



# BLOOMZ FOREVER

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## Investiture and Felicitation Ceremony

*"The pessimist complains about the wind, the optimist expects it to change but the leader adjusts the sails."*  
John C. Maxwell



BIS held its annual elections for school officials for the academic year 2024-25 in the month of June.

The Investiture Ceremony was scheduled for 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024 in the school auditorium. The ceremony's purpose was to designate the leaders of the academic year 2024–25, who would oversee all curricular and extracurricular activities, collaborate, and launch novel events that bring great success.

The ceremony commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp. Thereafter, the school officials were administered the Oath by the Head Girl, Miss Elvia Vaz, in the presence of the Guest of Honour, Cmde Shiraz Azad, and other dignitaries, school trustee Mrs. Aditi Agrawal, Principal Mrs. Anju Anand, CAO Dr. Lalita Malik, staff, and the parents of the school officials.

The Investiture Ceremony continued with the felicitation of the academic toppers (2023-24), the students who brought laurels to the school. The Principal Mrs Anju Anand and the Guest of Honour, Cmde Shiraz Azad presented awards for Classes 10 Toppers Miss Aditi Naik, Master Akul Talekar, Master Nelsio Quadros, and Master Joy Fernandes.



The principal congratulated the newly elected Students' Council and emphasized the significance of setting priorities and reminded them that they are the torchbearers of all the values that the school stands for and urged them to take responsibility with commitment and integrity. The function concluded with national anthem.

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## I

### Announcements

16<sup>th</sup> Nov- Annual Sports Day

19<sup>th</sup> Oct - PTM/ Language  
Exhibition

### Upcoming Festivals/ Events

5<sup>th</sup> Oct - Singhania

Education Conclave 2024

19<sup>th</sup> Oct - Blood Donation  
School Tour (Coorg)

Classes (5-10)

9<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024

12<sup>th</sup> Oct – Dusshera

29<sup>th</sup> Oct - Diwali

## II

### Glimpse of Exams

**PT 1 - (9 & 10)**

22<sup>nd</sup> June - 28<sup>th</sup> June

**PT 1 - (6 & 8)**

10<sup>th</sup> July - 22<sup>nd</sup> July

**AT 1 - (1 & 5)**

10<sup>th</sup> July - 22<sup>nd</sup> July

**PT 2 - (9 & 10)**

20<sup>th</sup> Aug - 27<sup>th</sup> Aug

**Term 1 - (1-10)**

28<sup>th</sup> Sept - 9<sup>th</sup> Oct



## Aquatic Championship

Shania Miranda of Grade 5 won a bronze medal in the 35th Goa State Sub Junior & Junior Aquatic Championship held in Panjim.



## Gymnastics Tournament

Faith Harry Alexander of Grade 5 won two Silver Medals in Gymquinn 2024 under the category Floor and Beam, conducted by the Gaudium Sportiopia's First All India Level-Wise Gymnastics Tournament in Hyderabad.



## 1. Rise and Shine

### Taluka Level Tournament

Students of BIS participated in the Salcete Taluka Level Mini Secondary School Tournament.



## International Yoga Day

International yoga day is celebrated every year on June 21st. It serves as a global platform to raise awareness about the various benefits of practicing yoga.

It is an ancient practice that originated in India and has gained popularity globally for its mental, physical and spiritual benefits.

Students of BIS along with teachers performed different Asanas, Surya Namaskar and peaceful Meditation under the guidance of the Sports Director, Sir OmanaKuttan, Tr. Madhu and Tr. Vibha.



## 2. Heritage Kaleidoscope

### San Joao

Bloomz International School celebrated Sao Joao with great enthusiasm and joy.



### Eid Celebration

Students conducted a special assembly to mark the occasion of Eid. Talented students performed a beautiful dance to the rhythm of Eid, capturing the spirit and happiness of the festival.



## Kargil Diwas

Kargil Vijay Diwas is celebrated on 26 July every year in honour of the Kargil War fighters. BIS organised a special assembly to recognise the efforts of the Indian Armed Force.

Students of grades 5 and 6 exhibited a spectacular dance performance on a soldier's life and sacrifice.

BIS made this little effort to foster in students a sense of patriotism for their country.



## The Power of Positive Thinking

Students of grade 9 conducted a special assembly on the topic 'The Power of Positive Thinking' that significantly impact students' academic performance and overall well-being. It aims to maintain a positive mindset and approach challenges with resilience and persistence, which can enhance their problem-solving skills and motivation.



## 3. The Daily Pitch

### Father's Day Celebration

*"The power of a dad in a child's life is unmatched."* —Justin Ricklefs

Students of Bloomz International School honored all the amazing dads by organising various activities. It was a touching event that showcased the love and appreciation for fathers. This day is dedicated to all the fathers who stand as a pillar for their family members.



### Environment Day

Every year on June 5th, the world observes World Environment Day, which provides a global forum for promoting environmental preservation awareness and action. Students of grade 5 had a special assembly on this day to learn, exchange ideas, and commit to meaningful action for a more sustainable and environmentally friendly future. Students pledged to support a sustainable future and presented a thought-provoking skit.



## **Autism Awareness Day 2nd April**

*"Autism is not a curse; it's a different way of thinking and feeling." - Kerry Magro*

## **World Health Day 7th April**

*"Health is a state of complete harmony of the body, mind, and spirit." - B.K.S. Iyengar*

## **Ambedkar Jayanti 14th April**

*"I measure the progress of a community by the degree of progress which women have achieved." - Dr B. R. Ambedkar*

## **International Mother Earth Day 22nd April**

*"An understanding of the natural world and what's in it is a source of not only a great curiosity but great fulfillment." - David Attenborough*

## **National Reading Day 19th June**

*"Reading is a conversation. All books talk. But a good book listens as well." - Mark Haddon*

## **World Chess Day 20th July**

*"Move in silence only speak when it's time to say checkmate."*

## **World Day Against Child Labour**

*"Childhood is the phase of life where children are meant to LEARN, not EARN"*



## **Friendship Day**

Students of grade 2B conducted a special assembly on the theme of 'Friendship Day.' It was organized to celebrate the importance of friendship and to foster a sense of community and camaraderie among students. The event aimed to highlight the value of mutual respect, empathy, and support in building strong, positive relationships.



## Independence Day Activity

BIS conducted various activities on the occasion of Independence Day. Students of grades 1–10 participated in activities like poster making, kite making, craft designing (book mark, flowers), etc showcasing their talents and love for the nation.



## Rakhi Making

*"Children with Special Needs Paint World with Beautiful Colours Each Day."*

With creative flair and skilled hands, BIS gifted students and the Special Educator Mrs. Zelvia Fernandes organised a Handmade Rakhi Sale on the occasion of Raksha Bandhan.



## 4. Innovative Vibes

### SST & Science Exhibition

The Science and Social Studies Exhibition held on 17th July 2024 at Bloomz International School was an engaging event designed to showcase the innovative projects and research conducted by students in the fields of Science and Social Studies. The exhibition aimed to foster a deeper understanding of scientific concepts and social issues, promote interdisciplinary learning, and encourage community involvement in educational activities. Students put their creativity and knowledge on display during the Social Science and Science Exhibition. From innovative experiments to insightful projects, the event was a showcase of talent and hard work, reflecting the commitment to holistic education.





## Glimpses of PTM



## 5. Skills on Track

### PCP

BIS conducted a Parent Connect Program on the topic Healthy and Mindful Parenting. It is a promising approach that promotes emotion regulation in parents and children.

Mindful parenting not only creates a more harmonious family environment but also fosters the emotional and psychological growth of both parents and children.



### IIMUN

Students of Bloomz International School enthusiastically participated in the IIMUN three-day conference at The Gera School from July 12th to July 14th, 2024. It was a tremendous success and a fantastic forum that engaged students in debates about global politics, current events, and international relations. The conference helped students develop their skills in diplomacy, negotiation, and public speaking. Students enjoyed themselves and had a great time learning throughout the program.



## Hand Hygiene

A hand hygiene session for the students of BIS was conducted by the Beyond Borders Programs. It aims to spread awareness among children by using audiovisual aids to help them understand the importance of hand hygiene. Dr. Prafullata Rajput, led the hand hygiene session. Students gained invaluable knowledge on staying healthy and safe through proper hand hygiene. Teaching these essential life skills helps ensure a healthier community for all.



## 6. Bits and Bites

### Gratitude Session

Gratitude is the key to a happy life and should be continuous, practiced daily. BIS held a heartfelt Gratitude Session for the incredible teachers to show appreciation for the things in life that are meaningful or valuable for them.



### Staff Well Being Session

Wellness programs help to foster a healthy and positive learning environment. Well Being Sessions at school have multiple benefits for students, teachers, caregivers, and the community at large. They can improve physical, mental, and social well-being, reduce behavioural issues and absenteeism, enhance academic performance and creativity.



## 7. Reflections

Class  
1



Asad Mulla



Shanice Coutinho



Shritik Potdar



Elliot Mascarenhas



**Ezekiel Fernandes**

**Class  
Jr. Prep**



**Ansh Rajput**



**Krittya Kalyankar**

**Class  
Sr. Prep**

# Class Nursery



**Emily Nishad**



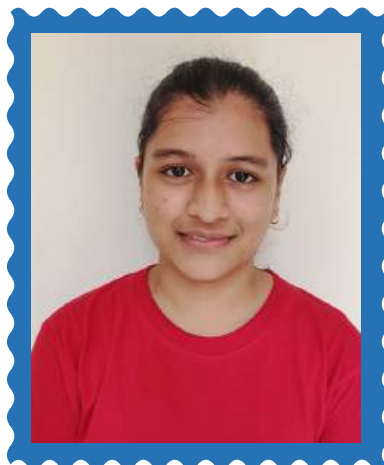
**Shreyansh Kuri**



**Amyra Khan**

## 8. Resonance

My time in school has left me with wonderful memories. The journey at Bloomz International School has been enjoyable and challenging at the same time. The greatest instructors I've ever had have taught me a lot and given me guidance over the years. I have gained a great deal of moral ideals from being a part of BIS. Also, I will never forget the opportunity I had to serve as the school's head girl. I came to learn that being a leader was not an easy task. I made an effort to give it my all by completing the tasks that were given to me. While assisting other pupils in upholding self-control, I gained a lot of knowledge that helped me on my path to success. I would like to express my gratitude to my teachers and parents, who wholeheartedly supported and encouraged me to give my best.



**Mevlette Faria**  
2023-24

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My school, my home. Being a part of the BIS family has really helped me grow mentally as well as physically. Being in this school for 13 years, I can confidently state that my school has had a significant impact on the development of my personality and character. The excellent and outstanding teachers of my school have really tapped my potential to do various other activities other than academics. It's really an honour being a part of the BIS family; it has shaped me into a better human being and has shed light on the pathway that lies ahead.

Every day I used to look ahead to school; I always found Bloomz special and set apart from other schools. The ambiance our school holds is top-notch and has the best facilities for academics, sports, and other co-curricular activities. According to me, my school really prioritises a child's all-round development, hence enhancing social skills, academic skills, as well as co-curricular skills. Finally, I'd love to say that Bloomz is the best school. After switching between two reputed schools, I've realised that there is no other place better than Bloomz.



**Lenz Pereira**  
2023-24