

Military Training

VENUE : Pinkz Study Hall

GRADE: IV- A, IV-B, IV-C

Better to die than to be a coward.

Asking about the importance of **Indian Army** in India is like asking the importance of heart in a human body. It would not be wrong to say that there would be **no India** without Indian Army.

If anything goes really wrong in the country, we look at the army for solutions, be it riot control, counter insurgency, fighting terrorism, fighting Naxalites and even getting during the natural disasters.

It is very important that the children must know why and how we should respect the **MILITARY PEOPLE - our “Mr. Dependable”**. Because those people are mainly responsible to protect the country against land based attacks, it lends a helping hand to other agencies in dealing with terrorism, tackling emergency situations in the country and also rescuing people in case of natural calamities like flood, earthquake etc.

Here are five things that the children must know about the military.

1. The military is a hugely diverse organization made up of volunteers who choose to serve their country for a variety of reasons.
2. Not every service member is a war fighter.
3. Military families have very few choices in their military life.
4. Military life isn't accurately depicted in the media.
5. Military service is a family affair, which can at times, be challenging.

INDIAN ARMY DAY:

Army day is celebrated formally in New Delhi at “Amar Jawan Jyoti”, India Gate every year on **15th of January**. The day was started celebrating from 1949 through various activities like Military Parade, cultural programs, etc.

we should mend our ways and start giving real respect to the soldiers otherwise a time may come when there will be no one to defend our motherland.

To make the children understand the significance of Military, we invited a Real – Hero, **Mr. Govindharaj** working in Army at Assam, he is one of our parent. He came willingly to give seminar on “**Military Training**”.



The guest of honour addressed the gathering with the below saying:

“The soldier above all others prays for peace, for it is the soldier who must suffer and bear the deepest wounds and scars of war”



Here you could behold the invitee sharing his own experience in his Work life.



Yes, the true speaker has trapped the attention of joyful listeners



Mater Mukesh of Grade IV-B, shouted his question to the speaker. He asked whether Mr.Govindaraj has participated in any of the wars.



Ms. Kothanya of IV- B asked the speaker about his achievements.



Today's hero Mr. Govindaraj gave few HEALTH TIPS too. Calm mind brings inner strength and self-confidence, so that's very important for good health.

Here we have listed few doubts that the kids had,

- Master Sudeesh.K.V of IV- A was asked about the fitness tips.
- Master Rohith Rajan.S of IV- C asked Mr.Govindaraj to share the training that was given to the Soldiers.
- Master Logeshwaran.A of IV- A had a query on the food habits of the soldiers.
- Master Satya Narayanan.S of IV- B asked how one should get in to Military? This question gave us a clue that, we have sowed a good seed about MILITARY in his mind.
- Ms. Nivetha.B of IV- C asked whether how a soldier can have a good work life balance. Speaker appreciated her way of thinking and answered with a smile.

The Hero of the session has successfully inspired the children of Grade IV and he was **TALK OF THE SCHOOL.**

He concluded the session by saying that:

“If you are going to win any battle, you have to do one thing. You have to make the mind run the body. Never let the body tell the mind what to do... the body is never tired if the mind is not tired.”

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

After this seminar the children understood that , not only did soldiers face the possibility of getting killed in battle, their daily lives were full of hardships. They had to deal with hunger, bad weather, poor clothing, and even boredom between battles.

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