

## VISIT TO A FARM

On 13 February 2020, students of class V of PSBB T.Nagar, were taken for a fun-filled educational trip to the Government Horticulture Farm in Madhavaram. It was even more relevant, this year the UN's theme being International Year of Plant Health.

Mr. Ramesh, the coordinator at the farm, showed them the different types of plants that were being nurtured there. He clearly explained the features of different plants, the planting and nurturing methods that are used, benefits of doing crop rotation, etc.

The students learnt about the various stages of sowing, plant growth, green-house farming, drip irrigation/fogging technique, air layering, soil composition, manure requirement, etc. The farm visit kindled their interest towards afforestation. As an added attraction they were taken to the mini chocolate making factory inside the farm where the entire process of making chocolates was explained to them. Students also received a sapling at the end of their tour.

It was indeed a memorable trip that helped the students study, experience and understand nature.



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