

How we celebrated Diwali in SXIE

Diwali one of the most popular festivals of Hinduism, it spiritually signifies the victory of light over darkness, good over evil, knowledge over ignorance, and hope over despair. We celebrated Diwali with vigour on 16th October, 2017. We decorated our floor with beautiful rangoli, lanterns and earthen lamps. The celebration was hosted by Jyaysi Kapadia and Urshiya Baker. They spiced up the event with their compering. The event started with welcoming the Manager Fr. Blaise D'souza S. J.; The Principal Dr. Sosamma Samuel and the teaching and non – teaching staff.



Students presented skit, games, dances and songs according to their houses. Everyone participated in games and other activities for Diwali celebration. The 3 houses – Asha, Astha and Satya gave fabulous performance. All of them carried one or the other message. All the students, teaching and non-teaching staff were called to light the diyas and candles. It was a beautiful because the light was spread from one person to the other. The view of the light spreading around in the class was phenomenal. It was also symbolic because the way that the light illuminated the darkness in the class, similarly the education that we impart to our students as future teachers with illuminate their darkness. The light that we give them they in turn will pass it forward and there shall be light everywhere. There was a surprise element of flashmob for the teachers and we had a hearty time dancing away our stress.



Our Manager and Principal made the speech in the end about the importance of Diwali festival and gave an inspiring message. During the end of the day, sweets were distributed to the students. The event culminated with the whole class along with the Manager, Principal, Teaching and Non – teaching staff singing the College Anthem together. It was the unique Diwali we had ever celebrated.



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