

ANNUAL REPORT (2024 - 25)

General Introduction

Fr.Thomas Porukara Central School started in 1994 under the charismatic leadership of Rev.Fr.Thomas Thayyil CMI. The school is named after Rev.Fr.Thomas Porukara, a great visionary and co founder of CMI. The school is managed by Mount Tabore Educational and Charitable Society, Gagultha Monastery, Champakulam. Being situated in the invigorating surroundings of Kuttanad, Porukara has a perfect setting. By keeping the motto 'Excellence in Education', it aims to keep its inmates to flap their wings in full swing to reach their ultimate destination perfectly.

General Academics

Hai Everyone,

The academic year 2024-25, is filled with miraculous achievements , spectacular events and ever memorable programmes. We give you a visualise presentation of the current programmes in the form of an Annual Report. There are 5 domains – General Academics, Special Achievements, Celebrations and Fiestas, K G Terrene and Assets of Porukara.

Education is the transmission of knowledge, skills and character traits manifest in various forms. It ensures the highest levels of academic achievements for all the students and it also helps them to develop a positive self concept.

Grand Re opening day

Our school paid its heel to the Grand re opening on 7th June 2024. Mr.Rishiraj Singh IPS was the guest of honour. Formal inauguration of the Charity Drive , Merit Awards 2023, Releasing of the musical magazine 'Elisian' and the writing club magazine 'Rice bowl of Kerala' were the main mega events.. Grades 3rd & 4th had their re opening on 5th June 2024.

Board Results

100% pass is the hall mark of Porukara in X and XII and the same repeated in the year 2023 – 24.Out of 66 students from X, 8 students secured above 90%, 27 students secured above 80%.The topper of grade in X was Sandra Sumesh. 8 students secured above 90% in the XII and 12 students got above 80%. The topper of grade in XII was Athira.M.



Exams

As per CBSE rules all the exams were held in both theory and practical under the headlines PT-1,PT-2,PT-3,Half Yearly, Annual Exams, Revision Tests and Model Examinations.

Badge of Honour

Porukarites participated and won numerous prizes at the inter school competitions conducted in different levels in different areas. To tie up with the modern needs and updates, different competitive examinations like Brilliant Examinations, Olympiad 2024-25,Vignjana Kairali etc... were also conducted. As usual in this academic year too various scholarship exams were conducted in our school and many children bagged prizes.

Induction Programmes & Resource programmes .

The newly appointed teachers attended this year's teacher's induction programmes conducted in Matha Senior Secondary School, Alappuzha.

To boost up efficiency and effectiveness of teachers, the subject teachers attended the resource programmes managed by CBSE and hosted by Sahodaya Alappuzha. Our school was the host for the Computer Science.

Investiture Ceremony

For recognizing and empowering young minds, a ceremonious platform was honoured for the students. Mr. Anilkumar V.S, Sub Inspector of Police, inaugurated the investiture function on 26th July 2024.

The newly elected office bearers are :-

Master .Kevin Tibin Thomas	–	Head Boy
Kumari.Hiba Maria George	–	Head Girl
Master. Adwaith.M	–	Sports Captain
Kumari. Sera Rose Shaji	–	Magazine Editor
Master. Christo Philson	–	Arts Club Secretary

IN LINE WITH CBSE

Different days and weeks were observed with different programmes as per CBSE . Commemorating the 4th anniversary of National Education Policy 2020, the Ministry of Education and Government of India celebrated 'Shiksha Saptah' from July 22 –28, 2024.

Swachhata Hi Sewa Campaign – 2024 was observed on 2nd October 2024 by paying a tribute to the Father of the nation.

Veer Gatha project was launched by 'The Ministry of Defence' in collaboration with 'The Ministry of Education' to create patriotism among the students.

On 26th November 2024, Fr. Thomas Porukara Central School celebrated Constitution Day with a series of activities to create awareness among the children about constitution and its significance.

SAFAL EXAMINATION

To evaluate the students' learning outcomes in various subjects like Mathematics, English and EVS, an online exam was scheduled for students in grades VI & IX .

SQAA

In line with CBSE guidelines, we have successfully uploaded all the data regarding school quality assessment and assurance frame work this year too.

NAS - PARAKH

The NAS PARAH, survey also known as Parakh Ratriya Sarvekshan 2024, is a nation wide educational survey conducted by the Ministry of Education. Our school was one of the centres of the assessment for the Grade -3. The subjects like language, Mathematics, Science and Social Science were assessed.

Our Achievements

Porukara declares its successful flight through the tremendous victorious journey which flows productively throughout the year. The following instances prove this.

❖ Some of our students won excellent ranks in Brilliant Scholarship Examination in State Level

Shikha.S (LKG)	-	2 nd rank, grade A+ *
David V.A (UKG)	-	10 th rank, grade A+ *
Meenakshi Manoj (III C)	-	10 th rank, grade A**
Jewel Elisha Varghese (IV A)	-	4 th rank, grade A**
Aaron Antony (VII B)	-	9 th rank, grade B+**

❖ Adhithyan Anilkumar (IX A) had secured 1st rank in the Municipality Level Abacus Exam. He also secured 4th rank in the district level Abacus Exam.

❖ Two of our students won commendable grades in CBSE State Kalotsav.

Kristel Alphonsa Jacob (VIII-B) Recitation English-Category 3.

Gowri.S.Krishna (III-B) Folk Dance Category 1.



- ❖ Rock star of Top Singer Season 2 Vaigalakshmi.P.Nair became the contestant for Superstar in Amrita TV.
- ❖ Chris Thomas – VIII A won the first prize in Kerala State Beach Pencak Silat Championship.
- ❖ Jean Joji - XI B won the second place in the District Sports Karate Association Kottayam under the category – Male Kumite under 21 years in 55 Kg.
- ❖ The winners in Karate Championship are :
Ayana Renny (II-A) got 1st Prize in Kumite and 2nd Prize in Karate in the 6th International Open Championship in Karate conducted at Coimbatore.
Joslin Maria Johny (IX-A) won the gold medal in State Pencak Silat and Bronze medal in National Pencak Silat.
- Diya Pradeep (VIII- A) 1st Prize in Kumite, Senior Karate Championship in Alappuzha.
- Nandana Rajeev (V- A) 2nd Prize for kata and 3rd Prize in Kumite.
- ❖ The following students won different prizes in All Kerala Catholic Online Speech Competition – St. Chavara – St.Euphrasia (2024)
Jacob James (II-A) Cat - 1 First Prize
Jerom Santochan(IV-B) Cat.-2 Second Prize
Aibel Yacov Thoma (VIII- A) Cat.3 first Prize
Aslin Anna Soby (VI- B) Cat.3 Third Prize
- ❖ Some of our students won prizes in Inter school Chess Tournament
Abhinav Rajesh (IV D) - 2nd prize
Kasinathan P.S (II A) 3rd prize
Johan Jeneesh (I C) 3rd Prize
Drupad .S (IV B) 3rd Prize
Vedika Vishak (II –A) 3rd Prize

Celebrations And Fiestas

Celebrations in Porukara are like the nuts in a cake. To commemorate the national events, culture and traditions, celebrations are the passwords.

Environmental Day

L.P Section celebrated the Environment Day on 5th June 2024. Dr.M.Surendran, Professor and H.O.D of M.S. Swaminathan Research Centre, Moncombu, was the chief guest. The children and the chief guest planted some trees in the school compound.

Yoga & Music Day

21st June 2024, showcased the celebration of World Music Day and International Yoga Day. The invitee, Mr.Alappy R.Vidhu, the music director and playback singer, emphasised on the significance of music and yoga in one's life.

Manager's Day and Principal's Day

With colourful stage programmes, Manager's Day was celebrated on 25th July 2024. The feast day of our Principal was celebrated on 21st September 2024 showcasing the programmes to express the love and respect to the Principal.

Arts Day – Arangu

A wide platform to perform cultural and literary activities was provided by Porukara in the form of 'Arangu' on 8th August 2024. The day was inaugurated by Mr.Linu.M, Music director, pianist and singer. Magician Vishnu Kallara, the chief guest for the valedictory function on 9th August took the control of the floor and was well appreciated. Categorized four houses :Amber, Sapphire, Ruby and Emerald compete each other and won prizes in different items under different categories.

Onam Celebration

Kerala's Grand festival Onam was celebrated in Porukara for grades V-XII as 'Onanilavu,' on 12th August 2024. The chief guest Smt. Sudha Chandran , Golden Lotus winner, inaugurated the function followed by the Megathiruvathira from teachers and the conventional competitions for students.

Independence Day

The break of 15th August 2024, eye witnessed the 78th Independence day celebration in Porukara. Our former Malayalam H.O.D, Ms.Littymole Dominic hoisted the flag and the programme was felicitated by our Principal Rev.Fr. Subin Kottoor CMI.



Teacher's Day

The platform for the 'Teacher's Day' was on 30th September 2024. The light for the day was lit by one of the former Principals Mr.K.P.Mathew sir. Teachers were honoured by PTA and the Principal conferred the power to the head boy Ma. Kevin Tibin Thomas. Teachers rocked the floor with their excellent steps.

Kerala Piravi

The dawn of 1st November 2024 witnessed the 'Kerala Piravi' celebration in Porukara. Dr. Sunil Markose, Teacher, Govt.H.S.S, S.L Puram was the guest of the day. Our honoured Manager, Rev.Fr. Chacko Akkathara CMI presided the meeting and was felicitated by the Principal Rev.Fr.Subin Kottoor CMI.

Sports Day

6th and 7th of November 2024, the two-days marked by high spirits and sportsmanship. Sports events for Pre-K.G to Grade - 4 commenced on 6th November and grades 5 – 12 on 7th November. Mr. Reji Vellathottam, a renowned Badminton player, graced the occasion as the chief guest.

Children's Day

14th November, 2024 was a day which set apart for children and kiddies. The chief guest Mr. N.S.Sumesh, Professional magician and consultant psychologist was welcomed by a procession of small chachajis. To entertain the students, teachers also contributed their share in the form of magical steps. Sweets were distributed to the students.

Gloria – 2024

Christmas celebration in Porukara was along with the message 'Sharing the Joy' and 'Orupidinanma'. Grades Pre-Kg to IV had celebration on 19th December as Rev.Fr.Jacob Kalathiveetil as the chief guest . On 20th December Grades V –XII had their celebration along with Rev.Dr.Fr.Sebastian Attichira CMI, Vicar Provincial, St.Joseph's Province as the chief guest. The collected amount of Fifty Six thousand from 'Sharing The Joy' was handed over to Mrs.Nisha, Director, 'Snehakoodu', Kottayam.

Founders' Day & Chavara Quiz

To pay tribute to the great visionary, St. Chavara, Founder's Day was observed on 3rd January 2025. The audience were dump struck by the enchanting speech by Rev Fr. Joshy Plamoottil CMI, Former Principal. An inspiring message was given by our Principal. Children were delighted to enjoy the delicious ladoos distributed to them. As part of the Founders' Day celebrations, Chavara Quiz was conducted on 3rd January 2025. A three – member team from each house participated in the event. Ruby house

emerged victorious in the quiz. It marked the culmination of the house - wise competitions this year.

K G Terrene

Kindergarten is where the magic of learning begins. It is a pre-school educational approach based on playing, singing and other practical activities which make the children to be away from parents. Let us see what happened in the world of crayons and recess.

Kinder Garten Re opening

10th June 2024 dawned the door of the Kindergarten and the motivational speaker Mr. Bineesh .K.Menon inaugurated the colourful function.

Investiture Ceremony of Kindergarten

The glorious programme of the crowning ceremony was held on 8th July 2024 in the presence of the Principal, Staff Secretary, K.G.in charge and the other teachers.

K.G Talent Day

The event commenced with varieties of programmes held under three categories Pre-KG,LKG and UKG.Mr.Anoop Pala was the guest of the day and was presided over by Rev.Fr. Chacko Akkathara CMI. The winners were awarded and the prizes for the video contest in connection with Father's Day were also given.

Onanilavu - 2024 (Onam Celebration KG to IV)

In traditional style K.G.Onam was celebrated on 11th September 2024.The fond memories of conventional Onam was reminded by the competitions Malayali Manka and Kerala Sree.

K.G. Sports

K.G. Sports was conducted on 6th November 2024. Competitions like running, passing the ball, stand jump, throw ball etc. were the items and winners were awarded on the spot.

Garden Day And Bagless Day

As per NEP, Bagless Day was observed on 3rd October 2024 for K.G.kids. They got familiar with the important rooms like Principal's room, staff room, library etc. Garden day was also organised on the same day. Children brought varieties of plants and planted in the K.G garden.



KG CCA

We have introduced co curricular activities (CCA) for Kindergarten students this year, and it has proven to be highly beneficial. Our students are now performing exceptionally well, and this initiative has also enabled them to win numerous prizes in inter school competitions.

Inter School Competitions

K G Kids participated in the Merry Blossom Fest conducted at S.H. Kilimala on 2nd November 2024. 74 students from our school participated in different items and bagged prizes.

Sahodaya Kids' Fest

An ever memorable programme, Alappuzha Sahodaya Kids Fest, was hosted by Fr.Thomas Porukara Central School on 23rd November 2024. Participants from 45 schools competed on different levels of competitions. Kumari.Sivani Menon, the cine artist inaugurated the function and Mr.George Pulickan, the journalist concluded the valedictory function. Our school won the crown for the English Action Song.

Family Day

A flow of parents and grandparents to the KG auditorium along with the kiddies made 6th December 2024, an auspicious one. Competitions for parents and the video presentation of the memorable days of the children were the centre of attraction. The sumptuous food items brought by the parents added the beauty of the programme and the taste buds of everyone were littered with water.

My School

Hi, I'm Manvi

I'm so much fond of my school. Do you know why? Because the teachers are so loving and caring and the principal is very friendly. The school has fun places to learn and play. I'm so thrilled to learn new things everyday. I'm so happy and lucky too.

Assets of Porukara

Fr. Thomas Porukara Central School keeps its motto Excellence in Education. To make this motto alive, Porukara strives vehemently in all the levels to make its name unique in par with something which is only Porukaras and that is Assets of Porukara.

Porukara Charity Drive

This year's 'Porukara Charity Drive' had reached out to 100 families across Arthungal and the residents of 'Snehabhavan' in Alappuzha. In this venture teachers, non teaching staff, PTA and Alumini played a pivotal role.

Orupidi Nanma

Porukara paves the way to inculcate and nurture the values of life skills and helping mentality. It was our dream drive and was fulfilled by distributing the collected necessities to the adopted 12 family members in Champakulam Panchayat, every month which aimed to uplift the less fortunate.

Remedial Classes & Weekend Tests

To uplift the level of the slow learners, Remedial classes were given to the weaker subjects from K.G to XI. To furnish the children with the time management skills and also to give revision at proper intervals, Std X and XII had given weekend tests.

Porukara Stars Day

1st Stars' Day was celebrated on 21st August 2024. Stars were given to the students from Pre-Kg to XII who excelled academically.

Stars for the half yearly were given to the diligent students on 5th December 2024 under the esteemed presence of Rev.Fr.Seju Kattiparambil CMI, Presided by Rev.Fr.Chacko Akkathara CMI and felicitated by Rev.Fr. Subin Kottoor CMI.

School Assemblies

School Assemblies are the hallmarks of Porukara which enable the students to showcase their talents in a wide platform. Based on the cultures and developments of different countries, class assemblies were conducted which instil the values of team spirit, discipline and collaborative learning.

Porukara Talk Box - Radio FM

Porukara's innovative project, Porukara Talk Box was launched in the month of August. This student-led radio initiative has been entertaining and informing the school community updates, news, fun segments, school news, birthdays, interviews and more. They took the initiative to conduct two interesting competitions during the Christmas season – Card making & Star making.

Right Track

Right track, one of Sargakshetra's academically designed programme for the students, laid its stone in Porukara on 2nd October 2024. It is meant for those students crafted by a



panel of academicians and trainers to channelize the students' energy and potential in the right track. Our 27 students are in the Right Track.

Craft Comics – Project Story Time

Project story time, for Grades I to IV by Craft Comics, was a significant initiative aimed at nurturing creativity, confidence and English Communication Skills. Through this programme, children were encouraged to express themselves confidently in English and also to improve their overall confidence.

Sharing the Joy

'Sharing and Caring', the logo for the Christmas season, inspired Porukarites to continue the event – Coin box collection. A box was placed in all classes and staffrooms and the generosity of the teachers, students and the non teaching staff contributed well to collect an amount of Rs.56000/- The same amount was handed over to Mrs.Nisha, the director, 'Snehakoodu,' Refuge Home at Kottayam.

House Fest

The whole school was divided into four houses in the beginning of the academic year, each of which was led by a house mistress, house captains and wise captains. Various competitions were conducted throughout the year including Arts Day, Onam celebrations, Christmas celebrations, House fest and the Chavara Quiz. The title of the 'Best House' was won by Emerald House among the four groups.

Awareness Programmes

As part of curriculum, students participated in awareness sessions covering Road Safety, Fire rescue, Health education and Anti- Drugs Campaign. Mr.Sujesh(M.V.D) Mr.Das (Health Dpt) and Mr.Suresh were the resource persons.

CCA

With the strings of curricular activities hang some extra curricular activities so that it emulates a perfect student. CCAs like Drawing, Keyboard, Kung-fu, Classic dance, Cricket, Football, Skating and Yoga are introduced in this academic year .

Porukara Blossoms

The sole programme of Porukara, Porukara Blossoms, an inter - school competition was held on 24th August 2024. The competitions were held in two categories. Mr. Manoj Bangalore, Cine Artist cum instrumentalist inaugurated the function and in the valedictory function Rev.Fr.Dr.Josy Kollammalil CMI rocked the podium as the chief guest. There were 5 schools in category - I and 8 schools in category - II .

Porukara Basket

The 14th 'Porukara Basket,' All kerala Inter school Basket ball tournament was held on 8th and 9th November at the Porukara basketball court. Ms.Jayalakshmi, former captain of the kerala basketball team, was the guest for the inaugural ceremony and Ms. Jalajakumari, the president of the Champkulam Panchayat graced the valedictory function. Twelve schools across the state had participated.

Mannanam Pilgrimage & Annual Retreat

In connection with the Canonisation Day, Mannanam Pilgrimage was held on 23rd November along with a package of 100 students. Our children bagged second prize in the procession competition and won Rs.15000/-as prize money. To seek blessings, on 16th January 2025, X and XII students were taken to the shrine of St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara. On 6th July 2024, a one day Annual Retreat, led by Hased ministry, was conducted for the grades V to XII.

Class Tours & Picnics

A picnic is a meal that you eat outside while a tour is an experience of being guided around a place. X and XII were taken for days to distant tourist locations and students from K.G to IX were taken to different tourist destinations.

Porukara Summer Academy

An all round development is one of the mottos of Porukara Central School. To keep in balance with academic activities, Porukara paved the way for the development of the children's physique through various clubs in the form of skating, Football and basketball. 36 students participated in the Summer Academy which was conducted in the month of April.

PTA & Alumni

This year's PTA played a crucial role in connecting and strengthening the bond between the parents and the school. Under the leadership of Mr. Lineesh Varghese as president as Mrs.Mary Joseph as Vice president, extended a big hand in K.G Talent day, Arangu, Porukara Charity Drive,Blossom2k24, Teachers' Day etc. Alumni took the role of the sponsorship for giving the cash prizes to the CBSE top scorers and also forward a charitable hand in Porukara Charity Drive.


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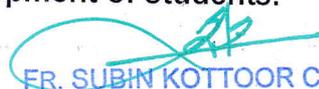
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CURRICULUM

1. We have core subjects like Maths, Science, English, Hindi, Malayalam, G.K., Social Science, Moral values, Physical Education and skill subject for class - VI to X in the academic curriculum of 2025 - 26.
2. We have included Art Integrated projects in all subjects along with Sports, Story Telling and ICT in our pedagogy.
3. Emphasis is given on digital literacy and multi lingualism in teaching, is provided.
4. Maintain continuous tracking of learning outcomes of each child which helps to plan remedial tracking properly.
5. EK - Bharath - Shresht Bharath activities are included along with Yuva Club.
6. Different club activities are being organised and carried out time to time.
7. Different academic activities are included and recorded.
8. We have included two PE periods and library periods in our day-to-day timetable.
9. We promote bagless days in which children are provided with exposure to disclose them to field visits and other non-classroom activities.
10. We have separate exam pattern for Pre-KG Nursery classes and upto Std-2.
11. We have Exam for complete academic session for Std. 3 to 5, 6 to 8 and 9 to 12. (5+3+3+4) Periodic Tests are being conducted and Internal Assessment are being done on a regular basis. Annual exams for all classes except class X & XII are conducted in the month of March. There will be Revision exams and Pre- board exams for Std - X and XII apart from the other exams.
12. Competancy based questions are included from class VI to XII.
13. Holistic progress card is introduced from foundational level giving emphasis on multi - learning outcomes and 21st century skills.
14. As part of NCFSE 2023, a multilingual approach will be adopted for the medium of instruction in foundational and preparatory stages, effective from the current academic year.
15. Outdoor classes are conducted to have experiential learning.
16. We have SAFAL exam which aims to facilitate targeted interventions to enhance learning outcomes.
17. We prepare syllabus for each subject and revision of the progress is done at the time of the subject council meeting.
18. Lesson plans for each subjects will be submitted in advance by the teachers.
19. Sqa activities are included.
20. Teachers are familiar with NEP and NCF. They need to maintain their cumulative record.
21. Capacity Building Programmes are attended timely.
22. Co-Curricular Activities (CCA) are incorporated into school hours for classes KG to 4, aiming to promote the mental and physical development of students.


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