

DON BOSCO SCHOOL

Bandlaguda Jagir, Hyderabad

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Message From The Principal

Dear Students,

October is an exciting month filled with diverse learning experiences, co-curricular activities, and the important **Term I Examinations**. I encourage you to participate enthusiastically in every activity, as these opportunities help develop confidence, creativity, teamwork, and leadership skills.

As you prepare for your examinations, stay focused, organized, and consistent in your efforts. Remember that success is achieved through dedication, perseverance, and a positive attitude. Let every challenge inspire you to do your best.

Wishing you a month filled with meaningful achievements, joyful learning, and excellent examination results.

Fr. Principal



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Term I Examination – Half-Yearly Examination (5-10 October)

The Term I Examination, also known as the Half-Yearly Examination, was conducted at Don Bosco School Bandlaguda from 5th to 10th October 2026 for students from Nursery to Class X.





Following the CBSE academic pattern, the examination provided an opportunity for students to assess their learning progress, understand their strengths and identify areas for improvement. The examinations were conducted smoothly, encouraging students to reflect on their academic performance and prepare for the next phase of learning.









Bathukamma Celebrations at Don Bosco School (10 October)

The teachers of Don Bosco School celebrated Bathukamma, the vibrant floral festival of Telangana, with great joy and enthusiasm. The celebration highlighted the rich cultural heritage and traditions of the state. Teachers beautifully arranged colourful seasonal flowers to create an attractive Bathukamma and participated in the festivities with great excitement. The celebration reflected the spirit of togetherness, devotion, and respect for nature. It was a wonderful opportunity for the teachers to cherish Telangana's cultural traditions and strengthen the bond of unity and friendship among colleagues.













Our little Bosconians celebrated Bathukamma with joy and enthusiasm, embracing the vibrant culture and traditions of Telangana. The school blossomed with festive colours, smiles and beautiful memories.

















Class 1 Violet Assembly: Topic - Healthy Food (26 October)

"Healthy Food" on 26 October 2026. The students highlighted the importance of eating healthy and nutritious food for a strong and healthy body. Through their presentations, they encouraged everyone to eat fresh fruits, vegetables and balanced meals while avoiding junk food. The assembly was informative and engaging, helping students understand the importance of developing healthy eating habits from an early age.



Audio Visual Heritage Day (27 October)

Audio-Visual Heritage Day was observed at Don Bosco School Bandlaguda with a special morning assembly conducted by Class VI Rose. The students highlighted the importance of preserving our cultural heritage through audio-visual media.











The Audio-Visual Heritage Day assembly helped create awareness among students about the value of our traditions, culture and heritage, while encouraging them to appreciate and preserve our rich legacy for future generations.



SEMINAR ON BULLYING

Be a Buddy, Not a Bully!

Our school conducted an informative and engaging seminar on Bullying for students of Grades 3 to 6 to create awareness about bullying and promote kindness, empathy, and respect among students.

The seminar helped students understand the different forms of bullying, including physical, verbal, social, and cyberbullying. Through relatable examples and interactive discussions, students learned how bullying affects others emotionally and why it is important to treat everyone with kindness and dignity.





Students were encouraged to stand up for what is right, support classmates who experience bullying, and seek help from trusted adults whenever necessary. The session emphasised the importance of creating a safe, school environment where every child feels valued and respect. The seminar served as a meaningful reminder that even small acts of kindness can make a big inclusive, and friendly difference. Choose Kindness. Stop Bullying. Spread Happiness!

SEMINAR ON SAFE TOUCH AND UNSAFE TOUCH

My Body, My Boundaries, My Safety!

Our school organised an informative and age-appropriate seminar on Safe and Unsafe Touch for students of Grades 4 to 6 to promote personal safety and body awareness. The session helped students understand personal boundaries, recognise uncomfortable or unsafe situations, and learn the importance of respecting their own bodies and those of others.

The seminar emphasised the importance of speaking up, moving away from unsafe situations, and seeking help from trusted adults. Students were also reminded that they should never feel ashamed or afraid to share their concerns with someone they trust. The session reinforced the message that every child deserves to feel safe, respected, and protected at all times. Know Your Boundaries. Speak Up. Safe!

Through relatable examples and interactive discussions, students were encouraged to trust their instincts and understand that they have the right to say “No” when a touch or situation makes them feel uncomfortable.









KNOWLEDGE QUEST

Exploring Knowledge, Expanding Horizons!

Our school successfully conducted the Knowledge Quest – General Knowledge Test on 28th October for grade 3-5. The test provided students with an opportunity to showcase their awareness of the world around them and apply their knowledge across various fields.

The activity encouraged curiosity, enhanced general awareness, and motivated students to develop a habit of staying informed about current affairs and interesting facts. The enthusiastic participation of the students made the event a meaningful learning experience, reinforcing the importance of knowledge beyond textbooks.

Learn Something New Every Day!







ART AND CRAFT ACTIVITIES

Creativity in Every Colour, Imagination in Every Creation!

Our school organised engaging Art and Craft Activities for students of Grades 3, 4, and 5, providing them with an opportunity to express their creativity and showcase their artistic talents.

Grade 3 – Colouring Activity: The young artists brought pictures to life with vibrant colours, displaying their creativity and developing their colouring skills.

Grade 4 – Paper Flower Making: Students created beautiful flowers using colourful A4-size papers. The activity encouraged creativity, patience, and fine motor skills.

Grade 5 – Day and Night Scenery Drawing: Students explored their artistic abilities by drawing and colouring beautiful day or night sceneries, expressing their imagination through landscapes and colours.

The activities were filled with enthusiasm, creativity, and joyful learning. They encouraged students to think imaginatively, develop artistic skills, and take pride in their creations.

Little Artists, Big Ideas, Beautiful Creations!







International Day of Care and Support (29 October)

Class VI Tulip conducted a special assembly on 29th October 2026 to observe the International Day of Care and Support. The assembly highlighted the importance of caring for others, showing kindness, and extending support to those in need. Through meaningful presentations, the students emphasized that compassion, empathy, and mutual respect help build a caring and inclusive society. The assembly encouraged everyone to make care and support an essential part of their daily lives.



Diya Decoration Competition (29 October)

A Diya Decoration Competition was conducted for the students of Classes I and II to encourage creativity, artistic expression, and festive spirit. The young learners enthusiastically decorated their diyas using vibrant colours, glitter, and beautiful designs. The activity provided an opportunity for students to showcase their imagination and artistic skills while celebrating the joy and traditions of Diwali.









The colourful creations reflected their creativity, enthusiasm, and festive excitement, making the competition a delightful and memorable experience.















Picnic to Wonderla – Classes IX and X (30 October)

On 30th October 2026, the students of Classes IX and X, accompanied by their teachers, went on an exciting picnic to Wonderla. The students enjoyed a fun-filled day filled with thrilling rides, water activities, and various attractions. It was a wonderful opportunity for them to relax, bond with their friends and teachers, and create lasting memories beyond the classroom. The trip was a memorable experience for everyone, filled with joy, laughter, and togetherness.















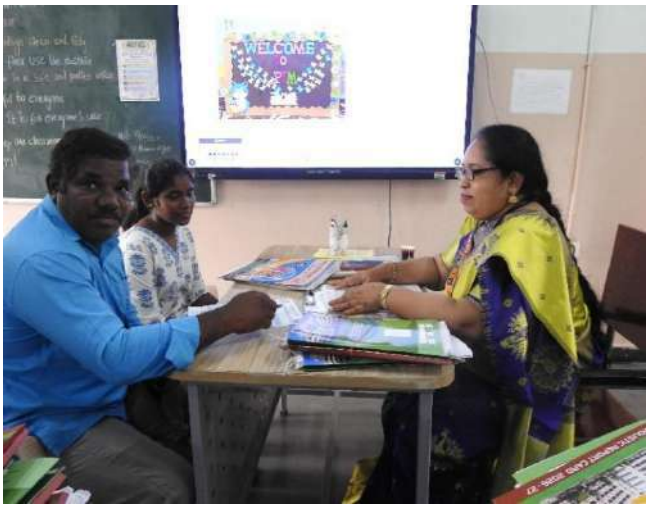


Parents Teachers Meeting (PTM) (31October)

The Parent-Teacher Meeting was successfully conducted on 31st October 2026 for the Class Nursery to class 10. It provided a valuable opportunity for parents and teachers to interact, discuss student's academic progress, learning achievements, and areas requiring improvement. Teachers shared individual feedback and guidance with parents to support the children's overall development. The meeting strengthened the bond between parents and teachers and highlighted the importance of working together to ensure every child's growth and success.











A Student-Led Conference (SLC)

A Student-Led Conference was organised during the Parent-Teacher Meeting for classes 1 and 2 to showcase student's learning progress, creativity, and achievements. Student's work, including class activities, worksheets, projects, and other learning outcomes, was displayed for parents to observe and appreciate. The exhibition provided parents with an opportunity to gain insights into their children's academic progress, skills, and overall development. It also celebrated student's efforts, encouraged confidence, and strengthened the partnership between parents and teachers in supporting children's learning journey.









Bosco Fund Fair 2026 (31 October)

The Entrepreneurship Club of Don Bosco School Bandlaguda organised the Bosco Fund Fair on 31st October 2026, coinciding with the Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM).

The event featured various food stalls managed by the club members, providing students with an opportunity to develop entrepreneurial skills, teamwork, creativity and financial responsibility.

Bosco Fund Fair offered a valuable hands-on learning experience beyond the classroom. The initiative also aimed to support the neediest through the funds raised. The fair was a wonderful blend of learning, service and community participation.

















A Heartfelt Thank You for the Success of Bosco Fund Fair

The school expresses its sincere gratitude to all the members of the Entrepreneurship Club for their hard work and dedication that contributed to the grand success of the Bosco Fund Fair. Special appreciation goes to the Middle and High School student organisers and all the volunteers who generously sponsored the food items and worked enthusiastically to make the event a memorable one.

We also extend our heartfelt thanks to all the parents for their generosity, valuable support, and cooperation. Your encouragement and active participation made the event a great success. Thank you, everyone, for being an integral part of this wonderful initiative!









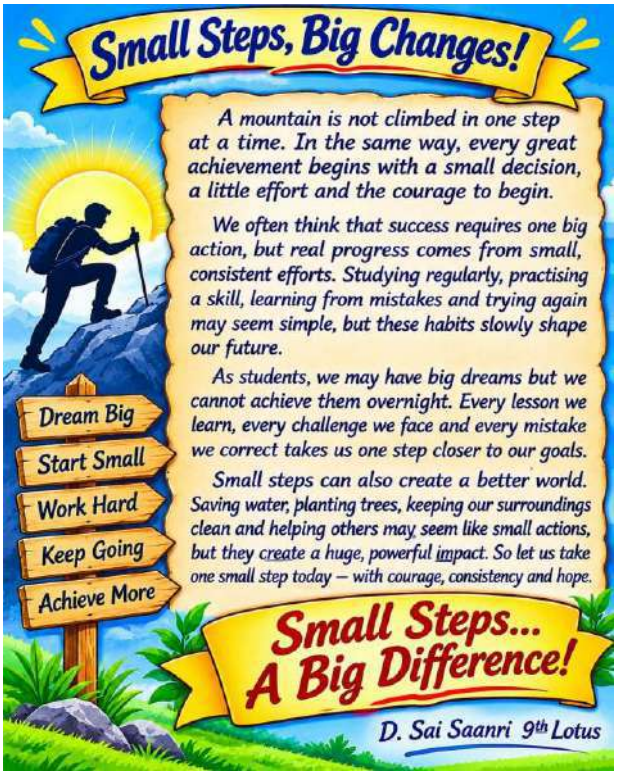


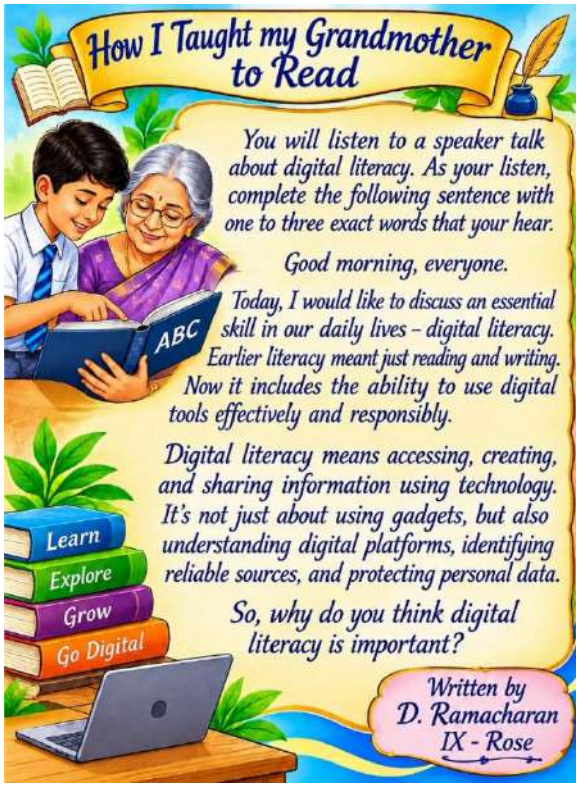









Small Steps, Big Changes!
A mountain is not climbed in one step at a time. In the same way, every great achievement begins with a small decision, a little effort and the courage to begin.
We often think that success requires one big action, but real progress comes from small, consistent efforts. Studying regularly, practising a skill, learning from mistakes and trying again may seem simple, but these habits slowly shape our future.
As students, we may have big dreams but we cannot achieve them overnight. Every lesson we learn, every challenge we face and every mistake we correct takes us one step closer to our goals.
Small steps can also create a better world. Saving water, planting trees, keeping our surroundings clean and helping others may seem like small actions, but they create a huge, powerful impact. So let us take one small step today – with courage, consistency and hope.
Dream Big
Start Small
Work Hard
Keep Going
Achieve More
Small Steps... A Big Difference!
D. Sai Saanri 9th Lotus


How I Taught my Grandmother to Read
You will listen to a speaker talk about digital literacy. As your listen, complete the following sentence with one to three exact words that your hear.
Good morning, everyone.
Today, I would like to discuss an essential skill in our daily lives – digital literacy. Earlier literacy meant just reading and writing. Now it includes the ability to use digital tools effectively and responsibly.
Digital literacy means accessing, creating, and sharing information using technology. It's not just about using gadgets, but also understanding digital platforms, identifying reliable sources, and protecting personal data.
So, why do you think digital literacy is important?
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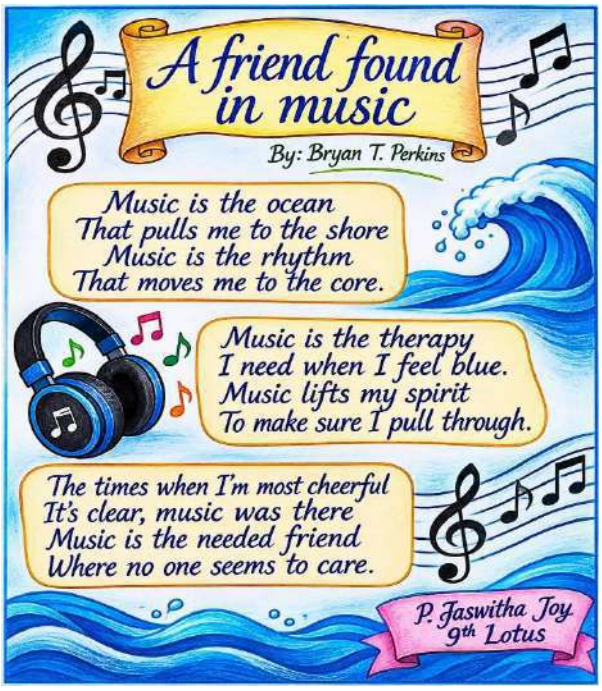
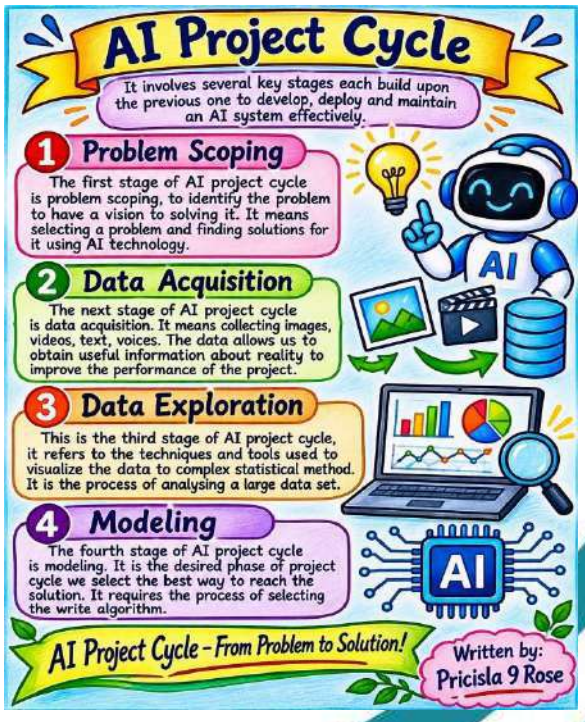
Learn
Explore
Grow
Go Digital
Written by D. Ramacharan IX - Rose


A friend found in music
By: Bryan T. Perkins
Music is the ocean
That pulls me to the shore
Music is the rhythm
That moves me to the core.
Music is the therapy
I need when I feel blue.
Music lifts my spirit
To make sure I pull through.
The times when I'm most cheerful
It's clear, music was there
Music is the needed friend
Where no one seems to care.
P. Jaswitha Joy 9th Lotus


AI Project Cycle
It involves several key stages each build upon the previous one to develop, deploy and maintain an AI system effectively.
1 Problem Scoping
The first stage of AI project cycle is problem scoping, to identify the problem to have a vision to solving it. It means selecting a problem and finding solutions for it using AI technology.
2 Data Acquisition
The next stage of AI project cycle is data acquisition. It means collecting images, videos, text, voices. The data allows us to obtain useful information about reality to improve the performance of the project.
3 Data Exploration
This is the third stage of AI project cycle, it refers to the techniques and tools used to visualize the data to complex statistical method. It is the process of analysing a large data set.
4 Modeling
The fourth stage of AI project cycle is modeling. It is the desired phase of project cycle we select the best way to reach the solution. It requires the process of selecting the write algorithm.
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AI Project Cycle - From Problem to Solution!
Written by: Pricisla 9 Rose

Improving Math Performance and Building Confidence in Students



Mathematics is often perceived as a challenging subject, leading many students to approach it with fear or self-doubt. At **Don Bosco School**, through our **IIT Foundation Programme**, we are committed to helping students overcome these barriers and build confidence in their mathematical abilities.

Research and experience show that poor performance in mathematics often results from weak foundational concepts, fear of mistakes, lack of practice, and insufficient encouragement. We address these challenges by focusing on conceptual understanding, regular practice, and a positive learning environment.

Our approach includes:

- **Building strong foundations** through clear conceptual learning.
- **Encouraging independent problem-solving** to develop confidence.
- **Making learning interactive** with real-life examples, puzzles, and logical reasoning.
- **Promoting a growth mindset**, encouraging students to replace "I can't do it" with "Let me try."



At Don Bosco School, we believe that success in mathematics is not just about higher scores. It is about developing confidence, resilience, and a positive attitude toward learning. Through consistent effort and support, we are helping our students become confident learners who are ready to embrace challenges and achieve their full potential.
When students gain confidence in mathematics, they gain confidence in themselves.

Recognizing Excellence



To motivate and inspire our students, the **Don Bosco School IIT Foundation Programme** conducts periodic Talent Tests and awards certificates to students who achieve the **highest scores in individual subjects** and the **highest overall scores**.

These recognitions celebrate hard work, consistency, and smart learning. We encourage all students to strive for excellence and look forward to seeing many more students earn these certificates in the coming tests.

Work smart, stay consistent, and success will follow!



Don Bosco Past Pupil – S. Harshith Reddy



A few months back, we had the pleasure of seeing S. Harshith Reddy, the former Head Boy of our school, teaching computer programming at our school campus through a Community Development Project organized by his university's Computer Science Engineering Department. He taught Python Programming to students of Classes 11 and 12. Harshith graduated from Don Bosco School in 2025, after successfully completing his Class 12 Board Examination in Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry (MPC).



It is truly commendable that for a community outreach program, Harshith chose to return to his alma mater, Don Bosco School, Bandlaguda, where he will always be remembered for his leadership, as a diligent and sincere student, for his amiable nature as well as his exemplary participation in all facets of school life.

We wish Harshith all the best in his university studies and hope he has a very successful career ahead.