

Balavihar Sunday School – 4th Grade Orientation & Overview

Class Details

- ❖ Sundays 11:20 am – 12:20 pm, Rm. 557A upper room 2 right
- ❖ Teacher: Prerna Gupta
Contact: prernaguptausa@gmail.com, (615) 587-9091 [by text message]
Teaching assistant: Mudra Gupta
- ❖ 75% attendance & 75% HW required for *Certificate of Completion*
- ❖ Have a folder to store and bring HW in

Curriculum

- ❖ Values: truth, nonviolence, purity, friendship, etc.; absence of anger, greed, jealousy, etc.; connections to Hinduism
- ❖ Brief discussions of major festivals
- ❖ Shlokas (1 fall, 1 spring)
- ❖ Community Service day (1 fall, 1 spring) – through Balavihar Community Enrichment Program
- ❖ Interactive lecture and discussion, paired with activities and class projects
- ❖ Brief HW each class, due beginning of next class

General Information

- ❖ Weekly emails
- ❖ Lessons and information available at <https://sites.google.com/site/sundayschoolnashville/>
- ❖ Parent Involvement – Sign up to come and help during a class once a semester. (required)
Additional volunteer options listed on website.
- ❖ Substitute teacher(s) – needed in case we are not available
 - Sep 7: substitute needed, please!!!
Contact me if interested. Lesson and instructions will be provided.
- ❖ Picnic on Sept 21 – please bring disposable materials. Details are on Evite.
- ❖ Annual Day (April 26 & May 3, 2015) – class presentation/performance to entire school, outlining what they have learned
 - Room parent – help with planning and execution would be much appreciated!
Contact me if interested.