

## REPORT ON PUPPET MAKING BAL SABHA ACTIVITY (CLASS III - IV)

"We are only puppets, our strings are being pulled by unknown forces"

-Georg Buchner

The students of Bal Bharati Public School, Noida engaged in an extraordinary Historical exercise of Puppetry Making on April 12, 2017. This fun activityaimed at introducing the form of Puppetry which involved the manipulation of inanimate objects for the students of class III. The students were introduced to the hand puppet created from the Stick design.

Puppetry is a very ancient form of theatre which was first recorded in the 5th century BC in Greece. Puppetry may take any form, but it shares the process of animating inanimate performing objects to tell a story. This activity involved mass participation from the Class- III and helped the students lay their hands on such an Ancient Art Form.

This ambitious Project helped the students develop their visual-spatial intelligence and kinaesthetic intelligence. It encouraged the craftsmanship and Originality of the students and enabled the child to learn about puppet design, puppetry technique and the technique of staging a puppet show.

The students presented their immaculate work by making colourful and meaningful puppets by using interesting materialslike colour paper, ice cream sticks, cloth, recycled medium etc. to create stick puppets. The puppetry Making Activity provedto be a true Learning Experience for all the participants and each child took home an Inspiration and the importance of keeping our Ancient Forms of Art Alive.



Creative hids sweet puppets



Punjabi Bhangra puppets



Student's Puppeting creativity

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