
THE JACOB NURSERY AND PRIMARY SCHOOL ENGLISH LITERARY ASSOCIATION INAUGURATION 2025

The air buzzed with anticipation as Jacob Nursery and Primary School, Ondikuppam, celebrated the inauguration of its English Literary Association for the year 2025. The event, held on **January 31st**, proved to be a vibrant showcase of the students' linguistic talents and a testament to the dedication of the faculty. From the youngest kindergarteners to the more seasoned fifth graders, the students captivated the audience with a diverse program that blended creativity with educational enrichment.

The proceedings commenced with a serene prayer, "**Shepherd of my Soul**," rendered by the melodious school choir, followed by a thoughtful Bible reading by **Ms. Aslin Nikitha**. **Mrs. Joyce Maria**, Principal of Jacob Matriculation Higher Secondary School, then led the school in a prayer, invoking blessings upon the newly inaugurated association. **Ms. Krithika** extended a warm welcome to all attendees, setting the stage for the captivating performances to follow.

A graceful welcome dance by the Grade 2 sisters ushered in a wave of youthful exuberance. The kindergarteners took center stage with an **Alphabet Fashion Show**, showcasing their creativity and knowledge of the alphabet. Their storytelling prowess shone brightly as they brought "**The Thirsty Crow**" and "**The Fox and the Grapes**" to life, their costumes and dramatic flair transporting the audience to the heart of these classic fables. The Grade 1 students further enriched the narrative tapestry with their own storytelling and dances, demonstrating excellent conversational skills that belied their young age.

The formal inauguration of the English Literary Association saw Principal Mrs. Joyce Maria leading the **oath-taking ceremony** for the President, Vice President, and Secretary. Master Vignesh, the newly elected President, delivered an inspiring inaugural speech, setting the tone for the year ahead. A skit and dance centered around action words, coupled with expressive poem recitations, kept the audience engaged. A breathtaking **formation dance** left spectators spellbound, while Grade 2 students effectively conveyed **emotions** through visually appealing charts. The practical aspects of language learning were not forgotten, as Grade 3 students explained **classroom rules** with the aid of illustrative charts, and Grade 2 students explored the different **rooms of a house** using charming miniature models.

The achievements of students in various English language **competitions**, including reading, writing, and handwriting, were duly recognized and celebrated by Principal Mrs. Joyce Maria, who presented awards to the deserving winners. The natural world took center stage as students dressed as various **pond insects**, from dragonflies to bumblebees, brought the ecosystem to life with their authentic sounds and movements. The medical field made an appearance as students recited the names of different **skin ailments**, accompanied by visual aids. The nuances of the English language were explored further as Grade 3 students presented general English alongside its **IELTS equivalent**.

The highlight of the day was undoubtedly the captivating rendition of the fairy tale, "**Snow White**." The stage was transformed into a magical forest, complete with the dwarfs' cottage and a miniature table with seven chairs. The students portraying Snow White, the Prince, the stepmother, the magic mirror, the seven dwarfs, and the hunter, embodied their roles with remarkable conviction, transporting the audience into the enchanting world of the story. A grammar song, a **glossary presentation**, and a lesson on **irregular verb** forms reinforced key grammatical concepts. The parts of speech were clearly explained with examples, while **collective nouns** were illustrated using engaging pictures. The **importance of reading** was emphasized by Grade 5 students, who also showcased their understanding of different reading books through informative charts.

Principal Mrs. Joyce Maria, in her concluding address, praised the students for their outstanding performances and acknowledged the tireless efforts of the teachers. She shared two insightful stories: one about a farmer and a singing bird, highlighting the pitfalls of short-sightedness, and another about a hunter who unknowingly discarded precious stones, emphasizing the importance of recognizing and utilizing one's talents. She urged the students to work hard and strive for excellence.

A special note of gratitude was extended to our honourable Chairman of Jacob group of Schools, **Rtn. Adv. J. Y James Jayaraj**, the driving force behind all school activities. His continuous work and dedication are instrumental in bringing about a transformation in society through the students of Jacob Group of Schools.

She concluded with a prayer for the continued blessings upon the school, its students, teachers, in-charges **Mrs. Indira and Mrs. Joyce Philip**, and the **Vice Principal, Ms. Mercy**, who was commended for her instrumental role in organizing the successful event. **Ms. Keerthana** delivered the vote of thanks, bringing the memorable occasion to a close.

The English Literary Association inauguration 2025 was more than just a school event; it was a celebration of language, creativity, and learning. The students of Jacob Nursery and Primary School not only showcased their linguistic abilities but also demonstrated the power of education to nurture young minds and empower them to express themselves with confidence and flair. The event was a resounding success, leaving a lasting impression on all who attended and promising a bright future for the English Literary Association.

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