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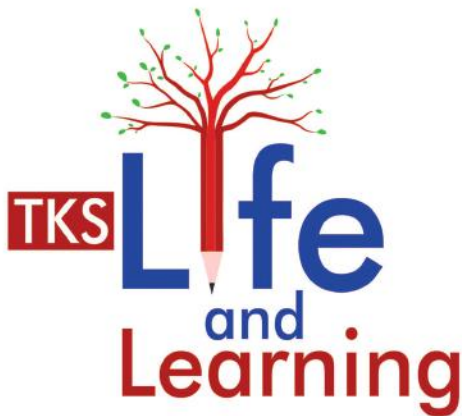
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TKS offers an academic course entitled "Life and Learning" which is aligned with the "Values Education" as in the National Education Plan 2017 released by the Pakistan Government. This course offers the educators the most up-to-date resources with which to teach communication, decision making and goal setting skills that young people need to be successful in the classroom and throughout life.

Matholetics, Arts & Science Competitions

On February 3, 2018, the Head Office of The Knowledge School Network organized an inter TKS campuses Matholetics, Arts & Science competitions for classes 1 to 7. The program was graced by the presence of Director TKS - Ms. Mariam Murad and Vice Chairman TKS - Dr. Abdul Hameed. Among the other dignitaries were the NWAs and the Principals of different campuses. All students who took part in the competition showed their enthusiasm and interest. The NWAs and Principals commended the efforts of the Head Office for organizing a well-planned competition. Top three positions were awarded with tablets, talking dictionaries and encyclopedia. Trophies were presented to the **Winning Campuses** along with the certificates.

Winners of Arts Competition

Abdullah Raza	2nd	IMT Campus Okara
Anum Sattar	3rd	Ch Afzal Campus
Aqsa Arshad	3rd	Al-Hayat Campus

Winners of Science Competition

Maryam Usama	4th	SMT Campus Okara
Qurtaba Toufeeq	4th	Creative Campus Manawal
Hijab Arshad	4th	Shalamar Campus LHR
Shaheer Pasha	3rd	Omar Campus Chistian
Abdullah Waheed	6th	Shalamar Campus LHR
Hafiz Shayan	6th	Iqbal Campus Sialkot
Fizza Rashid	6th	IMT Campus Okara

Winners of Maths Competition

Fatima Sajid	5th	SMT Campus Okara
Abdullah Rizwan	5th	City Campus Sialkot
M Qasim	5th	Omar Campus Chistian
Areeba Munir	7th	Omar Campus Chistian
M Ahmad Bhatti	7th	Ch Afzal Campus
Imam Sajid	7th	IMT Campus Okara

Winning Campuses

IMT Campus Okara	Arts Competition
SMT Campus Okara	Science Competition
Shalamar Campus Lhr	Arts Competition
SMT Campus Okara	Maths Competition
Omar Campus Chistian	Maths Competition

Meet New TKS Head Office Officials

The Knowledge School Network Head Office has always striven to build up TKS's reputation in the market. For this purpose, we thought it pertinent to revise TKS policies and structure both at the Head Office level and also with our NWAs for the maximum benefit.



Brigadier (Retd.) Shahid Akram Kardar has joined us as TKS Country Director. Brig (Retd.) Kardar has served in Pakistan Army for over 31 years. He also has the experience of serving in international environment with the United Nations. Besides, he had the honor to serve as Directing Staff in National School of Public Policy (NSPP), the highest Federal Training Institution of Pakistan for the training of bureaucracy, where he served for over 6 years with additional charge of DG Administration and DG Human Resources.



Muhammad Jawad Siddiqi has joined our team as TKS Head of Operations. He has over 19 years of professional experience in education and business management. He was associated with Froebel's International School as General Manager. Previously he worked as Business Development Manager at Centaur and got the opportunity of interacting with the leading international consultants of hospitality industry. He also has wide exposure and voluntarily worked in Government and public sectors.

“ I envision The Knowledge School Network to occupy a lead role in imparting education to our upcoming generation, with a focus to turn out a refined and educated product with heightened spirit of citizenship and desire to contribute positively for the well-being of our country which shall proud their parents and the institutions involved in their grooming and training. ”

“ I joined TKS Head Office on Feb 18. I found this institution to be highly focused on providing quality education. The vision and mission of TKS Chairman, Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad is the driving force behind the success of TKS. I look forward to its growth and progress in the coming years. ”

Annual Prize Distribution

Annual Day is certainly one of the most eagerly awaited events of the year in any school. Annual Day was celebrated with full enthusiasm in all campuses of TKS. Students delivered speeches and displayed exuberant role-play performances on important issues of our society. For teachers, it was a great opportunity to showcase the talents they have nurtured in the children and for the parents it was a matter of great pride to watch them on stage. The students along with their parents were awarded trophies and certificates for appreciating their hard work, determination and willpower for attaining their goals successfully.



Pakistan Resolution Day

March 23 is a symbol of commitment in the history of Pakistan. On this day, Muslims of the sub-continent declared their commitment to achieve an independent state. Students wore traditional outfits and enthusiastically participated in different activities. The students displayed utmost love for their country and respect for the great leaders who sacrificed their lives in making this dream come true.



Campus Activities

Winner of Championship

TKS is proud to share that student of TKS House Hill Campus, Noor Fatima participated in National Taekwondo Championship held on December 8-13, 2017 at Liaqat Gymnasium Rawalpindi/ Islamabad. Noor Fatima won the battle by defeating Pak Army team and was awarded with a gold medal.



Leaders Club

Leaders Club is a worthwhile initiative taken by Director of TKS IMT/SMT Campus, Okara. Leaders Club provides an opportunity for students to build and share leadership skills to bring positive change. Leaders Club members work together as a team in leadership building activities as well as becoming community contributors. This club plans a range of innovative activities to inspire children of all ages, and many outdoor sport activities which encourages them to develop their skills while having fun.



Dramatic Society

Dramatic Society aims to indoctrinate the positive cultural heritage in addition to promote extracurricular educational messages. This society is responsible to provide a platform to students to conceive and play dramas on different aspects of life. The main objective of this society is to produce excellent and innovative student theatre. Society is dedicated to facilitate the ideas of students encouraging them to participate in various school activities.



Kashmir Day

To pay tribute to Kashmiri brothers, the students of TKS Shalamar Campus demonstrated tableau, Kashmiri song, speeches, poetry, along with the display of Kashmiri geographical and cultural information.

Save Humanity

To promote the social and emotional well-being of children, TKS Shalamar Campus conducted a workshop on "Child Abuse" to introduce them to concepts related to child abuse and neglect. Students learnt about preventive strategies and their legal obligation to report suspicions of abuse and neglect.



Spelling Bee Competition

Dawn Spelling Bee Competition expands the students' horizon beyond the classroom and enhances their learning process. To boost students' confidence and polish their language skills, TKS Ali Ahmed Campus registered its students for Dawn Spelling Bee Competition 2017.

Theme based Morning Assemblies

Morning Assembly is an integral feature of the school's routine. Assemblies are a great way to create positive, reflective ethos and promote value-based education. At TKS, theme based assemblies are conducted every morning to enhance the intrapersonal skills of a child.



International Kangaroo Mathematics Contest

The International Kangaroo Mathematics Contest (IKMC) is a source of intellectual encouragement for all and a challenge for the geniuses. To boost students' confidence, TKS National Campus registered its students in the IKMC to show that mathematical education plays a great role in every aspect of life.



Sports Day

Sports, whether team-based or individual, are great for children as they provide not just physical activity, but also boost their self-esteem, confidence, social skills and motivate them to excel in life. In recognition of the importance of sports in a child's life, Sport Day was celebrated at different campuses of TKS. Children along with their peers participated in various races, drills and exercises.



Preschool Activities

Pre-School education is the most crucial phase for learning and development. Kids need meticulous attention at this phase of learning. At TKS, teachers help young kids to form their character by teaching them moral values from the very beginning. Such learning activities give them a diverse experience of understanding others and adopting the social skills and structure that are necessary for a successful schooling endeavor. With the use of age-appropriate materials and objectives, teachers help young ones to practice skills, lay the framework for more advanced learning, and most importantly, discover that learning is fun.



International Happiness Day

March 20 is celebrated as the International Day of Happiness. It is a worldwide movement to increase awareness of happiness as a fundamental human right, goal and life choice. As happiness lies in caring and giving, TKS students made beautiful smiley cards for each other.



TKS Head Office



Network Associates Orientation

TKS Head Office organized Network Associates Orientation 2018-19 session on February 17, 2018 at University of Management and Technology, Lahore. The purpose of this event was to share the standards and services of TKS Network. In the orientation session, TKS Head Office introduced the new TKS Officials Brig (Retd.) Shahid Akram Kardar as Country Director TKS and Muhammad Jawad Siddiqui as Operations Head. Muhammad Zahid Warraich presided over the session and guided NAWs about admission intake and procedures, Marketing, Academics, Quality Assurance and Accounts Department also gave presentations about departmental policies and procedures.



**Inauguration Ceremony
TKS GT Road Campus, Peshawar**

As a result of successful Memorandum of Understanding with TKS Head Office, Mohammad Sabir, TKS Network Associate, announced the launch of TKS GT Campus, Chamkani, Peshawar, on February 28, 2018. By inaugurating this campus, TKS has opened up a quality window of academic excellence for the children of adjacent areas; by providing them modern educational facilities specifically designed to deliver a cutting-edge and inclusive curriculum.



Promoting Mental Health in School Psychology

National Conference on "Promoting Mental Health in Schools: A way forward" was held on March 17, 2018 at University of Management and Technology, Lahore. The conference focused not only on the academic problems of school children but also their psychological, emotional and social issues that have an impact on their growth and development. Asma Aamer, Preschool Head of TKS, attended the conference as a panelist to share her expertise and insightful thoughts on the agenda.



Key Dates

April
Mid Term Assessment – 1
April 02 - 06, 2018

Ethics, Attitudes and Values Week
April 9 – 13, 2018

Tech. Savvy Competition
April 13, 2018

Parent - Teacher Meeting 1
April 14, 2018

CPDP – 3 (Honesty and Integrity)
April 28, 2018

Honesty and Integrity
May 2 – 4, 2018

Poetry Writing / Recitation Competition
May 4, 2018

End of Term Assessment -1
May 14 - 25, 2018

TKS Head Office Training

Great teachers are always looking for new ways to expand their instruction and engage their students. To foster insightful and innovative professional instructional leaders, TKS Head Office successfully conducted One Day Professional Teachers, Training on "Teaching Methodologies and their Practical Application in K12 Teaching" on January 20, 2018 at UMT, Lahore. The purpose was to encourage the teachers to engage in participative teaching for nurturing a confident child. Also, teachers got equipped with the latest learning and teaching methodologies that are applied internationally.

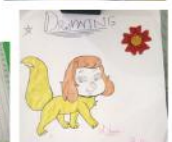


Students' Corner

Guess Who I am...??

Guess Who I am?
I am a little angel
Sometimes I wear bangles
I have a nice look
In morning, I carry books
I have a routine
In day, I go to canteen
Whole day, I bling
Sometimes I go to swings
I come here to learn
In afternoon, I return
When my work is done
I have so much fun
Miss Mehvish was my first grade teacher
Maintaining discipline was her best feature
I am blessed and I am obedient
You must have guessed I am a student

By Anaya Waseem- Grade 2
Teacher Sobia, TKS Omer Christian Campus



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