## **Medicinal Plants - Std: 3**

The activity on medicinal plants was done as part of subject enrichment activity after the completion of chapters Plants around us and Importance of plants. It was a group activity on a A4 size chart paper. The children were asked to bring 4 pictures or small part of plant having medicinal value, A4 size chart paper, colours, glue and decorative materials. The activity was conducted in the class according to the instructions given by the teacher –

- 1) Chart was divided in to 4 equal parts and medicinal part of the plant was pasted by each child in the group.
- 2) Just below the pictures the name of the plant and how it is used as medicine was described.
- 3) Each group was asked to present their chart in the class. The children used their imagination and creativity to complete the activity. They enjoyed doing the activity and were thoroughly engrossed in it.

The activity helped the children to understand better about the plants. It helped them to understand that some parts of the plants are used as medicine to cure several diseases. They have learnt how to coordinate in groups and improve their confidence by presenting it in front of whole class.

## **SCIENCE** - CLASS - IV

A group activity related to Chapter- Plants Around Us was conducted wherein students of class-IV got acquainted with different types of plants / trees found in various habitats. Students were asked to prepare a collage on plants / trees of different terrestrial habitats. The activity enabled the students to classify plants according to their habitats and learn more about their distinctive features. Students were divided into groups and each group was allotted a particular terrestrial habitat to work on. The activity was conducted in the following way:-

- Each member of the group bought the required materials for the activity. (E.g. chart paper, colours, and related pictures of the plants/trees).
- Students segregated the pictures and added useful information to support their collage.
- Lastly, they culminated by giving presentation on the same. Students participated in the activity enthusiastically and worked collaboratively. The activity helped the students to analyse how plants are affected by their surroundings. The group activity helped in enhancing social skills and spirit of teamwork. The task also aided in showcasing their creativity skills.







