# **Annual Report of 2022-2023**

The power of the mighty hand leads always to achieve greater things for the goodness of the society imparting wisdom to every soul who embarks into the portal of learning.

Almighty the creator and frontier that plans all our desires with untiring efforts in our voyage of education. The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams. The gates of Ganapathy English Medium School are always open to every individual to create! To spark! To determine their destiny to be fully human alive with divine blessings to reach further miles with a smile.

GEMS is a ladder to bestow the flairs to gleam into vibrant shades. We heartedly invite you to glimpse all our expenditures and hardships, excitements in the Eden of Gems as we staidly march towards panicle of success. We take pleasure in summing up all our commitments which carried us to face various challenges in our drive through during the academic year 2022-23.

Our grand expedition is conceded by Saraswat Education Society to transmit their optimism to opportunities with a selfless approach to make access to the inaccessible fruit of learning for those non-affordable.

The credit of sowing the seed to develop this sea of knowledge is endorsed to the mainstay of Gems is the dream came alive by the stannous efforts of Hon. Secretary Sri Mahesh Bondal and C.E.O. Sri Prashant R. Rao for their exertion in elevating every single stone to be wonderful learning hub. We invoke the blessings of Lord Maha Ganapathy, Matha Sharada and our H H Paramapujya Sadyojat Shankarashram Swamiji of Chitrapur Math. Ganapathy English Medium School, popularly known as G.E.M.S, situated in the heart of Mangalore city was founded by the Saraswat Education Society under the noble leadership of Late Sri Gopinath Bhat Gulvady, in1988. It has been catering to the needs of the general public aspiring for education in English Medium. For the last 32 years the Institution has been giving maximum service to the public, based on our traditional values, without distinction of caste and creed. A brief report of the school activities conducted during the academic year 2022-23.

#### **Our Mission:**

To nurture and groom every child into a loving, caring, courageous citizens, capable of facing challenges in life with confidence; imbibing the qualities of truthfulness, humility, integrity and deep concern, for the fellow beings, so that, they could achieve their full inner potential, later in Life.

A few glimpses of our infinite efforts to contribute to every parent's dream of giving their child the best education. Systematic and efficient teaching and guidance, repeated tests, evaluations, interactions paid rich dividends in the form of outstanding result which bettered the performance of previous year. The collective effort and team spirit brought marvelous output. In the SSLC examination for academic year 2019-20, Ms. Chandrika our topper of X STD, was felicitated and we achieved 100% passing results.

For the year 2020-21, 20 students appeared and we had again a 100% result with 2 Distinctions, 10 First Class, 4 Second Class and 4 Third Class. Vishal Prabhu was the topper in the school.

A total 21 students appeared for the SSLC examination in 2021-22, 6 students secured distinction, 12 first class and 3 students second class. Our topper is Shivani S.V. We again secured a 100 % result in the Board exam.

### **Teaching and Non Teaching Faculty**

Like a beautiful sunrise and vivid colours brighten the world our school is blessed with talented and 18 qualified teaching faculty to guide and mark to glitter every child entrusted to them. Good bounding with compassionate and dedicated with dazzling ideas to create a spark young minds and brand unique ambassadors to the world. We have 4 Non- teaching staff who also love and care the kids.

### **Re-opening**

A new day signifies a new beginning, glooming with full of sunshine, heaven sketched with colourful rainbows and a pocket full of dreams with an innocent smile. We beckon the blessings of Our Sharada Devi and chanted slokas to begin our scholastic year on May 16. The day signifies as our evergreen memories fill the hopes in our little hearts as the kids step into the campus with lots of eagerness to learn new things for life. All staff greeted them with warmth of smile who have stepped into this temple of learning.

#### <u>Assembly</u>

Prayer is a bridge to embrace our blessings and to yield our desires in the feet of our lord, and renewing the grace to pursue the depth of our God's heart. Our spiritual invocation seeks to activate a rapport ecstasy of our kids by presenting the theme of the day on the alternative days and on every Tuesday's Vishnusahasranamam shloka, Friday Bhavagadgeetha and Saturday Hanuman Chalisa shlokas are chanted. On Fridays we have Bhavadgeetha Classes chapterwise with meaning, Ramayana and Mahabharata story narrated by our staff Mrs. Padma Bhide, video is shown for primary classes.

#### **Investiture ceremony**

Great leaders don't set out to be a leader. They set out to make a difference. Its's never about the role always the goal. School Cabinet leaders were selected through voting on June 11<sup>th</sup>.

Mrs. Usha, Senior Manager of Union Bank inaugurated the school council on June 13<sup>th</sup>. The leaders pledged to bestow their duties and mounting the flame of virtue and holiness as they were vested with leadership responsibilities.

Sports Day

The glory of sport comes from dedication and desire, sports frames your character. It imparts you to play by the rules. It teaches you to know what it feels like to win or lose it drills your life. Sports Day was on 14<sup>th</sup> November our C.E.O Mr. Prashant R Rao and Secretary Mr. Mahesh Bondal declared the meet open by flying the white pigeon and balloons and witnessed the event.

### Independence day

On 15 August Independence Day was celebrated in city campus whole building was lighted up and decorated and the flag was hoisted by our CEO Mr. Prashant R Rao escorted by our guides and scouts and students dressed up with the costume of freedom fighters to mark the day of patriotism in everyone's heart and a love for the motherland.

## Teachers day

Teaching is a profession that teaches all other professions with a generous mind and heart. A special day with the bundles of love and happiness that price worthy as they presented cultural events with dances, skits and games for the teaching staff. Teachers day was celebrated on 5 September and SVC bank employees

felicitated the teachers. The department felicitated the headmistress for getting 100% result.

#### Children's day

Children are the hands by which we take hold of heaven on earth. The day on which the teachers organized various hilarious programs to express their love and care to the students to make them feel it's their special day.

#### **Parent Teachers Meet**

Childhood is the most beautiful of all life's seasons connecting home and school makes them a great community of learners. Periodical parent' and teachers' meetings with progressive suggestions to improve the all-round development of students were conducted.

It does help to review the enhancement of every ward under curriculum and attitudes to resolve and assist them to reach their latitudes.

#### **Competitions and Projects**

The desire to create is one of the deepest yearnings of every intelligence. Real learning comes out when the ideas and spirit sparks a flame to build a better tomorrow. This school lays a stone for every individual to build and construct to become a beautiful architect, by scheduling creative competitions and projects.

#### **Field Trips and Educational Tours**

The best journeys in life are those that answer questions you have never heard before. Students were taken to fields to know how the farmers cultivated the crops, head post office, central library during their club period to create a space to experience the other page of life and explore the power to change the world .Picnic for LKG to I Std to Gandhi Park and II Std to V Std to Pilikula on 9th November. Picnic for VI Std to X Std to Horanadu was on 10 November .

#### **Co-Curricular activities**

• Play is the way that kids discover for cultivating an enriching, inclusive community. Our students swap and swift enthusiastically to the class of array of activities and No bag day on Saturday like classical music, Bharatanatyam skilled by the proficient trainers and various club activities where students indulge in

making working and non-working models. Participated in various inter-school competitions and won medals and prizes. Pranathi 3 std bagged 2<sup>nd</sup> place in Bharatanatyam and Dhanvith 4<sup>th</sup>std bagged 2<sup>nd</sup> place in drawing competition conducted by Madhusudhan Kushe school on 19<sup>th</sup> November.

- The World No Tobacco day was celebrated on May 31<sup>st</sup> by taking the students of 6std to 10std in procession holding the placards and shouting slogans. Procession began from the campus with short skit and moved towards temple square and GT road back to campus.
- Education Department had organized games and athletics our students participated in various events. In the cluster level Kho-kho match held on July 26<sup>th</sup> in boys group our students have backed 2rd place and qualified for taluk level. Shreyas of class X has won 1<sup>st</sup> place in taluk level Karate.
- Shreyas of class X has won 2<sup>rd</sup> place in district level Karate organized by department and International Karate tournament Shimoga and won bronze and silver medal.
- Abhay of X std had won 1<sup>st</sup> place in high Jump and Jeethendra of X std 3<sup>rd</sup>
  place in Javelin throw in cluster level athletics meet held on 18 October.
- Abhay of X std won 1<sup>st</sup> place in high jump held on 28 October in the taluk level athletics meet and got selected for district level.
- Students of primary and High school have participated in various competition held by the department for Prathiba Karanje in cluster level and had won prizes and selected for taluk level.

Adarsh Bhat VII std 1<sup>st</sup> place in pick and speak and Bhagvadgeetha.

Vidheya of VIII std 2rd place in Bhagvadgeetha

Nishmitha and group won 1st place in folk dance

Ashlesh IV std 2nd place in Bhavagete.

Saanvi IV std 2nd in story telling

Anjali V std 3<sup>rd</sup> place in fancy dress

Aishwarya VII std 2rd place in bhavagete

In taluk level Adarsh Bhat of VII std 3<sup>rd</sup> place in pick and speak and Bhavadgeetha.

- Classical music and classical dance began from June 11 total 50 students have enrolled in each. Cleanliness of the campus is important our guides and scouts students cleaned the campus on June 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Students participated in drawing competition conducted by Vijaya Karnataka about environment day on June 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Students celebrated environment day on June 6<sup>th</sup>. In the presence of Our Honorable Secretary Sri Mahesh L Bondal and CEO Sri Prashanth R Rao distributed the saplings and planted it.
- Yoga day was celebrated on June 21<sup>st</sup>. Sanjana Bhat yoga instructor took the session on 11 and 18 June for the students.
- "Pencil Box" movie was shown to the students on 29 June. The movie is related to the students, teachers and also parents.
- Talents day was celebrated and students from Kg to X std exhibited their talents on July22nd. Kargil Vijay Diwas was celebrated on July 26<sup>th</sup> Col. Sharath Bhandary was the chief Guest and the significance of the day was clearly briefed to the students.
- Health awareness program was conducted by Dr.Shankar on 20<sup>th</sup> August.
- Hindi Diwas was celebrated on 14 September Chief Guest was Mrs Jayashree Hindi lecturer of college section. Students participated in handwriting competition.
  - On 11<sup>th</sup> August Raksha Bandhan was celebrated by the students by tying the rakhi to each other.
  - On 12<sup>th</sup> August Sanskrit day was inaugurated and importance of the day was highlighted by the guest Mr. M R Vasudeva Rao and Veena Garde.
  - Students celebrated Krishna Janmashtami in festival way on 19 August. Fancy dress competition, dance skit of Krishna and through procession students built up the pyramid and hit the pot.
  - Ganesha Chaturthi was celebrated on 30<sup>th</sup>August by short skit and conducted various competition.
  - Navathri celebration was held on 24<sup>th</sup> September.
  - Sharadha Pooja and Gandhi Jayanthi was celebrated on October 2
  - Deepavali celebration was held on 21 October and displayed the guddudeepa in the campus.

- Laxmi Pooja was celebrated on 28 October. Annual Day celebration was on 1<sup>st</sup> December. The Chief Guest's speech was delivered by Mrs. Vinanthi Pai Manager of Union Bank, presidential address by Hon. Secretary Shri Mahesh L Bondal, CEO Mr. Prashant R Rao and PTA president were present on the dais. Students had exhibited the models and charts on 2rd December.
- Scouts and Guides students visited Alva's College for International Guides and Scouts Jamboree on 23th December.
- Red day celebration was for KG section students on 24<sup>th</sup> December. Students wore red dress and celebrated Christmas. And drawing competition was held for primary section students.
- Divided SSLC students into two groups on the basis of their marks.
- Floral tribute was given to Swami Vivekananda's portrait on Jan 12. Parents meeting was conducted for LKG and UKG regarding next years admission on the basis of their age on Jan 12. Parents meeting was conducted regarding public examination for 5 th std and 8 th std on 13 Jan.
- Makara Sankranti was celebrated by the KG section students on Jan 14. Colourful kites were prepared and displayed.
- AIDSO had conducted drawing and quiz competition on account of 126<sup>th</sup> birthday of Nethaji Subhas Chandra Bose and in school level Sandeep X std received first place in drawing and Vidhey VIII std received second place in quiz competition.
  - On 26th Jan Republic day was celebrated and the flag was unfurled by Mr.
    Prashant R Rao our C.E.O of Saraswat Education Society.

First Preparatory Examination for 8 std and 5std was conducted on 13 Feb and second preparatory on 24 Feb. SSLC state preparatory examination began from 27 Feb. Students are made to revise for board examination. Final examination begins for LKG to IX std on 4 March. Final examination for 8std and 5 std will be on 13 March and for X std on 31 March.

#### **Career Guidance**

To plant a garden is to believe in tomorrow. The successful transition for our students of class 9 and 10 was conducted to ripen positive thinking in their academics was conducted by a resource person Mr. Ronald Pinto who focused on how to face examination and different courses can be chosen after SSLC.

#### **Teachers orientation**

- NEP workshop was attended by teacher and headmistress.
- Tips on classroom management and how to be an effective teacher.
- Enrolled themselves in higher Education.
- Periodic staff meetings by Headmistress help the teachers to be more oriented in the teaching and learning process.

#### **Features**

• The best way to predict your future is to create it. Providing the best of facilities is the greatest strength of the school which has increased for class I to VII total 180, VIII to X total 64, LKG 24 and UKG 33 total school strength 303. The expansion of the amenities of our campus grows along with our students. We have AV rooms, well resourced computers, science lab, purified drinking water, well maintained washrooms, Airy library, 24/7 school security, spacious playground and campus with green trees.

#### **Conclusion**

We shape every oyster in the sea of GEMS to nourish a classic collection on earth. The footprints of every child who embark on the goodness of the vision of the school may instill in the heart and soul fabulous experiences with unforgettable memories. I thank the supportive management whose continuous support to our ideology of education has enabled the school to come this far. Teachers and the entire staff members also deserve applause for their tireless efforts in implementing the route map of imparting quality education her.

We also extend our heartfelt thanks to the parents, donors and well-wishers, for your support and placing your faith in our education mission, may we continue to work preparing citizens for our nation with great love and zeal.