



# CGS Dhaka Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

Encouraging a love for reading from a young age can foster a lifelong dedication to learning and growth. As the adage goes, "reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body." With this principle in mind, we are thrilled to announce that we have partnered with Cholpori to launch a reading challenge for students in classes 1 to 4. The competition commenced with an engaging reading session led by members of the Cholpori team. Over a five week period and into the Ramadan break, students immersed themselves in both English and Bangla storybooks to maintain their momentum in the challenge.

As our students in classes 9 and 10 concluded their final round of mock exams in March, they have embarked on their study leave in preparation for their O' Level examinations in April - June. To our O' Level students, we encourage you to utilize this critical period for thorough revision. Remember, our teachers are readily available for assistance should you require any support during your preparations. While dedicating yourselves to your studies, it is essential to prioritize self-care. Remember to take breaks, ensure adequate rest, maintain a balanced diet, and incorporate physical activity into your routine. These practices are instrumental in ensuring you are in peak condition for the exams ahead.

We had an exciting and fun filled CGSD Pohela Boishakh Carnival. This year's event was vibrant and dynamic - featuring an expanded array of rides beyond the renowned Nagordola, as well as a diverse selection of traditional Boishakhi cuisines, including pantaeilish, refreshing thirst-quenchers and much more! We eagerly welcomed in the new year with joy and anticipation for peace and prosperity for all.

Wishing our O' Level candidates the very best of luck for the ensuing examinations.

Warm regards,

Rubaiyat Razzaque

Deputy Head

Chittagong Grammar School Dhaka



## 53<sup>RD</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY

Our Independence Day is always a moment to take great pride in our nation and celebrate the freedom we enjoy following the struggles for a sovereign state in 1971. Students and staff alike dressed in our national colours and costumes in a special Mufti day.

## POHELA BOISHAKH 1431

Our wonderful students are pictured above in vibrant colours during the recent Pohela Boishakh festival held at Banani Bidya Niketan Field. Everyone, from old to young found an activity that was captivating and entertaining, including the puppet show, pictured below.



A class group pictured above while staff members pictured below.

The day was celebrated with special lessons and activities to remember our history and all that our nation stands for.



## SAMWORTH ACADEMY UK, ROUND SQUARE CONFERENCE

Four students, Nameer (6C), Shehrzad (6G), Isfaar (7C) and Zuhayr (6C) along with Ms. Sabina are gearing up to travel to Samworth Academy in the UK in late May, for a conference on the theme, 'A Bushcraft Odyssey.' Delegates will be taken away from the hustle and bustle of modern life and removed from their screens and technology. They will partake in tasks that encourage team building and collaboration, along with giving opportunities to develop new skills and make new friends.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS	DATE
May Day	1.5.2024
Buddha Purnima	23.5.2024

## Class Notes: Class 4 May 2024

### Summer Term Syllabus...

<b>English:</b> MPH 4B Unit 8: James and the Giant Peach, Unit 9: What Do You Think of It?, Unit 10: Wonders of Science & Unit 11: Great Olympians, <b>Resources:</b> MPH 4B TB, WB & HB and CW, HW & CT copy.
<b>Maths:</b> Ch 10-Decimals; Ch 11-The Four Operations of Decimals; Ch 12-Decimals: Word Problem; Ch 13-Area & Perimeter; Ch 14-Tables & Line Graph; Ch 15-Time, <b>Resources:</b> My Pals are here B series (Pupil's Book & Workbook), Homework Book, CW Copy.
<b>Bangla:</b> Prose: Ch-14- Baaalider Golpo, Ch-23- Khalifa Hazrat Umar and Ch- 17- Pathan Muluke, Poems: Ch- 16- Kajla Didi, Ch - 20- Beerpurush, Grammar : Chapter-1- Bhashar Porichoy, Chapter-2- Bangla Bhashariti, Chapter-6- Dhoni O Borno, Chapter - 11- Shondhi and Chapter 13- Bochon. Shohayika Book: Page number- 5,7,8, 9 and overall revision, Creative Writing - Unseen, Comprehension- Unseen, <b>Resources :</b> Bangla TB, CW/HW copy, CT copy, Grammar Book and Bangla Shohayika Book.
<b>Science:</b> Unit-9 Heat transfer, Unit-10 Physical and chemical changes, Unit-11 Materials and their properties, Unit-12 The water cycle. <b>Resources:</b> My Pals are here Science 5 (Textbook and Activity book), CW and HW Copy, PDF shared in CGS Learn, Worksheets
<b>Literature: Novel-</b> Charlotte's Web (Chapters- 15-22), <b>Poem:</b> 1. My Neighbour's Dog is Purple by Jack Prelutsky, 2. Habits by Carol Beachy Wenger, 3. Dr. Invention by Darren Sardelli, 4. Nighttime by Mary O. Fumento, 5. The Day Jerry Skipped Breakfast by Kelly Roper, 6. Hyperbole Café by Lill Pluta, <b>Literary Term-</b> Analogy, Alliteration, Tongue Twister, Rhyming Scheme <b>Resource:</b> Charlotte's Web, CGS Collection of Poems, CW/HW Copy.
<b>Social Studies: Geography : New Landscapes (Primary Geography) Book 5,</b> Chapter 5: The temperature zones of the world, Chapter 6. The equatorial region, A handout on Geography of Bangladesh, <b>Resources :</b> Text Book, C.W copy, Worksheets, Colour pencils, <b>History : Children's World History (Book 2),</b> Chapter 8 : Siraj -ud - Daulah, Chapter 10: Nawab Khawaja Salimullah, <b>Resources :</b> Text Book, C.W copy, Worksheets , Colour pencils
<b>ICT:</b> Module 4: Databases, <b>Resources:</b> ICT Starters Next Steps Stage 1
<b>EM:</b> Unit 5: Soil Erosion, Unit 6: Natural Ecosystems and Human Activities, <b>Resources-</b> WB, CW copy, Worksheets, Colour pencils
<b>ART:</b> Study the Artist Van Gogh and Paul Cezanne with the following topics-Introduction, Still Life, Drawing human body parts (eyes, hands, feet, head, mouth, etc), Landscape. <b>Resources:</b> Art pad, colours ,pencil -2b, 4b, 6b, ruler, eraser.

### Achievement Awards for April:

<b>English</b>	: Emma, Sharjeel
<b>Maths</b>	: Anan, Zoha
<b>Bangla</b>	: Inaya, Raphael
<b>Science</b>	: Zunairah, Aranya
<b>EM</b>	: Taafeef, Saifan
<b>Literature</b>	: Ludmila, Shayan A
<b>S. Studies</b>	: Ruva, Anaya
<b>ICT</b>	: Wadi, Inayah
<b>Art</b>	: Adeena, Ilaan
<b>Gym</b>	: Safir, Kiyaan
<b>Kindness Guardian:</b>	Faiyaz, Mahibah

### Happy Birthday to...

Izma and Ludmila for the 13th, Faiyaz for the 15th, Kiyaan for the 25th and Raj for the 28th of May!

### Class News...

Dear Parents and Students,  
We hope you have enjoyed the Pohela Boishakh Carnival as much as we did. We thank you for your time and the enthusiasm with which you made this event a success and joyous experience for all in attendance. As you know, Summer Term has already started and the final exams will be held at the end of this term, you are encouraged to put more effort into your studies to perform your best. Wishing you all the best for the upcoming exams.

Best wishes,  
Teachers of Class 4

### May Tests

2 Thur	Social Studies
5 Sun	
6 Mon	
7 Tue	ICT
8 Wed	Science
9 Thur	
12 Sun	Math
13 Mon	Bangla
14 Tue	English
15 Wed	Literature
16 Thur	
19 Sun	
20 Mon	
21 Tue	
22 Wed	
26 Sun	
27 Mon	
28 Tue	
29 Wed	
30 Thur	