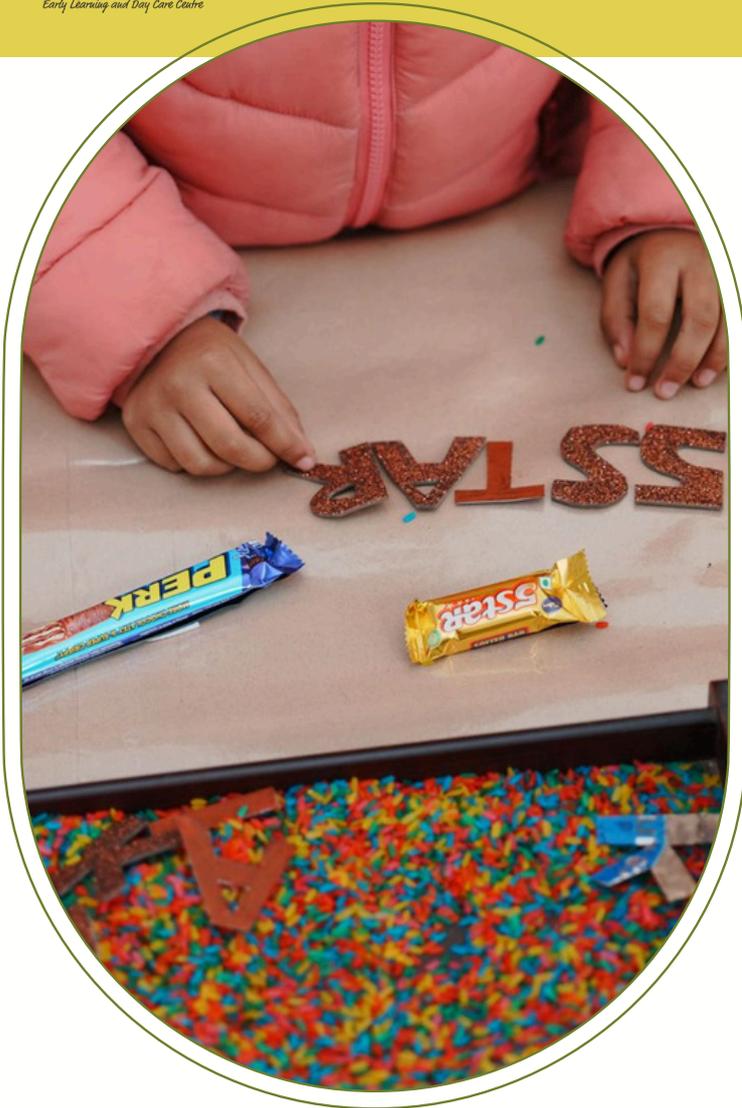


# SCHOOL SCOOP JANUARY 2026



A new year always arrives softly—with fresh hopes, renewed energy, and endless possibilities. As January unfolds, we wish our Apple Blossom families a month of calm beginnings and meaningful moments.

A Month of Connection, Culture, and Care

January at Apple Blossom unfolded as a beautiful blend of play, tradition, and real-world experiences—each thoughtfully designed to nurture curiosity, empathy, and a sense of belonging.



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Our school was filled with wonder, imagination, and a whole lot of chocolatey cheer as we celebrated a two-day Willy Wonka Homecoming with our little learners. After the holiday break, this themed homecoming was designed to gently ease children back into school through joy, creativity, and shared experiences.

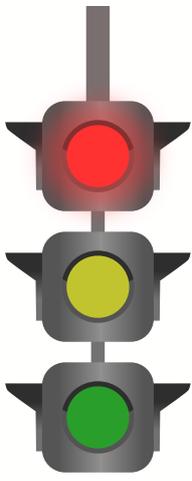


Over the two days, classrooms transformed into magical corners of Willy Wonka's factory, inviting children to explore, create, and engage at their own pace. From hands-on science experiments inspired by Wonka's curious inventions to art stations where children painted and crafted with chocolate-themed elements, every experience was thoughtfully planned to spark curiosity and confidence.

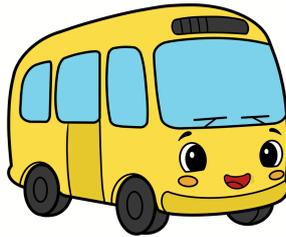
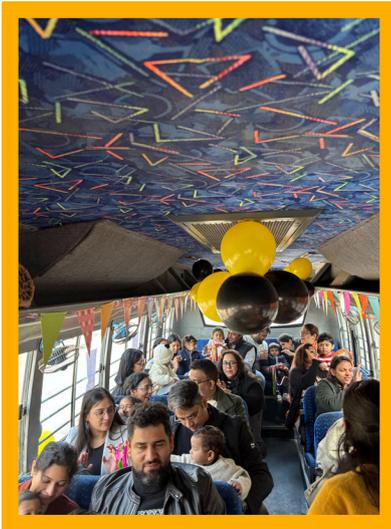


# The Yellow Bus

## Play Date



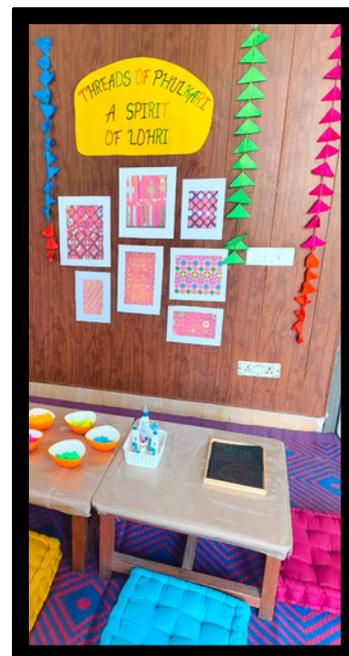
The Yellow Bus Play Date was a joyful coming-together of families and little learners. Children explored freely, built friendships, and experienced the magic of unstructured play in a relaxed, welcoming environment. For parents, it was a chance to connect, observe, and share in their child's early learning journey—reminding us that learning flourishes best when home and school walk hand in hand.



# LOHRI



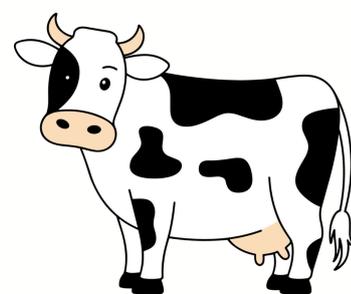
Our Lohri celebration brought warmth and cultural richness into our classrooms. Through music, movement, stories, and shared moments, children discovered the spirit of gratitude, harvest, and togetherness that Lohri represents. The celebration wasn't just festive—it became a meaningful way for children to understand traditions, community, and the joy of collective celebration.



## VISIT TO GAUSHALA

Extending this learning beyond the classroom, children also visited a nearby Gaushala, where values came alive through experience. They observed how cows are cared for, learned about their role in our ecosystem, and witnessed simple acts like feeding and milking—deepening their understanding of kindness, responsibility, and where our food comes from. The visit gently nurtured empathy and respect for all living beings.

As we move forward, we remain committed to creating learning moments that are joyful, rooted, and deeply meaningful—where children don't just learn about the world, but learn to care for it.

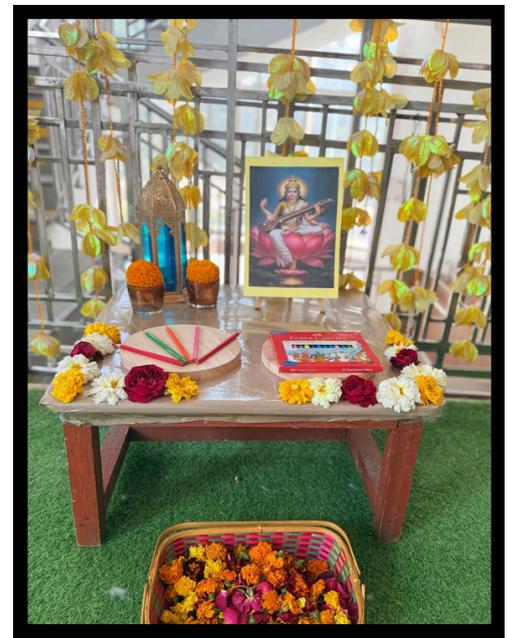


# FROM SUN TO SOIL

This week at school was a joyful celebration of India's harvest festivals, helping children experience the richness of our cultural diversity. Lohri was marked with music, movement, and stories of gratitude for nature's abundance. On Makar Sankranti, children learned the significance of offering argha to the Sun as a gesture of respect and thankfulness for light and warmth.

Through the lively story "Pongal Pongaloo," they explored Pongal/Uttarayan, understanding the special ritual of boiling milk and celebrating its joyful overflow as a symbol of prosperity and abundance. We also spoke about Bihu, highlighting renewal, community, and harvest joy—bringing the entire week together in a meaningful harvest celebration.





**Basant Panchami** was observed with reverence and joy as children participated in a graceful Saraswati Vandana, understanding the significance of knowledge, learning, and wisdom. The celebration of Bahar-e-Basant brought in the colours and cheer of spring, helping children connect with nature's renewal. As part of hands-on exploration, children engaged in leaf and flower printing, discovering textures, patterns, and the beauty of natural materials through art.

**Republic Day** celebrations focused on instilling civic values and national pride. Children created their own rulebooks, discussing fairness, responsibility, and the role of rules in a community. The day featured vibrant performances, a disciplined Taekwondo display showcasing strength and confidence, and creative activities in which children constructed monuments, learning about India's heritage and its symbols of democracy.



# Que Sera Sera

## Que Sera Sera – A Barbecue Evening with EYP 1 Parents

Our Que Sera Sera barbecue evening was a relaxed and joyful bonding time for our EYP 1 parent community. Free from schedules, reminders, and daily routines, parents came together to unwind, connect, and enjoy meaningful conversations over good food. Laughter, shared stories, and unhurried moments created a warm atmosphere that strengthened relationships beyond the classroom. This evening was not about planning ahead, but about being present and enjoying the now. Because when we slow down and simply connect, beautiful bonds are formed—naturally and effortlessly.

