the nativity prayer session with grace. The Chief Guest, Rev.Fr.Madalaimuthu Philomindas Vicar General of the Kumbakonam Diocese, addressed the students and spoke about the importance of nurturing the environment and its beings with care and spread joy around. Rev.Brother Principal appreciated the students and encouraged them to live with love, peace, and joy by welcoming God into their hearts.





HALF YEARLY EXAMS BEGIN FOR CLASSES III – V

4 DEC 08TH, 2025



Advent Prayer

Junior School – PEACE

The Junior School conducted a theme-based prayer service on Peace, featuring melodious carols, Bible reading, and prayer. A thoughtful reflection emphasized the true spirit of Advent, highlighting that peace begins within oneself and gently flows into fostering harmony in the society at large. The service included a devotional dance and a moving procession, with Baby Jesus placed in the cradle by Rev. Bro. Suresh, followed by the lighting of the Advent candle. Rev. Bro. Principal addressed the teachers and encouraged them to nurture peace in thought, word and action.



Dec 17th, 2025

Seminar for Kindergarten and Junior School Teachers

83 teachers from the Primary and Kindergarten sections attended a one-day seminar on “Smart and Sensitive Teaching – EI and AI for the Modern School Classroom” at Gnanam School of Business, Chengipatti, organized by Managing Director Dr. Aruldas. The sessions were led by Dr. Moovendhan, Dean, who highlighted the use of AI tools, gamification, and ChatGPT in classroom teaching, and Dr. Issac John, Asst Professor, who shared practical AI applications for addressing classroom challenges and documentation. The seminar concluded with an insightful session on Emotional Intelligence by Dr. Angali Daisy, Asst Professor and seminar coordinator.



Dec 19th, 2025

Staff Christmas



A small get together prior to the Staff Christmas celebration was held at Junior School where the chriskind revealed themselves giving clues based on their date of birth, when gifts were shared with each other and excitement filled the air with warmth and love – a moment to be cherished indeed.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS!

AFTER EXAMS ARE DONE!



DEC 19 - JAN 1



Montfort School

Kindergarten



The First Advent Prayer

On 1st December,

The First Advent Prayer was conducted in the KG Block with great devotion.

The Candle of Hope was lit up, and a short inspiring message was delivered by our Principal, Rev. Bro. Robert. As part of the programme, the Christ Mom-Christ Child game was also conducted, in which teachers alone participated by taking their chits block-wise. The programme created a joyful and prayerful atmosphere.



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Christmas celebration



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The joy and warmth of Christmas filled the KG Block with happiness and cheer. The Christmas Programme, held on 4th December, was a delightful celebration where the children participated joyfully and confidently. From the welcome address to the concluding vote of thanks, every part of the programme was well organised and beautifully presented. The young children performed with great enthusiasm, spreading the true spirit of Christmas through their songs, actions, and expressions. Each performance was commendable, and the programme as a whole was lively, meaningful, and memorable, leaving everyone with festive joy and happy hearts.

HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION



PRE-KG : 01-12-25 TO 19-12-25

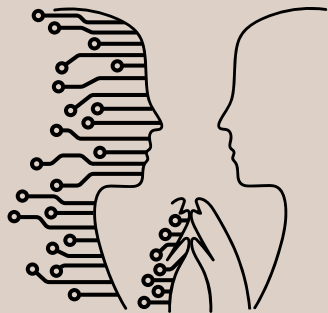
LKG : 28-11-25 TO 19-12-25

UKG : 01-12-25 TO 19-12-25



THE HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION WAS CONDUCTED SMOOTHLY FOR ALL CLASSES. THE CHILDREN OF THE KG BLOCK PARTICIPATED WITH GREAT CONFIDENCE AND ENTHUSIASM, DEMONSTRATING BOTH THEIR WRITTEN SKILLS AND ORAL ABILITIES. THE EXAMINATIONS WERE CARRIED OUT IN A CALM AND SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT, ENABLING EVERY CHILD TO PERFORM TO THE BEST OF THEIR CAPABILITY. THE FOCUS ON ORAL SKILLS HELPED THE YOUNG LEARNERS EXPRESS THEMSELVES CLEARLY AND GAIN CONFIDENCE.



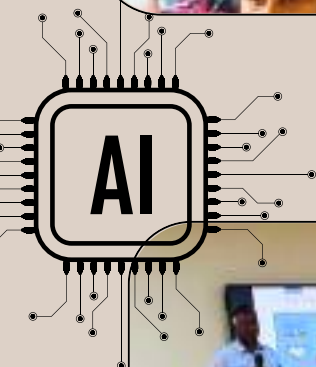


ORIENTATION ON EI AND AI TEACHING FOR TEACHERS

17 DEC 2025



ON 17TH DECEMBER, AN ENGAGING ORIENTATION WAS CONDUCTED FOR TEACHERS AT GNANAM SCHOOL, TANJAVUR, FOCUSING ON EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE (EI) AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) FOR MODERN SCHOOL CLASSROOMS. THE SESSION PROVIDED PRACTICAL STRATEGIES AND HANDS-ON DEMONSTRATIONS TO HELP TEACHERS INTEGRATE EI AND AI EFFECTIVELY, CREATING A MORE INTERACTIVE, SUPPORTIVE, AND TECHNOLOGY-ENABLED LEARNING ENVIRONMENT FOR THEIR STUDENTS.



SHARING GIFTS OF CHRIST MOM AND CHRIST CHILD

THE CHRIST MOM AND CHRIST CHILD ACTIVITY BROUGHT JOY AND EXCITEMENT AS TEACHERS PARTICIPATED WHOLEHEARTEDLY IN SHARING GIFTS. EACH TEACHER TOOK PART IN THE EVENT WITH ENTHUSIASM, SPREADING THE TRUE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS. THE ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTED THE VALUES OF LOVE, SHARING, AND GENEROSITY, MAKING THE CELEBRATION MEMORABLE AND HEARTWARMING FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED.



Happy PONGAL



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நல்வாழ்த்துகள்

WITH WARM REGARDS,
MONTFORT SCHOOL,
TRICHY



Thank
you

The text "Thank you" is written in a vibrant red, elegant cursive script. The word "Thank" is on the top line, and "you" is on the bottom line. The letters are fluid and connected, with long, sweeping tails. Four dark green, teardrop-shaped leaves are scattered around the text: two on the left side and two on the right side, adding a decorative, natural touch to the design.