

BEST PRACTICE

Title: Morning Assembly

Objectives:

- To develop a culture of communication.
- To help impart discipline in students.
- To nurture and maintain positive healthy culture.
- To develop spirit of Patriotism.
- To inculcate public speaking skills.
- To develop correct audience habits.
- To give scope for children to learn individually and collectively

Context: It has been well said, 'well began is half done'. Our morning assembly, which symbolizes the beginning of the day, justifies the above statement. It is not of the traditional type, limited only to ritual prayers to begin the day.

Practice: Student teachers are divided into 10 groups. The flow of an assembly program is planned by group members. Student teachers assemble in the prayer hall and begin their day with Morning Prayer. Followed by sukshma yoga asanas, thought of the day, news headlines, a story with moral, kasha samachar and end it with a patriotic song. Local cultural connects and enchanting folk prayers and, occasionally, songs, which add a cultural flavor, are the essence of the morning assembly. This breaks the monotony and adds vibrancy and energy to the morning assembly.

Evidence of Success:

- Morning Assembly sets the tone of the day.
- Helped Student teachers to gather a lot of energy to do well.
- Helped to bind everyone together.
- It has become more inclusive and highly interactive.
- Helped students of different classes and pedagogy to interact with each other.
- It bridged the gap of seniority and juniority between them.

Problems Encountered & Resources Required:

➤ **Problems Encountered**

Student teachers get less time to rehearse for the assembly.
Lack of participation by all the group members.

➤ **Resources Required**

Student teachers need time to rehearse for the assembly.
Student teachers need proper guidance of teachers for execution.

