



INTRODUCED ONLY IN BUSY ANTS! BABY ANTS... a mother toddler programme



UNDERSTAND THE IGCSE BOARD

The decision of which board your child should finish schooling from is an important one. Let's start with a preview of the IGCSE Board. IGCSE is an education board recognized by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, the Higher Education Department, and the Government of India. The full form of IGCSE is the International General Certificate of Secondary Education. It is an English language-based examination developed by the University of Cambridge Assessment International Education (CAIE), recognized in the United Kingdom. IGCSE is an international-based curriculum and recognized board. It gives you more freedom to choose subjects and provides a higher international standard of studies. IGCSE offers students an English language curriculum to prepare them for the International Baccalaureate, BTEC Level 3, and A-Level curricula. IGCSE is best suited for International Universities. It does address focus on critical thinking, problem solving and application-oriented learning. Approximately 500 schools in India offer the child an IGCSE Board option.

OPENING OF BABY ANTS

Announcing the opening of Baby Ants with a sense of pride! A beautifully designed environment for a parent to bond with their baby through light, sound and select sensory stimulation. The first of its kind in the country is now proudly visible in Busy Ants 1. Come and take a peek!



TIP

SUMMER IS HERE, & SO ARE THE SUMMER FRUITS

Spend summer days with the children enjoying the season of "mangoes" Point to mango trees laden with their fruit. Mangoes can smelt, tasted as the child can also be allowed to feel the shape of the mango. They could be taken to a fruit stall to choose mangoes. Once washed, the mangoes can be sorted in two groups: **raw mangoes and ripe mangoes**. You can keep your little one busy and have fun in the process.



TOYS THAT INTEGRATE WITH LEARNING



Toys that are developmentally appropriate can be fun and challenging for children, provided they are chosen correctly. They should not offer too many sensory challenges. Keep it simple while selecting a toy for your child. Do remember it should have a goal or else after a while that toy will offer no interest to your little one. This term our teachers are going to give opportunities to the children to improve their eye and hand co-ordination with a special feathered friend with long legs! The Farm theme has an interesting add on where the child can pull the legs of the bird UP and DOWN with their writing fingers and strengthen their finger muscles'. Children are having fun as they learn!

PRINCIPAL'S NOTE: Peek of the week: For young children less is more! Our toddlers are enjoying learning in their newly designed classroom in Busy Ants 1, with special attention given to additions from the Imbucare material. A good early year's setting is very different from a class in a high school. Toddler activities are not desk-oriented, but floor-oriented, and chiefly based on structured play.