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Annual Report on Counselling & Guidance Programmes (Online Academic Session 2020-21)

Mental health & well-being is an essential aspect of school education wherein the young minds are trained to develop their skills & potentials. Educationists recognize the fact that students' mental health can influence their learning as well as achievements. Considering these aspects, our school curriculum incorporates a **carefully planned Counseling & Guidance Programme that** aims to **flourish** the **educational journey**, promote **skill development**, develop **resilience against adversity** & resolve their concerns before those can snow-ball into serious psychological problems .

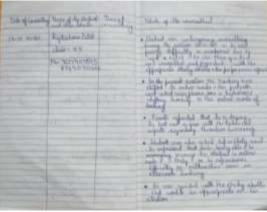
ONE TO ONE COUNSELLING

IA. Students & Parents

During this academic session **counselling** services have been **provided online** (through **phone & video calling)** to students as well as parents on a one to one basis in order to address their challenges (behavioural/academic/emotional etc.) in adapting to the pandemic linked situations. Adequate number of **follow-up** sessions was conducted online depending upon the **nature of problem**. The details of the sessions were recorded & maintained in soft /hard copy.

Cess	Student's Name	Referred by	Areas of Concern	My Observations
VIF	Yusta Agrawa	Perents	He remained iii due to typhoid for a long time during his Primary years. Doesn't want to sit for self study. Presently he fails to pay ettention in class as well as studies.	Continuous illness a resultant weekness seems to have disrupted his regule self-study habits. PORRESELATE is managing his studies properly under parent's a teacher's supervision. Inability to focus /pay attention can be developed through exercise a continuous practice.
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VIIB	W.V.Alignan Sharma	CT of session 19-20	Lack of interest in studies Doesn't pey ettention in class Extremely poor academic performance	Foor academic performance seems to be a result of following factors • Lack of regular self study • Excessive screen time • Lack of proper supervision at home • Week basics
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SAMPLE: RECORD OF ONE TO ONE COUNSELLING

Table 1: Represents the major categories of problems observed in the cases referred for counselling during the online academic session 2020-21

N	Nature of problems observed as per the cases referred to the counsellor							
Sl .No	Senior Wing	Middle Wing	Primary & Pre-primary Wing					
01.	Feelings of uncertainty , anxiety & depression related to lockdown & pandemic	Lack of academic interest & attention	Improper routine connected to lockdown					
02.	Conflict with parents & behaviour problems at home	Addiction to online games	Excessive screen-time (television & mobile phone)					
03.	Internet Addiction	Emotional problems typically associated with adolescence.	Emotional & behaviour problems due to pandemic situation.					
04.	Low academic motivation	Challenges encountered						
05.	Inability to utilize time properly	by differently abled in adjusting to this new	Lack of study habits & declined interest in academics					
06.	Adjustment to online mode of schooling	mode of teaching-learning						

IB. Teaching & Other Staff Members

During this academic session, **few teachers** approached the counsellor (over **phone** /through **email**) **seeking assistance** for effectively managing their **professional/personal challenges** & thereby **improving their performance** at work. Counselling services were also rendered to such professionals (as /when required).

Table 2: represents total number of teachers who had consulted the counsellor to seek assistance in guiding their students during the online academic session 2020-21

	Preprimar y wing	Primary Wing	Middle wing	Senior Wing	Month
	01	-	-	01	March
No. of teachers	-	-	-	-	April
teathers	-	-	-	-	May
	-	-	02	02	June
	-	03	-	-	July

-	-	01	02	August
-	-	-	-	September
-	-	-	-	October
-	-	-	-	November
-	-	01	-	December
-	-	01	-	January
-	-	-	-	February

II. GUIDANCE PROGRAMMES

II.A Session for students

During the online academic session 2020-21, looking into the student strength, **guidance programmes** were conducted through **videos** in order to facilitate academic development, improve their emotional /social well-being during this challenging period. In addition to that, special **online counselling sessions** were also conducted by our **Principal sir** for students through **online educational platforms** like Zoom focusing upon the code of conduct during online classes, proper utilization of time, study habits & preparation for examinations.











The table 3.A presented below provides comprehensive report of the guidance sessions conducted during the online academic session 2020-21 (arranged chronologically).

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Activity Date		Target Group Developed Conducted by		Topic	Participants in target group	
Parental Counselling session	09.03.2020	Parents of newly admitted students (Nursery-I)	ents of ly admitted ents Counsellor Comprehensive Health Programme		Parents of newly admitted students PPW	
Counselling Video	23.04.2020	Classes II -V	Counsellor	Core Values :Being Humble & Helpful	1781	
Counselling Video	27.04.2020	Classes IV & V	Counsellor	Our most valuable resource	906	
Counselling video	04.05.2020	PPW Parents	Counsellor & School Doctor	Parenting during lockdown	-	
Counselling Video	16.05.2020 Classes VI-XII & School battle		Winning the battle against COVID-19	3049		

Counselling Video	30.06.2020	Classes IV & V	Counsellor	Meaning of Friendship	906
Counselling Video	17.07.2020	Classes II & III	Counsellor & School Doctor	Staying healthy & safe during Monsoon	875
Counselling Video	27.07.20	Classes IV-X	Counsellor	Preparing /performing well in examination	3122
Counselling Video	19.08.20	Classes II & III	Counsellor	Safety at home	875
Counselling Video	02.09.20	Classes IV & V	Counsellor School Doctor	Punctuality	906
Counselling Video	07.09.20	Classes IV & V	Counsellor	Exam Preparation	906
Counselling Video	25.09.20	Classes VI-X	Counsellor	Assessment of self study skills	2216
Health Education Video	29.09.20	Classes I –V	Counsellor School Doctor	Ways to keep our heart healthy	2220
Health Education Video	29.09.20	Classes VI- XII	Counsellor & School Doctor	Healthy heart is a key to healthy life	3049
Counselling Video	27.10.20	Classes II & III	Counsellor	Core Values of Life	875
Counselling Video	03.12.2020	Classes V-X	Counsellor & School Doctor	International Day of Persons with Disability	2664
Online Session through Zoom	17.12.20	Classes Nursery -I	Class Teachers	Safe & Unsafe Touch	969
Counselling Video	29.12.2020	Classes III-V	Counsellor	Honesty in practice	1334
Online (Zoom) Session	02.01.21	ClassX (students &parents)	Principal Sir	Academic Development	710
Online (Zoom)	02.01.21	Class XII(students	Principal	Strategies to prepare for Board	656

Session		&parents)	Sir	& Competitive Examination	
Online (Zoom)Session	04.01.21	Class XI (students &parents)	Principal Sir	Self Improvement Preparation Strategies	630
Online (Zoom)Session	15 01 21 (students		Subject Allocation & Career Selection	952	
Counselling Video	17.02.2021	Classes IV-X	Counsellor	Parental guidelines for slow-learners	-

II.B Session for teachers / staff

Sessions were also conducted specially for the **teachers** with the aim of **supporting their professional requirements** & **facilitating** the **teaching-learning** process .Similarly, with complete adherence to all the COVID norms, our **support staff** was also counselled in groups in order to enhance their awareness as well as efficiency. The **offline sessions** were conducted **before** the advent of **pandemic** & lock-down.



The table 3B presented below provides comprehensive report of sessions conducted for teachers/staff & external members during the academic year 2020-21

Sl. No	Topic	Conducted by	Target Group	Date	No. of attendees
01.	Development (cognitive , emotional & social)during Middle Childhood	Cousellor	Teachers PW	11.03.2020	48
02.	Physical Development during Middle Childhood	School Doctor	Teachers PW	11.03.2020	48
03.	Development (cognitive , emotional & social) during Early Childhood	Counsellor	Teachers PPW	14.03.2020	29
04.	Physical Development during Early Childhood	School Doctor	Teachers PPW	16.03.2020	29
05.	Cleanliness & Hygiene Management	Administrator School Doctor	Support Staff	19.03.2020	85
06.	Behaviour Intervention (online through Zoom)	Counsellor	Government School Teachers	04.10.2020	15

III. CAREER GUIDANCE

III.A Career Counselling Session

During this academic year , **online career guidance** session was conducted specially by our **Principal sir** for students in senior school (classes X ,XI & XII). They were informed about the courses offered & **career options** in Science, Commerce & Humanities, their **eligibility criteria**, top **institutes and universities**, **scholarships** and national level **entrance examinations**.



Table 4: represents the details of the career guidance programme

Activity	Date	Target Group	Conducted by	Topic	Participants
Online (Zoom) Session	17.09.20	Classes X,XI & XII	Principal sir	 Career Planning Career Options Entrance Examinations & Scholarships 	800 students

III B. Skill Identification

This **online activity** was introduced in this session for students in **Upper Primary & Middle Wing** (classes V-VIII) as per suggestions given by our **Principal sir** .Students were guided to **asses themselves** & identify their progress in terms of **age appropriate skill development** with a help of an unique **questionnaire** containing 64 questions. Their responses were scored & interpreted by **linking** the assessed **skills** to related **careers** .Finally students were informed activities /habits that would support their skill development. This activity was kept optional but students were encouraged by their class teachers to take part in this survey .Finally **1224 students** participated in this activity. The entire activity was designed , developed & conducted by the counsellor stage wise as given below:

Stage 1:

- Literature review on different types of questionnaire & their scoring rationale.
- Seeking suggestions from professionals in the field of Applied Psychology regarding the technical aspects.
- Deciding upon the skills to be assessed through the survey questionnaire

Stage 2:

• Developing the questionnaire for skill identification survey in Google Form for the Upper Primary Wing & Middle Wing.

• Developing the scoring rationale.

Stage 3:

Review of the questionnaire by experts.

Stage 4:

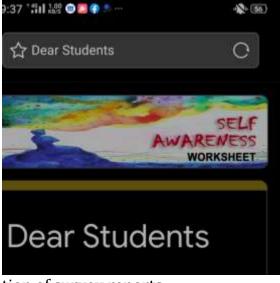
• Final review & modification of the questionnaire as & when necessary.

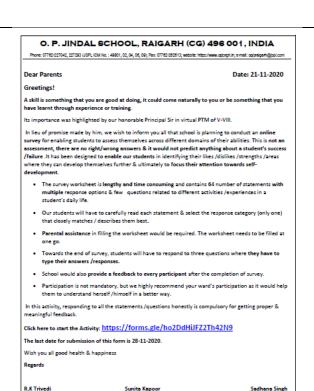
Stage 5:

• Conducting the online survey

Stage 6:

- Training to teachers regarding scoring & interpretation of survey reports.
- Post Survey analysis & interpretation & sharing feedback with students.





CIRCULAR Skill Identification Survey Questionnaire Scoring

Sr. Mistress (PW)

	T A COGNITIVE SKILLS (ATTENTION & CENTRATION)	NEVER	SOMETIMES	ALWAYS
01.	I can concentrate in any task / play for a long time	01	02	03
02.	I make careless mistakes in my copies	03	02	01
03.	I quickly understand the instructions given by my parents /teachers/other elders	01	02	03
04.	I properly organize my daily tasks & activities	01	02	03
05.	I complete my homework & self study on time	01	02	03
06.	Hose necessary items (pendi / pen /books /copies)	03	02	01
07.	I forget to complete my tasks & activities without failure.	03	02	01
PAR	T B COGNITIVE SKILL (PERCEPTION)		•	
08.	I can recognize /interpret pictures correctly.	01	02	03
09.	I can draw pictures of different objects like car, house, gardens etc. better than my friends	01	02	03
10.	l easily notice the small differences between shapes/figures/words & patterns that look alike	01	02	03
11.	I can easily find out a place by following the directions given regarding its location.	01	02	03
12.	I can correctly judge the size of any object	01	02	03
13.	I get confused with letters /numbers like p, b, d 6,9	03	02	01
14.	I can correctly judge the distance between two objects /places.	01	02	03
PAR	TC COGNITIVE SKILL (MEMORY)	NEVER	SOMETIMES	ALWAY:
15.	I properly remember the names of other people like teachers ,friends etc	01	02	03
16.	l easily remember facts historical events, chemical formulas.	01	02	03
17.	While going to bed, I can properly recollect what happened throughout the day.	01	02	03
18.	I well remember events that happened long time ago.	01	02	03

SCORING GUIDELINES

01

02

03

(Example: Summer Vacation 2019.)

19. After coming back home, I properly remember the

lessons taught in class
I remember multiplication tables ,poems ,songs by

SELF AWARENESS WORKSHEET

Dear Student

This worksheet contains 63 Statements & 1 Questions related to different activities/experiences in your daily life. Every statement has three response options (NEVER /SOMETIMES/ ALWAYS). You have to carefully read each statement & select the response category (only one) that suits you best. This is not an assessment & there are no right/wrong answers .Towards the end, you will have to respond to three subjective questions where you have to type your answers /responses. Responding to all the questions honestly is compulsory. This activity will enable you to understand yourself better.

	STATEMENT	YOUR RESPONSE			
	PART-A	NEVER	SOMETIMES	ALWAYS	
01.	I can concentrate in any task/play for a long time				
02.	I make careless mistakes in my copies				
03.	I quickly understand the instructions given by my parents /teachers/other elders				
04.	I properly organize my daily tasks & activities				
05.	I complete my homework & self study on time				
06.	I lose necessary items (penal /pen /books /copies)				
07.	I forget to complete my tasks & activities.				
	PART-B				
08.	I can recognize /interpret pictures correctly.				
09.	I can draw pictures of different objects like car, house, garden etc. better than my friends				
10.	I easily notice the small differences between shapes/figures/words & patterns that look alike				
11.	I can easily find out a place by following the directions given regarding its location.				
12.	I can correctly judge the size of any object				
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QUESTIONNAIRE

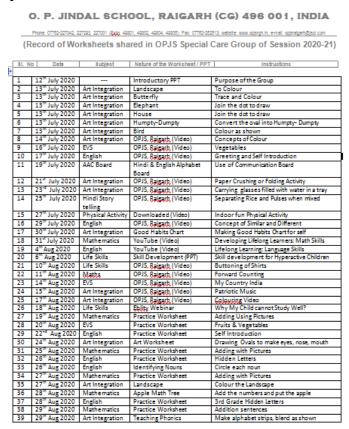


SAMPLE: REPORT OF STUDENT

IV. SUPPORTING CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Our school management strongly embraces the idea that diversity is the reality & therefore each child is a unique learner. The entire team of administrative, teaching & non teaching staff at O.P Jindal School whole heartedly support Children with Special Needs (CWSN). The following **initiatives** have been taken during the online academic session 2020-21.

- **Updating** the new **Class Teachers** through email /phone about **Children with Special Needs** (CWSN) studying in their class.
- **Counselling** (online) **parents** of differently abled children on a one to one basis by the Special Educator/Counsellor /School Doctor & respective Class Teachers.
- Assisting the parents of CWSN about managing, training & guiding their child during online schooling.
- **Interaction** with **academic coordinators** to facilitate the teaching-learning of special children.
- Creating a separate Whatsapp group (Special Care Group) to provide academic support to Children with Special Needs (CWSN) & their parents.
- Providing academic contents & guidance by the Special Educator to support the needs of special students.



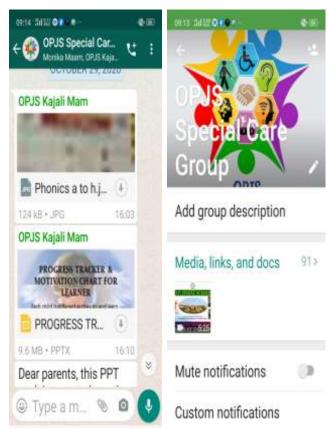


Table 5 represents number of differently abled students during the Academic Session 2020-21

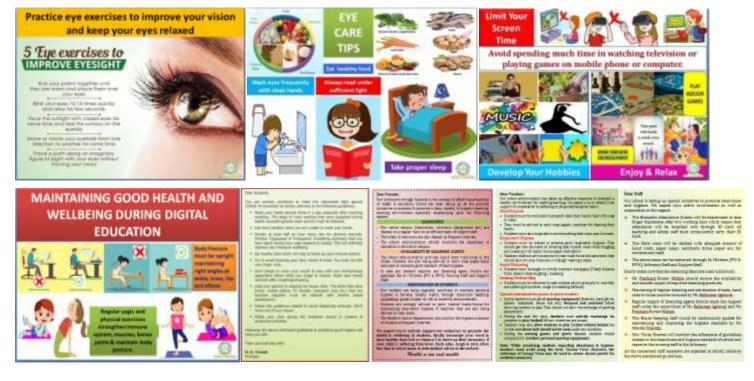
DIFFERENTLY ABLED STUDENTS							
Number of Differently Abled	Pre-Primary Wing	Primary Wing	Middle Wing	Senior Wing	TOTAL		
Students	01	30	15	02	48		

Table 6 represents record of educational contents (videos/worksheets/etc) shared in Special Care Group during the online academic session 2020-21

Subject	Worksheets	Videos	Picture Chart/PPTs	TOTAL
English	69	16	05	90
Mathematics	22	03	-	25
Science	19	03	-	22
Art	20	09	-	29
Physical Activity	-	04	-	04
Other relevant topics	-	04	04	08
TOTAL	130	39	09	178

V. HEALTH EDUCATION & AWARENESS

Due to the COVID -19 pandemic, **several guidelines** were shared online in the form of **Videos** (already mentioned in table3A), **Circulars & E. Posters** to generate awareness among the students /parents/teachers addressing a broad spectrum of health related issues including **hygiene education**, **exercise**, **nutritional guidance**, **lifestyle advice** etc. In this manner, our students, parental community as well as staff members were encouraged to adopt good health practices that helped them to stay safe & disease free during this pandemic.

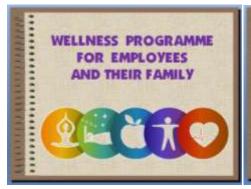


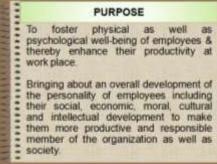
SAMPLE: HEALTH RELATED CICULARS E- POSTERS

VI. COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMMES

During the third week of February 2020, a **Wellness Programme** was organized collaboratively by the HR Department, Jindal Steel & Power Ltd. & O.P Jindal School Raigarh. This programme was carefully planned by a team of experienced teachers, school doctor & counsellor under the guidance of Mr.R.K Trivedi, Principal OPJS Raigarh. The programme was conducted over a period of seven days (15th February to 22nd February) for employees & their family members residing in different residential colonies of JSPL. The following aspects were covered in this session:

- **Emotional Well-being & Spirituality**
- Healthy Lifestyle
- **Hobby Development**
- **Maintaining Physical Fitness**







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CONCLUSION

The session 2020-21 remained extremely challenging .Several modifications have been made in order to accommodate the Counselling/Guidance Programmes in online mode of teaching – learning. Our Comprehensive Programme aimed to touch every possible aspect which can stimulate the learning process as well as foster a healthy learning environment during this online pandemic situation .

Leena Chacko Vice Principal Sujata Banerjee Counsellor