

# Toddler Group 1



## NEWS



June 2015

### NEWS FROM Ms Lilian Classroom

This term so far has been full of engaging activities. We started by reinforcing skills previously learnt, and gracefully acquired new ones. It has indeed been an exciting and eventful term. The children have learnt so much, it is very impressive to know that they not only care for themselves but also care for others around them as well.

On our theme WEATHER, we have done beautifully well in our art work, making RAINBOW, WEATHER CHART, CLOUD, SUN, FLOWERS and many more. We can tell when it is cloudy and about to rain. We are also quick to sing our weather songs and rhymes as applicable to the season at that time and are always very excited to fix our weather chart.

In Literacy, we can read and identify letters A-Z, we can also identify the associating objects to the letters. We have also improved greatly in our phonics: s, a, t, i, p, n and their associating objects.

In our NUMERACY, our understanding of the concept of numbers and quantities has improved remarkably. We can rote count and identify numbers 1-30 and we have taken further steps to increase our rote counting to 35. We enjoy scribbling our numbers with different colours and we are quick to identify many different shapes and colours and most of us can now identify the oval shape.

We are doing very well in their Communication skills. We respond swiftly when asked our names, the name of our class and school and are more willing to contribute in group discussions. We also chat and interact more freely with one another. We can tell stories and 'play' teacher by asking our friends questions on colours, shapes, letters and numbers. We can identify parts of our body even to our wrist and elbow.

Our Fathers' Day celebration (June 19th) was quite an interesting one, it was great having our daddies walk us to our classroom and all had special souvenirs to go back with.

### A LOOK AHEAD

- Parents Children Conference: Wednesday July 1st – Friday July 3rd
- End Of Session Concert: Thursday, July 9th, by 10:00 am  
Our dress code for the concert is:  
**Boys:** Red top and denim trousers  
**Girls :** Red top, denim skirts and white pop socks.
- Class Party and End of Session: Friday, July 10th

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"Imitation is the first instinct  
of the awakening mind."

*Maria Montessori*

