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BEST PRACTICES I RAMANUJAN COMMEMORATIVE CELEBRATIONS

Objectives

• To instill core values like honesty, simplicity, tolerance, truthfulness, and the power of knowledge over poverty.

• To motivate mathematical thinking, logical reasoning, and numerical skills in students.

Practice

CMS celebrates the Ramanujan Commemorative Celebrations annually on December 22nd (or the nearest date) to honor the birthday of the renowned Indian mathematician, Srinivasa Ramanujan. Competitions such as puzzle solving, quizzes, and poster presentations are organized by Mathematics students for their peers. The event has been held since 2010, with 800-1000 students visiting the exhibition and around 200 participating in the competitions. A dedicated faculty team oversees the program. The competitions focus on Ramanujan's life and work, encouraging student interest in mathematics.

Obstacles and Strategies

Challenges include obtaining management approval, motivating students and department heads, and combating student disinterest in mathematics.

Impact

The event creates a sense of responsibility and ignites interest in mathematics among faculty and students. It also builds team spirit and shows improvement in the performance of struggling students.

Resources Required

Motivated faculty and staff, along with financial and infrastructural support from management.



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BEST PRACTICE II

Title: Abdul Kalam Trophy: Fostering Values and Holistic Development among School Children Objectives

The Abdul Kalam Trophy aims to instil values like teamwork, honesty, integrity, tolerance, truthfulness, sportsmanship, and scientific temper among school children.

Context

The "Abdul Kalam Trophy" is an annual event organized by the college to celebrate Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam's life and values. It provides a platform for school children to engage in literary, cultural, and sports competitions, promoting holistic development. Sponsored by CMS Trust, the event has been held for the past three years, attracting 500 to 800 students.

Practice

Held annually in August, the event concludes on Dr. Kalam's birthday. The CMS Trust sponsors a Rs. 50,000 cash prize. Competitions are divided into two groups: classes VI-IX (Group A) and X-XII (Group B). A robust organizational structure oversees the event, which focuses on instilling Dr. Kalam's values in participants.

Evidence of Success

The competition fosters responsibility, team spirit, and positive outcomes for school children. It addresses youth-related issues through collaboration with parents and teachers. **Resources Required**

The event requires motivated human resources, financial backing from CMS Trust, and infrastructure support from the college.



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