

## **Theme/Þemu 2016-2017**

### **"Universalism"**

No 'ism' except universalism can be tolerated in the educational system."—P.R. Sarkar A Universal outlook is nurtured which transcends caste, creed, color, race and gender. This includes an appreciation of historic contributions to human society from all people and promoting the ethic of society as 'one universal family'. Neo Humanism recognizes only the broadest sentiment of Universalism, which embraces all the entities of the Cosmos, including plants, animals and the inanimate world, and rejects all other dogmatic sentiments which impose limitations on the human mind. These include: geo-sentiment (partiality to one's territory), socio-sentiment (partiality to one's community), human sentiment (partiality to humans), etc.

**Theme:** — Since development, intellectual as well as emotional, respect for others and the environment make up the main pillars of our teaching, we have incorporated them into themes that run like common threads through our school year as well as our teaching methods. These themes are incorporated in the daily life of the kids through projects, books, counting, writing, singing, dance et

1. Ég sjálf/ur (Myself) 28. ágúst- 9. September
2. Fjölskyldan mín (My family) 12.-23. September
3. Fólkið í kringum mig og vinnan þeirra (People around us) 25. september.-6. okt.
4. Fólk alls staðar að úr heiminum (People from all over the world) 9.-20. október
5. Kærleikur og Guð (Love and God) -- 23. október-3. nóvember
6. Himingeimurinn (The universe)- 6. -17. nóvember
7. Loft (Air) -- 20.-29. nóvember
8. Jólaundirbúnin (Christmas preparation) -- 1. -15. desember
9. Eldur og stjörnur (fire and star) -- 1.-12. janúar
10. Vatn (Water) -- 15. – 26. janúar
11. Steinar, klettar og fjöll (Stones, rocks, and Mountains) -- 29. Jan. –9. febrúar
12. Skriðdýr 13. -28. febrúar
13. Dýr í sjónum (sea creatures) -- 1. -10. mars
14. Fuglar og páskaudirbúnin (Birds and Easter preparations) -- 13.-24. mars
16. Planet, Umhverfisþemað -- 26.mars.-6. Apríl

17. Húsdýr -- 9.apríl.- 20.apríl

18. Villt dýr (Wild animals) -- 23 apríl - 4 maí

19. Plöntur, blóm og tré 7.-18. maí

20. Skordýr 21.- 30. maí

21. Yama 1.-15. Júní

21. Niyam -- 18 -22 juní