

Madras Day Celebration

Madras day is a festival organized to commemorate the founding of the city of Madras (now called Chennai). Chennai turned 382 years old in this year.

Madras day was celebrated virtually at PSBB T. Nagar on 30.08.2021 on the Zoom Platform. Students of classes 4th & 5th viewed the program.



Mridula Abijeeth – Std 5 C
Compering the programme

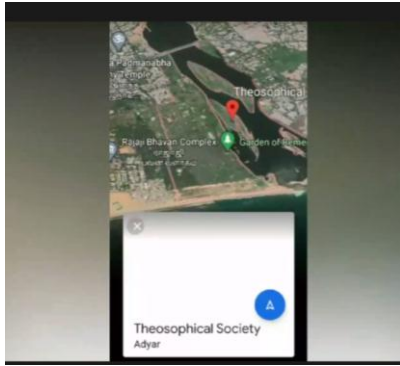


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Introduction

A screenshot of a PowerPoint presentation titled "History of Madras". The slide contains three bullet points and two images. The first bullet point states: "On 22nd August 1639, Nayaks(an army commander during that period) with the permission from Vijayanagar Empire gave four villages(Malapet, Aarupet, Chennaikupam, Madraskupam) to the British East India Company for rent." The second bullet point states: "These four villages were combined and named as Madras by the East India Company. **Madras Day** is a festival organized to commemorate the founding of the city of Madras." The third bullet point states: "The term 'Madras' was later changed to 'Chennai' in the year 1996." The images include a historical painting of a group of people and a photograph of a large building. A Zoom interface is visible on the right side of the slide, showing a small video feed of a participant.

Kavya Dalmia – 4 B – Why Madras Day?

The programme began with a Prayer. This was followed by a Powerpoint presentation which highlighted the historically important places and interesting facts about Chennai. Students went on a virtual tour to various landmarks of Chennai. To test the knowledge of students about their city, a Google form Quiz was conducted. Students participated enthusiastically.



Virtual tour



Srihari – 5 A
Trivia of Madras

A power point on some interesting trivia about Madras was shared. The program evoked a great response and not only increased the awareness about Madras but also made everyone proud of being a Chennaite.

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