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Message from the Executive Director

I'm delighted to share a note to the Avinya Academy Newsletter. It has been my pleasure serving the students of Batch 04 at the Avinya Academy in Bandaragama.

Since joining I've pinned down the Avinya Academy to be a place of Discovery and I do hope all of our beloved students will continue your Discovery Journey towards continued success as you come to the end of your Scholarship with us.

I would like to urge you to continue to work towards Building yourself a positive Personal Brand that people will always remember you by no matter where you are. Let me share a few Quick-Wins that will most certainly help you shine in this topic, always! :

1. Show-up on time - no excuses
2. Dress smart - dress for the occasion
3. Practice good Manners - Please, Thank you and Sorry is a good place to start
4. Be Accountable and be Credible towards your own actions
5. Last but not least, Remain Teachable - be open to learn and to change your mind if a better idea is given to you.

People will start noticing you positively when you deliver on the above. It's a sure way to win at the start.

Don't let peer-pressure distract you from building yourself a positive personal identity. Your Personal Brand does not belong to others. It belongs to you so it's all in your hands to nurture your Personal Brand!

My very best wishes to all of you!

Cheers!

Ranjo Gunawardena

Executive Director

Message from the Head of Academics

***“Education is the most powerful weapon
which you can use to change the world.”***

Nelson Mandela

From ancient academies to modern universities, schools have always carried forward knowledge, values, and wisdom from one generation to the next. But education is never still, it evolves with time, adapting to the needs of each new era.

When we think of schools, we often imagine classrooms filled with desks, blackboards, and students preparing for tests. At Avinya, however, we are building something different. Dr. Sanjiva and all of us here have come together to reimagine what a school can be. Avinya is not just another institution where students memorize facts and repeat answers. Instead, it is a place where learning is alive and practical, where curiosity, creativity, and community matter just as much as textbooks.

We are creating an academy that connects the past and the future, one that respects the lessons of traditional education but is not bound by them. Our vision is to prepare students not only to succeed in exams, but also to thrive in life—to think, to question, to solve, and to dream. One of the most fundamental questions we ask ourselves all the time when teaching is: does this knowledge apply to the real world? Too often, the answer in traditional classrooms is no. At Avinya, we are changing that.

Therefore, I do want to appreciate our students who always go the extra mile in everything they do. This newsletter itself is a testament to that spirit. My best wishes go to the “Avinya Avenue” committee and their educator in charge, Ms. Anuki Mendis, for capturing our students’ journey this year and bringing it to life in these pages.

To everyone who believes in us,

thank you!

Geeth Boralessa

Head of Academics

Message from the Educator In Charge

Dearest gentle reader,

It has been an absolute pleasure to be the Educator-in-Charge of Avinya Academy's very first Newsletter Committee. From the moment we selected the team to their very first brainstorming session and all the way to the final product, this group has shown remarkable dedication, teamwork, and creativity.

They never said no to the challenges that they had to face. They embraced every task with enthusiasm and positivity. Even though it was their first time working on something like this, they managed to create a wonderful reflection of their time here at Avinya.

From the beginning, I had one simple goal: to make this magazine a space where every student feels heard, seen, and valued. I truly believe we've accomplished that together.

I'm so proud of this incredible "Spark Squad" for their hard work and commitment, and I'm deeply grateful to all our educators for their support. Together, we've made history with the first-ever Avinya Newsletter!

Anuki Mendis

Let's hear it from the Spark Squad

Every person has a different story, feeling, and thought. We are not the same in every situation we learn, grow, and evolve through each experience.

As a reader, we invite you to explore every page of this newsletter with an open heart filled with love, memories, creativity, and gratitude. Our heartfelt thanks go out to everyone who contributed, even in the smallest way because every single full stop carries meaning and effort.

It is with great pride and joy that we present the very first edition of our magazine, a vibrant reflection of our journey at Avinya Academy. This project stands as a testament to our hard work, creativity, and the shared passion of ten dedicated committee members who came together with one goal: to bring our experiences, stories, and voices to life.

We are deeply grateful to our guide and mentor, Ms. Anuki, for her constant support, encouragement, and wisdom, which helped shape every page of this magazine. Her guidance inspired us to aim higher and bring out the best in ourselves.

Within these pages, you'll find a beautiful collection of articles, poems, artwork, and reflections, each one representing our collective spirit and celebrating the Avinya experience.

To the next batch of students, we say this:

Dare to dream, work together, and never be afraid to express your voice. Your stories matter.

Use every opportunity to learn, create, and leave your mark. If we could do it, so can you and even better!

Let this magazine be the beginning of many more creative journeys to come.

With pride and gratitude,

The Editorial Committee

Avinya Academy – 1st Edition



Meet the Spark Squad



HAMSIYA

Our resident poet. She is tiny but mighty. She's never afraid to step out of her comfort zone and lead everyone in the right path,



MANUGA

Our Golden Boy. The true definition of a gentleman who religiously sticks to deadlines and hardly ever complains



UMAIRA

One half of the Dynamic Duo. She is a creative hub. She also has the most expressive face that is filled with subtitles.



ASRA

The other half of the Dynamic Duo. With a smile on her face, her positive energy keeps the whole team inspired.



NAVANGA

Our fashionista. Always surprising us with new hairstyles and endless confidence. She knows how to get what she wants.



KAVEESHA

Our sweet chaos. She brings laughter and life wherever she goes. She's never afraid to share what's on her mind.



BHAGYA

Our silent soldier with a hearty laugh. She is very pleasant, brave, and faces any challenge with her radiant personality.



RASHKILA

She looks like a cinnamon roll... and truly is one! Sweet, kind, and supportive and always there for the rest of the team.



NETHMI

Our focused achiever. Determined and organized, she's the one who makes sure all the troublemakers actually finish their work.



HANSAKA

The most innocent boy in school. He is not afraid to speak up when needed. It is him and his Korean-style hair against the world.

School Overview / Year in Review

The Orientation

Avinya Academy marked the start of a new academic journey with a vibrant Orientation Program held on December 23, 2024. The event aimed to welcome new students and introduce them to the academy's values, culture, and learning environment. Throughout the day, students participated in interactive sessions, group activities, and fun games, which helped them build connections with teachers, administrative staff, and peers. The friendly atmosphere reflected the true spirit of the Avinya family, one built on teamwork, respect, and curiosity. As the day came to an end, every newcomer was warmly welcomed as a proud member of Avinya Academy, ready to begin their inspiring educational journey ahead.

The Sinhala and Hindu New Year

The Sinhala and Hindu New Year was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Avinya Academy, bringing together students for a day of cultural activities and traditional Avurudu games. The program emphasized the importance



of preserving age-old customs while fostering unity and joy among the participants. Students actively took part in popular games such as kana mutti bindeema, kottapora, Kaba adeema each event sparking laughter, excitement, and friendly competition. These activities not only highlighted the richness of our cultural heritage but also encouraged teamwork, resilience, and a spirit of camaraderie. The celebration concluded with a vibrant group photograph, capturing the energy, togetherness, and festive spirit of this memorable occasion.

Helping our Paw friends!

AWPASL and Avinya Foundation organized their first sterilization clinic in the village of Bandaragama, focusing on the health and well-being of street dogs and cats. The clinic provides free sterilization procedures, Rabies vaccinations, and basic health check-ups to ensure the animals are healthy and safe. In addition to medical care, the event educates the community about the importance of sterilizing both male and female animals to control overpopulation and reduce the risk of diseases. Volunteers and animal lovers guided visitors on responsible pet ownership, emphasizing adoption over buying pets to give these animals loving homes. The initiative also

fosters compassion and awareness, creating a positive impact on the lives of street animals and strengthening the bond between humans and animals in the community.



Fire Drill

Avinya Academy hosted an insightful Fire Awareness event aimed at equipping students with essential knowledge and practical skills to respond safely during fire emergencies.



The session began with informative discussions on common fire hazards, the importance of early detection, and proper evacuation protocols to ensure personal and community safety.

Students were also introduced to various firefighting equipment and demonstrated how to use them correctly. A key highlight of the event was the hands-on experience with a fire hydrant, allowing students to practice operating it under supervision and understand its role in controlling fires. Through interactive demonstrations, real-life scenarios, and practical exercises, the event emphasized the importance of vigilance, preparedness, and teamwork in preventing accidents and ensuring a safe environment for all.

Drug Awareness Education

Avinya Foundation expresses heartfelt gratitude to the Bandaragama Police Station and the Bandaragama/Kalutara Public Health Inspectorate for their dedicated involvement in educating the students of Avinya Academy on drug abuse and drug awareness. As part of the Avinya Scholarship program, the interactive session provided students with essential knowledge about the



risks and consequences of drug use, strategies to resist peer pressure, and guidance on making responsible life choices. The program aimed to equip students

with the awareness and skills needed to lead healthy, positive lives while fostering a deeper understanding of the importance of holistic education. We sincerely appreciate the time and effort invested in this initiative, which has made a meaningful impact on our students and empowered them to make informed decisions for their future.

Brandix Visits



Students from Avinya Academy had the unique opportunity to visit Brandix Garments, one of the leading apparel companies in the industry. During the visit, they explored the company's various departments, gaining a comprehensive understanding of how operations are coordinated, from production planning and quality control to supply chain management and client relations. Students also learned about Brandix's approach to building and maintaining a strong brand, including marketing strategies, sustainability initiatives, and innovation in design and manufacturing. The visit included interactive discussions with company

representatives, giving students a chance to ask questions and gain practical insights into real-world business practices. This hands-on experience not only deepened their knowledge of the garment industry but also inspired them to understand the effort, strategy, and teamwork required to run a successful global brand.

Christmas is here!

The academy was filled with the warmth and joy of Christmas as students and staff came together for a festive gathering. Colorful decorations and twinkling lights adorned the halls, while the aroma of holiday treats added to the cheerful atmosphere. Students engaged in lively games, performances, and creative activities, from decorating Christmas trees to



exchanging gifts. Music and laughter echoed through the spaces, creating a sense of togetherness and festive spirit. The event brought everyone closer, inspiring generosity, joy, and a memorable holiday experience for all.

Let's give back!

students, teachers, and staff of the Avinya Team came together to contribute their time and effort to a painting project at the Bandaragama District Hospital. By working side by side,



they transformed the hospital spaces with fresh colors, creating a brighter and more welcoming environment for patients and staff. Beyond the physical work,



the project offered everyone the joy of participating in a meaningful social service activity, fostering a sense of community, teamwork, and giving back.



Let's grow plants!



Professor Jeff Weiss, an expert in agriculture, visited Avinya Academy to educate students on the art and science of farming. Together with

Mr. Isuru Ranaweera, he led an engaging session on the nutrients essential for soil



health and the importance of creating a balanced ecosystem for crop growth.

The discussion emphasized viewing soil as a living system, rich in microorganisms and organic matter, and highlighted how sustainable practices can improve productivity while protecting the environment. Students actively participated, asked questions, and gained valuable insights that connected scientific knowledge with real-world agricultural applications.

By Manuga - Leopards

A Place Where All Can Rise.

In quiet towns where dreams stood still,
Where futures bowed to fate and will,
A gentle voice began to rise,
At Avinya "Children touch the skies".

No fees to pay, no walls, no gate,
Just open minds to learn, create,
With hope in hearts and books to share,
They find their strength and grow with care.

From muslim homes, from Tamil lands,
From Sinhala hearts and eager hands,
They walk together, side by side,
No need to fear, no need to hide.

In every face, a light is seen,
In every voice a dream made clean,
They learn not just from books and rules,
But love and life, in simple schools.

The teachers come with quiet grace,
A guiding light in every space,
They lift each child, they stand with pride,
No dream too small, no soul denied.

With chalk and care, they shape the way,
They teach with heart, day after day,
A learning path that's firm and fair,
That trains the mind and shows they care.

They teach to read, to think, to feel,
To dream beyond the daily meal,
Not just the marks but something more,
A future full of open doors.

No child is ever left behind,
Each one is seen, each one defined,
At Avinya every name is known,
Each voice a thread uniquely shown.

So let the word come now and see,
What love and learning both can be,
Not built on wealth or chasing fame,
But hearts on fire and minds aflame.

"Avinya Academy - arising sun,
Where many paths become just one,
A place of hope, of truth and light,
Where lives are changed and futures bright"

Fathima Asra - Sharks

Avinya Academy

I am happy to have Avinya Academy as the best step I have taken in my life after school. The experience I have gained by joining this institute as a new step in my life is a new change for me. The love and support of everyone here is great for living in safety and making life successful. I am grateful to everyone here for doing such a great service for a group of students like me. I greatly respect Dr. Sanjeewa Weerewarna and the staff for the effort they put in to nurture the wisdom of children like me. I pray that they will get all the strength they need to provide such a service to other children like us.

Nilakshi - Leopards



The Galaxy of Knowledge in the Universe

With a vision to succeed,
Knowledge to the galaxy of glory,
Our home in Bandaragama,
Named Avinya.

Stepping stone for an almighty journey,
Seeking light for the glooming souls,
With the grace of Dr.Sanjeewa,
Many learn much with all their heart.

Love, affection always,
Knowledge, Skills - Smooth ways,
Despite all cast, religion barriers,
Teachers are with us, like the guardian sky.

The good, the bad, the weak, the strong,
Despite all, giving hope, future,
Though could never repay,
Some words might.

Stream of thought equipped with knowledge,
Courage that causes the almost dreams ,May
the strength and freedom, Aid more souls, yet
to come..

Sanjana Dewwangi - Leopards

The Avinya Foundation

Avinya builds where dreams begin,
With hope and learning deep within,
It opens minds.Unlocks each door,
And helps young hearts to rise and soar.

A chance to grow to learn, to lead,
Avinya plants each vital seed,
With every child it lights the way,
And shapes a brighter world each day.

Nishalini - Bears

Academic Home Where Journey Soar

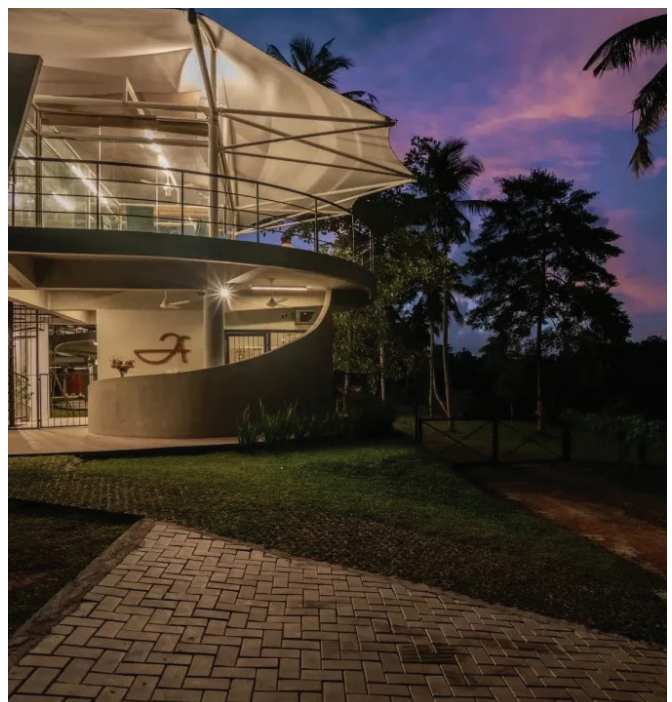
Academy is a home, where nature and co- exist?
Where hearts of students find hope, and change
their?

Knowledge is power, discipline is the is the key
Education shares its lessons, blossoming our
mindset

We explore our journey, we pursue our dreams
Each small step prepare us to take off, new steps
to find a better tomorrow

Mentors are not just teachers but wise, pure hearts
of wisdom
They guide with love, strength and honesty
They guide us to success, from the grounds the
peek.

Mohammed Salaah - Eagles



The Friendship Garden At Avinya Academy

In recent times, three young people were searching for a new beginning. Niftha, Rashkila and Sandaruwan lived in different towns and never knew each other. But all three had one dream to build a better future. One day, they found Avinya Academy. It was a place where students from many different religions and cultures came together to learn, grow and succeed in life. With a little nervousness, they each decided to join. They came from different backgrounds, spoke in different ways and carried out different traditions. But when the academy introduced a special group project called "The friendship garden ", their journey changed. Each of them added something special to the project. Rashkila carefully planned seeds, Niftha designed a way to water them and Sandaruwan painted bright signs with words of hope and peace. Day by day, as their small garden grew, so did their trust, laughter and bond. By the end of the project, they were no longer strangers. They strongly spread through Avinya academy. Inspiring other students to work together and celebrate the beauty of diversity.

At Avinya Academy, we learn that success is not only about skills and knowledge, it is also about friendship, respect and unity. Like a garden full of many colors, our academy blooms brightest when we grow together.

Shani Hansika - Bees

Friendship

Friendship is one of the most beautiful relationships in life. A true friend is someone who understands you, supports you and stay by your side in both good and time. Friends being happiness, share secrets and make life more enjoyable. They helps us grow by going honest advice and standing with us when we face difficulties. Good friends never judge and always encourage us to do our best. They listen without being asked and care without expecting anything in return. Friendship is based on trust love, respect and honesty It is said ,A friends in

Need is a friend in need. This means real friend are those who help us when we need than the most we should also be kind , loyal and helpful to our friend.

Anuji - Bees

Friendship

Friendship is a beautiful part of life. Good friends bring happiness and support into our lives. They stand by us in times of joy and sadness. True friendship is built on trust, respect, and understanding. The moments we spend with our friends become unforgettable memories.

Shafna - Bees



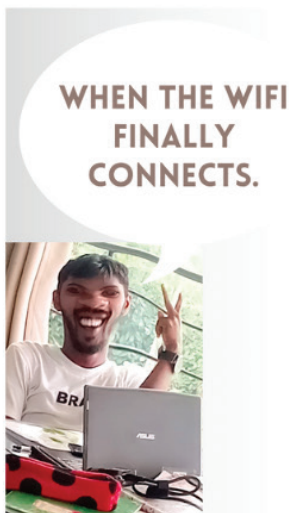
POV: you didn't mean to laugh that loud.



Sir's face when Nuwanga gets late every time.



**LEAVE ME IN
PEACE.....**



**WHEN THE WIFI
FINALLY
CONNECTS.**



**STOP CALLING ME A
BURGER!**



**When I see a friends who
always follows my styles.**

From pain to hope - A story of survival

It was the 6th of July, 2017.

Sorrowful faces, numbed hearts, yet carrying unshaken hope and tireless expectations, the sister who has been a pillar to the family and the aunt who has been often called as the second mother, walked for the twentieth day without fail, without weariness, towards the Intensive Care Unit [ICU] of the hospital.

But strangely, that day, the mother's heart refused to step into the ward to see her child.

Which mother would ever want to see her sixteen year old daughter in such a condition? Especially when that daughter was her whole world. It was unbearable even to imagine.

This totally unexpected incident had shaken a family that was built on love. It drowned them in grief from which they could never recover. It brought sorrow not only to them but also to everyone who heard about it.

The ICU itself was a frightening place, yet during those days it had become almost familiar to them. Tubes for injections, medicines, oxygen to ease breathing, along with the hopeless words from doctors, and above all a young girl

lying unconscious... It made the situation heartbreaking. Then, suddenly, The nurses,

who had only delivered bad news for twenty long days said something completely different "Today, your daughter opened her eyes and smiled." a nurse said.

Those words poured like honey into their ears. The moment they were longing had finally come. Tears of joy flowed unknowingly from their eyes. They immediately rushed to call the mother inside.

Hearing this, everyone rejoiced. Her cousins were the happiest. One of them shouted aloud, "Our child has opened her eyes!" His joyful cry moved everyone around. That young girl, in those days, had become everyone's child. Some were sobbing on the sofa, overwhelmed with happiness. In that moment, everyone's faces shone with joy.

Even the doctors were stunned and admitted, "This is a pure miracle! We've never faced a situation like this."

And yes, that sixteen-year-old girl who was in the ICU, is me.

I was just an ordinary girl with tons of hopes and d

reams. After passing my Ordinary Level exams with flying colours, I had just begun my higher studies. But I never knew that a simple sore throat infection, which grew severe and left me breathless, would

shatter me and my dreams into pieces.

But today, as I am writing this, I see my journey not as an ending, but as a beginning. I am still working on myself too, taking one small step at a time. Some days are harder than others, but every little step forward is still progress. And that is enough.

Same as mine, I am sure each of you has your own stories of struggle, of strength, of falling and rising again. What unites us here is not our failures, but our courage to continue despite them.

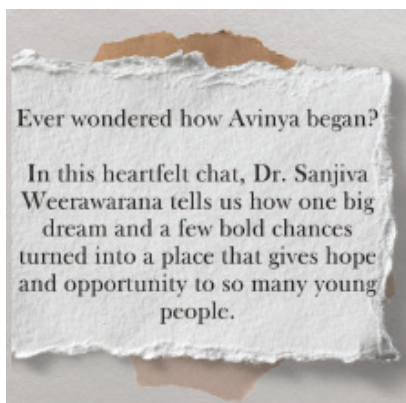
So, whenever life places obstacles in your path, remember some beautiful miracles do happen, and strength always grows in places where we thought we were broken.

Let us keep moving forward with hope, faith, and determination. Because the truth is our struggles don't define us, our comeback does!

Niftha - Bees

Work Hard, Take chance! - An interview with Dr. Sanjiva Weerawarna (Founder of Avinya Foundation)

Q : What inspired you to create the Avinya Foundation?



I have always been deeply interested in education. After completing my degree, I spent many years teaching. At the same time, I wanted to find ways to improve Sri Lanka. One of the biggest challenges in our country is that many people feel they don't get real opportunities to move forward. Our school system works for some, but if a student isn't ready at a particular stage, the system doesn't usually offer a second chance.

The goal of Avinya is to make education more accessible to everyone. And by "education," I don't just mean academic knowledge but also skills and practical learning that can help people shape their own futures.

Q : Can you tell us a bit about your own experience as a student?

I studied in different places. I started at Royal College in Sri Lanka. Then, because my father was working in Oman, I studied there for about six months. After returning to Sri Lanka, I continued at Royal and later

studied in India at two different schools. Eventually, I went on to university, where I completed my bachelor's, master's, and PhD in Applied Mathematics and Computer Science.

Q : What was your university experience like?

University isn't just about mastering a subject. It's really about learning how to learn. For example, in Mathematics, even if you spend four years studying it, what you know is still just a tiny dot compared to the vast knowledge that exists. University teaches you to accept that you don't know everything, and that's okay. It's also a time of personal growth. Most students leave home for the first time, learn to live independently, and mature as individuals. That experience is just as valuable as the academic side.

Q : What is your biggest dream for Avinya in the next five to ten years?

From the beginning, Avinya was designed to support students who don't fit into the traditional system. There will always be students who, for various reasons, don't make it through. My own father is a good example. He lost his father when he was very young and had to leave school. But later, he studied City and Guilds, became a radio technician, and eventually served in the army for 30 years.

Avinya's message is that just because you didn't do well at 14, 15, or even 20, your life isn't over. You still have opportunities. That's why our tagline is "Giving Hope." Our long-term vision is to expand Avinya so that one day there will be an Avinya in every divisional secretariat in Sri Lanka.

Q : Where are you planning to open the next academic program in Sri Lanka, and what kind of a place would that be?

We have found a place, but we're still fine-tuning the model. At first, we thought of running a two-year program, but we realized many students couldn't afford to stay that long. So we reduced it to one year, and now we are experimenting with six-month programs.

Running Avinya is like building a product for a market. Here, the "product" is you, the students. The "market" is employers. If we do our job well, employers should be eager to hire you. Once we're confident about that "fit," we'll expand to more schools.



Q : You've had a very successful career in IT and business. What advice would you give students who are still figuring out their careers?

Success shouldn't be defined only by money or how big your company is. True success is being happy with who you are and what you do. I know people who earn modestly but are very happy with their lives, and that's success too.

For example, I met a cab driver recently. He has failed his OLS, and he runs a cab service and owns a plantation of his own. He's very successful. He's very happy. There's another tuk guy that I met. He rides a tuk. He has a family. He has a daughter, and he's very happy. So my thing is, don't try to find success in terms of somebody else's mission. Success is your mission.

My advice is: don't chase careers just because they seem profitable. Find what you're good at and what excites you. If you wake up in the morning eager to do your work, then you're on the right path. That's why we designed Avinya to be open, welcoming, and different from traditional schools. It should be a place you want to come to.



So, figure out what motivates you, pursue it with passion, and define success on your own terms, not someone else's.

Q : Can you tell us how you keep yourself motivated when you feel down?

Everyone faces challenges. No exceptions. Even world leaders and powerful figures have hard times. As the saying goes, "When the going gets tough, the tough get going."

Being a leader means facing difficulties head-on. It's not just about leading during good times. Every problem should be seen as an opportunity to ask: Why is this happening? What can I learn from it? How can I solve it?

Life will never be free of problems. Being an adult simply means managing an endless to-do list. The key is to keep going and focus on the bigger purpose behind what you're doing.

Q : How can students like us get the best out of our time at Avinya?

You get the best out of something by giving more than what's expected. For example, if class starts at 7:30, come by 7:15. If it ends at 4:00, stay until 4:30. Don't just do the minimum. Do the maximum.

Take advantage of your teachers, the environment, and the resources around you. One key thing is English. The only

way to improve is to use it daily, not just when you're forced to. Speak to each other in English, even with friends, so you build confidence.

Q : What qualities do you believe students need in the 21st century?

The fundamentals haven't changed: curiosity, long-term thinking, creativity, and attention to detail. Our ancestors in Sri Lanka built amazing irrigation systems that we still admire today. That came from curiosity and innovation.

Of course, every era has specific skills. Today, you need English, technology, and the ability to use tools like AI. But the most important skill is continuous learning. Knowledge changes rapidly, so you can't ever stop learning.

Q : What is your proudest moment?

I don't really think in terms of "proud moments." Life is a journey with ups and downs. Achievements like finishing a PhD or building a successful company felt less like grand victories and more like anticlimaxes, because after each milestone, you realize you have to start the climb again. For me, it's not about a single peak. It's about constantly improving, step by step. I don't focus on one "proud" moment. I focus on the journey.



Q : If you could go back and give advice to your younger self, what would it be?

I would say: always think long-term, work hard, and take chances. I didn't come from a wealthy background, but I took every opportunity that came my way. Many people miss chances simply because they don't take them.

One way to create opportunities is by volunteering. When you step up, people notice you, and that leads to new chances. Even something small like taking responsibility for keeping a space clean can open doors. The key is to show initiative and create your own opportunities.

By Umaira and Manuga
featuring Dr. Sanjiva
Weerawarana

The Truth We All Face

Life....
That is not same for everyone
We all have ups and downs
But, we all don't the same rules
And that's the sad truth
Learn and Lead the world with
our own foot.
At heavy times my mind asks

me "Why?"
Simply my soul says "Shake it
off".
I am blind to what they do
But society forces me too
Seems like everything doesn't
change
The reality.... is it still the same?
Today's present tomorrow's
past
Only THIS moment lasts.
Life....
That's not just for pain.
what is yours, it's yours.
And mine, forever mine.

Siththi Hamsiya - Eagles



The Class Of Sharks

In our class, we are the Sharks,
Brave and bold, leaving marks.
With sir Geeth, kind and sweet,
A teacher so friendly, none can beat.

He guides us with a loving hand,
Helping us grow like trees that stand.
Together we learn, together we play,
Our class is special in every way.

We share our laughs, we share our dream,
Like a team, we're perfect scheme.
With each other, there's no divide,
For in friendship, we all reside.

So here's to Sharks, united and true,
A family of heart, me and you
With sir Geeth by our side,
We'll face the world, with love and pride.

Umaira - Sharks

A Guiding Light In My Journey

My life started changing only after meeting Geeth sir . He gave me hope when I had none. I couldn't even explain my pain but he came forward to help me. Nobody else in my life understood me like he did. I'm not the same person anymore because he changed my thinking and gave me confidence. Even when I was wrong, he guided me patiently. We all need someone like that in our life. A person who stands by us and changes us for the better. No one else showed me that kind of care. If I am still alive today it's because of his support. One kind word and encouragement from him has changed my life completely.

Ashfa - Sharks

More than a Classroom

A place of light,
Where doors open wide,
Not only to books,
But to the ways of life.

Hands that guide with warmth,
Voices that carry care,
Lessons beyond the page,
Teaching us how to be.

No burden asked,
Get gifts are shared,
A meal, a tool,
A gentle path forward.

Here we find not just knowledge,
But kindness woven in every step,
Here we learn.

Hansaka Kaushalya - Sharks

My Experience at Aivinya Foundation

I joined Aivinya Foundation in January 2025. Now, I have completed 08 months. I have 03 more months to finish the course. At Aivinya, I learned computer skills, English, and soft skills. We do group projects and fun activities. The teachers are very kind and helpful. I feel safe and happy here. I also made good friends here. We help each other every day. I enjoy learning at Aivinya.

Nethmi Kavindya - Sharks



Shadow Of Memories

In a village, there lived a young woman named Kanmani. She did not need artificial beauty, like a butterfly that attacks the eye, Kanmani was naturally beautiful. She had been loving a man named Chandran from the same village as a one-sided love since childhood. Her one-sided love had almost reached 10 years. Because of her fear, until now Kanmani had not expressed her love.

One day gathering courage in her heart, she got ready to express her love and went searching for Chandran to the place where he was carrying many kinds of dreams in her heart, Kanmani saw him. Her eyes filled with tears and she returned home, because Chandran was confessing his love to another woman. That is why Kanmani went home crying. Thinking "This must be wanting god has written" she hid her love and her pains with herself, and for the sake of her future and for a change of mind, Kanmani went to another town for work.

After 2 years, Kanmani returned to the village for the temple festival. As she came, her eyes were searching for someone beyond her control. It was none other than Chandran. Even though her heart said no, her eyes kept searching only for him. Throughout the temple, she searched and searched for him, crying, but still did not find him. Her face withered and the smile on her face disappeared.

Noticing all this, Kanmani's close friends said, "For today's search and give her longing, tomorrow you must come with me to a place" and left. The next day Kanmani, with great eagerness, went along with her friend. On the way, she kept asking "Where are we going, why are we going, whom are we going to see?"

At last, both reached a place. Kanmani could not understand why they had come here and look at her friend and asked, "why have we come to the cemetery?" her friend did not give any reply. Instead, the friend gave her a garland and said, "place this garland on this grave."

When placing the garland, unknowingly tears began to flow from Kanmani's eyes. She did not understand the reason. Kanmani again asked,

"whose grave is this?" "Her friend said, "It is the grave of someone known. "Come, let's go home" and took Kanmani away, while going, Kanmani's friend thought in her heart, "the tears that come without knowing whose grave, it is, that it is your love's grave, your lover's grave-those tears are the true sign of love....." and went along with Kanmani.

A.K Rashikila - Bees

Bitter Truth.

*A relationship can create
Beautiful in the
Present.*

*But they are temporary
They have another side.*

*A side where beauty.
Turns into painful memories.*

*Trust me...!
Relationships also have endings.*

*I realized It creates lots of love
But its's not real.
It is like a mask of love and caring.*

One day all relationships will be in your past,

*Endings are always create some
They will end in because of other commitments,
Misunderstanding or death.*

*And finally they leave
With you, all alone.....*

Hatheefa - Bears



A Journey Called Avinya

Avinya...its not just and academy
It's a place of joy and happiness

I have gone to schools and many institutes.
But never seen one like Avinya Academy

I have seen many teachers,
But I have never seen teachers like those at
Avinya.

They thought us not just customer service,
Not just English,
Not just ICT

They taught us life.

It fed me,
It helped me grow,
It changed me,
And overall, it moulded me.

I'll never forget,
Those sweetest memories ever...
They live in my heart forever...

I'm always grateful for my Avinya.

Aaysha Riyas - Bears

My Avinya Journey

Memorable place in my day
Years pass away.

Always say something positive
Very soon you can do anything
In my life I never forget these days
No one can blame me....
You can" I only hear that, in this place
Amazing moments with my friends

Judgments not allowed with my teachers....
Over love and care always here
Under a protective zone that is yours...
Roots for the right path
No fears feel your heart
Everyone knows kindness.
You can't stop anyone from their happiness

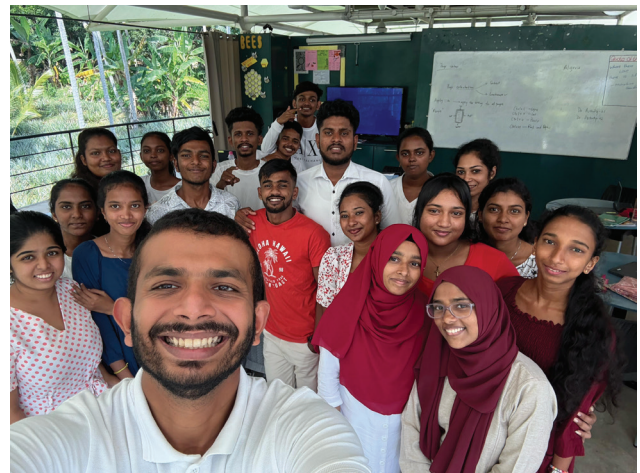
Siththi Hamsiya - Leopards

The Light of Tomorrow

Education is more than books and exams. It is the path that helps us grow, guiding us to think, question and dream. It gives us the courage to face challenges and the wisdom to shape our future. True education is not just about facts. It teaches us values, teamwork and respect. It helps us find solutions when life is difficult.

At Avinya Academy every student experiences a journey full of support, guidance and inspiration. Teachers encourage us, friends share learning and every step is celebrated. It's a place where growth feels natural and every challenge becomes an opportunity. At the end, education is not just preparation for life. With the right guidance like the support found at Avinya Academy, it becomes the light that guides us toward a brighter tomorrow.

Dulyana Sandapiyumi - Bees



Warakagoda Echoes Of a Royal Past and Sacred Harmony

Nestled in these serene landscapes of the Madurawala Division in Kaluthara district, Warakagoda stands as both a living village and a keeper of centuries-old secrets. Once part of the lesser-known Warakagoda regional kingdom, it served as a power center under the broader pasayoyona realm during the Polonnaruwa period.

Excavations have unearthed ruined foundations reminiscent of royal fortifications and stone pillars etched with ancient inscriptions a whisper of its regal past. At the heart of Warakagoda lies the Gallena Rajamaanha Viharaya, a testament to architectural resilience and spiritual design. Carved into rock, its twin shrines inner and outer guard a sleeping Buddha statue of astounding size and historical depth. Crafted from clay and conserved with lime mortar in the 1800s, the statue presides

over murals painted in 1946, imbuing the temple with both serenity and artistic heritage.

The Sri Lankan government recognized the temple significance, granting it protected status through Gazette notification in 2002 and 2016. Scattered across the village are other sacred sites - such as the Ganeuda Puran Viharaya,

Wehersgodellwatta chaitya and related archaeological remnants with stone pillars, flights of stairs, and inscriptions added to the tapestry of Warakagoda's heritage.

What makes Warakagoda truly exceptional is not just its monuments, but its living community. Sinhalese and Hindu residents share traditions and spaces in harmony, weaving a cultural mosaic that fosters preservation and pride in the area's storied past.

Tharushi Sandamini - Sharks



My country

My country is Sri Lanka. It is in the Indian Ocean. It is also called the Pearl of the Indian Ocean. The capital of Srilanka is Sri Jajewardenapura kotte. There are more than twenty two million people in my country. Colombo is the business center. There are Twenty five districts and nine Provinces in Srilanka .Tea,Rubber and Coconut are the main crops of Sri Lanka. It has beautiful natural beaches and attractive places. A lot of foreign tourists visit of Srilanka every year. This island has a very long history. They have amazing temples and old buildings that tell stories of the past. The official languages of sri Lanka are Sinhala, Tamil and English . I Love my country.

Uvindi - Sharks



Credits : Pasindu - Bees

My Village

My village Bandaragama. It is a small and peaceful place. It has many beautiful trees and green plants. There is a clean pond near the village. The people in many villages are kind and helpful. There is a small school where children study and play. Many families live together, and everyone helps each other. We happily celebrate festivals as a community. The clean environment near the pond and the singing birds start the day. I love living in my village. It is safe and beautiful. I love my village very much.

Rashini Kawya - Leopards



Credits : Nethmi - Leopards

Sri Lanka - My Country

My country is Sri Lanka. It is a small island, but it is full of beauty. We have green mountains,rivers and golden beaches all around. The sunrise and sunset in Sri Lanka is so peaceful.Our people are kind and welcoming. Different religions and cultures live together, which makes our country rich in traditions. We celebrate many festivals and share enjoyment with each other. Sri Lanka is also famous for Tea, spices, and wild life. Tourists from all over the world come to see my country. Even though we face problems, Sri Lanka is strong and never gives up. My country is Sri Lanka. I love my country and I like to visit all the places in this. My country is the most beautiful and famous for tourists.

Isum - Leopard



Credits : Nethmi - Leopards

Burn the midnight oil - An interview with Mrs. Fernando

Q : Could you tell us a little about yourself?

I studied at a convent girls' school in Gampaha. Then I went to the University of Peradeniya for my first degree. Later, I completed postgraduate degrees and diplomas in Colombo, earned a Master's in the UK, and studied education project management in the USA. All this was possible because whenever I got even a small opportunity, I did my best in that position. So my message is: when opportunity knocks, seize it. Don't let it go. Make it beneficial to yourself and to society. I worked in government service for about 20 years, always in English education. Later, I worked with the US Embassy and an Australian university. I worked until I was 81. Now I am 83, and I am still happy to come to Avinya and offer some guidance.

Q : How did you feel when your son first shared the idea of Avinya?

I felt very happy. We have always loved to do charity whenever we get the chance. My husband and I worked very hard to educate our three children. Sanjeev, my second child, believed that education should not only uplift our family but also the whole community. So he and I spent many hours together planning. We wanted to help young people who had failed or only partly passed their O/Ls, and who were not strong enough for A/Ls or employment. We thought, let's empower them. That was the beginning of the project.

Q : As a mother, what did this initiative mean to you?

I felt very appreciative of the venture. If we have something, we must share it. As a mother, I felt we had given our children a strong message: we can't grow up alone; we have to link up with our community and live in peace and harmony. Sanjeev has that spirit of sharing and caring in him. I am not proud; I am humbled by what he has done.



Q : As a teacher, how do you see the English program at Avinya?

I assisted with a curriculum revision last year and trained the teachers in December and January. The new curriculum places a strong emphasis on English reading, writing, and speaking. However, I feel there is currently more focus on reading and writing than on speaking. There are not enough opportunities for conversation, debates, or discussions, which is a concern for me. Many students are hesitant to speak

English; they sometimes hide behind others or encourage someone else to speak on their behalf. Even those who can speak English occasionally translate for their neighbors. This habit can hinder language development, so it is important to address it.

Q : What improvements have you noticed in the students?

I have seen greater confidence in how students carry themselves—how they walk around without fear and how they interact. However, interaction among students is still inadequate. Some hide themselves instead of opening up. I believe that when we redirect the teaching program, learning outcomes will improve. The students are intelligent, but they need guidance to bring out their talents.

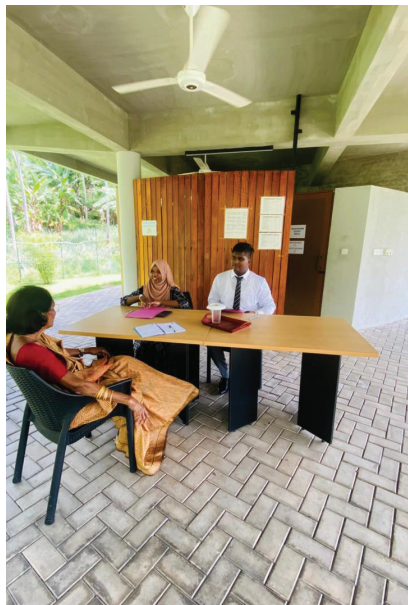
Q : What do you think is your biggest achievement in life?

Becoming an important English educator, and the success of my children. I didn't really teach them, their school teachers did. At home, I only helped sometimes. We just opened a window for them; they made it a door. That is my achievement—that they worked hard and found their own path.

Q : What advice would you give students as they graduate from Avinya?

Avinya has shown you ways of self-development. Continue those. Use your computers for research, read newspapers, talk with friends, and use all your contacts to gain more

knowledge. Don't sleep ten hours; sleep only five hours. Burn the midnight oil. Read, read, read—with eagerness. Improve your knowledge and share it with others.



Q : Do you have an inspiring story for young people?

Yes. I heard a young man say, “We had only a mud wall, one room, no land, no computer, no phone, nothing. But I had a dream.” He studied at his village school, passed Grade 5, went to a bigger school, and finally to university. His message was clear: if you have a dream and work hard, you can achieve it.

Q : How should students keep learning and growing after Avinya?

Use all the resources available—teachers if you have them, computers, newspapers, radio, and phones. Research the topics you are interested in. If you want to be a construction

engineer, research that. If you want to be a marine engineer, research that. Knowledge is the key. Without knowledge, what can we do? So, stay ahead with knowledge.

Q : What is your final message for young people?

Work hard. Be strong. Reduce your sleep and increase your intellectual engagement. Whatever job you do, do it well. Whatever you study, do it well. Time never comes back, so don't waste it. If you get even a small chance, take it. Keep sharpening yourself and learning more. Opportunity comes, but you must be ready.

*By Hamsiya and Chathusha
featuring Mrs Fernando*

Those eyes are talking.



Give me a ticket to the fort.



Look at my beauty.



Am I beautiful when I look like this?



Let's cheat like we're working.



Find me if you can.



confused unga bunga.



How are you honey.



The Spring is Coming (Short Love Story)

Characters:

- Megha Kailash Dewapurage
- Maheema Omethmi Suriyapperuma

Sub Characters:

- Yehan Yashmith
- Suriyapperuma(Maheema's brother)
- Suwahasna Ashasvi
- Thenuwara(Maheema's best friend)

Morning at school:

Megha's POV:

I came to school this morning expecting to meet my little fairy. Oh, you must be wondering who that is? Yeah, she's who I love, my one-sided love. Maheema Omethmi is my best friend's sister.

Yehan:

Hey Megha! You are early. Are you waiting for Chuti? Mmm...mmm...

Megha:

Good morning Yehan! No...no man I'm...I'm waiting for you.

Yehan:

Oh seriously, okay okay then. Hey! Chuti is coming.

Megha:

Where! Where is she?

Yehan:

(laugh) I understand that you're not waiting for Chuti to arrive. Ah this idiot, takes me as a joke. Yes, yes, he knows that I'm in love with his sister, and so do our parents. Actually, they really love Omi like their own child. Seriously, she's a very pretty cute and lovely girl.

Yehan:

Megha, I was going to ask you, when are you planning to tell our sister about your one-sided love for her?

Megha:

Today! Actually, that's why I'm waiting for her, but I'm scared because she will reject me.

Yehan:

Are you crazy Megha? Are you thinking that Chuti doesn't love you? Don't you understand

from her behavior that she loves you?

Megha:

I know, but I feel scared.

Maheema:

Megha, have you been here for a long time? I am really sorry.

Yehan:

Oh god Chuti! Why are you screaming?

Maheema:

You shut up idiot.

I grabbed Omi by her hand as she was about to leave after scolding Yehan. She looked surprised at me and at the hand holding her.

Megha:

Omi, I want to talk with you! No actually I want to say something to you.

Yehan:

Ahm...I think I have to go now.

Saying that, Yehan quickly left, leaving the two of them alone.

Maheema: So, what do you have to say?

Megha: Actually Omi, I...I want to tell you that I...I love you Omi...I really really love you. Will you be my girlfriend?

Maheema: W-What?

After saying that, she stared at me with wide eyes for a while and then suddenly hugged me tightly.

Maheema: Yes! I...I will be your girlfriend. I love you so much!

Author's POV:

I hope that the beautiful love story that began that day will continue to flow beautifully like this.

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Hiranya Dewmini - Bears

Avinya Academy : A new Beginning for Life

Avinya was a small starting point in my life. Simply put, Avinya is like a proper schools, but it differs fundamentally from a regular school. At a typical school, we learn subjects related to academics, but at Avinya Academy, we learn how to move forward in life and how to live meaningfully. When we come to Avinya Academy, without any expectations it gives us hope and helps us overcome our worries and fears. Everyone here offers us full support.

Many people don't even know such an academy exists. For 11 months, we learn English, IT, Job Skills and receive training to work in various organizations. We also receive a stipend, meals throughout the day, and are well taken care of. I don't think any other academy provides such comprehensive support.

My experience with Avinya

I had completed my school education and was wondering what to do next. Then I got an opportunity at a school called Avinya. After that, I entered the garden of Avinya. Everything was new to me there, and I had many different experiences

What is special about Avinya is that it's a school where students from four ethnic groups (Sinhala, Tamil, Christians, and Muslims) study together, showcasing the country's uniqueness. However, the teachers and staff have treated all four ethnic groups equally and work without any discrimination.

Avinya is not just an educational school; it's a place that shines bright for the future lives of its students. The teachers here solve the students' problems like their own and provide excellent guidance. They are not just teachers but role models who encourage students to face challenges without fear. All the students dedicate their time to helping students reach their full potential.

Avinya is a place I will never forget in my life. It brought a significant change in my life, paved a clear path to my goal, and provided this opportunity to students for free.

I am deeply grateful to Dr. Sanjiva, who made these possible words, and I can't express my gratitude.

Hafsa Thaseem - Sharks

By offering all this, when life gives us a chance to start anew, this academy becomes a truly great place for everyone, learning in a safe and free environment, guided by caring teachers, bringing us great happiness.

It's not just about academic education - we also gain knowledge about the business world, participate in sports, and celebrate festivals that leave lasting memories. In my opinion, by expanding our hopes and opportunities and making our lives meaningful, Avinya Academy serves as an excellent foundation for us to achieve our dreams and ambitions.

Vimasha Tharundi - Bears



Artists' Corner



Ravindu-Sharks



Bhagya-Bees



Keshani-Sharks



Hasini-Sharks



By Kavindya-Bees



Nethmi Lakshani-Leopards



Hirushi-sharks

Avinya - The light of my life

I walked into an unknown place, without a name
or a face.

No name, no voice the path was unclear
But gradually, I felt fear.

Not just lessons from a book or a page
Life itself become my stage.

They didn't just teach me they helped me grow.
They gave me food so i could be strong,
A ride to school every little need,
They understood
They gave with care, they gave with goodness.

From the beginning teachers gently guided us
with open hearts
The staff with kindness in every tone
Made sure we never felt alone.

At Avinya we didn't just study customer service,
We lived it, with skills in hand and confidence
shining brightly

Now, we are ready to shine our light.
Beyond the books, beyond the classroom and the
chair,
We truly practiced it with effort and care from
learning to doing ,step by step
Avinya trained us to be the best.

Now the world of work is expanding
And Avinya walks by our side
This is not just a place ,
But a home of hope and kindness
A shine light in the long stream of life.

And yet, it is too much to say,
Words cannot bear it all
Avinya is not just a place to learn
It is where my fears began to burn .

Arafa - Bears

The Bears

Green field that cool the eyes. Small alleys that
walk with a gentle breeze. There is a beautiful
place in the city natural beauty.Avinya Academy
an institution that provides high quality education.

On the very first day, the security uncles welcomed
us with warm smiles. There were no walls to block
the beauty of nature. Just open spaces that bring
together learning and serenity. It felt like the path
of education. It self was the surrounded by the
feeling of nature.

There are a total of six classes there. My favourite
class is the bears class. I don't know why I like it.
Why I am drawn to it ? How much I love it? What
is the reason? My subconscious has not given
the answer. Is this the secret of attraction?

In the beautiful class, there is a wonderful little
teacher. She is not only a teacher, but also a

motivator, friends, encourager and a guide in
my life. I could go on and say this, But words fail
me. I cannot express these feelings in writing or
speech.

The class students friendship here is like an
inseparable bond, as close a flesh and talent.
That friendship is true and unchanged. The
special characteristic of our class is that there is
no discrimination against anyone.

I don't know how to carry such unforgettable
memories. Whenever I think of the academy, tears
of joy well up in my eyes, and my heart yearns
again.

I am a bears class student, Miss Anuki, the
beloved teacher of many students.

M.S.F. Sahla - Bears



The Place Of Sport In A Child's Life

Sports play an important role in a child's life. Every children like to play. children likes to play. Even the disabled children like to play.

There are various kinds of sports for children. Some of them are cricket Net ball, Volley ball. Rugger, Elle, Tennis become the most popular sport in Sri Lanka.

The children who are engaged in sports well disciplined. Those who are not engaged in sports are always inactive. They are not clever at studies too.

Children who do sports are healthy and strong. They have leadership qualities. They are always ready to take any challenge.

A little time has been allocated for sports in the school time table. This time is not at all sufficient to achieve its goal. Parents should not forget that children have a right to play. It should not be taken away from them.

It is said that a healthy mind can be found only in a healthy body. Children should do regular exercises in order healthy life. Sports teach children good moral values. A good sportsman can make both victory and defeat alike. He is very patient.

In the present day society, our children have no time to engage in sports. Most of them go for tuition classes. They are burdened with studies. In my opinion sports must be made compulsory in our school. Parents should realise that sports too is a part of education. Children should be encouraged to engage in sports too otherwise our future generations will be weak and lethargic.

M.I.F Hafsa - Leopards

The Value Of Sport

Sports keep us fit, active, and healthy. They teach team work, discipline and help reduce stress. Playing or watching sports brings joy and connects people. Even a small game can make a big difference in our daily lives.

Pasindu - Bees

Easy way to stay active everyday.

- Take the stairs.
- Do a quick home workout.
- Walk or bike short trips.
- Stand up while working or watching TV.
- Stretch for a few minutes hourly.

Ruchini - Bees



The Value Of Sport

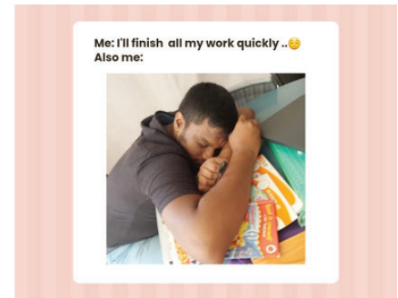
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Pasindu - Bees

Value of Teamwork

Teamwork means working together to achieve a common goal. When people join their strengths and ideas, they can solve problems faster and do better work. In schools, teams help students learn from each other. In workplaces, teamwork increases productivity and builds good relationships. It teaches us to respect others, communicate well, and share responsibilities. No one can succeed alone every time. Teamwork helps us face challenges with support and trust. MyTeamwork makes dreams work.

Shafna - Bees



Voices of Students - An interview with Students

Q : Why did you decide to join Avinya Academy?

First of all, I want to say that joining Avinya has been a turning point in my life. When I first stepped into the academy, everything was new to me, and I had many different experiences.

What makes Avinya special is how people from all backgrounds, Christian, Tamil, Sinhala, and Muslim study together. The teachers and staff treat every student equally. There is no discrimination here; everyone is respected and valued.

Avinya is not just about education; it shows us a brighter path for our future. I would also like to thank Dr. Sanjiva, because he made this opportunity possible. Words cannot express my gratitude.



Q : What was your first impression when you started here?

When I first came to Avinya, I didn't know anyone. The first person I met was Ms. Ranjani, who guided me kindly and

helped me feel comfortable. That first impression gave me confidence to join and continue my journey here.

Q : How do you feel about learning Customer Service, English, and Computer Skills in the first semester?

When I first joined, I didn't know much English and I had no idea what Customer Service was about, what kind of projects or exams we would do. But after starting, I gained so much experience.

I realized how important Customer Service is for any job, how to handle customers, how to communicate politely, and how to solve problems. I also improved my IT knowledge, which I had very little of before.

Q : How was your experience in Semester 2 with City & Guilds, English, and Computer Skills?

City & Guilds was something completely new to me, not a regular subject we study in school. The teaching methods were different and very practical. I learned how to do projects, how to mentor others, and how to serve well in future job roles. I believe these lessons are really useful for our future.

Q : What new skills have you learned since joined to Avinya?

I joined Avinya Academy to continue my education and

gain experience, and I've achieved much more than I expected. My mentors taught me valuable lessons in customer service, website development, and email communication, and I learned to respond to customers politely and responsibly.

Working on various projects with great support from my teachers gave me confidence, practical skills, and personal growth that will guide me in my education and future career.

Q : How would you describe the relationship between students and teachers here?

It's really good! The teachers and students are very friendly and respectful toward each other. The teachers are kind, understanding, and always willing to help. They treat us like equals and create a very comfortable learning environment.



Q : Have you ever shared a personal problem with a teacher? How did they help you?

Yes, I have. I once shared my personal problems with Ms. Roshani, and it made me feel so relaxed and supported. She talked to me about my blind spots and helped me understand what I needed to improve for my future. She gave me great advice on how to build my skills and knowledge. She is very friendly and caring.

Q : What kind of stories would you like to see in the newspaper?

I would love to read stories for young people, children's stories, funny stories, and inspiring ones that relate to our generation. Those are the stories I enjoy the most.

Q : What is your favorite memory from Avinya Academy so far?

My favorite memory is our Avurudu Festival! It was such a fun celebration, and we worked together as a team, Sinhala, Tamil, and Muslim students, without any differences. We all enjoyed it as one family. That was the best part.



Q : If you could describe Avinya Academy in three words, what would they be?

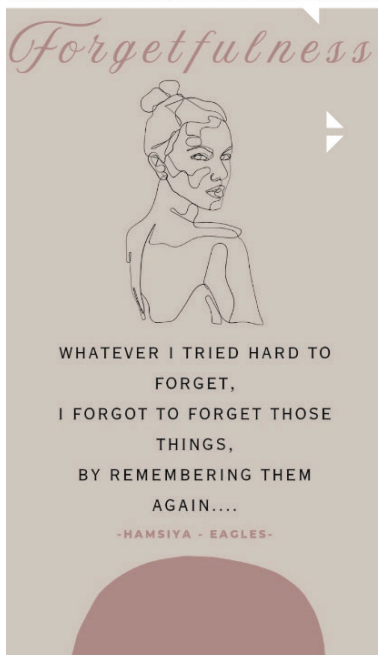
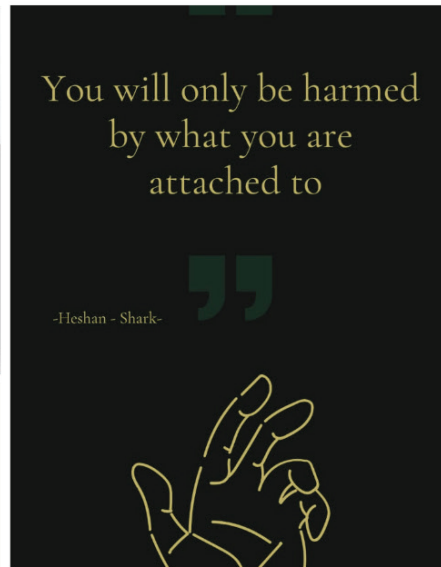
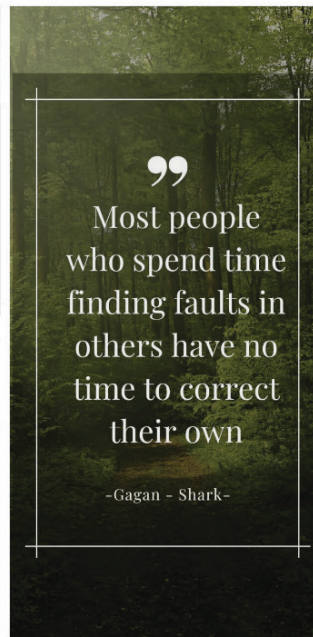
It's hard to describe Avinya in just three words! For me, Avinya is the best academy in this area, it's not just a school, it's a completely different kind of learning place. Before joining, I thought it would be like any other school, but it's truly something special and unique.

Q : What message would you like to give to new students joining in the future?

Avinya is not just a school, it's a place that can change your future. If you get the chance to join, take it! It will be one of the best decisions of your life. It will help you grow, learn, and build a better future.



QUOTE QUEST



Small Steps Lead to Great Success

Success in life is not always about doing big things. Sometimes small actions we take every day can bring big changes.

If we wake up early, use our time well and keep working step by step. We build a strong base for success. Small steps may seem unimportant at first, but they can lead to great results. Failures will happen and people may see them. But failure is not the end. It is the lesson that shows us the right way.

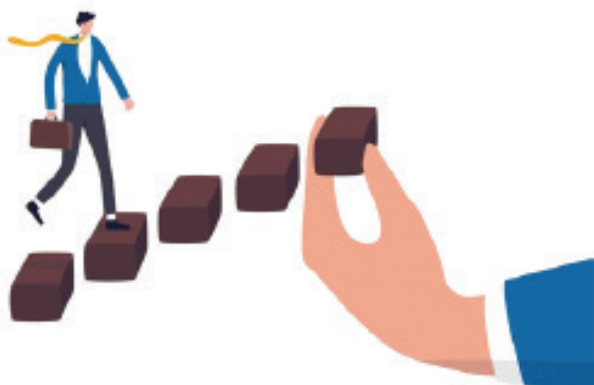
Keep trying and one day success will come. The most important thing is to focus on yourself, not compare with others. Everyone has their own path. What matters is not how fast we go, but how steady we are.

Believe in yourself, help others and move forward little by little. Remember, every big journey starts with a small step. After finishing my A/L exams, I was unsure what to do next. I am now studying at Avinya Academy, where I am learning about my career path and discovering my strengths.

I completed my A/Ls in the arts stream, but I'm interested in working in the banking field. I believe that I can work at a bank. So I started an internship at Sampath Customer Care Call Centre to gain experience. I am confident that with hard work and dedication my career will be successful.

This is my real life story. Which I share as a source of motivation for others.

Chandru - Bears



Setting your Personal Goals

"Your goals are the road maps that guide you and show you what is possible for your life."

"If you want to live a happy life, tie it to a goal. Not to people or things."

-Albert Einstein

Setting your goals is the process of having a clear vision about your ideal future, and motivating yourself to turn your vision into a reality. It helps you to choose where you want to go in life. When you know precisely what you want to achieve, you know where you have to focus your efforts. You'll also identify the distractions that might lead you astray and correct them before it is too late.

First, start your process of setting personal goals by brainstorming and writing down what you really enjoy doing. Then, evaluate each activity, narrow down your list and identify what you really want to do. Make sure that the goals that you have set are the ones that you genuinely want to achieve, not ones that your parents, family, or others might want you to achieve.

Finally, break down your goals into smaller objectives with a clear time frame and work towards achieving these smaller objectives within the time frame. Every time you achieve a smaller objective you will be self-confident and motivated to achieve your lifetime goals.

A.S Amna - Leopards



Clear Vision and Target in Mind - An interview with Mr. Madhawa (Head of Customer Care at Sampath Bank)

Q : Can you tell us about your journey and how you became the Head of the Customer Care Center at Sampath Bank?

I started my journey at Sampath Bank as a school leaver after studying at Kearney College and Mahanama College. Through the Mahanama job bank, I applied and was the only one selected out of about

50 candidates, which motivated me to do well.

I worked in the Human Resources Department for many years, handling recruitment, performance management, rewards, and training. Later, I became Manager of Learning and Development before moving to the Customer Care Center in August 2021.

I first worked under Mr. Nalaka de Silva and, after he moved to another department, I was appointed as the Head of the Customer Care Center.

My 21-year journey, starting with no experience, was strengthened by my HR background, which helped me connect with people at all levels. Today, I am proud to serve as Head of the Customer Care Center.

Q : What are some of the biggest challenges you've faced in your role, and how did you overcome them?

One of the biggest challenges I faced was moving from an HR background into the operational environment of customer care, which was very different. I had to learn new procedures and branch banking knowledge.

With the support of my management team, especially the former Head of Customer Care, I was guided in unfamiliar areas. At the same time, I applied my HR skills, handling people, knowledge, skills, and attitude, which helped me in my new role.

I became a bridge between HR and Customer Care, supporting my superiors in HR decisions, introducing second-layer leadership, and creating opportunities for team members to grow. My guiding principle is to create more leaders than

followers, and I used this to overcome challenges and add value to the Customer Care Center.

Q : What skills do you believe are most important for success in customer care today?

In Customer Care, the main idea is taking care of customers just like a daycare center takes care of children, looking after their safety, well-being, and needs. Customer Care is not only about transactions but also about solving problems, sometimes being the only place where customers find solutions.

To succeed, you need a service mindset, passion, empathy, and the right attitude. For example, if a customer loses a debit card, they expect quick support and reassurance.

In banking, customer care and service go hand in hand. A banker is like a financial doctor, helping people with loans, financial support, or other life needs. Key skills include empathy, listening, analytical ability, and providing fast, effective solutions.

What role do you think technology and AI will play in the future of customer service in banking? Sampath Bank, guided by the vision of our new Managing Director, is evolving to be an IT-driven bank while keeping personal customer service. The bank has always been a step ahead, introducing innovations like ATMs, technology-driven banking, and touchless cash withdrawals.

With rapid global technological changes, customer service will increasingly use technology to provide faster, more accurate service while freeing time for meaningful interactions with customers. AI and automation may handle routine tasks like verification, allowing staff to focus on advising customers, offering products, and maintaining personal warmth.

The future of banking customer service will blend technology and personal touch, enhancing both efficiency and customer experience.

Q : How do you manage and motivate your team, especially during stressful situations or peak times?

Stress and pressure are natural, but the key is to maintain peace of mind. As leaders, we play many roles, father, husband, son, friend, and it's important to balance them. In the corporate world, deadlines and targets create pressure, but we should not pass that pressure to our subordinates. Instead, we need to analyze the situation, prioritize tasks, and manage step by step. A good leader absorbs pressure, keeps focus on goals, and motivates the team without transmitting stress. By doing so, even in difficult times, you can remain successful and balanced.

Q : How do you balance professional success with personal life and well-being?

Balancing professional and personal life in customer service is challenging because it is a 24/7 role. I believe we must give back to the organization more than we earn, and to balance life, I use the "switch on, switch off" method.

When I am at work, I leave personal issues aside, and when I go home, I leave office problems behind. This way, I can play my role fully at work and also be a loving father at home. The key is to work happily, go home happily, and maintain peace of mind through this switch on, switch off approach.

Q : You selected 10 interns from Avinya Academy, what qualities did you look for when choosing us?

At Avinya Academy, the first thing we looked at was your knowledge of customer service and how you could handle customers as front liners, even if you were in back office functions. We focused on your knowledge, skills, and especially the right attitude.

In interviews, we looked at your background, willingness to work in a corporate environment, how you dressed, presented yourself, and answered questions. We also checked your language proficiency and your aspiration to become future bankers. With my team's feedback, we selected you based on how well you were prepared and how you tried your best at the interview.

Q : What advice would you give to young people like us who are just starting our careers?

My advice for youngsters is to always have an end in mind, a clear vision of what you want to be. This is the best stage to plan your future, set targets, and have passion toward your goals.

Equally important is the willingness to learn, because learning never ends. Along with qualifications, you must develop your competencies, live by good values, and maintain the right attitude.

Simply put, you should have a dream so strong that it drives your daily life and actions. For success, the key ingredients are vision, passion, continuous learning, and competency.

Q : Finally, what message would you like to share with the students of Avinya Academy through this newsletter?

Avinya Academy impressed me from the first day with its vibrant environment and visionary leadership. My message to the team is to never give up on creativity, always have a dream, focus on it, and work genuinely towards personal development.

It's important to analyze your surroundings, develop skills, and remain employable in any company, whether at Sampath Bank or elsewhere. By preparing well and contributing effectively, you can become a highly sought-after professional and give back to society. Keep up the vibrancy, explore opportunities, and continue building skills

By Kaveesha featuring Mr Madhawa



My Mother

Even bearing a burden
As heavy as the ocean,
You hid a sea of learn
Behind your eyes.....

Though your last the touch of a hand,
You led us across the bridge
Of sorrow, alone.....

Carrying the weight of motherhood
Upon your chest,
You never left.....

So I wish, "Mother"
May you rest
In a world beyond this one,
At peace.....

Ridmi Raveesha - Leopards

My Father

My father is the best father in this world. My father is my hero and great role model in my life. He is a very special person in my life. He is kind, caring and he always helps our family. He works hard every day to keep us happy and safe. My father is my hero because he teaches me good habits and supports me in my studies. He is smart and always gives me good advice. He is the head of my family. He shares all about his life experience with me. When I feel sad, he cheers me up with his smile. I respect my father a lot and love him very much. The most important person in my life. He helps me to overcome the challenges of my life. I am grateful to you my dear father. You mean the world to me.

Nikini Mandhagini - Leopards

How social media affects you

Social media is fun and helps us stay connected but for teens, it can also be tricky. Seeing others' posts might make them feel like they're not good enough. Too much scrolling can lead to stress, sleep problems or feeling lonely. But if used the right way, social media can be a good thing. Follow people who share positive stuff, take breaks from the screen and don't believe everything online. What we see isn't always the full truth.

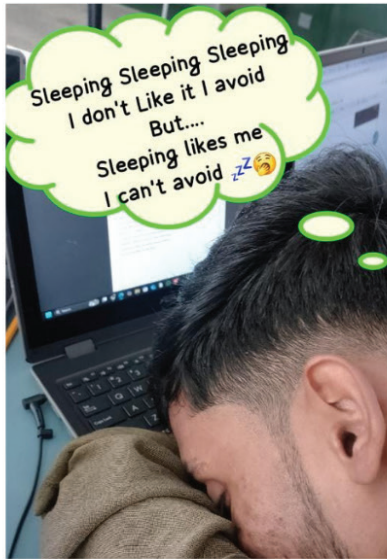
M.Nusky - Leopards

The Doll in the Basement

Velma and her parents moved into an old house. One day she explored the basement. It is so dark and cold. In the corner of the basement, she saw a doll with blue eyes and a red dress. The doll was very dusty, but Velma took it upstairs. That night she placed the doll on the table. In the morning the doll was missing. It was sitting on her bed. Velma asked her parents, but they said we didn't even know about the doll. Every night the doll got closer to her. One night Velma woke up and found the doll next to her arm. Scared, she threw the doll out from the window and closed it. The next morning the doll was back in her room holding a note. It said don't ever try to leave me!

Manuga Damsath - Leopards





Never Give up on your Dreams - An interview with Mr. Isuru Ranaweera (Educator at Avinya)

Q: Can you tell us how Avinya Academy was started?

That's an interesting question, Nawanga. Avinya Academy began almost three years ago. For our very first batch, we expected about 120 students, but to our surprise, we received nearly 300 applications! So, we had to shortlist the most deserving students.

At that time, we didn't even have a proper building. The interviews were held at Sarvodaya, and we organized many activities to keep the students engaged. That was really the beginning of the Avinya journey. After a couple of months, we completed building the school, and that's how Avinya Academy started.

Q: Why did you decide to teach Customer Service, English, IT, and Job Skills? How do these subjects help students in their future careers?

That's another great question, Nethmi. We selected Customer Services because it's a skill that's useful in almost every field. No matter where you work, you'll need to deal with many people and companies, so soft skills are very important.

We also chose English because, through our research, we learned that many of our target students lacked confidence in communicating in English. We wanted to empower them, to help them reach a level where they could

communicate effectively and stand shoulder to shoulder with students from Colombo or anywhere else.

Q: What makes Avinya Academy different from other learning places?

I think the name Avinya itself means innovation trying new things. Over the past three years, we've experimented with many teaching methods. We started with Project-Based Learning, placed a strong focus on English and Customer Service, then added Mathematics and City & Guilds qualifications.

We also extended our program from six months to eleven months to give students more time to grow. We're constantly evolving to make our program stronger and more meaningful. What truly makes Avinya special is the commitment, passion, and hard work of both our educators and our students.

Q: How would you describe the relationship between teachers and students here?

We're very different from the traditional education system. At Avinya, we try to remove that "gap" between teachers and students. We promote a student-centered learning environment, that's why we ask you many questions and encourage you to ask us just as many!

Avinya is an open space for

discussion, curiosity, and learning. Our students also have the privilege of learning from some of the best educators and using top-quality facilities, all free of charge. This openness and mutual respect are what make Avinya such a special place.

Q: What is your favorite thing about teaching at Avinya Academy?

What I love most is working with students from diverse backgrounds. Every student has a story, and it's so inspiring to see how far they've come. I also love that we, as teachers, learn from our students every day. That kind of experience is very rare in traditional schools.

Q: Can you share a memorable student success story?

Yes, of course! I'll share a story about a girl named Subodha from our second batch. I actually knew her before Avinya because she worked at Pizza Hut. She was a very dedicated daughter who supported her family while trying to study.

When she joined Avinya, she gave her best in every activity. Later, she got a job at VFS Global, a world-class visa processing center. She performed so well there that when representatives from WSO2, one of our partner organizations, visited the center, they were extremely impressed by her professionalism.

That's one of many success stories we're proud of, and we look forward to seeing many more, hopefully from all of you too!

Q: What challenges has Avinya faced along the way?

One main challenge is that some people in the community still don't fully understand our vision and mission. There are a few misconceptions about what Avinya stands for. Some assume our students lack discipline or that we promote strange ideas, which isn't true at all.

We are working hard to build awareness, discipline, and a strong reputation in the community. Changing people's attitudes takes time, but we believe we'll get there eventually.



Q: How has the academy helped the community?

We've supported the community in many ways. For example, we organized a Dansala event, conducted a dog vaccination campaign, and

even ran community teaching sessions for village children and nearby primary schools.

These projects help us give back to the community that supports us, and they also teach our students the value of service and teamwork.

Q: What are your thoughts on the new Newsletter Program?

The newsletter is a wonderful initiative! I've been really impressed by the commitment of the editors and organizing committee. You meet regularly, share ideas, and always seek feedback — that shows great teamwork and leadership.



This is actually a historic first for Avinya, you're setting the foundation for something lasting. The newsletter gives students the chance to show their skills, share opinions, and build confidence. It's a great learning opportunity.

Q: Finally, what message would you like to give to all students and teachers?

That's a tough question!

To the students, I'd say, never give up on your dreams. We can guide you, but the journey is yours to take. Stay committed, stay humble, and keep moving forward.

To the teachers, my message is, your work is not easy, but it's deeply meaningful. Every day, your effort shapes lives and builds a stronger community. The satisfaction of that service will stay with you forever.



Positive Thinking

Positive thinking means trying to look on the bright side, even when things are hard. When we think positive thoughts, we feel happier and stronger. For example, if we have a bad day, positive thinking helps us remember that it's just one bad day. Tomorrow can be a good day. If we fail at something, positive thinking helps us try again and not give up.

Positive thinking can also help our health. Studies show that people who think positive are less stressed and more healthy. They feel better and have more energy. Also, when we think positive, we can help others feel better too. A smile or kind words can make a big difference for our friends and family. Positive thinking can spread like sunshine to everyone around us.

But positive thinking doesn't mean ignoring problems. It means facing problems with hope and courage. It's about believing that we can find a way, even if things are hard. "Positive thinking is very powerful. It helps us feel happy, strong, and ready for anything. Let's all try to be positive every day and make the world a happier place."

Sadushi Thiekshana - Bears

The power of positive thinking

Thinking positive doesn't mean ignoring problem. It means believing you can handle them. People who stay hopeful often feel less stressed and more confident. Even small habits- like saying something nice to yourself. Writing down what you're thankful for or spending time with kind people can help you better. Life has ups and downs. but a good attitude helps you face it together.

M.Nusky - Leopards

The Little Seed

A Small seed lived in the soil.

It was dark and cold the seed wanted to grow. One day, rain came. The seed drank the water.

A little root came out.

The seed tried to grow up, but a big stone was on top.

It was hard.

The seed did not stop.

Every day, It pushed a little more.

Finally, The seed came out of the soil.

It saw the sun and grew into a big plant.

"Never give up. Even small Steps can bring big success."

Hasaranga - Bears

Self Confidence

Self confidence is the foundation of all great achievements. Self confidence is important because it helps us believe in our abilities, take on challenges and stay positive even when things get tough. You must have confidence in yourself. When you are confident, you feel brave, happy and ready to do your best. Our academy helps all students develop strong self confidence to speak confidently and boldly about their abilities.

Rasangi - Bears



Humans

People don't understand much about the hard work we put in to build a beautiful life from a young age. Even if we don't study, people still work hard to earn a living. Not everyone's life is the same, but we should treat everyone equally because no matter what level we are in. We should not forget that we were born as humans.

Shashith - Bears

Does Technology Make People More Isolated?

Technology has become an important part of our daily lives. We use phones, computers and the internet to study, work, and connect with others. While technology has many benefits, some people believe it makes us more isolated.

On one hand, technology helps people stay in touch with friends and family, even if they live far away. Social media, video calls, and messaging apps allow us to communicate instantly. Technology also makes it easy to meet new people who share the same interest.

On the other hand, technology can also cause isolation. Many people spend too much time on their phones or computers instead of talking face to face. Some prefer chatting online rather than meeting in person. This can lead to loneliness and less real-life interaction.

In conclusion, technology can both connect and isolate people. It depends on how we use it. If we balance online communication with real life relationships, technology can be a helpful tool instead of making us feel alone.

Sathmi - Bees

The use of technology in daily life

Technology has become an important part of our everyday life. We use mobile phone, computer, and the internet to connect with people, learn new things, and complete our work. Technology makes life easier and faster. For example, we can shop online, pay bills or even study from home. It also helps in health care, transport and communication.

How ever , technology should be used wisely. High usage of phones or social media can waste time and affect our health. If we use it in the right way , technology can improve our life and future.

Weyanga Anjani - Bees

My Dream

One day I saw, I was near a chocolate river. It had many sweets , many peanuts and fruits. I was confused and surprised. I jumped up and down. I was really happy. I ate all the different sweets. I saw a big chocolate and really big peanuts near the river. There were also some beautiful animals nearby.

I ate a lot of chocolate and I walked further along and saw a big beautiful kingdom. After seeing it, I wanted to go inside it. suddenly I was eaten by a small animal which woke me up from my sleep.

Nawanga - Bears



Understanding

Who are people? Why do people have a mind ? If I ask you this, what would your response be?

Life meets different people to us . But can we understand all these people. Answer is no we can't, because they are passing life stages every day. But we can try to understand people from our inner circle. They are very close to us . We can understand our children, parents, friends, husband, wife , boyfriend or girlfriend .you should understand them. Understanding mean does not that you need to give her/ him answers to their problems. You can simply listen or talk to them .you can change their wrong decisions or the whole day.You have a problem.You can tell your when close people. Sometimes you do not need to have answers to all problems.Be a good listener and understand people! Don't judge people. Remember,

"Your loved ones need a listener, not a judge "

Dilani - Bears

Others will talk about you. Even the people who laughed at you will congratulate you on the day you become a brand. Always think that you can. There is nothing you cannot do, my friend. You can overcome the challenges of this world. So, why can't you overcome this? Don't be a loser if you lose once or twice. Keep trying until the day you win.

Finally, I must say that no matter what problems come your way in life, don't stop your journey. Decide what you want and work diligently to achieve it. Read the life stories of those who have won the world. It is not as easy as you think. But the day you win, you have a beautiful story to tell.

Others will follow you and go their own way. Think about the happiness and respect that it will give you. Always remember—every time you fall, remember the happiness on your parents' faces when you won. So, work hard.

You can definitely win this game.

Muthuni Imasha - Eagles

Life Journey

Life is a journey through many obstacles. From the day we are born until the day we die, we live in the midst of many challenges. They can be good or bad; we learn from them. Therefore, our tomorrow will be better than today.

From the day we were born until now, there have been many places where we have fallen. There are many places in our lives where we have felt happy. There are many places where I have felt guilty about myself. There are many places where I thought I was the luckiest person in the world. You and I, who are reading this, have had many such places. So, why waste our entire life on one bad day?

There should be many happy days waiting for you.

You may be bored with life, you may not have a sense of what you want to do, or you may not know what you are good at or what you like. That is okay! Not everyone who has achieved success in this world started life knowing all this. So, don't think too much about it.

Think about yourself. You are the only person in this world like you. So, you don't have to like what others like. You have to change. Start thinking differently.

Rhythm of Life

Life is a river, flowing fast
Moments we treasure will never last
Each sunrise brings a brand new start
Carry hope gently in your heart

Life is a journey, Short and sweet
With joy and sorrow we all meet
Goal are the starts that guide our way
Keep moving forward, come what may

Life is a candle,glowing bright
It warms the dark with gently light
Through winds may blow and shadow fall
The flame of hope can guide us all.

Chathusha Piyumal - Bears

Miss Pradeepa Years at Avinya

We had the chance to sit down with Miss Pradeepa, who has been working at Avinya for three years. She's one of the kindest and most familiar faces around the campus, always greeting everyone with a friendly smile!

When we asked her about her time at Avinya, she said simply, "No mistakes, it's good!". She also mentioned that her relationship with the teachers, staff, and students is "good, they're all the same to me." It's clear that she values everyone equally and enjoys being part of the Avinya family.

Miss Pradeepa told us she hasn't faced any major challenges while working here. "I just carry out my duties as usual," she said calmly. It shows how dedicated and positive she is about her work.

Talking about Avinya itself, she said, "It's very important for the children, and it's good for us too." She also mentioned that safety at the Academy is great, and it's a comfortable place for everyone.

When we told her about our new magazine project, she smiled and said, "If you're doing something new like that, I think it's very good." Her encouragement really meant a lot to us!

Before wrapping up, we asked if she had any final thoughts. With her usual warmth, she said, "Avinya is good, the kids are good, and the teachers are good too. There's nothing bad to say!"

Thank you, Miss Pradeepa, for sharing your thoughts, and for always being such a cheerful and caring part of Avinya!



Importance Of Experience

Experience is very important in our life. It helps us learn things in a real and practical way. When we do something ourselves, we understand it better than just reading about it. Experience improves our skills. The more we practice, the better we become. It also helps us to build confidence and face challenges without fear. We also learn from our mistakes through experience. It teaches us what to do and what not to do. This helps us grow and improve in our personal and work life. In conclusion, experience is one of the best teachers in life, It helps us become smart, strong, and ready for the future.

Poorni Madushika - Bears

Life of Yuwi

Once there was a poor girl. Her name is Yuwi. She lived in a small village. Her family didn't have much money, but Yuwi was full of hope and dreams. Every day, she walked a long distance to school, wearing old clothes, and tried her best to study. Even though she faced many difficulties, she worked hard and continued her education with great effort. Yuwi loved reading books. She wanted to become a teacher and help the future generation. Seeing her dedication, her schoolteacher supported her. Sometimes, she felt sad and tired but she never gave up on her determination. Yuwi studied well, passed her exams, and received a scholarship to attend a good school. She made the most of this opportunity and continued her studies with even more dedication. After many years, Yuwi became a teacher. She became a great inspiration to the children and the school. Her story shows that no matter how poor you are, with courage and hard work, you can succeed and change. Your future!

P.A.U Heshani - Leopards

Young Entrepreneurs

Umaira's Art Space: A Dream Turned Into Handcrafted Happiness

I'm the proud founder of Umaira's Art Space a small but growing handmade gift business I started right after completing my O/Ls in 2022.

What began as a simple hobby making small gifts for friends and family slowly blossomed into something much bigger. I've always loved creating with my hands: personalised cards, wedding frames, cute keychains, or bouquets of paper flowers. Each creation came from the heart, and soon, people began to notice.

Encouraged by their support, I launched Umaira's Art Space, offering custom gifts for every heart and every occasion. From thoughtful hampers to delicate wish cards and handcrafted flower bouquets, my mission has always been to create something unique and meaningful for every customer.

Today, just two years later, I'm proud to have served over 400 happy customers and counting! It hasn't always been easy juggling studies, orders, and creativity, but every challenge has taught me something new. Running this business has helped me grow not only as a young entrepreneur but also as a person.

What Makes Umaira's Art Space Special?

Every item I make is fully handmade and customizable. I believe gifts are more than just products they're emotions wrapped in creativity. That's why I pay close attention to details: from colour themes to personal messages and packaging. My customers often tell me how touched they are when they receive or gift my creations and that's what keeps me going.

Looking Ahead...

My dream is to one day open a physical gift shop, where people can walk in, browse, and feel the magic of handmade gifts in person. Beyond that, I hope to inspire more young people like me to follow their creative passions and turn them into something meaningful.



Hasaranga's Journey with Green Chilli Cultivation

I started a small green chili cultivation about one year ago. It began as a side business, but every week I was able to earn a small income from it. This gave me confidence and motivation to continue.

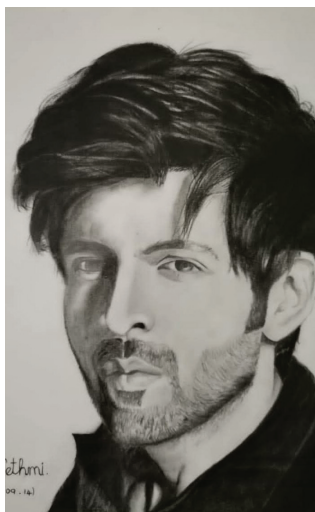
Now, I am planning to develop this business step by step. My next goal is to build a 1000 sq.ft greenhouse. I believe this will help me improve production and quality.

My dream is to grow this small start into a successful agribusiness. I want to become not only a farmer, but also an entrepreneur who can inspire others. This journey is just the beginning, and I am ready to face challenges and move forward with hope.



Turning memories into art, one portrait at a time - Nethmi Lakshani

I started hand draw portraits one year ago, I create beautiful hand draw portraits that capture your special moments and loved ones. perfect for special occasions, or adding a personal touch. Available with frame and without frame.



What I sell

Portraits

- People
- Vechicals

I have current FB account but not it promoted. I only had one order this year. This is my business update now.



My future plan

- Customizable frames and sizes
- Online gift store and delivery
- Birthday gifts to give chocolate or flowers

Baked with love, frosted with happiness. By Nethmi Kavindiya

"Kavee's Cake Spot is where every slice tells a story. We create delicious, homemade cakes and treats made with love and the finest ingredients. Whether it's a birthday, celebration, or sweet craving, Kavee's brings joy to every moment with beautiful designs and unforgettable taste."

I started a small cake business July of 2025, I run a cake business apart from my studies, I do this with a lot of passion. My main goal is to give the best product to my customers and make them happy with my cakes. I give high quality products to my customers. I hope to continue this business and develop it further in future.

What we sell:

- Birthday cake
- Wedding cake
- Lava cake
- Pot cake
- Bento cake
- Lar cake
- Cup cake

Right now, the business is going well. Every day there are orders for the business

My Future Plan

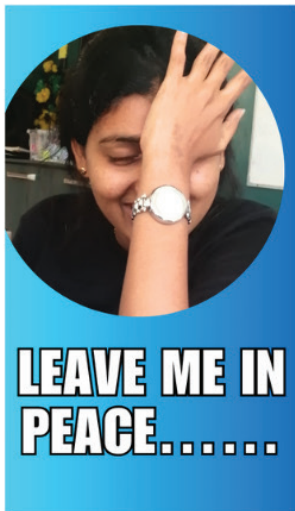
My future plan is to run the business well and earn money from it to support my studies and save money. Currently I am doing the business online through a page. In the future I hope to open my own cake shop.



POV: you didn't mean to laugh that loud.



Sir's face when Nuwanga gets late every time.



**LEAVE ME IN
PEACE.....**

**WHEN THE WIFI
FINALLY
CONNECTS.**



**STOP CALLING ME A
BURGER !**



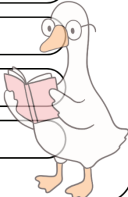
**When I see a friends who
always follows my styles.**

Name: _____ Date: _____




Edu Word Scramble

Unscramble the following Education words

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4. SSEASSMENT
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7. BOLACARLTE
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GUESS THE COUNTRY NAME

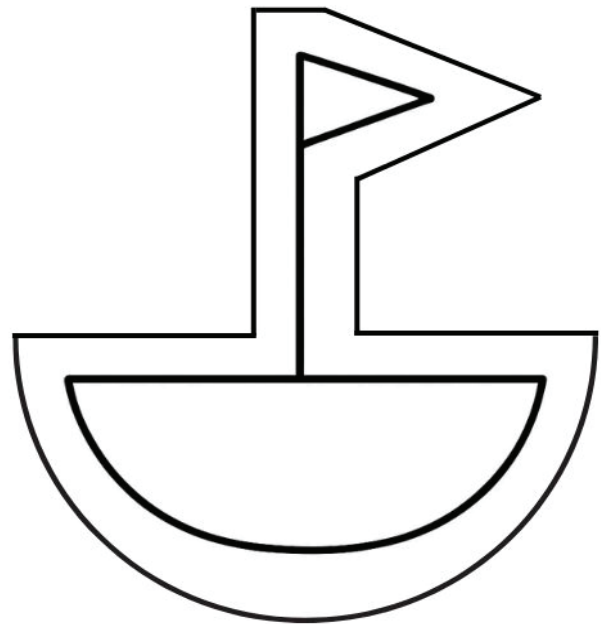
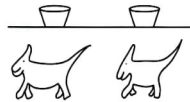
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How do you water everything when you water it once



1. How can we provide water to every animal here from the one water fountain bucket
2. For that, we use the four-sided device that we have here that can attach pipes
3. line should
4. You cannot cut lines.

How do you water everything when you water at once?

Draw this boat in one strike without lifting the pen

Choose the container that fills up the fastest:

