

The Institute of Emerging Leaders (TiEL) School System



Newsletter: March 2017



Training on Ethics for Mothers



Message from the Chairman



Greetings from TiEL!

It is a pleasure to share that TiEL Morning School has received a very good response from parents and new admissions are coming in on regular basis. However, majority of the students of classes 1, 2, and 3, who are already enrolled in other schools and are desirous of switching to TiEL, do not qualify in the admission tests. The alarming part is that they even lack the ability to read and write both in English and Urdu.

It is distressing that the Government is not monitoring the quality of education that is being imparted to these students in hundreds of schools that are registered by the Government itself. All of these institutions have mushroomed in the past few years and remain unchecked by the Education Department. Some parents have shared with the TiEL Administration that they are aware that their child cannot read or write a single word but is promoted into the next class with high grades each year. The Education Department needs to look into this matter on urgent basis as these schools are not only wasting time and money of these families but are producing worthless citizens who will only be a burden to the society.

I am glad to say that at TiEL the standards are high and the gates are open to only those students who want to put in their best for their future.

Sajid Ishaq
Chairman
VISE Trust

Message from the Executive Director



Dear Readers,

Greetings from TiEL!

Spring is in the air and the little butterflies in the Montessori and Junior Section make it worth our while with their beautiful colours and sweet little ways! It is a pleasure to see that they have started settling in well and are giving good response to their teachers and their learning environment. I am sure you will enjoy their art work that has been shared in this newsletter.

Uniforms were formally started in March, nearly one month after the admissions; it was basically a relaxation for the parents so that they could manage their budgets. It is hoped that we shall receive a better response from parents in understanding the issues of personal grooming and personal hygiene of their children in the coming months as at present students who are coming in with untrimmed hair and nails are being attended to by TiEL.

The evening students have been busy preparing for their board exams. Classes 9 and 10 will be free by April while FSc 1st year students still have a long wait till the end of May.

Happy Reading!

Sincerely,
Nazia Ansari
Executive Director

TiEL Montessori and Junior School

The Morning School at TiEL demands great discipline from its future leaders. From the time they enter TiEL, till the time they depart, they are continuously reminded about their manners and social etiquettes. The teaching staff is friendly and polite but firm, especially when it concerns tardiness, class discipline, cleanliness of uniform and over all behavior. The students are being tutored in English, Urdu, Maths and Bible Studies. Students of classes Prep, 1, 2 and 3 are receiving focused attention which is assisting them in improving their written and spoken skills. This will help them in attaining a certain level before they formally begin their respective class syllabus.

Morning Assembly

The morning assembly is a time when a good thought is shared with the students which they have to practice the whole day such as “respect your elders”, “sharing is caring”, “no pushing when making a line”, etc. After the prayer they sing the National Anthem and proceed to their classes.



Uniforms for Montessori and Junior School

The students started wearing their uniforms from the beginning of March, 2017. New admissions are given a grace period of three days for purchasing the uniform.



Haircuts for Montessori and Junior School

It is a pleasure to note that the students are responding well to TiEL environment and are adjusting well, however receiving an active response from the parents is something that we are still working on. Hence when despite several reminders the boys kept coming to school without proper haircuts, the barber was summoned to TiEL to do the honours!



Activities of Junior School

Nursery



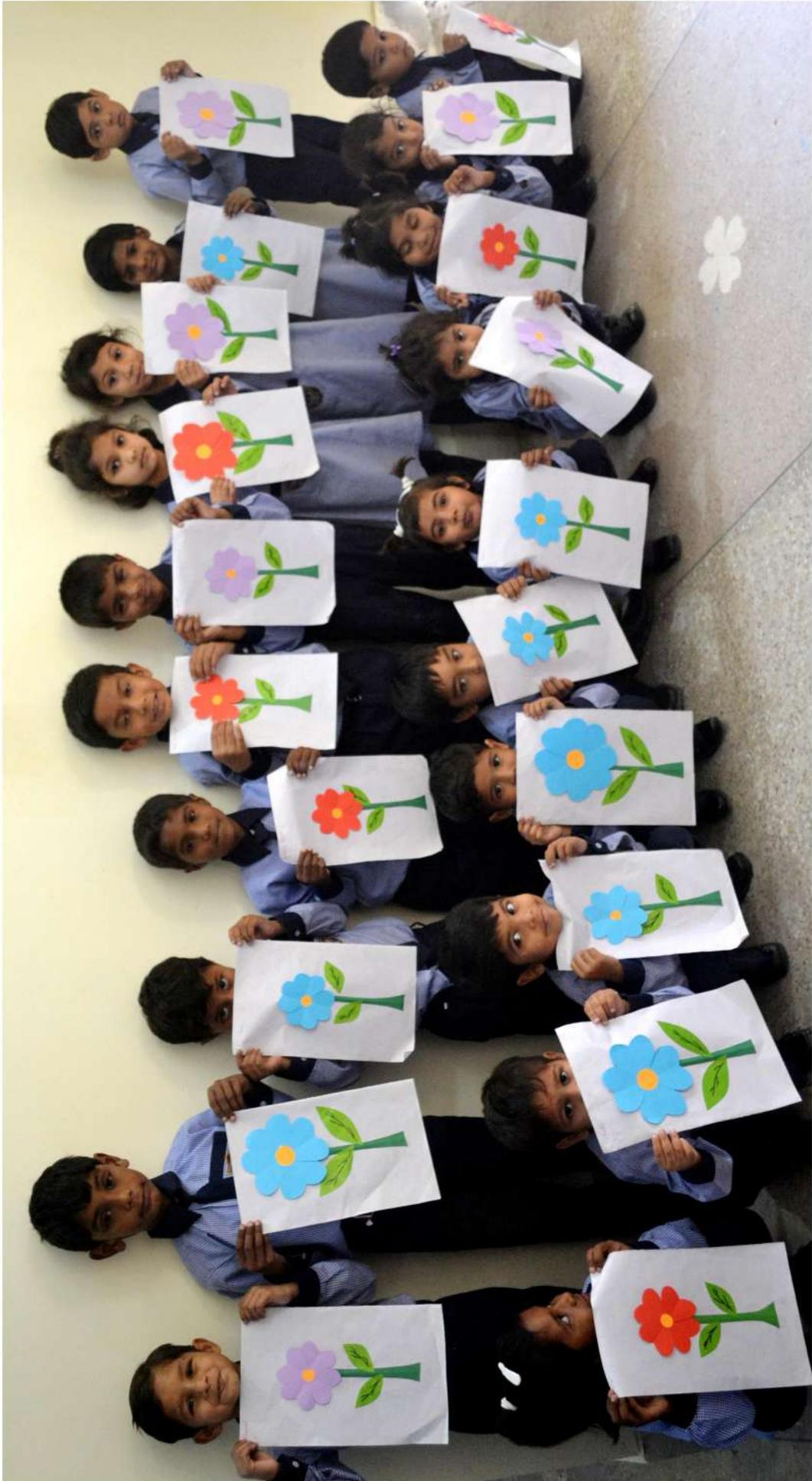
Play Group



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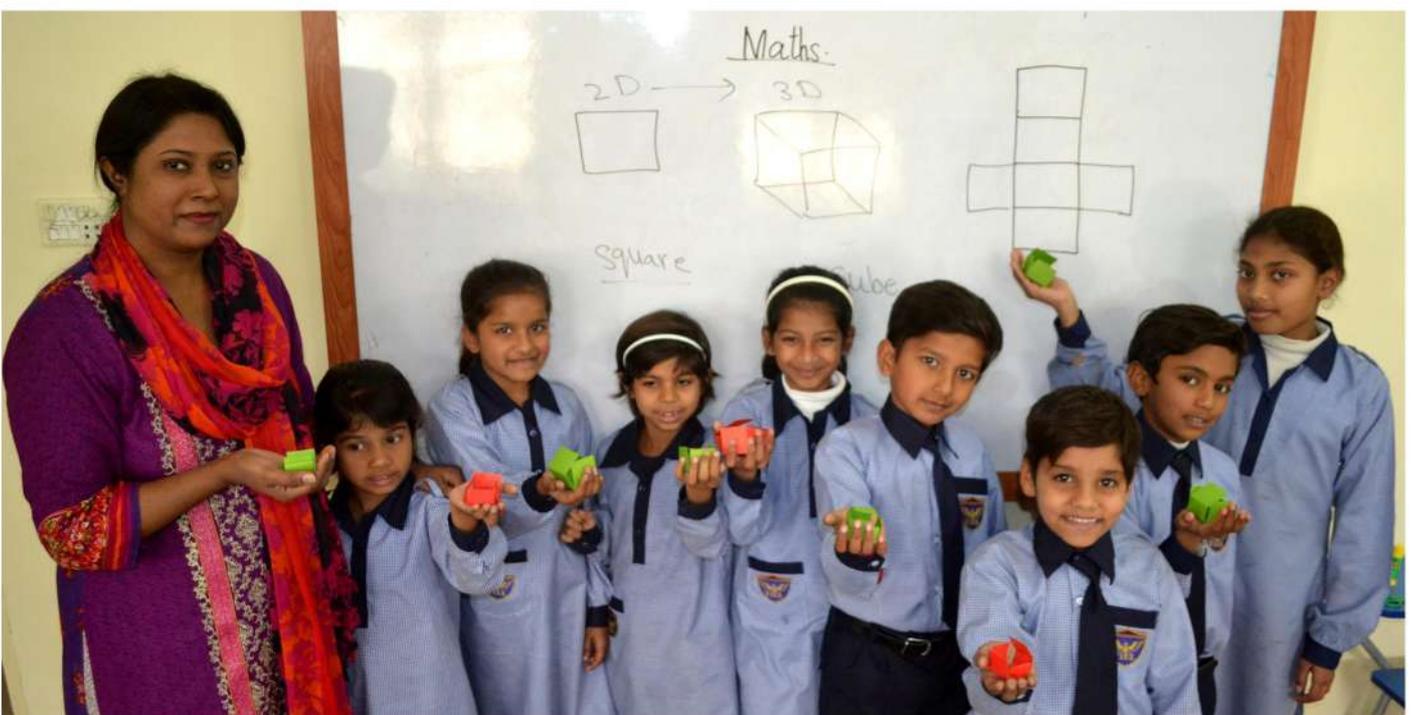


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Prep (Activity 1)



Prep (Activity 2)



Students of the Month

The “Student of the Month” title is given on a monthly basis to one male and one female student and is considered to be the most important title for TiEL students.

The students are marked in areas such academic performance, class discipline, punctuality, class contribution, respect for others, helpful attitude, initiative and self grooming. This title signifies that the students are all rounders. To flaunt the title they are presented with a sash and a badge that says “Student of the Month”. In the month of March the students who bagged the title were:

1. Atlia Asghar Class FSc 1st Year
2. David Gill Class 9



TiEL Evening Support Programme

Monthly Incentives for TiEL Students

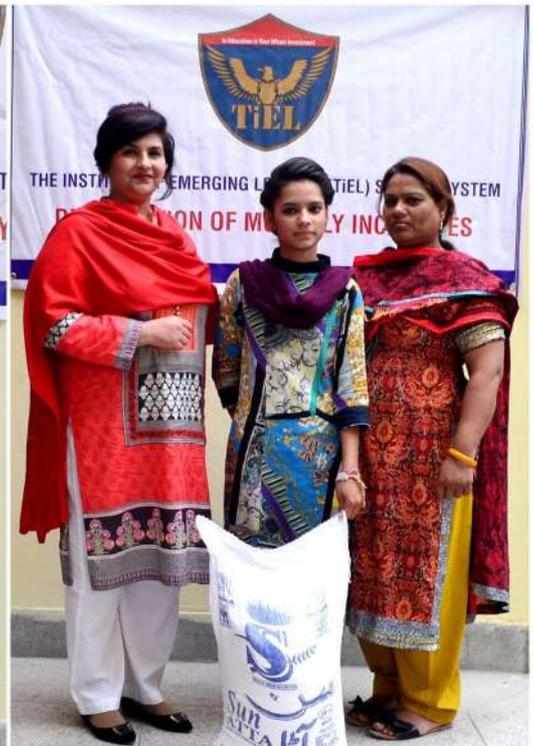
In the month of January 2016, Chairman Sajid Ishaq announced a special incentive of 20 KG wheat flour bag for students who achieve 100% monthly attendance.

A special applause goes to Areeba Majeed of Class 9 who displayed immense improvement in her monthly attendance and made extra efforts to receive this incentive. It is hoped that if all students themselves exercise such discipline in their lives, their parents will be compelled to learn from them. In the month of March ten students received 20 kg wheat flour each on 100% monthly attendance:

- Areeba Majeed
- Gulwish Khalid
- Sharoon Pervez
- Vishal Pervez
- Samantha Nelson
- Sajal Sholmiat
- Oriya Asghar
- Atlia Asghar
- Tirza Bhatti
- Haman Kallis



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TiEL Orientation at the Church

The TiEL team went to Church of Salvation and Soul Ministry in Bahar Colony for giving them orientation regarding the programmes being offered at TiEL.



Training on Ethics for Mothers

The basic aim of establishing TiEL was to provide good quality education to the deprived Christian children along with the best of guidance and training in all areas of life so that they would develop into well groomed and well educated persons. TiEL endeavors to inculcate leadership qualities in them so that they are able to serve the nation in the best possible manner.

In order to achieve the above mentioned objectives it is pertinent to change the surroundings of the students so that no negativity can damage the positive teachings. Given the backgrounds that the students belong to and the households they hail from, a training programme was devised whereby the mothers are being provided training in the same areas as their children. This endeavor will not only reinforce at home what the students learn at TiEL but will also help in grooming the mothers.

The first two trainings on “Ethics” received a very good response from the mothers who were enthusiastic about learning new things. They said that they had never attended a training session before and were eager to learn as much as they could, especially if it would assist them in their role as mothers. Majority of the mothers had never attended school while very few knew how to read and write.

The training contents revolved around general ethics at home, in the society and at school. The training was interactive and the mothers were invited to share the problems they encountered at home with regards to their children. They were very happy to find solutions to the issues they thought to be beyond their control!

In order to discourage the habit of tardiness, first 10 participants were given prizes for arriving on time.



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The Institute of Emerging Leaders (TiEL) School System

The Institute of Emerging Leaders (TiEL) School System is a project of VISE Trust which is a family trust of the Ishaq family . TiEL was established with the vision of producing visionary leaders from within the Christian Community who would lead the community with planned programmes, ensuring their dignity, honor and pride by attaining professional education and are placed in high ranking positions in the mainstream of the country.

TiEL is the first institution of its kind that is dedicatedly playing the much required role of strengthening academic education and emphasizes professional growth and personality development of students; instilling visionary leadership qualities for addressing the challenges being faced by the Christians in the country. The Programme includes career counseling for helping them select white-collar professions by exposing them to the various superior services both in Public and Private sectors. Thus, providing Christian youth with prospects to excel and mature into a generation that will live in the society with their heads held high and who are the flag bearers for the generations to follow.

Vision:

To regain the lost dignity of the Christian Community through professional education for obtaining their due share in all high ranking positions in the Government and Private sectors.

Mission:

Inculcating the significance of professional education and grooming self-motivated visionary Christian leaders, for competing in all walks of life, on the basis of merit, to surmount future challenges.

Guiding Principles of TiEL:

- Strengthen Patriotism
- Visionary Leadership
- Equality on the basis of Humanity
- Respect for all
- Honesty of thought, mind and actions
- Proven Integrity
- Altruism
- Generosity by actions
- Patience for all
- Perseverance
- Sincerity with self and others
- Humility in actions
- Compassion
- Empathy
- Passion to serve
- Tolerance for all
- Dedicated for the cause

Our Objectives

- Preparing Christian leaders who are well educated, well versed and well equipped to ably lead the community and shoulder their problems in finding sustainable solutions;
- Provide the best possible environment for educating their minds and spirits in light of the commandments of God;
- Equip the Christian youth with appropriate and marketable knowledge and skills so that they can participate in Nation Building alongside the other citizens of Pakistan;
- Open the doors of opportunities for the Christian youth by guiding them towards successful careers to strengthen confidence in their abilities;

Blotting out the stigma of derogatory name calling the Christians have been entitled to, in Pakistan,

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Programmed Activities of TiEL:

It has been observed that children coming from low economic backgrounds most often lack guidance during the decisive years of their academic lives when they need to select a professional career that best suits their talents and aptitude. Therefore, students (boys and girls) from Grade 8 to 16 from low income families will be provided a complete package including Career Counseling, selection of subjects and specialized tutoring for academic excellence. Guidance for the students will be integrated with capacity building for essential life skills, personality development, civic education, peacebuilding, socio-economic and political awareness, good governance and human rights.

Main focus of TiEL:

- **Grade 8 Students** will be given career counseling to enable them in selecting their professions.
- **Grades 9 & 10** students will be specially tutored to achieve excellent marks in the Board Examinations.
- **Grades 11 & 12** students will be tutored by subject specialists for scoring excellent marks in the Board Examinations to secure on merit admissions in professional colleges and universities.
- **Preparation for Professional College Entrance Exam**
- **Preparation for ISSB (Inter Services Selection Board)**
- **Preparation for CSS (Civil Superior Services)**
- **Preparation for English Language Tests (TOEFL & IELTS)**
- **Basic and Advanced Computer Classes**
- **English Language and Comprehension Classes**

Integrated Learning:

TiEL believes in integrated learning that allows students not only to excel in academia but also enhance their personalities by educating them in other integral areas of life. For this purpose the students will be provided, but not limited to, the following capacity building program through training workshops, seminars, conferences etc:

- Career Counseling
- Guidance for selection of disciplines in light of selected professions
- Character Building
- Personality Development
- Civic Education
- Interfaith Harmony
- Qualities of Visionary Leaders
- Political Awareness
- Norms of Good Governance
- Human Rights
- Minority Rights
- Peacebuilding

Criteria for selection of TiEL Students:

- Christian by faith
- Students from low economic backgrounds
- Currently studying in school
- Currently studying in regular/ professional college or university
- Students having completed their Master's Degree and pursuing their higher studies
- Students must be in possession of their original credentials

Adopt-a-Student Programme

Give a Student a Better Future!

Join Hands with VISE TRUST and Adopt a Student

Adopt-a-Student Programme is an endeavor which will help you in reaching out to those neglected and marginalized youth that live in the urban low income areas, often referred to as *slums*, and have limited access to education, let alone *good education* due to financial restraints.

Under the **TiEL Adopt-a-Student Programme** you may adopt several students at a time; your kind pledge will support their educational expenses for one academic year. You may pay on monthly or annual basis:

Monthly: PKR 3000

Annually: PKR 36,000

Monthly: US \$ 30

Annually: US \$ 360

Monthly: Pound Sterling 20

Annually: Pound Sterling 240

Remember, the more children we help to educate today, the less destitute we will see on the streets tomorrow!

Adopt-a-Student and help us in educating a whole generation for a brighter, progressive and prosperous Pakistan!

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TiEL dedicatedly plays a much awaited role of not only imparting academic education but pays extra attention on character building of students; instilling visionary leadership qualities for addressing the challenges being faced by the Christians in the country; career guidance for helping them select white-collar professions; personal grooming and developing self-confidence. It also provides political awareness to the students and makes them aware of the parameters of good governance, importance of rule of law, Minority rights, significance of Interfaith Harmony for a peaceful coexistence and most importantly maintaining balance between rights and obligations for exemplary law abiding citizens of Pakistan.

Please visit www.tiel.org.pk for Adopt-a-Student on-line form

In Education is your *WISEST* Investment!



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