

Report on Interreligious Dialogue: Creating awareness at Mt. St. Mary's school, Nadi.

On 5th of November 2025, I conducted an awareness session at Mt. St. Mary's Catholic Primary School on the theme "Interreligious Dialogue" to the year 7 and 8 students. The aim of this program was to promote understanding, respect, and harmony among students of different faith traditions by highlighting the shared spiritual values found in all religions. In addition, I shared a presentation on Interfaith collaboration, explaining the meaning and importance of interreligious dialogue as a necessary condition for building mutual understanding and unity in a diverse society. The slides also showcased examples of cooperative efforts among faith communities working together for the common good.



During the session, I presented the Golden Rule Poster, which displayed 13 scripture texts from various religious traditions. Each text conveyed a common spiritual message of love, compassion, and respect for others, illustrating that all faiths uphold similar moral principles that foster peace and coexistence.



Together with the teachers joining in, a highlight of the session was an inspiring activity where students from different faith backgrounds demonstrated how they pray in their own

traditions. This segment allowed students to witness and appreciate the beauty of diverse religious practices and the shared reverence for the divine that unites all believers.



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The students participated enthusiastically and expressed genuine interest in learning about other faiths. The session successfully fostered an atmosphere of openness, empathy, and friendship, encouraging young minds to become ambassadors of peace, love, friendship in their daily lives.

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