



# St. John's E.M. High School

(Affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi)

Vijayawada

**NATIONAL HANDLOOM DAY, 7<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2023**

## **LOOM THE YARN; HANDLOOM AN INDIA LEGACY**

The day is celebrated to commemorate the contribution of the weaving community to the socio-economic development of the country. Weaving ideas for kids are beneficial in developing their fine motor and cognitive skills. It enhances their imagination, improves concentration, and unleashes creativity.

We, at St. John's are inviting students to come up with any one of the activities.

### **1. MINI WALL HANGINGS**

- Can make hangings using a sturdy twig or a wooden dowel as a base. Get a weaving loom kit, braid the yarn, and create a simple woven pattern. Build your own wall craft.



### **2. CUPBOARD CIRCLE WEAVING**

- Can start by carving slits on the circumference of a cut-out cardboard wheel. Then, tie the yarn through the centre and go over each slit to create a pattern. You can add wooden beads if you like.



### 3. PAPER PLATE WOVEN FLOWERS

- Cut out petals from paper plates and weave them in place by going under and across the flower petals with a thread. Create a loop in the centre with colourful yarn or threads.



### 4. PAPER CUP WEAVING CRAFT

- It can be done by cutting a cup into strips from top to bottom and leaving the strips attached at the base. Make your tiny tot weave in and out between the strips and around the cup.



You can come up with more inventive activities. You are open for this.

