

Rakhi Special Assembly

Rakhi, the festival of love between brother and sister, was celebrated with a lot of fervor in Santa Maria on 04 August 2017.

A role play was put up by the kids of KG A depicting how Rakhi can be celebrated in diverse ways. The story focused that Rakhi is a bond of love not only between a brother and a sister but between all siblings.

The children enjoyed participating in this story as it was a happy blend of drama, singing and dancing. The parents were invited and they patiently sat down to witness the first performance of their children.



As the children came along, the parents beaming with joy and pride clicked pictures and encouraged the kids with a big round of applause .



The children were very happy to see their parents. However little KG children did not

lose their focus and participated very confidently in the role play without skipping any dialogue or sequence.



During the discussion round children were asked "who would they tie their Rakhi to?" and they replied; "Mein apni Dadi ko Rakhi bandhoongi", "Mein trees ko rakhi bandhoonga kyonki who humein oxygen dete hain.



After the presentation, of Santa Maria, celebrated the festival in their class rooms by tying Rakhi which they had made on their own, to their best friends

" *mein apne friend Edmund ko rakhi bandoonga* " .

Not only that some kids also tied Rakhi to the trees in the school " *trees hamein goose berry and flowers bhi dete*

hain " while some expressed their desire to tie it to their " *mamma kyuki vo mera dhyan rakhti hain* " , to their " *chachu kyuki hum do sisters hein* " , *cousins didi and even pets* " .

The Santa Marians also welcomed Class 1 children who had come from St. Mary's. They were feeling nostalgic about the times they spent here and tied rakhi to the animals and trees of the school.



So we all truly understood that the essence of Rakhi surpasses the gifts and sweets. It is a promise to care for your loved ones through thick and thin of life.