

# Springdays Odyssey

## November

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**BEST CLASS OF THE MONTH**

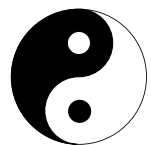
Grade 6 proudly wins the Best Class Award for outstanding teamwork, discipline, creativity, and consistent excellence 'for the month of November'

**MODEL UNITED NATIONS, NOVEMBER 8-9**

Our Springdays delegates participated in Youthalic's League of Legats MUN, engaging in intense debates and diplomacy. Our team from Springdays International School comprised of Jude and Lohith (Grade 8) for the WHO, Tersanctus (Grade 8) for the FIFA, and Jithish (AS Level), Shafaz (Grade 9), and Adhithiya (Grade 8) for the UNGA. Though not in the top five, they gained confidence, experience, and a deeper understanding of global decision-making. This MUN was invaluable for all of us; very truly, our minds have sharpened in a distinctive but inspiring way. The Youthalic League of Legats is a stepping stone, and we look forward to more MUNs at Springdays!

**Jithish Ranjit Kumar***Word of the month***HARMONY**

Working together peacefully

**NEWS AND VIEWS**

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## WORLD SCIENCE DAY ASSEMBLY, NOVEMBER 12

November 12th was World Science Day for Peace and Development: Grade 10 and AS Level hosted an inspiring assembly with news updates, amazing science facts, a quiz, and talks connecting science to daily life. Students left curious, energized, and eager to explore science further. We had a small talk called "Science Threads" where we learnt about the fascinating connection of Science with other subjects we study, such as Art, English, Math, and Music.

Lohith

## FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT 2, NOVEMBER 3-10

The assessments provided valuable feedback, helping students understand strengths and areas for improvement. Though stressful at first, the process built confidence, reminded learners to keep growing, and strengthened their learning journey. Students may feel anxious as upcoming exam dates approach, but after attending formative assessments, they feel confident and supported by the steady feedback they receive. These assessments help us grow as learners by showing us where we stand and how we can improve. After all, every expert was once a beginner – so formative assessments remind us to keep learning, keep trying, and keep moving forward

Sai Tanshika

## CHILDREN'S DAY, NOVEMBER 14

November 14th was a wonderful day for the students of Springdays International School, as it was Children's Day. Students enjoyed games, prizes, food stalls, crafts, a skit, and personalized gifts. Our caring teachers organised a special celebration that included fun games with prizes, a hilarious skit, and gifts for everyone - such as personalized badges and beautiful handmade cards. Excitement filled the campus as teachers made the celebration memorable with laughter, surprises, and joyful moments for everyone.

The attractions in the Mud Ground included food, game, and plant stalls, and a dance corner. Our teachers conducted exciting games based on probability, concentration, and luck. There were also raffle prizes: Lohith M. G. won the 1st prize (Smart Watch), Samantha Noel Ravikumar won the 2nd prize (Portable Speaker), and Alisha Jiwanmall won the 3rd prize (Gaming Headphones).

In addition to this, every student received a specially customized Calendar Stationery Stand with their names printed on it. We enjoyed the day to the fullest, and we are already excited about the upcoming Children's Day celebrations!

Adhithya Nivasan & Kanishka Reddy



## CREATIVE HIVE CLUB, NOVEMBER 20

On November 21, we had the Creative Hive Club event conducted by Ms. Mirunalini and Ms. Deepika, in which the learners of Grades 6, 7, 8, and 9 participated. The themes set for the event connected to creativity, life skills, inclusivity, and future pathways. Grades 6 and 7 were to create art or poetry, while Grades 8 and 9 had to make a 1-minute documentary on any of the four topics.

We created artworks and documentaries that were creative, imaginative, and enjoyable to produce. We presented our work to the judges, and they appreciated our efforts. Overall, the event was a wonderful reminder of how creativity and learning come together to help us grow as confident, expressive learners.

Adhithya Nivasan



## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION, NOVEMBER 26



Our school's Christmas celebration began with a soothing prayer song by Alisha and Jithish, followed by a graceful invocation dance by Kanishka. A musical skit showed Virat, a bully, who changed his ways after angel Gabriel showed him the true meaning of Christmas through the nativity play. We enjoyed delicious home-baked cookies by Shaanvhi and Alisha and exchanged Secret Santa gifts before ending the program with candle lighting as the choir sang a medley of Christmas carols.

**Samantha Noel**

## SOF OLYMPIADS, OCTOBER 8-NOVEMBER 28

Students participated in multiple Olympiads that challenged their thinking and reasoning. Despite tough papers, the experience strengthened confidence and knowledge, proving that participation itself is a meaningful achievement.

There are many ways to challenge the mind, and one of the most exciting is through the SOF Olympiads. Our school participates in five of them – IGKO, IEO, NSO, IMO, and ICSO – each one encouraging us to think a little further than before.



**Harshita James**

## CMC QUIZ PRIZE DISTRIBUTION, NOVEMBER 28

Winning second prize felt unforgettable as students received certificates and trophies from dignitaries. The moment was proud, exciting, and deeply motivating—proof that even second place can feel extraordinary.

**Yeldho Chako Aby**



## SPELL BEE, NOVEMBER 28

On November 28, Pio Anto and Ezhil Francina of grade 7, and Adhithya Nivasan of grade 8 participated in the Level 2 Spell Bee Exam, where they enjoyed the spelling challenge, gaining confidence and improving vocabulary. The competition was engaging, supportive, and a valuable step toward stronger language skills.

**Adhithya Nivasan**

## OPEN HOUSE, NOVEMBER 29-30

Springdays International School hosted a two-day Open House on Saturday, 29th November 2025, and Sunday, 30th November 2025, for new parents visiting for admission. The school was organised into four zones. Zone 1 highlighted how learning meets creativity through art and interactive activities. Zone 2 showcased daily worksheets and demonstrated how students apply their learning in real-life situations. Zone 3 was designed like space, highlighting that every child is a star and that each student is unique and special. Zone 4 presented the Cambridge Pathways along with a display of textual resources. Students supported the event with charts, models, and by guiding parents as ambassadors.



**Sai Varshini**

# STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

## GOLD AWARD IN THE QUEEN'S COMMONWEALTH ESSAY COMPETITION 2025

As Harshita's English teacher for the past two years, I've had the chance to see her develop a clear, thoughtful writing style and a strong sense of observation. This year, she earned a Gold Award in the Queen's Commonwealth Essay Competition 2025 for her response to the prompt about imagining the life journey of a plant in her community.

The qualities reflected in her essay—curiosity, attention to detail, and a willingness to explore unusual perspectives—are ones she consistently demonstrated in class, and it is wonderful to see her work recognised on an international platform. I'm glad to celebrate this achievement with her and our school community.



## BOOK RELEASE

A sprouting author, **Jithish Ranjith Kumar** from Grade AS Level, has crossed a significant milestone; he has released his first-ever book on Amazon Kindle – “**Talons and Quills.**”

A ten-story anthology, “Talons and Quills,” radiates the spirit of appreciation and highlights the significance of several aspects of human life that are often overlooked.

This marvellous achievement is a stepping stone for all students in Springdays. We commend our young author for this colourful chapter in their journey!

Kitty Christina

## CAMBRIDGE ATTRIBUTES – RESPONSIBILITY & CONFIDENCE

November showcased responsibility and confidence. Exams sharpened students' curiosity. From MUNs to Language Clubs, students displayed diverse abilities. Despite a busy month, engagement and teamwork thrived. Camaraderie, boldness, and initiative made events like Christmas, Open House, and clubs memorable. Cambridge Learners' example inspires us to be responsible, confident global citizens

Jithish Ranjit Kumar

## ECO CLUB - TERRACE GARDENING AND VISIT TO THE SCHOOL NURSERY

Students took part in developing a vibrant terrace garden, where they learnt practical methods of preparing the soil, planting saplings, and caring for young plants on the school terrace. Their learning continued at the school nursery, where they explored a variety of plant species and observed firsthand how sapling beds are created, nurtured, and maintained. The experience offered them both hands-on skills and a deeper appreciation for plant life.



## INDIVIDUAL CAREER COUNSELLING SESSION

Students attended an insightful individual career counselling program that explored future pathways, academic planning, and skill development. Through interactive discussions, they gained clarity, confidence, and a better understanding of how to align their strengths with real-world opportunities.

## CAMBRIDGE ANNUAL VISIT

Springdays welcomed Mr. Yashwanth, School Development Manager – Cambridge South India, for his regular annual school visit. During his time on campus, he interacted warmly with students and teachers, observed the learning environment, and reviewed the school's academic and co-curricular facilities. He appreciated the well-planned infrastructure, the vibrant classroom culture, and the school's strong commitment to delivering a robust Cambridge academic programme.



## CLUB ACTIVITY: LANGUAGE AND LIFESTYLE

Teacher In-Charge: Ms. Sherina & Ms. Kitty Christina

The Language and Lifestyle Club celebrated global cultures through debates, quizzes, and skits, showcasing creativity, teamwork, and diversity. Students explored languages, traditions, and unity, highlighting the beauty of cultural understanding.

## TEACHER'S MESSAGE

Success isn't just about the grades you earn; it's about the skills you develop, the knowledge you gain, and the person you become along the way. Every challenge you face is an opportunity to grow, and every small step you take brings you closer to your future goals.

Ms. Nagavalli

Mathematics Teacher

