



## I CAN! — Laugh And Learn

*Summer is a time to explore, imagine, and create memories that last forever!*

*Dear Students,*

Summer Vacation is a welcome break... a break from routine, rules, and regulations of school. Summertime is synonymous with fun, frolic, getting up late in the morning, playing for longer hours with friends, going for picnics, exploring new places, and watching fun-filled shows on television. While you enjoy your holidays, don't forget to spend some time every day doing things that help you learn and grow. Read interesting story books, try your hand at a new hobby like painting, dancing, or gardening, and help your parents with small household chores. Take time to reflect, be creative, and stay curious about the world around you.

 *Dear Little Explorers and Families,*

At Manava Bharati India International School, we believe every child is full of magic—the kind that grows when you play, imagine, and try new things. This summer, we're introducing a fun idea: Design Thinking—a playful way to solve problems by being curious, kind, and creative.

 *I Can Think, Create & Explore!*

Design Thinking helps children: Observe what's around them Imagine ways to help or improve, Try out creative ideas, Learn through doing, Share and care with others. Our holiday activities are designed to nurture these skills through joyful, hands-on experiences.



By the end of the holidays, they'll be excited to say, "Look what I CAN do!"

### Instructions:

- Kindly submit your work in a neatly labeled A4-sized newspaper folder and upload the videos to the designated folder in Google Classroom.
- Creativity and originality of the work will be appreciated.
- Submit your work by Tuesday, 15 July 2025 at the latest.

## I CAN create "My Holiday Collage"

Design Thinking Focus: Reflection, Storytelling, and Visual Expression.

*"Family is where life begins and love never ends. Every moment spent together becomes a memory to cherish forever."*

Dear Parents

As your child completes the activities mentioned below, kindly click photos along the way. Then, arrange all the photos into a collage on a single PowerPoint slide to showcase their work during the summer vacation.

### Please note:

- Use only one slide in A4 size PowerPoint to create the collage.
- Arrange the photos creatively and neatly.
- Once done, take a coloured printout of the slide in A4 size.

**Note:** Kindly refer to the linked sample for creative ideas on making a Holiday Collage.

**Link:** [PS SAMPLE: HOLIDAY COLLAGE](#)



# **I CAN** Celebrate A Day Filled With Love!

Design Thinking Focus: Empathy, connection, and meaningful experiences.

*"Dads are like peanut butter; they might be a little sticky or a bit nutty, but they're always smooth, sweet, and make life better—especially for their children."*

## **DAD 'My Super hero'**

**Father's Day** is a celebration of fathers, fatherhood, parental bonds, and the roles played by the fathers in society. It is celebrated on the third Sunday of June every year. It is a day to say thank you for their love, help, and all they have done for us. Children often show their appreciation through heartfelt messages, handmade cards, and small tokens of love.

### **Activity 1: Fun time with DAD on Father's Day**

Link: [My Special Day With Dad](#)

### **Activity 2: Enjoy by listening to the song while making Teddy Bear Toast with Dad.**

Link: [Happy Father's Day](#)

*Record a short video of your child preparing the Father's Day Teddy Bear Toast and upload the same in the Google Classroom. Don't forget to take a few pictures for the collage as well!*



# **I CAN** Share Amazing Stories with Confidence!

**Design Thinking Focus: Self-expression, voice, and audience connection.**

*"Today a reader, Tomorrow a leader." - Margaret Fuller*

Books are our Friends. Please ensure children spend more time with books than TV and gadgets. Share stories about your childhood and family members with them. Kindly read as much as you can over the holidays.

Reading not only improves language skills but also sparks imagination and creativity.

A quiet reading corner at home can become your child's favorite place to explore new worlds.

Make reading a joyful daily habit, and let books become their lifelong companions.

**Activity 1:** Children can dress up as their favourite storybook characters, using simple props to narrate or act out a story in their own words, bringing the stories to life!

*Choose any one of these stories:*

- ★ What the Ladybird Heard
- ★ The Three little Pigs
- ★ A Very Hungry Caterpillar
- ★ The Monkey And The Cap Seller
- ★ Goldilocks And The Three Bears
- ★ The Lion And The Mouse



- ★ Record a short video and upload it to the designated folder in Google Classroom to showcase your little storyteller in action. Don't forget to take a few pictures for the collage as well!

## **I CAN** Spread Love by Celebrating Nature — World Environment Day

Design Thinking Focus: Care, responsibility, and environmental awareness.

*"Always do your best. What you plant now, you will harvest later." - Og Mandino*

**World Environment Day**, celebrated on June 5th, reminds us to care for our planet. Every small eco-friendly action counts. For our little learners, watching a plant grow is a magical way to connect with nature and learn the value of conservation.

### **Activity 1: I Can Grow and Glow: Planting in a Kulhad!**

Make good use of an **earthen pot** by planting fast-growing seeds like wheat for wheatgrass! In just a few days, you'll enjoy watching your plant grow. Once ready, you can snip the fresh green leaves to eat or make a healthy juice from them—perfect for a refreshing, homemade treat! Growing wheatgrass is easy and fun, boosts immunity, encourages healthy eating, and is an eco-friendly way to connect with nature.



Note: Click pictures while doing the activity for the collage.

## I CAN Help at Home – My Little Duties

Design Thinking Focus: Responsibility, independence, and family teamwork.

*"Even the smallest hands can make a big difference."*

**Activity 1:** Little hands love to help! Simple chores can spark big confidence and a sense of teamwork and capture photos for the collage.

Let your child try small duties like:

- ❖ Setting the table
- ❖ Tidying up toys
- ❖ Folding napkins or laundry
- ❖ Watering plants
- ❖ Feeding a pet
- ❖ Filling the water bottles

**Activity 2:** Acts of Kindness Tracker

Make a simple weekly chart and add stars or stickers for every kind act your child does—like setting the table, helping a sibling, or being polite. Celebrate every small step with praise and encouragement.



# **I CAN** Create And Explore: Dab, Press, and Pop with Colour!

**Design Thinking Focus: Experimentation, sensory play, and artistic expression.**

*"Every dab, press, and pop is a splash of imagination!"*

**Activity:** A fun, sensory-friendly painting activity for kids to develop fine motor skills and creativity!

## **Materials Required:**

- ★ Balloons
- ★ Paint
- ★ A4 sheet

## **Instructions:**

- ★ Inflate the balloons slightly. Dip the round end of the balloon into paint and dab it onto the paper.
- ★ Experiment with overlapping colors, patterns, and shapes like flowers or suns.

## **Tips for Fun:**

- ★ Choose engaging themes like Rainbow Garden or Garden Scene
- ★ Discuss colors and textures.
- ★ Let your creativity flow—design your own masterpiece.

*Note: Click pictures for the collage.*





Wishing you a wonderful Summer Vacation until we meet again on  
**Wednesday, 02 July 2025!**