

**CONTACT US:**

+254 725 529 622

+254 734 745 555

 [juniorhigh@oshwalacademy.sc.ke](mailto:juniorhigh@oshwalacademy.sc.ke)



# **OSHWAL ACADEMY NAIROBI**

## **JUNIOR HIGH**

**WEEK 6 TERM III NEWSLETTER 2024-2025**

### **QUOTE OF WEEK:**

**“Success is not final,  
failure is not fatal, it is  
the courage to continue  
that counts.”**

**~ Winston Churchill**

**MATH**

# POST-MIDTERM SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

We are back in action after a refreshing midterm break! The school assembly set a positive tone for the second half of the term, filled with energy, encouragement, and celebration. The assembly served as an opportunity to reflect on recent achievements, hear important announcements, and reinforce school values. Key announcements included the resumption of all clubs and other extracurricular activities. Overall, the assembly was a valuable experience that encouraged reflection, celebration, and a shared commitment to personal and academic growth.



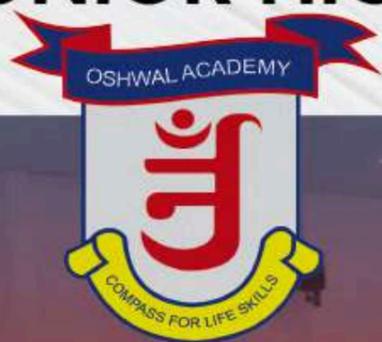
# AWARDING CHAMPIONS AT THE ASSEMBLY



# YEAR 8B – BEST IN AESTHETICS

Year 8B has stood out this term for their exceptional attention to detail and creativity in making their classroom a welcoming and visually appealing space. From well organized displays to thoughtful decoration choices, they have shown a strong sense of pride in their environment. Their effort to keep the space tidy, coordinated, and vibrant reflects not just good taste but a positive attitude toward learning. Well done, 8B!





## MATHEMATICS CONTEST 2025

### YEAR 7 OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

Year 7 Gauss Contest – A total of 25 students participated. Out of which 9 students passed with distinction meaning qualified as the best performer in the top 25% in the world and one student achieved outstanding achievement being the topper in the school.



**SHAURYA HARIA**

Topper in school with distinction and medal



**PRAYAN GUPTA**

Certificate of distinction



**NEER MALDE**

Certificate of distinction



**AARAV GUPTA**

Certificate of distinction



**DEV SHAH**

Certificate of distinction



**AGASTYA TONGE**

Certificate of distinction



**TIRTH PANKHANIA**

Certificate of distinction



**DAIVIK BANSAL**

Certificate of distinction



**KRISHIV SHAH**

Certificate of distinction



## MATHEMATICS CONTEST 2025

### YEAR 8 OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

Year 8 Gauss Contest – A total of 28 students participated. Out of which 8 students passed with distinction meaning qualified as the best performer in the top 25% in the world and one student achieved outstanding achievement being the topper in the school.



**SAYAN VAGHELA**

Topper in school with distinction and medal



**AYAAN QUADROS**

Certificate of distinction



**DHIAN SHAH**

Certificate of distinction



**AARVI SAVLA**

Certificate of distinction



**HARDIK GUPTA**

Certificate of distinction



**JAYDEN D'SOUZA**

Certificate of distinction



**HEVIR DODHIA**

Certificate of distinction

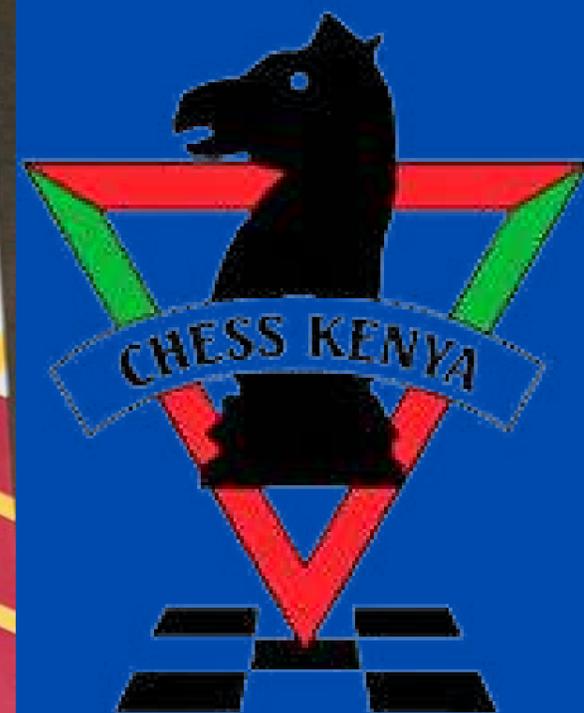


**JAINAM SHAH**

Certificate of distinction

# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT—PRAYAN GUPTA SHINES IN CHESS TOURNAMENT

We are proud to share that Prayan Gupta of Year 7A attained 1st position in the under-12 age category at the Oshwal Academy Nairobi Nursery Youth Chess Championship 2025, which was hosted by Oshwal Academy Nairobi Nursery Campus on 24th May 2025. He scored an impressive 5.5 out of 6 rounds. Prayan dedicated significant time and effort to preparing for the competition, and his commitment truly paid off. Congratulations on this well-deserved success!





# OSHWAL ACADEMY NAIROBI- JUNIOR HIGH



## PRESIDENT'S AWARD (PA) INTERNAL ASSESSORS 2025-2026



Jash Beejal

Chairperson



Keya Atish

Vice Chair



Krish Sanjay

Treasurer



Lakshanya Santhana

Secretary



Natalia Violet

PRO



Henil Amit

Assessor



Winston Keya

Assessor



Yatharth Kumar

Assessor



Sarvesh Sriram

Assessor



Sayam Vishal

Assessor



Ruhi Pravin

Assessor



Sarakshi Jangra

Assessor



Khushi Rajesh

Assessor



Tanay Mitesh

Assessor



Tanmay Harishchandra

Assessor



Jayden Irura

Assessor



Yashi Vishal

Assessor



Ipsita Sharma

Assessor



Lutta Aswani

Assessor

# PRESIDENT'S AWARD (PA) ASSESSORS' TRAINING CAMP AT NAIVASHA – OLOIDEN FLAMINGO CAMP

The newly selected PA Assessors for 2025-2026 had the opportunity to attend a training camp at the Flamingo Oloiden Camp by the banks of the scenic Lake Naivasha. Assessors play a pivotal role in the PA framework, guiding young individuals through various sections of the program, including voluntary service, physical recreation, skills development, and the adventurous journey. Their responsibilities encompass monitoring progress, providing mentorship, and ensuring participants meet the program's standards. The training sessions at the campsite were comprehensive, covering essential topics such as first aid, navigation, team leadership, and activity assessment techniques. The campsite's serene environment, nestled beside Lake Oloiden and rich in biodiversity, offered an ideal backdrop for both learning and reflection. Beyond the formal training, participants engaged in team-building activities, nature walks, and interactive sessions designed to foster collaboration and enhance their understanding of the award's objectives. These experiences not only enriched the assessors' skills but also deepened their commitment to youth development and community service. The trip will definitely stay in their memories for a long time.



# **MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDENTS SHINE AT BROOKHOUSE INTERNATIONAL RUNDA**

**On Saturday, 24th May 2025, a group of Modern Foreign Language students visited Brookhouse Runda campus for a capacity-building exercise accompanied by German teachers Ms. Brigid and Mr. David. The event entailed quizzes and discussions as part of language practice in an attempt to improve our students' mastery of French, German, and Kiswahili. In an event attended by several International Schools, Oshwal Academy Nairobi-Junior High students attained first and second positions in their categories.**

## **Poem Category—Year 7**

**French: Maahira Wazeem (Year 7B) and Trisha Dave (Year 7D) – 2nd Position**

**Kiswahili: Maahira Wazeem (Year 7B) and Nayla Taji Nyaboga – 1st Position**

**German: Riya Shah and Rishav Shah (Year 7D)—2nd Position**

## **PowerPoint Presentation—"My Favorite City"**

**French: Krish Joshi (Year 7E) – 2nd Position**

**Kiswahili: Georgette D'Costa (Year 8C)—1st Position**

**Our students showed exceptional dedication and creativity, and we are proud of their accomplishments.**



# INCLUSIVE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT TRIP TO SAWELA LODGE, NAIVASHA

Our vibrant Inclusive Education Department (IED) organized a trip to Sawela Lodge in Naivasha in a deliberate effort to help our students practice and bring out independent skills such as washing, cleaning, management of resources, and, more so, time. Sawela Lodge has the kind of facilities and staff that take into consideration the special needs of our students, such as wheelchairs and ramps. The rooms are constructed in a manner that is accommodative of individuals with special needs. In the planning of the trip, a stopover at Longonot was subtly integrated to give the students a sense of fun, viewing nature as part of learning and building up their knowledge in Geography.



# INCLUSIVE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT HOSTED A FRIENDLY SWIMMING GALA IN COLLABORATION WITH KESTREL MANOR SCHOOL

What a splash of joy! The Inclusive Education Department teamed up with Kestrel Manor School for a heartwarming Friendly Swimming Gala. Students from both schools dove into a day of fun, friendship, and friendly competition. It was a beautiful celebration of inclusion, teamwork, and shared smiles. We cannot wait to create more inclusive moments like this.



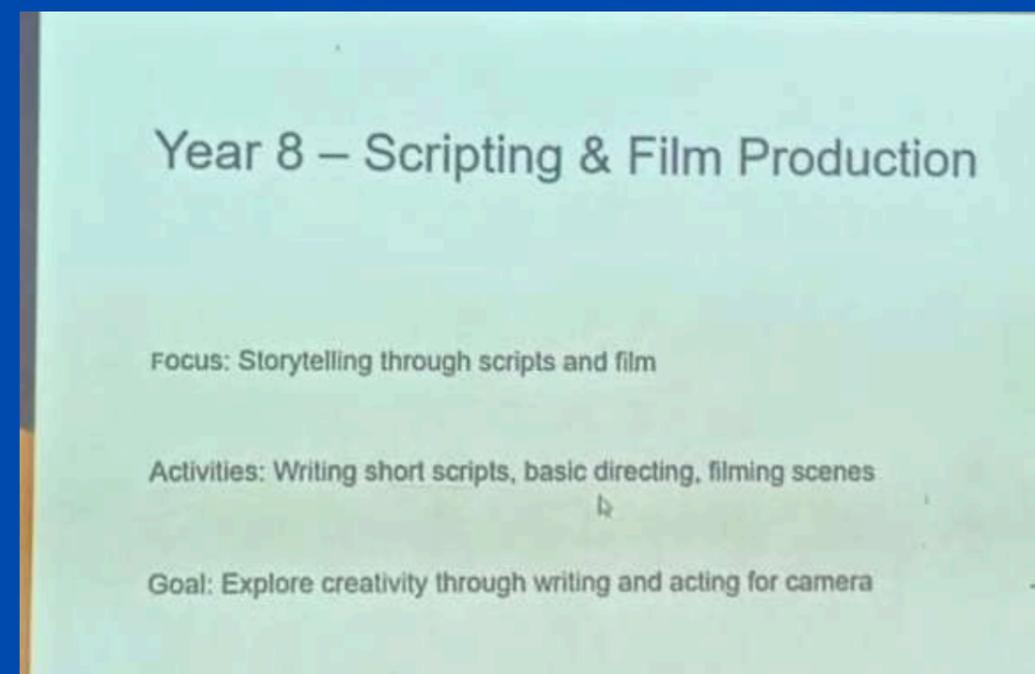
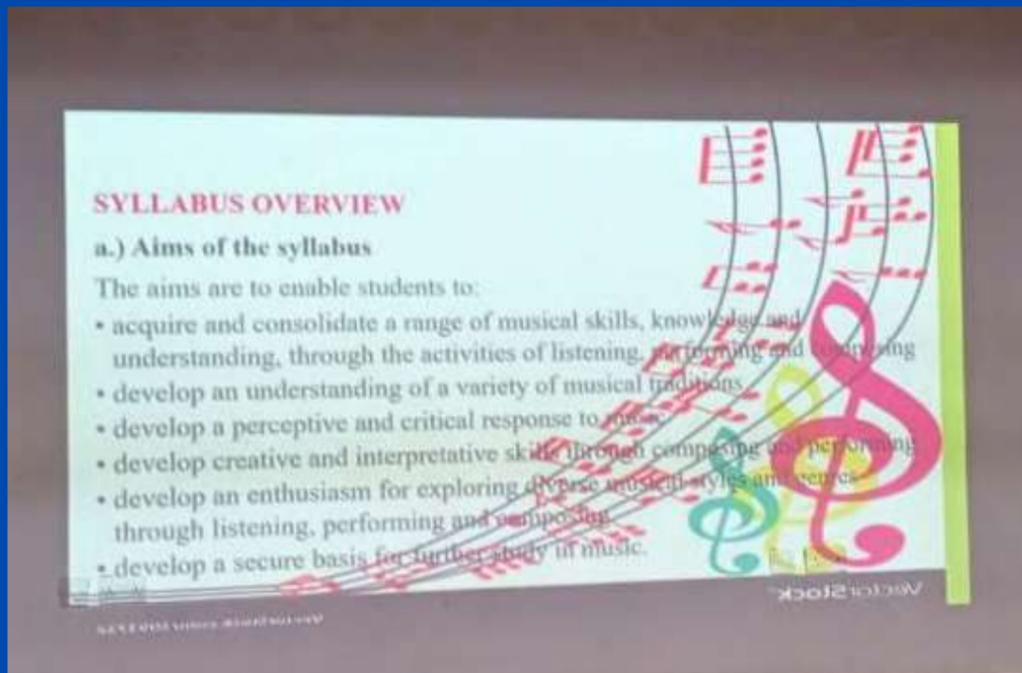
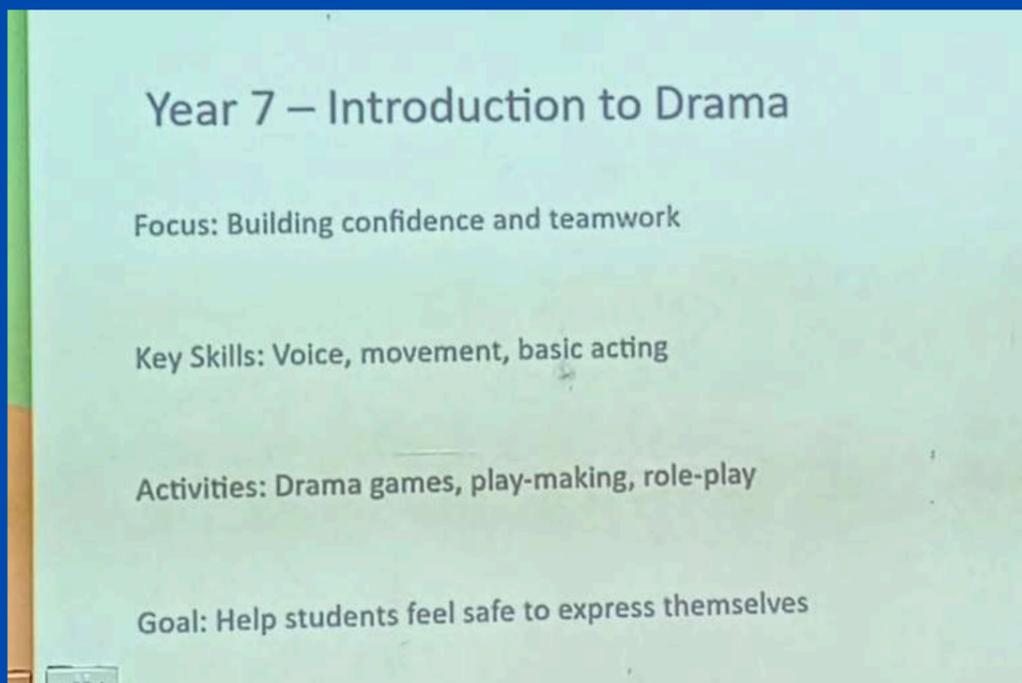
# MATHEMATICS INTERNAL DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING

Mathematics Internal Departmental Training on Positive Lesson Observation for Constructive Feedback Change and Challenge, facilitated by Mr. Juma Kuloba and Ms. Sharon Mukui.



# CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS INTERNAL DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING

The Creative and Performing Arts Department, in conjunction with the Music Department, recently conducted an internal departmental training session aimed at enhancing skills, collaboration, and professional development among faculty and students. This initiative focused on sharing best practices, exploring innovative teaching methods, and fostering a stronger interdisciplinary approach to the arts. The training provided a platform for open dialogue, creative exchange, and skill-building activities that support both artistic excellence and educational growth. This collaborative effort reflects the departments' ongoing commitment to continuous improvement and the holistic development of their academic and artistic communities.



# SPORTS CORNER

The Sports Department has been a beehive of activities with numerous opportunities for our students to engage in various inter-school sports competitions.



Our under-13 girls' netball team took on St. Austin's School and came away with a solid win, 9-3! Great teamwork and energy on the court well done, girls!



Our under-15 girls' football team secured a hard-fought 1-0 win against Regis School this week. A strong performance all around and a well-deserved result congratulations to the team!



The under-15 girls basketball team faced a strong St. Austin's side and finished with a 19-7 loss. Despite the result, the team showed resilience and continued to push until the final whistle. Valuable lessons learned as they look ahead to their next game.



Congratulations to the under-13 girls' football team on their 1-0 victory over Regis School. It was a hard fought match, and the team showed great focus and teamwork to secure the win. A solid defensive effort and a well-taken goal made the difference.



The under-13 boys faced a challenging game against Regis School, finishing with a 2-0 loss. Despite the result, the team showed good effort and fought hard throughout. They will take the experience into their upcoming fixtures as they continue to grow and improve.



A bad day in the office for the under-15 boys' football team. They were humbled 3 goals to nil by the host, St. Austin's School.

# WEEK 6 CLUBS' TIME!

School clubs foster teamwork, leadership, and personal growth, creating a well-rounded learning experience beyond the classroom.



**Foosball club**



**Pool club**



**Basketball club**



**Coding club**



**Robotics club**



**Table Tennis club**



**Music club**



# OSHWAL ACADEMY NAIROBI JUNIOR HIGH



**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK**

## **DETERMINATION**

**turns dreams into plans and plans into  
achievements.**

**Keep striving, stay focused,  
and  
never give up!**

**Greatness is within your reach.**



## The Girl Who Tamed the Numbers

In the bustling city of Chennai, young Anjali attended a vibrant school., loved by her friends and teachers. She excelled in most subjects – her essays were vivid, her history lessons memorized perfectly, and her science experiments always bubbling with excitement. But there was one subject that made Anjali's heart sink: Mathematics.



Numbers seemed to dance mischievously on the page, formulas tangled into knots, and problems felt like insurmountable mountains. Despite her best efforts, her math scores were consistently low, and a shadow of self-doubt began to creep in. Her friends, who found math easy, would often try to help, but Anjali would just stare blankly at the equations. "I'm just not good at math," she'd often sigh, feeling a wave of despair.



One day, her math teacher, Mrs. Sharma, noticed Anjali's struggle. Instead of scolding her, Mrs. Sharma called Anjali aside. "Anjali," she said kindly, "Mathematics is not about being 'good' or 'bad' at it. It's about determination. It's like climbing a tree; you might slip a few times, but if you keep trying, you'll eventually reach the top."

Mrs. Sharma's words resonated with Anjali. That evening, instead of giving up, Anjali made a silent promise to herself. She would tame the numbers. She started dedicating an extra hour every day to math. She didn't just do her homework; she revisited old concepts, watched online tutorials, and practiced problems until her fingers ached. She wasn't afraid to make mistakes; in fact, she saw each error as a stepping stone, a chance to understand where she went wrong.

Her friends noticed her newfound determination. They saw her patiently working through problems, sometimes muttering to herself, sometimes drawing diagrams to visualize the numbers. There were days when she felt frustrated, when a concept just wouldn't click, but she remembered Mrs. Sharma's words and pushed through.

Slowly, almost imperceptibly, the numbers began to make sense. The formulas started to untangle, and the problems no longer looked like mountains but like solvable puzzles. In the next math test, Anjali still felt nervous, but a quiet confidence had replaced her usual dread.

Anjali hadn't become a math genius overnight, but she had achieved something far more important: she had conquered her fear and proven that **determination** could turn her biggest weakness into a growing strength. From that day on, Anjali approached every challenge, academic or otherwise, with the same unyielding spirit.



**Moral of the Story:** Determination is not just about achieving a big goal; it's also about overcoming personal struggles and improving through consistent effort, even in areas where you feel you lack natural talent. spirit.

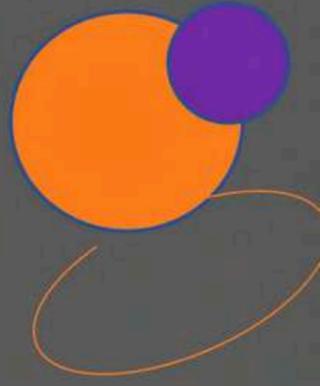


# OSHWAL ACADEMY NAIROBI JUNIOR HIGH

"COMPASS FOR LIFE SKILLS"

TERM 3 WEEK 7 SCHEDULE

1<sup>st</sup> June 2025 – 7<sup>th</sup> June 2025



Sunday – 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025

- MADARAKA DAY – PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday – 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2025

- MADARAKA DAY OBSERVED – PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Tuesday – 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2025

- MAZINGIRA SAFI COMPETITION (8:30AM – 12:30PM)

Wednesday – 4<sup>th</sup> June 2025

- U13 BOYS FOOTBALL VS. PREMIER (A)
- U13 GIRLS NETBALL VS. PREMIER (A) @2:30PM
- U13 BOYS RUGBY VS RUSINGA (A)
- U13 GIRLS NETBALL VS RUSINGA (A)@1PM

Thursday – 5<sup>th</sup> June 2025

- WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY #GENERATIONRESTORATION
- U13 BOYS' & GIRLS' FOOTBALL VS. NAISULA (A) @11AM

Friday – 6<sup>th</sup> June 2025

- EID-AL-ADHA (TENTATIVE)

Saturday – 7<sup>th</sup> June 2025

- EID-AL-ADHA (TENTATIVE)
- U15 BOYS RUGBY 7S AT PEPONI SCHOOL