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To

School Parents

**Ref: Jolly Phonics Parent Orientation**

Dear Parents,

Greetings!

Early years are the most important milestones for our learners and so is the importance of grade 1 and 2. As per the National Education Policy 2019 it is a government directive now to treat Early Childhood Education as a cohesive combined unit from Nursery up to grade II, given its importance and clearly, the approaches to learning. These are years that are formative where we build the foundation of acquiring new learnings and experiences like language arts, Mathematics, scientific discoveries amongst others. We also appreciate and recognise that the research overwhelmingly states that 95% of the brain development is by the age of 6 and therefore what we invest in these early years is critical. One of the most important areas would be Language Arts which is Listening, Speaking Reading Writing and history does record this over and over again that when the foundation is not laid in a scientific manner especially or the language development it leads to challenges later in primary and secondary years.

At SVM since the school has been incepted and even during our initial days when you visited us at the experience centre for admission, we shared with you our passion for the Jolly phonics program which is the number 1 Jolly phonics program in the world we have embraced its science and its methodology and we incorporated in our listening speaking reading and writing skills as part of the new language acquisition. Jolly phonics program helps the child to read with understanding at an early age. It not only focuses on alphabet learning but also the sounds, letter formation and spelling building.

We have organised a Jolly Phonics Parent Orientation workshop for parents from Nursery to Grade II.

Kindly make a note of the Schedule.

Date: 20/6/2020      Day: Saturday

Time: 11:30 am to 12:30 pm

Google Meet Code: <https://meet.google.com/jer-mqkk-quh>

Please ensure that you and set your clock and set this time aside to understand the program given its beautiful transition from listening, speaking, reading and thereafter writing there is a scope and a sequence to how this program works and if you understand the phonic sounds associated and how letters are introduced capital and small and what is the science and the parallel way in which we lead our learners in the school through the online and offline lessons it will give you a sense of comfort and clarify some of the things that the children might be asking you at home. This home schooled partnership is critical for us to build a solid foundation and this is just a start of the first parent orientation with jolly phonics but we will continuously come up with refresher courses however it is critical that you attend this session with us.

We request you to sit with a four line English paper or a Notebook, a pencil and an eraser for the same. You are also requested to download the Jolly phonics mobile app from play store.

We request both the parents to be a part of it as mother and father both play an equal role in the upbringing of their child.

Looking forward to meet you all on a virtual platform once more.

Yours truly

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