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Our vision is a community where children empowered with knowledge and character become responsible citizens of the world.

Our mission is to impact the education and values of less privileged children.

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Kindergarten Project-Poveda Kids

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Continuing its focus on how to teach and how to maximize learning in the time the children are with us and to extend this learning into their home environments, the teachers in the project work hard to make sure that every single minute is used gainfully. Timetables are tighter than before and have a great variety to ensure that every single child is able to participate and learn.

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We have celebrated:

- Dusshera
- Díwalí
- Children's Day
- Christmas.



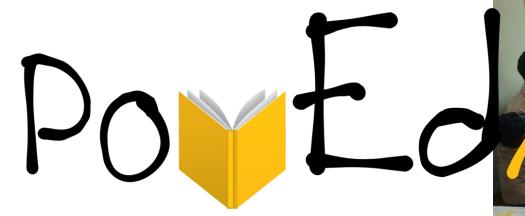


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Some of our kids visited Symbiosis International School, Vimannagar for an interaction with the children. The children from Symbiosis had made a collection of snacks, stationery and clothes for the children at Poveda Kids.







Our children have gone on their first picnic this year and we have had our second parent meeting.







The first term end assessments happily demonstrate that the children have mastered more than 75% of the learning objectives.

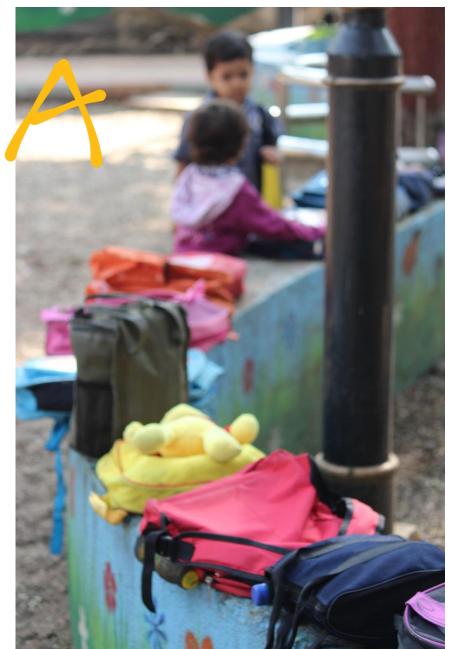
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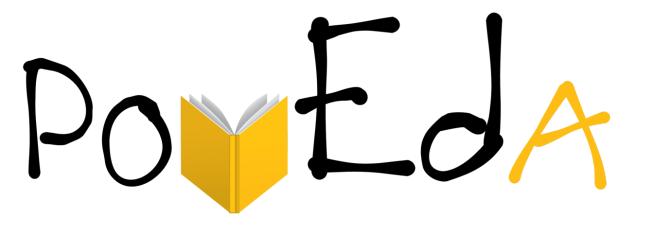




Some of the most commonly heard sentences at the kindergarten:

- Give me some more ideas.
- 0 What more can | do to teach this concept?
- o The children should speak in English.
- This child has to come on time.
- O Wow!!!! Very nice!!!O This child must come on time!
- 0 | will give you a star!
- o Dídí, | have finished my work.
- o Are you ready?





Our Kindergarten Team

- Priya Didi
 Rajiya Didi
 Kashibai Maushi



Computer Class

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With 25 children enrolled in the computer class on Sundays, Rahul Bhaiyya, Harshada Didi and Rajiya Didi work with this class, teaching them MS Office and the basics of Photoshop and animation.

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Teacher Professional Development

Poveda is working with the teachers of Dr. Cyrus Poonawalla English Medium School, Uruli Kanchan impacting teaching methodology and language skills.

We are also working with the children from grades 8 to 10 on topics related to life skills and decision making.

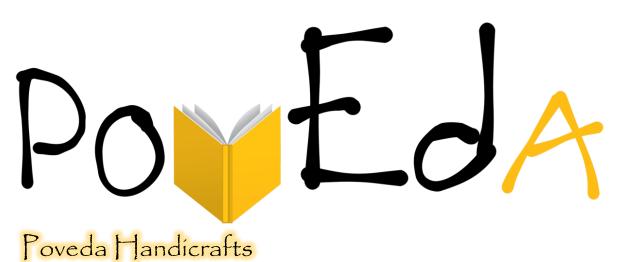
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Poveda Handicrafts

Some of us at Poveda come together every year to prepare a wide range of handicraft and food items that are sold to raise funds for the foundation. These stalls are hosted across different corporate houses and we also have an annual Christmas fair at St. Francis Xavier Church, Chinchwad.



The following corporate offices welcomed us this year for stalls: HSBC Infosys

Extentía

Lear Corporation









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A big thank you to:

- Mrs. Freeda País for her selfless service in the making of handicrafts to raíse funds for Poveda.
- Symbiosis International School, Vimannagar
- Fr. S. A. Louis, Parish Priest, St. Francis Xavier Church, Chinchwad for his constant support to the annual Christmas Stalls and the Poveda Graduation.



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Here is how you can help:

*Volunteer:

at our Kindergarten (weekday mornings: 8.30 to 12.30) or the Computer class (Sundays: Noon to 2)

or the Handwriting class (Sundays: 10 Just b to noon)

*Make a donation. All donations are exempted under section 80G.

*Introduce us to a school that needs teacher training.

*Propose the setting up of our kindergarten project in low end schools.

One Person, One Life, One Word One person One ife One Word Can Make a Difference Any person Theirlife heir words Can Make a Difference Just because you're small Doesn't mean you can't do it Just because you've never been able to Doesn't mean you never will You Yourlife Yourwords Can Make a Difference The Power of One!

> Joy Njoroge Afya Public Charter School



