

ITL Observes World Wildlife Week

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| NAME OF THE EVENT | : | WORLD WILDLIFE WEEK |
| DATE | : | 2 – 8 OCTOBER, 2021 |
| CONDUCTED BY | : | SCIENCE DEPARTMENT |
| STUDENTS PARTICIPATED | : | I TO XII |

“Humankind must learn to understand that the life of an animal is in no way less precious than our own.”- Paul Oxton

ITL Public School observed **Wildlife Week** from **October 2 – October 8, 2021** to sensitize the students about the conservation of varied flora and fauna found in the forests of our country. The animals and plants that live in the wild have an intrinsic value, which contribute to the ecological, genetic, social, economic, scientific, educational, cultural, recreational and aesthetic aspects of human well-being and sustainable development. Wildlife Week 2021 is celebrated under the theme, **Forests and Livelihoods : Sustaining People and Planet**. At the same time, this week reminds us of the urgent need to step up the fight against wildlife crime and human-induced reduction of species, which have wide-ranging economic, environmental and social impacts.

Plethora of activities were conducted during the week to spread awareness among the young minds. ‘**Movietime - Virtual Trip to Mysuru Zoo**’ was shown to the students of **Classes I to V** to expose them to varied wildlife species and sensitize them about their care and conservation. Slogan writing, animal stamp making using thumbprints and handprints, creation of varied animals using dried/fallen leaves, life cycle of butterfly, info graphic designs on endangered and extinct animals were also created during the activities in junior classes.

Students of **Classes VI-VIII** had discussions on the topic – ‘**Impact of Urbanization on climate change and its adverse effects on Wild life.**’ They put forward their nascent ideas to maintain balance between technological growth, urbanization and natural environment.

Students of **Classes IX -XII** honed their creative writing skills by putting forward their original views on various steps to conserve flora and fauna.

