



WATA TeluguBadi Newsletter

Our Mission

Promote and encourage young children to learn our Mother Tongue Telugu, which plays a vital role in strengthening our cultural identity and heritage in the global world.

Our Objective

- Teach children to speak, read and write in Telugu Language
- Significance of Mother tongue
- Appreciate our culture and heritage

Background History

Several small group attempts were made from many years to teach Telugu to children in Western Australia considering this is the most important step to keep-up Telugu culture. As the population of Telugu speaking people increased vastly during the last 5 years in WA, many more attempts were made to establish a Telugu language school in WA.

WATA conducted small group languages classes in the recent years especially since 2011. WATA TeluguBadi initiative has been started in November 2015 and is successfully running now.

Present Teaching Levels

Foundation Level

- This level is to teach Kindy and pre-primary children. They will practice alphabets and learn simple Telugu words related to alphabets.

Level 1

- Alphabets – Identify and write all 56 letters
- Vocabulary – Words for each alphabets, numbers 1 to 50, weekdays, colours, animals, birds, fruits and vegetables.
- Speaking – Able to translate simple and small sentences to Telugu, memorize and recite at least 5 rhymes and poems.

Level 2

- Vocabulary – Names of body parts, tastes, names of months, seasons, relations, and numbers 50 to 100.
- Speaking – Able to translate sentences / phrases into Telugu, memorize and recite 5 to 8 podupu kathalu and samethalu.
- Reading and Writing – Read and write simple sentences / phrases by using gunintamulu and vattulu

Student Activities

Bayswater Centre



Willetton Centre



TeluguBadi Prayer

1. ShuklaAmbara Dharam Vishnum Shashi
Varnam Chatur Bhujam
Prasanna Vadanam Dhyayet Sarva
Vighnopashaantaye
Agajanana Padmarkam Gajananam-
Aharnisham
Anekadam Tam Bhaktanam Ekadantam
Upasmahe
2. Saraswati Namastubhyam Varade
Kaama-Roopini
Vidyaarambham Karishyaami Siddhir-
Bhavatu Me Sadaa
3. GururBrahma GururVishnu GururDevo
Maheshwaraha
Guru Saakshaat ParaBrahma Tasmai Sri
Gurave Namaha

Reminders to Students / Parents

- Complete your home work
- Practice the Telugu words given to you for homework
- Bring all the books
- Bring pencils, colour pencils, eraser, small scissors and glue stick



Term 2 Holidays

TeluguBadi will close during Term 2 School Holidays

Bayswater center – no classes on 8, 15 July 2017
Willetton Centre – no classes on 9, 16 July 2017

Term 3 Classes

TeluguBadi re-opens for Term 3 as per below dates

Bayswater center – 22 July 2017
Willetton Centre – 23 July 2017

Upcoming Events

Family Fun Day

Date: 2 July 2017

Time: 1.30pm to 4.30pm

Venue: Rostrata Family Centre,
Penderwick Reserve, Willetton, 6155

Great opportunity for the families to meet, mingle and spend quality time with other families. Lot of Telugu cultural games are available for children and parents.

Every student will receive a prize for participation.

Center locations, Timings and Volunteer Teachers

North of River - Bayswater Centre:

Sai Baba Temple, 13 Murray Street,
Bayswater WA 6053

Every Saturday - 1.30pm to 3.00pm

Volunteer teachers: Srivivas Rao Kambala
and Kamala Rani Karada

South of River - Willetton Centre:

Rostrata Family Centre, Penderwick Reserve,
Penderwick way, Willetton WA 6155

Every Sunday – 2.30pm to 4.00pm

Volunteer teachers: Padma Boyapati and
Jyothi Indurthi

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