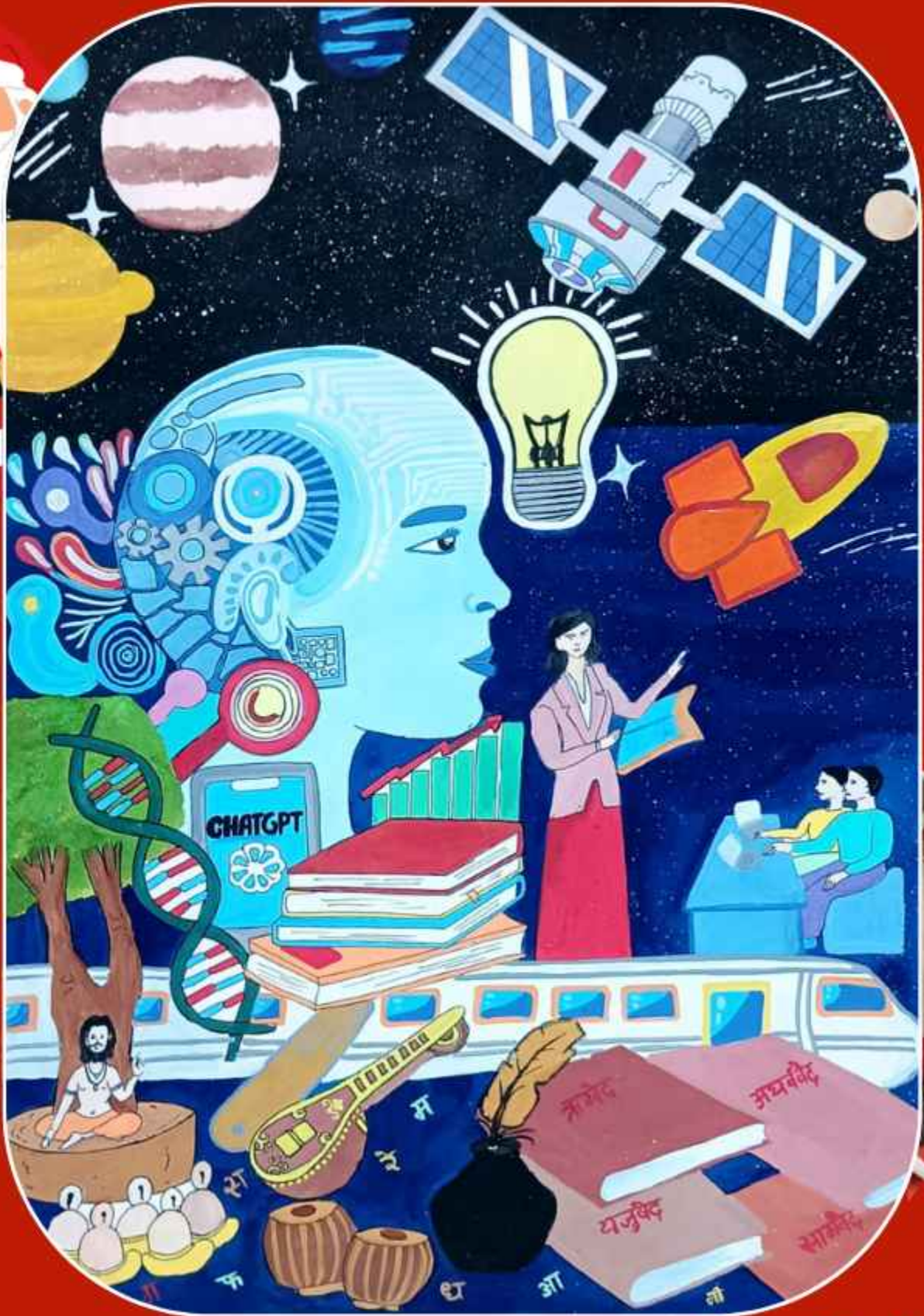


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New Year*

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Baba's 100th Birthday



The school reverberated with devotion and joy as we celebrated the Centenary Birthday of Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba, a momentous occasion marking 100 years of His Divine presence and message. The celebration began with melodious devotional songs rendered by the children, filling the auditorium with serenity and spiritual warmth. Each bhajan echoed Baba's teachings of love, service and universal harmony.

A special 'Birthday Song for Baba' added a festive touch, as the children sang with heartfelt devotion and zeal, offering their love and gratitude at His Divine Lotus Feet. The highlight of the morning was a beautiful video presentation, capturing the essence of Baba's life, His humanitarian projects and the timeless values He gifted to the world.

Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra in her address encouraged the children to be true messengers of Baba by following the values imparted by Him. The atmosphere was vibrant, uplifting and deeply moving, reminding everyone of Baba's message: "Love All, Serve All".

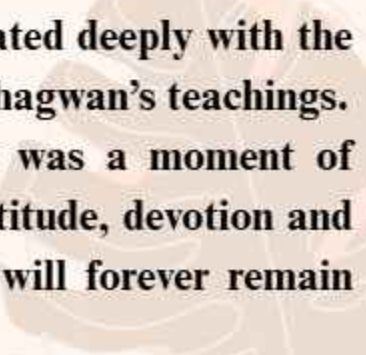




LIVE SCREENING OF CENTENARY CELEBRATION FROM PUTTAPARTHI



The students were truly blessed with a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity as they witnessed the live screening of the **Honourable Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi's visit to Puttaparthi** for the grand Centenary Celebration of Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. The atmosphere in the classrooms turned deeply devotional as the children watched the sacred event unfold, feeling an overwhelming sense of pride and spiritual connection. The Prime Minister's reverent presence, coupled with the divine ambience of Prasanthi Nilayam, made the experience profoundly inspiring for young minds. His address on the occasion highlighted Bhagwan's global contributions to education and healthcare and urged everyone to walk the path of selfless service and compassion. The heart-touching cultural performances showcased during the event left the students spellbound. Each presentation beautifully reflected the values of love, service and unity that Bhagwan stood for. The screening also featured personal experiences shared by renowned personalities like Sachin Tendulkar and Aishwarya Rai Bachchan, whose heartfelt tributes added depth and warmth to the celebration. Their words resonated deeply with the children, helping them understand the far-reaching impact of Bhagwan's teachings. For the students, this screening was more than an event, it was a moment of spiritual awakening. It instilled in them a renewed sense of gratitude, devotion and commitment to the ideals of selfless service. The experience will forever remain etched in their hearts as a treasured memory.



INSPIRING EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

An enlightening and highly engaging interactive session was conducted for the teachers by the distinguished Chartered Accountant, CA A. C. Chakraborty. The event was graced by the esteemed presence of the Chairman, Dr. Ramesh Baheti, Honorary Secretary, Mr. Tribhuvan Sachdeva, Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra, Mr. Kailash Garg, Mr. Vijay Sohni and Mr. Amar Chandani whose encouragement added immense value to the proceedings.

Mr. Chakraborty emphasized that teachers possess the remarkable power to transform lives and shape society. He highlighted that profound subject knowledge, strong foresight and a progressive mindset are the essential qualities of a true educator. Stressing that the world is rapidly changing, he urged teachers to embrace new ideas, adapt to evolving teaching techniques and constantly update themselves with current knowledge.

He inspired the teachers to take pride in their noble profession and recognize the pivotal role they play in grooming young, smart-thinking intellectuals who will contribute meaningfully as responsible future citizens of the nation.

The session also included an interactive segment, where Mr. Chakraborty patiently addressed the queries of teachers with clarity and insight.

Overall, the session proved to be motivating, thought-provoking and deeply meaningful, leaving the educators enriched with renewed dedication and purpose.



Bal Vigyan

Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore, successfully hosted the prestigious Cluster I Senior Biology Balvigyan Presentation on Thursday, 27th Nov 2025.

The event saw enthusiastic participation from 17 teams from reputed CBSE schools of the city presenting innovative biological projects aligned with the theme:

★ 'STEM for Viksit and Atmanirbhar Bharat' (STEM for Developed and Self-Reliant India)

A warm welcome was extended by Principal

Dr. Anju Chopra to the teams and the panel of distinguished judges-

Dr. Tasneem Rangwala

Mr. Shashank Jain

Dr. Rajshree Kabra

WINNERS' HIGHLIGHTS 🏆

Best Overall Presentation:

Advanced Academy

Delhi Public School Nipania

The Shishukunj International School

Best Idea related to the Theme:

SICA School No. 2, Sch. No. 54

Best Content and Knowledge Award:

Agrawal Public School

Best Aim and Utility Award:

DCM School

Best Researched Project Award:

The Bhavans' Prominent International

Best Question Award:

IPS Eastern Campus



Kudos to all the young scientists for their originality and dedication to fostering a self-reliant India!





VISIT TO IIM INDORE



198 Commerce and Humanities stream children of classes XI & XII alongwith 8 teachers had the opportunity to visit the prestigious Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Indore on 27th November 2025 as a part of the school's academic enrichment programme.

The visit was aimed to expose the children to one of India's leading management institutions and helping them understand the academic opportunities, campus environment and future prospects associated with higher education in management. They were accorded a warm welcome by Mr. Jainath Yadav, Officer – Protocol, IIM Indore. Mr. Yadav addressed the students and gave a detailed and insightful introduction about the history, achievements and global ranking of IIM Indore. He further elaborated on the Integrated Programme in Management (IPM) a unique five-year programme designed for students after Class XII. His explanation covered the programme's structure, curriculum, internship opportunities, career pathways, its excellent placement record and global recognition including the admission criteria of the IPMAT examination, eligibility conditions and the importance of overall personality and academic preparation. He also spoke on future career prospects in the field of management, entrepreneurship, corporate leadership and various emerging domains.

The children were also given a campus tour of the picturesque and sprawling IIM Indore campus. The children were overawed by the state-of-the-art infrastructure and the facilities at the campus. The children enthusiastically put forth their queries regarding the student life, faculty, research opportunities, internships and placement processes there.

The cherry on the cake was the sumptuous special lunch arranged by the school at the IIM canteen.

The visit proved to be a memorable and a great learning experience for all.





CHILDREN'S DAY

Children's Day was celebrated with immense joy and excitement, filling the atmosphere with laughter and delight. The morning began with merry, glowing faces of the children dressed in colourful attire. The celebration began with Omkaar and Bhajans to invoke the blessings of the Almighty. This was followed by a humorous crazy news-reading segment by the teachers, which had the children laughing wholeheartedly. A melodious medley of songs was also presented by the teachers. A thought-provoking skit performed by the teachers added depth to the occasion, reminding everyone of the true essence of learning. The programme concluded with cheers and smiles.





Bal Mandir Children's Day Celebration

Children's Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and joy. The entire campus was filled with excitement and thrill. The children entered the school with blooming smiles seeing the beautiful balloon decoration done for their welcome.

The program began with the warm and inspiring welcome address by Principal Ma'am. The teachers presented the assembly in the child like way which was applauded by the children whole heartedly. This was followed by a colourful cultural program organized by the teachers to show their love and affection for the students. There was lively dance performances, medley of songs and a quiz brought smiles to everyone's faces.

Cute takeaways and delicious icecream with lunch was a cherry on the cake.

The Children's Day celebration concluded on a joyful note, making it a memorable day filled with fun and happiness.





Bal Mandir Annual Function

The Bal Mandir Annual Function was celebrated with great grandeur and enthusiasm, creating an unforgettable cultural experience for everyone present.

The tiny tots left everyone spellbound as their nimble fingers moved effortlessly on the instruments creating a magical symphony.

The auspicious Ganesh Vandana presented by the children added a traditional and devotional touch, invoking blessings for the successful celebration.

The highlight of the function was the grand cultural presentation on the theme “Saptasya Mahima”, an innovative showcase that explored the significance and mystical charm of the number seven. Through dance, drama and music, the performers illustrated how the number seven is interwoven into nature, culture and human life.

The soul-stirring musical concert of Kabir bhajans by Padma Shri Shri Kaluram Bamniya, whose powerful and melodious renditions set a divine tone for the event was much appreciated by all.

The programme concluded with resounding applause and admiration from all.





SENIOR SCHOOL ANNUAL FUNCTION

The zestful Annual Function, 2025 was a great success with the bountiful blessings of Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. The occasion was graced by Honourable Shri Ashok Chavan as the Chief Guest and renowned Indian film actor Mr. Raza Murad as the Guest of Honour.

In keeping with the school's rich tradition, the teachers who completed 25 years of dedicated service were felicitated in the esteemed presence of the distinguished guests, Chairman, Dr. Ramesh Baheti, Honorary Secretary, Mr. Tribhuvan Sachdeva, Honorary Treasurer, CA Shyam Bhatia and Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra. This year Mrs. Vandana Daji, Mr. Prashant Desai, Mr. Yashwardhan Bhatt and Mr. Dilip Vyas were honoured with the Long Service Award. They were given a Citation and a cheque of ₹1 lakh.

An additional highlight of the evening was the recognition of the outstanding achievements of the students. Ms. Ananya Sharma was awarded the 'Academic Excellence Award', Ms. Angel Tiwari received the 'Rajkunwar Baheti Award', the 'Lt. Gautam Jain Award' was bestowed upon Ms. Ishika Khandelwal and alumnus, Dr. Aayush Patel was conferred with the 'Sai Student Award'. All the awardees were given a Citation and a Medal of Excellence.

Centred around the inspiring theme 'Navdha Bhakti', the programme beautifully showcased devotional expressions through music, dance and drama. Our talented musicians presented a mellifluous symphony showcasing the folk tunes of the different states of India. The school band impressed everyone by recreating the lilting tunes of James Bond, Harry Potter etc.

The Chief Guest and the Guest of Honour highly appreciated state-of-the-art facilities and the value-based education of the school. They also applauded the impressive performances and the commendable efforts of the students and teachers.

The celebration concluded on a joyous note, leaving lasting memories for all present.





Recognition is the greatest motivator!!!



As a magnanimous gesture, Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra presented chocolates to the children who diligently played the part of the narrators and compered in the Annual Function to encourage them to further strive for excellence.

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Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore



**"Echoes of Euphoria: A Tribute to
Brilliance"**

Words of Appreciation for the Annual Function

Sai Ram Sir,

What we witnessed in School Annual Functions yesterday and today being parent of Vianna Jain and Kiyansh Jain was a perfect combination of impeccable arrangements and scintillating performances by the students.

Kudos to the entire management, teachers and staff at Satya Sai Vidya Vihar. 👍

We feel blessed to have Vianna and Kiyansh blossom under the guiding principles of Baba at Satya Sai Vidya Vihar. 🌹

Once again, a heartfelt thanks to you for giving us this opportunity to have Vianna and Kiyansh be a part of this institution. 🙏

*Warm Regards,
Saurabh Jain
Supriya Jain*



Sai Ram Ma'am

Heartiest congratulations on the grand success of the Annual Function. The programme was truly wonderful, and the parents were extremely happy. Many of them shared that every year Sathya Sai School, through its Annual Function, presents a thoughtfully designed script with a meaningful message that connects them at a deeper spiritual level and also provides valuable indirect learning to the students. With a smile, some parents also observed that even at the end of the programme, students were happily busy with their fruity and chips 😊😊—reflecting how thoughtfully the school had taken care of the children's meals throughout the day, along with the discipline, environment, and positive ambience maintained during the event.

It truly reflects your dedication, vision, and leadership 🙏🙏🙏 I feel truly blessed to be working under your guidance, Ma'am 😊😊.

Regards.

Dear Ma'am, Sai Ram,

Congratulations to you and the entire management for making Annual Function on such a large scale.

I offer my salute to all your extremely talented Music, Dance, and craft teachers.

My daughter Aditi Dongre is in 12th std and this is her last year in this School. I have witnessed the Annual function every year. It is impossible to give such a kind of presentation without your support.

Bhagwan Baba's supreme blessings made everything at the highest level.

Thank you so much Ma'am for everything.

Pallavi Dongre

Excellent programme Anju ji, very well coordinated and beautiful messages, conveyed to one and all. Your speech was depicting the progress of school and your concern for your whole team. The messages of the two dignitaries clearly showed their pleasure in seeing the school doing so well, in all the spheres and upholding the high moral values for children. Ramesh Bhaiyas address, made the whole programme as a family affair, connecting parents, grandparents, students, old and present and all in to a big Satya Sai family. Infact I also feel happy to be associated with the Satya Sai family. Through the school I am living my childhood again. My heartfelt gratitude to all of u for making my life, more meaningful and I wish the school reaches more heights and becomes number one in everything. Congratulations and all the best. Sai Ram,



Hello Ma'am, Thank you for sharing the video. Watching it brought back a strong sense of nostalgia and fond memories of my time at Sathya Sai School. It truly made me wish that my children could experience the same environment and values. Unfortunately, due to my professional commitments in Hyderabad, they are currently enrolled in a school here. Regards, Gaurav Jain 1999 passout from SSSV




Nice work. It was really heartening to see the school after so many years. The Video is beautiful and brought back some memories of my childhood. My entire schooling was completed at Sathya Sai so I have seen the School grow from Montessori at Manoramaganj, to Old Palasia to where it is now at the then AB Road, now Agra Mumbai Road. Best wishes always...!

Warm regards, Sameet Joshi

Respected Sir/Madam, I would like to express my sincere appreciation and heartfelt gratitude to the entire management, teachers, and students for the magnificent Annual Day celebration. The performances were truly overwhelming, reflecting not only the immense talent of the students but also the dedication, discipline, and values imparted by the school. Each presentation was thoughtfully planned and beautifully executed, showcasing a perfect blend of culture, creativity, confidence, and teamwork. The effort and guidance of the teachers were clearly visible in every performance, making the evening memorable and inspiring. It was a privilege to witness such an enriching program, and I deeply appreciate the hard work of everyone involved in making the Annual Day a grand success. With warm regards, Shailesh gupta (father of Pranavi gupta 26-27)

A big thank you to all the teachers and staff for the amazing effort behind the annual function. Everything was so well planned and it truly showed. Also proud of all the students, their confidence and performances were wonderful to watch. Thank you for giving our children such a lovely experience 🌸🍷

Well organised show....and superb performance thank you to all the teachers ...🍷



A heartfelt thank you to all the teachers and staff for the wonderful effort put into the annual function. Everything was beautifully organized, and it truly reflected your dedication. Watching the students perform with such confidence was a proud and joyful experience. Thank you for giving our children such a memorable opportunity 🌟

Thank you so much Ma'am n Sir for guiding the children and helping them perform so beautifully on stage. Your hard work, patience, and dedication truly showed in their performance 🌟

Thank you so much Respected Teachers for your support and coordination 🌟👏

Your support and coordination make this happen again

Really... It's truly awesome performance...ur guidance & children's hardwork is appreciable 🌟
... A big congratulations to theatre group 🌟🌟

Dear Teachers,
Your hard work, patience, and dedication truly shone through. The way you managed the kids, taught them such beautiful dance performances, and encouraged their enthusiastic participation was truly admirable.
We are grateful for the love, effort, and energy you put into making the day so special for our children. Thank you for helping them learn, grow, and shine with confidence.
Sal Ram to everyone.

Superb performance 🌟🌟

Thankyou so much to the school for the incredible evening and great coordination between children and well taken care of all the facilities, we are grateful 🌟it was amazingg 🌟

Thank you so much. 🌟👏
Everyone Respected Teachers for your Support and cordination, ❤️👏

A heartfelt gratitude to the teachers for such an amazing program ❤️
Thank you so much



Thank you, ma'am/for taking such wonderful care of our children during the Annual Function. Your patience, support, and dedication mean a lot to us. We truly appreciate all your efforts.

Thank you to all the teachers for your hard work and taking care of our children..... function was too good and very well managed 🙏🙏

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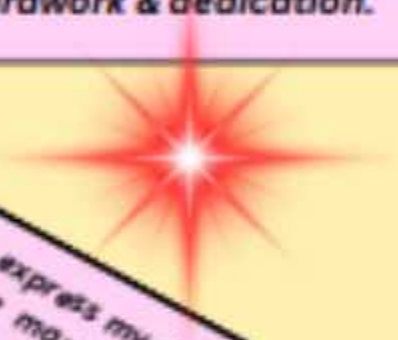
Wonderful program.
Smooth flow,
impeccable performances and superb synchronisation was made possible with hardwork & guidance of Teachers & Mentors.

Thank you so much Mam for everything making the day so special thanks to all staff for working hard on our kids.
Sairam to all .

Amazing annual function ...
kudos to all the teachers...

Thanks to all beloved teachers 🍋


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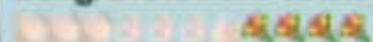
Thank you for mentoring the children and for your
efforts.



Thankyou to all the
teachers and
volunteers for their
efforts in making
this annual function
a beautiful memory
for our children.🌟

Thank you so much Ma'am for
everything N congratulations to
entire team bcoz the program
was outstanding n your efforts
are speechless

Congratulations to all of you



Thank you so much
Harsha mam, Priyanka
mam, Asha mam, Kamini
mam and Snigdha mam
for guiding us for our
Durga dance. Your
support, patience, and
hard work made the
performance truly special.
We enjoyed learning and
practicing under your
guidance, and this
experience will always be
memorable for us. Thank
you for everything! ❤️

A big round of applause
to all the teachers and
the team for conducting
such a marvelous
program 🌟🌟🌟🌟

Heartiest
Congratulations to
all the Teachers,
Mentors, Students,
Volunteers, Didis &
Bhaiyas for this
wonderful day....



3 Cheers to
Contemporary
Dance Team... 🎉🎉



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the team for conducting
such a marvelous
program 🌟🌟🌟🌟


Wonderful performance 🎉🎉
really grateful to all the
teachers for their endless
endeavours in putting up such
a spectacular event 🌟🌟

Awesome annual
function, thank u
teachers and staff



To the Teachers.... Annual
Function was a great
success....amazing script, very
beautiful props... congratulations
to the Team 🌟🌟🌟

Heartiest Congratulations to
all the Teachers, Mentors,
Students, Volunteers, Didis &
Bhaiyas for this wonderful
day....



Sai Ram
Respected Teachers and Staff Members
I express my sincere gratitude for all your
efforts support and dedication for
showcasing the talents of children and
making this Annual Function a successful
event
Thank You So Much

Sai Ram respected Teachers. It
was all your efforts and hard work
which resulted in amazing
function. Due to all staff and
volunteers also our kids perform
with full enthusiasm. Thank you all
so much 🙏

Wow! Such a
mesmerizing
performance by all the
lovely, beautiful girls 🌸

Dear teachers
Thank you for
your incredible
guidance and
hard work. It
was a huge
success.
Really amazing
performance by
amazing
teachers and
students

I would like to take the opportunity to
Thank all the students, support
volunteers and teachers especially
Neetu Ma'am for their relentless
efforts in making the performance a
success...
It is highly admirable and appreciable.

Thank you to all
the teachers for
your hard work
and taking care
of our
children....
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Thank you so much Mam for ur
hard work and function is
awesome...clap for all teachers
and all children....


Great annual function
great efforts by teachers
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Thanks u all ❤️

Thankyou teachers for the
efforts you all have put in. All
the performances were
spectacular to watch. It was
wonderful experience for our
children too.

Amazing performance





A sincere and wonderful performance by all the children in the annual function. Every act reflected the immense hard work of both teachers and students. Salute to the teachers for nurturing such talent and Congratulations to the kids for a fantastic show.
Heartfelt appreciation to the teachers for their tireless hard work and guidance, and Congratulations to the students for such a memorable performance. 🌟🌟🌟

"Ma'am, today's annual function was simply amazing. Superb preparations, wonderful performances and flawless execution. Congratulations to the entire team for making it so special." 🌟🌟

Thank you so much mam for taking such good care. The performance was very good yesterday. Truly appreciate your hard work and patience

The children shined so brightly today because of your dedication and guidance! 🌟

We are grateful for everything you do, not just today, but every day, to nurture, inspire, and support our kids! 🌟

Thank you for creating such beautiful moments for them and for us! ❤️

Thank you so much ma'am for putting lot of efforts and taking care of kids. morning scene dance was very nicely performed by kids all just because of you thank you Saavi Ma'am And Chetna ma'am.

Sai Ram
Congratulations everyone for a grand Success.... Good job....
hard work never goes unrewarded


Sairam
Thank you ma'am for your patience, guidance, and love for the children. Their performance truly reflected your hard work 🌟



Good evening ma'am,

Today's event was exceptional.
Thanks for all the hard work put in by you and team.
All the performances were truly mesmerizing.
Akshay's performance will remain in our memories for a long time. Seeing him dance so good and enjoy on the stage was really special.
Thanks again for such a wonderful evening 🌟

Sai Ram Mam
Thank you so much for taking care of Dev. He did very well yesterday. Really appreciate your hard work and patience. 🌟

Sai Ram Ma'am,
Thank you for your guidance and care. The performance was excellent yesterday. We sincerely appreciate your dedication and patience 🌟





Hello mam, the performances were so amazing 😊. Not just Naysa's, but all the others as well. We watched all n were absolutely thrilled. Its so heartwarming to see ur little one perform on the stage like that. 😊
Thankyou so much for all your hardwork n trust in our children. It makes us feel the way we did yesterday. 🙏😊

Thank you, ma'am/for taking such wonderful care of our children during the Annual Function. Your patience, support, and dedication mean a lot to us. We truly appreciate all your efforts.

Thanks a million to whole team for working hard on our kids , make them confident build memories and take care of them in a lovely manner.
Good night
Sairam to all.

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I would like to express my heartfelt thanks to all of you. Your encouragement and patience played a huge role in making the Annual function a huge success.
Thank you for your hard work and dedication!

Thanks ma'am for supporting kids to do such a special performance.
—🙏😊


Sai Ram Mam

Yesterday it was not just a function.. it was an experience filled with deep emotions and feelings watching our child dancing on stage.


We with whole family thank you from heart for giving our child this chance.

Thank you again mam 🙏😊

Thank u so much ma'am for ur efforts for making Aarna capable,thanku for handling her with care, love .n full of ur heart....thank u for presenting her on super stage performance....heads off to all teacher for precious support n for successful function.



It was mesmerizing to see function..very well-organized..Breathtaking, No drop in energy act by all our kiddos of 7 Chakra
Thanks to all d teachers n other staff who wer deeply involved with all kids to make their performance more memorable n dynamic..
Proud of all kiddos 🙏😊





NEW BUSES



Two new buses have been added on the fleet by the bountiful blessings of Baba on his 100th Birthday.

We are delighted to announce the addition of new buses to our existing fleet, further enhancing the comfort, safety and convenience of our children.

Seeking our beloved Baba's divine blessings to mark this wonderful milestone.





New Table Tennis Table

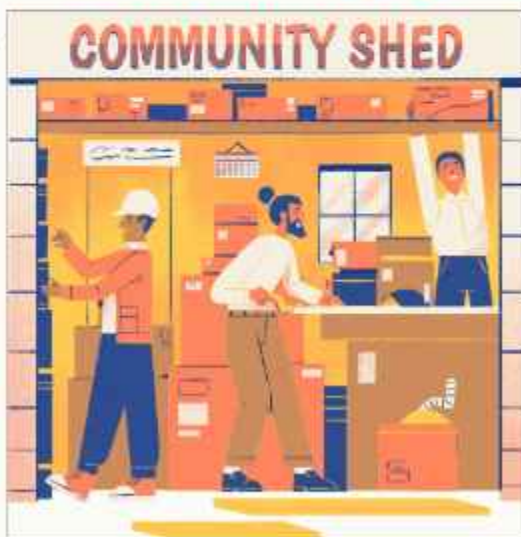
With the blessings of our beloved Bhagwan Baba, we have added a new Table Tennis table in our state-of-the-art Sports Complex. To seek divine blessings for this new addition, a simple pooja was performed by Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra. She encouraged the children to enjoy the game while fostering teamwork and discipline.

To make the occasion more memorable, Principal Ma'am also played a friendly match with the children, spreading joy and inspiring them to participate actively in sports and stay healthy.



COMMUNITY SERVICE - JOY OF GIVING

*Service to
mankind is service
to God*



Epitomizing the adage, "Hands that help are holier than the lips that pray," the students of Class VII, along with the staff, enthusiastically participated in the heartfelt 'Joy of Giving' community service drive. Under the motivating mentorship of Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra, they generously distributed sugar, rice and pulses to the less privileged, reinforcing the values of compassion and humanity. This community service drive not only brought smiles to many faces but also inspired the young learners to understand the true essence of sharing and caring. This meaningful initiative served as a reminder that small acts of kindness can create a lasting impact on society.



The Joy of Giving community service program by the cute little Sai Messengers of Bal Mandir was a heart-warming expression of love in action. With innocent smiles and generous hearts, the children joyfully distributed essentials to the less privileged, embodying the true spirit of selfless service. Their small hands carried big compassion, reminding everyone that kindness has no age. Through this noble initiative, the young Sai Messengers radiated happiness, gratitude and the timeless message of “Love All, Serve All”.



Hands that help are holier than the lips that pray.

As part of the Community Service – Joy of Giving Programme, children of classes VI B & C and teachers under the mentorship of Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra distributed blankets to the underprivileged, spreading warmth and compassion during the winter season. This heartfelt initiative brought the true spirit of Christmas alive by sharing, caring and kindness. The smiles and gratitude of the beneficiaries reminded everyone that the real joy of giving lies in selfless service and empathy, making this small act a meaningful step towards building a caring and inclusive society.



"Service to mankind is service to God"

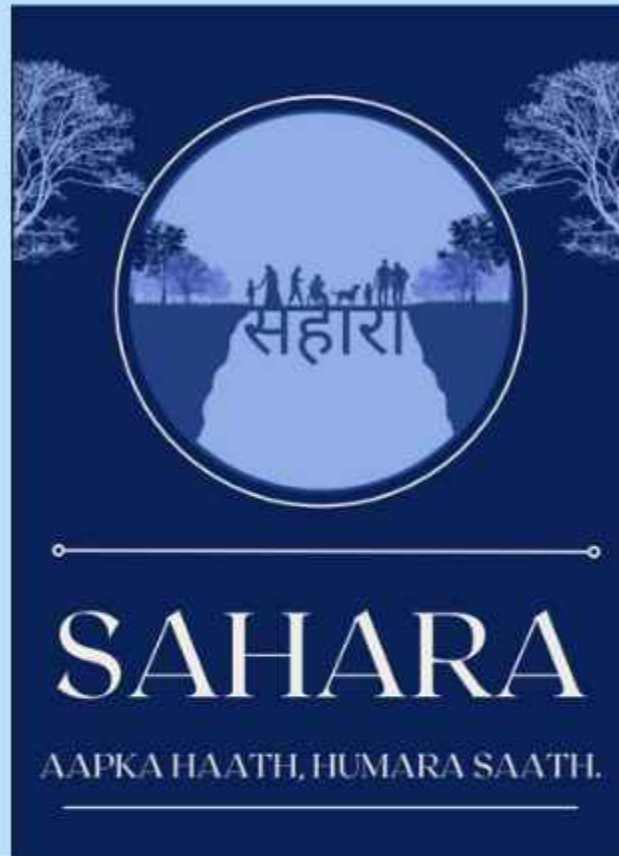
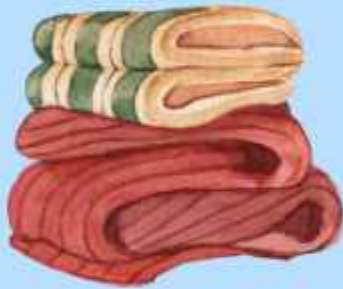
Charity begins at home.... Caring for the ones who care for us!

As part of our Community Service initiative, blankets were distributed to express gratitude towards the night security guards of our school, Gujarati school and Madhav Srishti, who work tirelessly to keep the premises safe. With hearts full of respect and appreciation, children and staff came together to share warmth—both physical and emotional—during the winter nights. This small gesture of giving reflected the true spirit of sharing and caring, reminding us of the invaluable contributions of those who often remain behind the scenes. The initiative instilled a sense of empathy, gratitude and social responsibility, reinforcing the belief that service to others is a meaningful way to spread kindness and build a compassionate community.



SAHARA

A student led initiative



Our Idea:

Sai Ram!

सहारा Organization is one of the biggest and fastest-growing youth-led charitable initiatives in Indore. From creating campaigns for old-age homes to supporting mentally challenged children, organizing drives for the blind, aiding animals, and assisting those living in poverty, our initiatives are as diverse as the communities we serve.

Our Next Drive plans to:

- Target Group: Homeless individuals and financially unstable people living on streets or in Reel Baseras.
- Clothes Collection: Gathering old sweaters, blazers, T-shirts, and denims from schools and institutions.
- Process: All collected clothes will be stitched into warm patchwork blankets.
- Beneficiaries: Blankets will be distributed directly to people sleeping outdoors in the winter.
- Employment Aspect: Stitching will be done by underprivileged women or tailors to support their livelihood.

We request you to kindly contribute the cause by donating a number of clothing materials you are comfortable with, in the Box labeled सहारा which will be kept near the Saraswati Temple. We look forward to your contribution!
Regards,
Team सहारा.

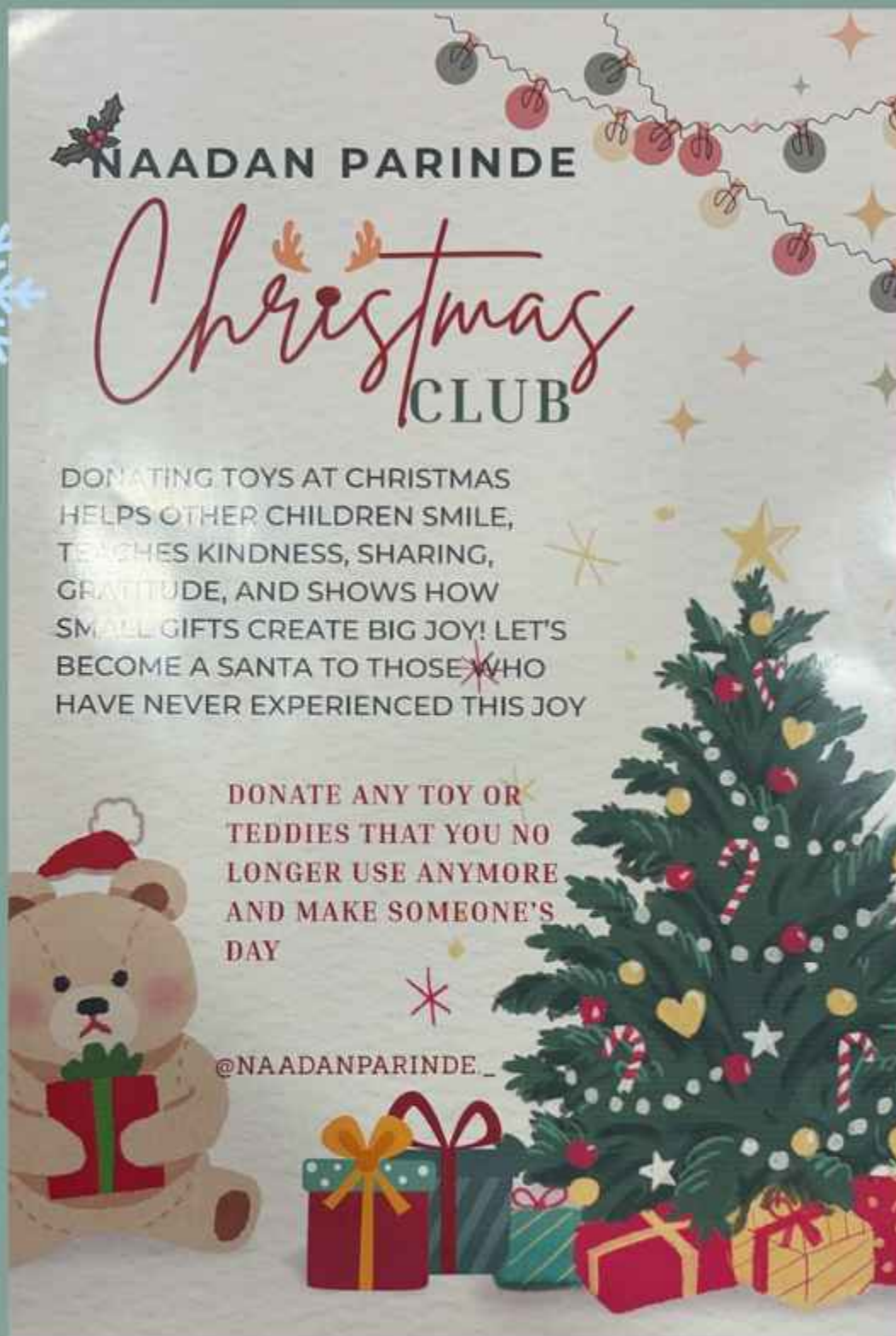
Team Members:

For any details regarding the Execution of the drive or anything related to the drive, please connect with any of our members in the following classes:

1. Sanatan Jain- 9th 'E'
2. Ansh Khemkari- 10th 'A'
3. Shreeya Chaube- 11th 'C'
4. Arjun Vyas- 11th 'C'
5. Akshat Jain- 11th 'D'
6. Divisha Joshi- 11th 'D'
7. Saanvi Sanghvi- 11th 'D'
8. Kavya Sanghvi- 11th 'D'
9. Aarav Agrawal- 11th 'D'
10. Tanisha Jhamnani- 11th 'D'
11. Manasvi Bhojawat- 11th 'F'
12. Shambhavi Dubey- 11th 'G'
13. Aradhya Sharma- 12th 'B'

Thank You and Sai Ram,
Regards,
Team सहारा.

NAADAN PARINDE



1. Shailja Jageriya - 10 E
2. Trisha Deodia - 10 E
3. Jia Sharma - 10 E



SPORTS WEEK



Sports Week was a vibrant celebration of energy, teamwork and sportsmanship. The campus echoed with cheers as the children enthusiastically participated in a variety of indoor and outdoor games. From track events to team sports, every activity encouraged discipline, resilience and healthy competition. The week was a memorable experience that promoted physical fitness and all-round development.

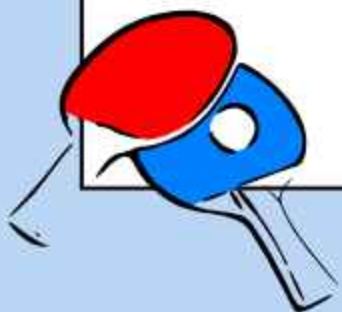














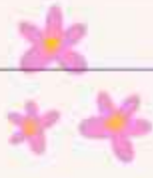






Cricket League





My Behaviour Check Challenge

Friendship – Nurturing Bonds with Care & Compassion

"Friendship blossoms when care, concern, and compassion guide our actions."

"A true friend is one who walks in when the rest of the world walks out."

Friendship Wisdom

A friend in need is a friend indeed.

A person is known by the company he keeps.

Good friends make good people.

Kind hearts build strong friendships.



Just like respect strengthens learning, friendship grows stronger through kindness, understanding, and empathy.

My Promises

I Will –

Respect others "feelings and opinions".

Stand by my friends in happy and difficult times.

Include everyone and never make anyone feel left out.

Listen patiently when my friends are speaking.

Speak politely and use kind words with everyone.

Share my things and my time with my friends.

Say sorry when I make a mistake and forgive others easily.

Be compassionate towards classmates, juniors, and new students.

Try to learn one good quality from my friends and follow it.



Class Assembly of 8B



The students of Class VIII B presented an interesting assembly on the theme **Inventing the Future: The Inspiring Work of Elon Musk**. The assembly began with a brief introduction highlighting Elon Musk's vision, determination and groundbreaking contributions to technology and space exploration. A captivating skit portrayed the transformation journey of Elon Musk—from a curious child with big dreams to a world-renowned innovator leading companies like Tesla and SpaceX. The performance beautifully emphasized the power of perseverance and imagination in shaping the future. This was followed by an energetic dance performance and a spellbinding song, both symbolizing the spirit of innovation and courage to dream beyond limits. A self-composed poem titled **The Mind of the Future** was recited by a student, inspiring everyone to think creatively and embrace challenges with confidence. The assembly concluded with a heartfelt Vote of Thanks. The audience was mesmerized and applauded enthusiastically, making it a memorable and motivating morning for all.



Class Assembly of 8 C



The students of class VIII C presented an inspiring assembly on the topic "C.V. Raman: Lighting the World with Science".

The assembly began with a skit which showcased the huge contribution of Sir Raman to the field of not only Physics but also to Medical Science. It included his non-stop efforts and determination to know about deflection of light through different materials which came to be known as 'Raman Effect' for which he had won Nobel Prize.

A melodious song highlighted the importance of being united like the colours in a rainbow. An energetic dance performance thrilled the audience.

A catchy PowerPoint presentation added visual beauty to the stage presentation. The assembly concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks.



Christmas Magic

🌟🌟 “Christmas is not as much about opening our presents as opening our hearts.” 🌟🌟

To celebrate the joyous festival of Christmas and the spirit of new beginnings, a series of vibrant activities were organised on the school campus, filling the environment with warmth, creativity and festive cheer 🎅🎁.

As part of the Christmas Decoration Activity, students of Classes 5 and 6 participated with great enthusiasm. The classrooms were beautifully transformed with Christmas trees, sparkling stars 🌟, bells 🔔, wreaths, cheerful snowmen 🧊, and a variety of handmade craft items. The activity not only showcased the students' creativity but also spread the message of love, sharing, and togetherness, truly capturing the essence of Christmas 🌟❤️.

Adding to the festive celebrations, the New Year Countdown Activity was organised for Classes 7 and 8, welcoming the upcoming year with hope, positivity, and excitement 🎉🌟. The event created a joyful atmosphere, encouraging students to reflect on their experiences from the past year and set meaningful goals for the year ahead.

Both activities concluded on a happy and inspiring note, leaving students filled with joy, motivation, and festive spirit, as they embraced the magic of Christmas and the promise of a bright New Year 🌟🎊.



Christmas Celebration

Christmas was celebrated on 24th December 2025 with great joy, reverence and festive spirit.

The programme commenced with a solemn Christian prayer, followed by melodious Christmas carols that filled the auditorium with warmth and cheer.

The celebration was further enriched by the inspiring address by our respected Principal Ma'am. Students showcased their talents through a graceful dance performance and a thoughtful speech highlighting the significance of Christmas. Special segments were included to mark National Consumer Rights Day through a meaningful poem and Good Governance Day through a student's speech, promoting awareness and values among students.

The celebration concluded on a joyful note with the singing of Jingle Bells, as Santa Claus made a cheerful round of the auditorium, spreading smiles and festive cheer.

The programme beautifully blended celebration with learning, making it a memorable experience for all.



Multilingual Poetry Recitation Activity

As part of the Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav 2025, celebrated in honour of the invaluable literary contributions of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati, the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) organised a week-long programme across schools. The event aimed to promote linguistic diversity, cultural pride, and the spirit of national integration.

In alignment with the theme “Many Languages, One Emotion,” the students of Class 9 enthusiastically participated in a multilingual poetry recitation activity. They presented Guru Rabindranath Tagore’s celebrated poem “Where the Mind is Without Fear” in various Indian languages. This collective effort showcased the harmonious blend of diverse linguistic traditions and highlighted how a single powerful poem can unify people across cultures and regions. The programme not only enriched students’ appreciation of India’s linguistic heritage but also reinforced the message that language is a bridge that connects hearts and strengthens national unity. The Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav 2025 thus concluded with a strong sense of pride, cultural awareness, and mutual respect among the students.

In continuation of the school's commitment to celebrate the Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav, in line with the directives issued by the CBSE to promote linguistic diversity and national integration, the school choir performed the iconic patriotic song, "Mile Sur Mera Tumhara" which showcased the spirit of 'Unity in Diversity' (Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat). The song, sung in multiple Indian languages, perfectly encapsulated the core essence of the Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav. It provided a vibrant platform for students to appreciate the richness and beauty of various Indian languages, seamlessly woven into a single composition. It also served as a powerful reminder of our collective identity, fostering a sense of pride and unity among the students.



CONVERSATION

Interlingual Podcast – “India in Conversation”

An interlingual student podcast titled “India in Conversation” was conducted with the objective of celebrating India’s linguistic diversity and reinforcing the spirit of national unity. The podcast brought together students of class 10 representing different states of

India, each conversing in their native language. Through a sequence of brief yet meaningful exchanges, the participants highlighted the beauty, heritage, and cultural identity embedded in their respective mother tongues. The conversation progressed seamlessly, with every student posing a question in their regional language and the next responding in their own, thereby creating a continuous chain of multilingual interaction.

Languages such as Kashmiri, Punjabi, Marwari, Gujarati, Marathi, Bengali, Odia, Tamil, Assamese, and Hindi/Avadhi were featured. Despite the wide linguistic variety, the essence of every response echoed a common sentiment of unity.



Basha Bandhu



BHASHA BANDHU LETTERS AND STORY CHAIN IN MULTIPLE LANGUAGES

To celebrate the 'Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025' and to pay homage to the visionary spirit of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati, the school a unique multilingual activity named 'Bhasha Bandhu' - a story chain in multiple languages, fostering linguistic harmony and mutual respect for cultural diversity. The students collectively researched the inspirational life story of Jyotiba Phule, a pioneering social reformer and educationist, focusing on key milestones and anecdotes suitable for storytelling. The story was narrated using a variety of regional languages spoken by the students.

The 'Bhasha Bandhu' activity promoted a sense of national integration-unity in diversity and the power of language as a connecting bridge (Bhasha Bandhu). The students gained a deeper appreciation for India's linguistic richness and an enhanced understanding of the historical significance of Phule's work in promoting women's education and social equality. It provided a powerful, interactive, and memorable platform for celebrating our national languages and heroes.



Language Exploration Clubs



In celebration of the 'Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025' and to honor the visionary spirit of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati, the students formed a 'Language Exploration Club'. This initiative, designed to foster multilingualism and national integration, saw enthusiastic participation from students who engaged in conversation using various Indian languages. Leveraging modern educational technology, students utilized both the Bhasha Sangam App and Google Translator to facilitate crosslinguistic communication, breaking down language barriers and promoting a deeper appreciation for the linguistic diversity of India. The activity successfully achieved its objective of promoting the spirit of 'Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat' by turning language learning into a fun, collaborative, and technologically-aided experience.

"Language Tree Display "

As a part of Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025, which is a tribute to the timeless contribution of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati , CBSE has taken an initiative to promote respect for and understanding of India's linguistic richness. Under the theme "Many Languages, One Emotion", children of Junior Montessori to class 4 enthusiastically participated in a multilingual speaking activity. They confidently said "We love, We share, We grow" in Hindi, Punjabi, Gujarati, Marathi, Tamil, and Telugu, celebrating India's linguistic richness. This simple yet meaningful exercise helped students appreciate different languages and encouraged respect for cultural diversity.

The activity fostered confidence, joy and a sense of unity among the children.



“Language Heritage Wall” Activity



The school also organized an enriching activity titled “Language Heritage Wall.” The objective of the activity was to create awareness and appreciation of India’s vast linguistic diversity among students.

Children from Junior Montessori to Class 4 participated with great enthusiasm. Together, they created a colourful and informative “Language Heritage Wall” showcasing various Indian states and their respective languages. Through this hands-on activity, children explored the names, scripts, and unique characteristics of different regional languages, fostering a sense of pride in India’s multicultural and multilingual heritage.

The activity was both educational and enjoyable, providing students with valuable insights into India’s linguistic richness and encouraging respect for all languages.



Honouring Bharatiya Bhasha and Culture

“Interactive Language Fair (Bhasha Mela) and Language Theatre Showcase ” Activity In celebration of the 'Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025' and to pay homage to the visionary spirit of Mahakavi Subramania Bharati, an enriching activity titled " Interactive Language Fair (Bhasha Mela) and Language Theatre Showcase" was organized. The Indian Language Fair was a vibrant celebration of India's linguistic diversity and cultural richness. The fair aimed to honor the extraordinary linguistic tapestry by bringing together children to experience the beauty of Indian languages under one roof. The event featured interactive stalls representing various states of India. Each stall showcased a specific language—such as Bengali, Kashmiri, Gujarati, Malayalam etc.—through traditional costumes, food and simple conversational phrases. The highlight of the fair was a special performance by students, where they presented a short skit that introduced the audience to several Indian languages in a fun and engaging way. The program encouraged linguistic appreciation, fostered respect for cultural differences, and helped children understand the unity that binds India through its diversity.





Veer Baal Diwas



Veer Baal Diwas is celebrated on 26th December every year to honour the supreme sacrifice of Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji, Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji, Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji and Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji, the young sons of revered Sikh Guru Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji and to inspire children and youth with their extraordinary courage and unwavering faith. The day aims to acquaint the nation with their martyrdom and to instil values such as truthfulness, self-respect, moral strength and standing firm against injustice. The day reminds the society that age is no barrier to bravery, righteousness and standing up for truth and self-respect is the highest form of duty.

Veer Baal Diwas was celebrated with deep reverence and patriotic fervour in school to honour the supreme sacrifice of the Sahibzadas to encourage young minds to uphold human values, dignity and courage in the face of adversity.

A plethora of reflective activities were conducted to sensitise children with the values of bravery, moral strength and standing firm for truth even in the face of hardship.

The day began with the Sikh Prayer in the assembly followed by a short impactful speech highlighting the courage and sacrifice of the Sahibzaades.



 **Ishika makes us proud...** 

“The Life of Chaar Sahebzaade” released

It is a moment of immense pride and joy for the entire school community that our student Ishika Kaur Narang (VI A) has authored a book titled “The Life of Chaar Sahibzaade”. Ishika has shown remarkable sensitivity, understanding and reverence for India’s rich spiritual and historical heritage. The book has been formally released on the pious occasion of Veer Baal Diwas in Bhopal by the Honourable Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh, Shri Mohan Yadav along with the Honourable Deputy Chief Minister, Shri Jagdish Devda making the occasion even more special and memorable.





Digital Presentation

The e-book *The Life of Chaar Sahibzaade* was shown in all classes, and the students were deeply moved by the inspiring stories of valour and sacrifice. They exhibited great enthusiasm and engagement as they read the captivating narratives with keen interest and admiration.



Param Vir Chakra Awardees

An engaging and thought-provoking discussion was held on the brave deeds of the Param Vir Chakra awardees, where the children learned about their courage, sacrifices and deep love for the nation. The children participated enthusiastically, sharing their reflections on the inspiring lives of these heroes and the values they stood for. This was followed by an extempore session in which the children confidently expressed what they had learned from these gallant warriors. The activity helped nurture critical thinking, self-expression and a sense of patriotism, while encouraging children to imbibe qualities such as bravery, discipline and selfless service. The session was enriching and left a deep and lasting impact on young minds.





Remembering Our Heroes



To apprise the children of the magnificent and courageous deeds of the great heroes of Indian history, an episode of Bharat Ek Khoj on Rani Lakshmibai of Jhansi was screened in the classes. The visual presentation brought history alive and helped children connect emotionally with the sacrifices made by these iconic figures. This was followed by engaging discussions on the inspiring lives of other national heroes such as Maharana Pratap, Sardar Bhagat Singh, Mangal Pandey and many more. The session deepened children's understanding of bravery, patriotism and selfless service, while instilling a sense of pride in India's rich heritage and motivating them to imbibe these noble values in their own lives.



Young Hearts, Unshakeable Courage

An interactive PPT showcasing the Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Bal Puraskar recipients of 2024 was presented in the classes to familiarise children with the remarkable achievements of young heroes from across the country. The presentation highlighted inspiring stories of courage, determination, innovation and social service demonstrated by children at a young age. This was followed by a quiz based on the PPT, which actively engaged the students and reinforced their learning. The session generated great enthusiasm and curiosity among the children, who were deeply impressed by the brave deeds and exemplary accomplishments of their peers, motivating them to believe in their own potential to bring positive change in the society.

**The Exceptional Children
of India : Pradhan Mantri
Rashtriya Bal Puraskar**



**The Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya
Bal Puraskar is given by the
Union Ministry of Women and
Child Development. The award
was instituted by the
Government of India in 1996.**



Rising with Resilience

The day at Bal Mandir unfolded as a solemn yet inspiring tribute to these eternal symbols of bravery and righteousness. The celebration was marked by thought-provoking activities, and value-based reflections that illuminated the supreme sacrifice of the Sahibzadas, who stood unwavering in their devotion to truth and dharma at a tender age. The children were sensitized to the timeless virtues of courage, resilience, and moral strength through engaging role play, story telling session and art integrated activity. Discussion on "The India I want to see" was conducted for Grade -4 children. Also, videos of National Bravery Awards were shown to the children.



**I AM STRONG
I AM CAPABLE
I AM RESILIENT**



The celebration highlighted the importance of nurturing character, resilience and a strong sense of justice among children. Veer Baal Diwas inspires young minds to draw strength from our rich history and to uphold human values above fear or compromise. The observance reinforced the message that age is no barrier to courage and that even the youngest can become beacons of inspiration for the nation.

ALUMNI MEET – BATCH 2010

The batch of 2010 gathered for an Alumni Meet, that was a heart-warming celebration of memories, bonds and belongingness, as former students returned to their alma mater with joy and pride. The programme commenced on an auspicious note with Omkaar followed by the school prayer song 'Tere Vandan Se'. Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra warmly welcomed the alumni in her address, expressing delight at seeing them reconnect with their roots and relive their school days.

The alumni were overwhelmed with the Ganesh Vandana energetically performed by the children invoking blessings for togetherness and new beginnings. A vibrant band performance added youthful energy to the day, striking a perfect chord with the audience. The most touching moments were the emotional expressions of the alumni, who fondly shared their nostalgia, gratitude and happiness, recalling teachers, friendships and experiences that shaped their lives.

It was truly heartening to witness the campus come alive with familiar faces, laughter and shared memories. The meet beautifully reaffirmed that once a part of the school family, always a part of it.







Creative No Flame Cooking Competition

“Cooking without fire teaches children that creativity and nutrition can go hand in hand.”

Fireless Cooking Competition was organised for classes V -VIII to encourage healthy eating habits and to develop creativity among children.

🍓🍌🍇🍉 The children enthusiastically participated in the event and prepared a variety of nutritious dishes without using fire. 🍰🍷🍔🥗

Participants used fresh fruits, vegetables, sprouts and other healthy ingredients to make attractive and sumptuous items such as salads, sandwiches, fruit chaat, desserts, mocktails etc. 🥗🥤🥕🥬🥙🍷

The activity helped children learn the importance of hygiene, teamwork and time management. The dishes were evaluated by the judges based on creativity, presentation, taste and nutritional value. The event was enjoyable and educational and it promoted awareness about safe and eco-friendly cooking practices. 🥗🥕🥙🍷



SUPERANNUATION



“The true measure of a person is not in their title, but in the sincerity of their service.”

With deep respect and heartfelt gratitude, the school bid a warm farewell to our valued Security Guard, Mr. Rakesh Bihari Ahirwar and Sweeper, Mr. Chandrashekhar Shinde on the occasion of their superannuation. They have served the institution with unwavering dedication, humility and a strong sense of responsibility for over 2 decades.

The farewell ceremony was marked by warmth and appreciation, as the Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra and the Admin team acknowledged their invaluable contribution and lifelong commitment to duty.

The school community extends sincere thanks for their years of selfless service and wishes them good health, peace and happiness in the years ahead.



A revitalising start filled with positivity....

Every sunrise is an invitation to brighten someone's day; every new year is a reminder to begin again with hope.

With this positive thought to end the year and welcome new beginnings with a fit and healthy mind and body, the morning assembly for Classes V to VIII was held on the ground.

The assembly began with the singing of the National Song, creating a sense of unity and patriotism. This was followed by PT exercises, energizing the students for the day. A New Year Resolution activity was then conducted, where the resolutions were read aloud and all others repeated them together, reinforcing collective commitment and positivity.

This was followed by Aerobics and a short meditation session, promoting both physical fitness and mental calm. The news headlines were presented to update students about important happenings.

Principal Ma'am addressed the gathering, extending her warm wishes for the winter fall holidays. She encouraged students to enjoy the break responsibly, take care of themselves during the winter season and wished everyone warm and happy holidays.

The assembly concluded with the singing of the National Anthem, marking a respectful and patriotic end.



FIT INDIA, FIT INDORE FUN 'N' FITNESS

Activities-
Squats
Cobra Pose
Chin ups

Core Balance on Cage



World Kindness Day – Our Little Kindness Stars!

Our Balvatika kids joyfully celebrated World Kindness Day with hearts full of love and gratitude. They shared Thank You cards with the Dining Hall didis, Guard bhaiya, Mali bhaiya, and Bus driver bhaiya, showing appreciation for their care.

They also made Thank You cards for parents and through role play learnt the values of helping, sharing, and using Magic Words.

As an act of kindness, they fed their feathered friends and watered the plants with joy. Each child proudly wore a “I Am a Kindness Star” badge, spreading smiles all around. 🌟

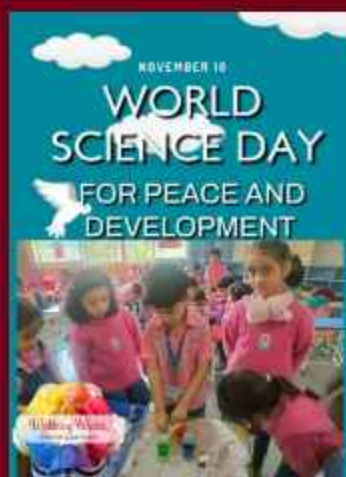
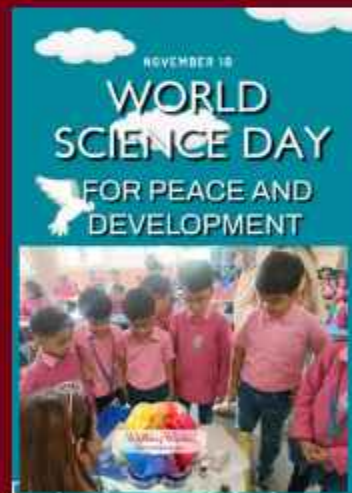
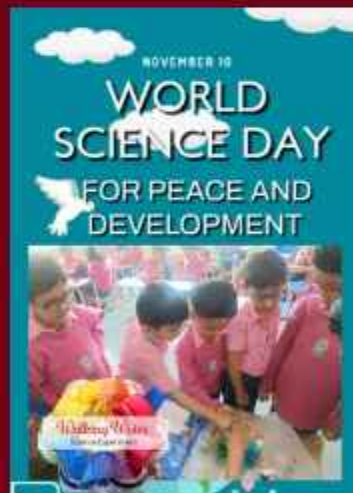
It was truly a heartwarming day filled with smiles, gratitude, and the magic of kindness!



World Science Day Celebration – Walking Rainbow Magic

Cute tiny tots of Balvatika joyfully celebrated World Science Day with an exciting hands-on experiment – “Walking Rainbow.”

With bright eyes and bubbling curiosity, the little scientists observed how colours travelled and mixed to form beautiful new shades, creating a magical rainbow right before their eyes! As they watched the colours “walk” from one cup to another, children explored the wonder of capillary action — learning how water moves through paper just like it travels through plant stems. The experiment encouraged them to observe, question, and discover, embracing the true spirit of science!



☀ Balancing Numbers – An Engaging Early Maths Exploration! ☀

Our Balvatika children enthusiastically participated in an enriching Number Balancing Activity, where they recognised numbers, placed them on the scale, and balanced the opposite side using the corresponding number of bananas. The entire experience beautifully blended play with learning, allowing children to absorb mathematical concepts with joy, curiosity, and confidence. This hands-on activity not only strengthened early numeracy but also nurtured multiple cognitive and motor skills through experiential learning.



☀ Focus Areas:

- *Number Recognition
- *Counting Skills
- *Focus & Concentration
- *Eye-Hand Coordination



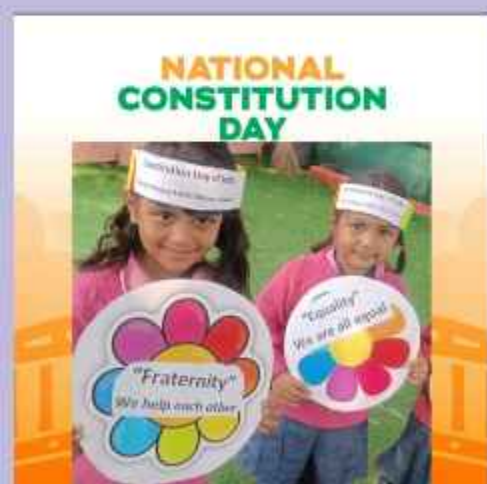
✨ Balvatika Constitution Day: A Journey of Young Citizens ✨

Our Balvatika learners marked National Constitution Day with spirited participation and thoughtful engagement. Through an interactive story session, a quick and exciting Constitution Quiz, and expressive role play, the children explored the essence of the Preamble and grasped the deeper meaning behind its guiding pillars—Justice, Equality, Liberty and Fraternity—in a beautifully simplified manner.

With heartfelt sincerity, they took a pledge to honour their Rights and Duties. They vowed to keep their classrooms clean, listen attentively, share generously, respect everyone, offer help, and nurture kindness and love in their surroundings.

The celebration culminated in a charming Constitution Parade, where our young achievers proudly carried placards showcasing the Rights, Duties, and the Preamble.

It was a delightful and enriching day—an inspiring step toward shaping responsible and compassionate future citizens of India. ✨



The children of Balmandir enthusiastically celebrated National Constitution Day and learned about the salient features of the Indian Constitution. They explored important aspects such as the Fundamental Duties, Fundamental Rights, and also learned about Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Father of the Indian Constitution.

As part of the celebration, the students read the Preamble with pride and reflected on its values. They also took a pledge to become responsible citizens who would uphold and protect the sovereignty of the country.

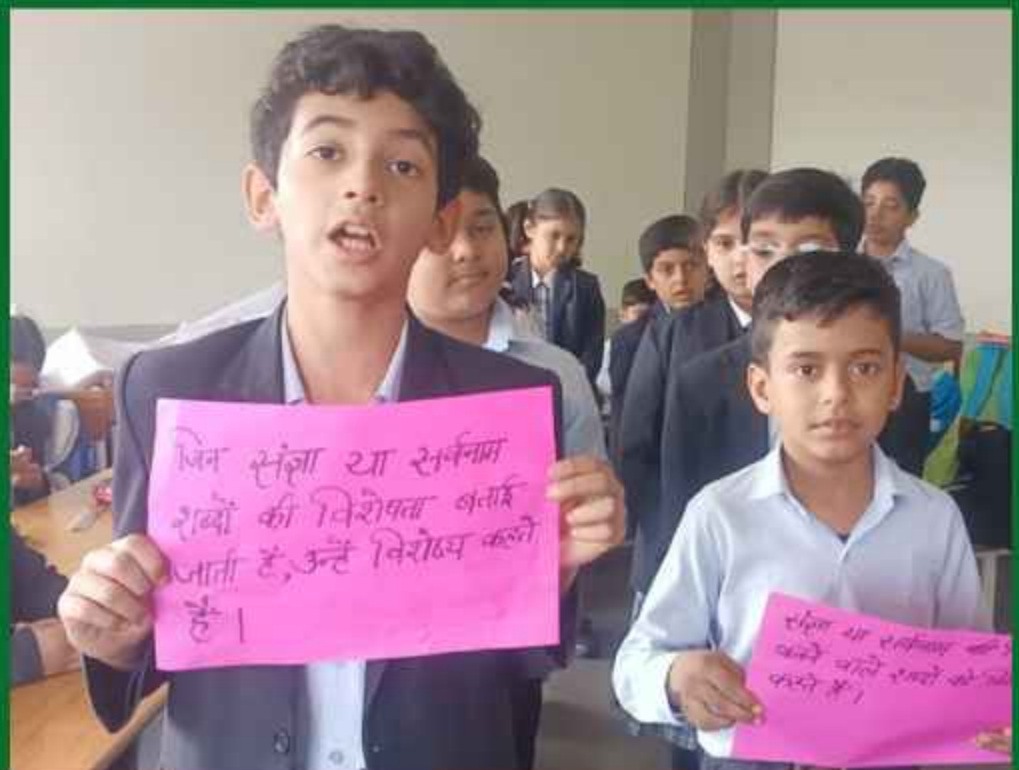
The celebration not only deepened their understanding of the Constitution but also inspired them to contribute positively to the nation.



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Activity

Class 4 E



✨ Sight Word Stars: Building Sentences with Confidence ✨

Our Balvatika 3 learners enthusiastically engaged in an interactive Sight Words Activity, where each child picked a sight word, recognised it, and then confidently framed a sentence using the word. This joyful learning experience strengthened their speaking abilities, enriched their vocabulary, and boosted their overall confidence.

The children thoroughly enjoyed expressing themselves and showcasing their understanding.



☀️ Learning Outcomes:

- *Enhanced sight word recognition
- *Improved sentence-building skills
- *Development of fluent speaking and self-expression
- *Strengthened vocabulary



🌸🌟 Little Hands at Work – Fine Motor Fiesta! 🌟🌸

Our Balvatika stars had an exciting day strengthening their tiny hands through a Fine Motor Skills Development Activity. From zipping practice to fixing vibrant pegs onto a colourful flower, every moment was filled with curiosity and joy.

These engaging tasks beautifully enhanced their pincer grip, hand-eye coordination, and precision skills—all while they enjoyed to their heart's content.

Tiny hands, big progress!



TINY HANDS, BIG DISCOVERIES! 🌈

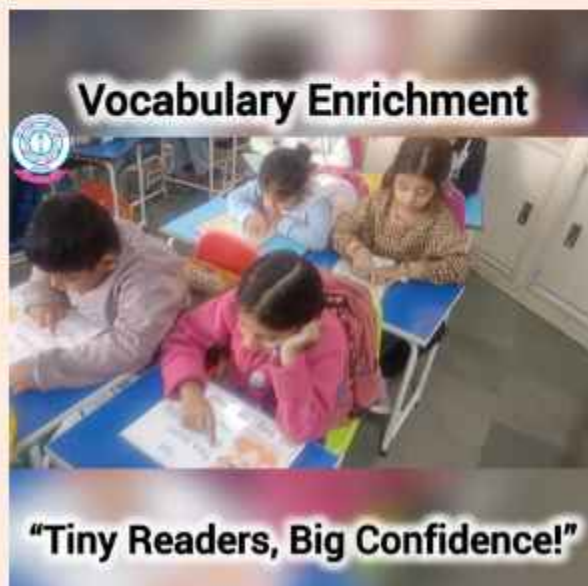
Our Balvatika children joyfully explored the world of textures through an engaging Texture Sensory Activity. Little learners enthusiastically touched, felt and experienced a variety of textures such as soft, hard, smooth, rough, crunchy and many more. Through this hands-on exploration, they learned the meaning of texture, identified different texture feels, and enriched their vocabulary. The activity sparked curiosity, excitement, and sensory awareness, making learning a delightful experience for all.

✨ Focus Areas:

- *Sensory exploration and tactile awareness
- *Vocabulary development (texture words)
- *Cognitive development and curiosity.

*Language enrichment through experiential learning.







Spellethon



Students of **Classes 3 and 4** enthusiastically participated in the spellethon activity, turning learning into an enjoyable experience. The activity helped enhance spelling accuracy, listening skills, and concentration ✨.

With bright smiles 😊 and confident voices 🗣️, the children attempted a variety of words and showcased their growing language skills 📖. The lively atmosphere encouraged active participation and positive learning throughout the session 🌟👏.

The spellethon was a successful activity that promoted confidence 💪, healthy competition 🏆 and a love for learning 📚.





Spellethon

🔥 Spellethon Activity Highlights! 🔥



🌟 Classes 1 & 2 rocked the Spellethon! 😊 🌟
Students had a blast boosting their spelling, listening, and concentration skills 📖 🧠. With beaming smiles and confident voices, they nailed those tricky words! 🌈

👏 Unscrambling words and filling missing vowels made learning a total blast! 🌟 👁 Spellethon = confidence, fun and a love for learning all rolled into one! 🥰 📖



🎄 Little Numbers, Big Smiles 🎄

National Mathematics Day Celebration

Our Balvatika learners celebrated National Mathematics Day through a delightful Christmas Tree Numbers Puzzle Activity, joyfully arranging numbers to bring a festive tree to life.

Infused with the cheerful spirit of Christmas, this engaging activity strengthened early numeracy and sequencing skills while enhancing hand–eye coordination, concentration, and focus, making mathematics a joyful and meaningful experience for our little learners. 🎄 ✨





Where Hard Work Grows: Honouring Our Farmers on Farmers' Day 🌾

Our Balvatika learners observed National Farmers' Day through a thoughtfully designed role play that highlighted the tireless journey of a farmer—from early morning toil to the careful cultivation of crops. The children gained insight into how farmers prepare the soil, sow seeds, nurture plants with water, air and sunlight and finally harvest and take the produce to the market.

This enriching experience instilled a deep sense of gratitude, respect for food and awareness of the dignity of labour. The children pledged to avoid food wastage and to honour the effort behind every meal.

The celebration concluded on a meaningful note with a collective message of appreciation: "Thank you, Farmer." 🌱





Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore

**Growing with Motivational, Inspirational
Indian Stories**



***Bedtime stories are seeds of wisdom
sown in tender hearts -
shaping minds, words and memories for
life.***





IMPORTANCE OF BEDTIME STORIES FOR CHILDREN

Small stories. Lifelong impact.



Strengthen Emotional Bonding

Creates a warm, secure moment of togetherness.



Build Language & Communication Skills

Enriches vocabulary & listening skills.



Ignite Imagination & Creativity

Inspires magical and creative thinking.



Instill Values & Moral Wisdom

Teaches kindness, honesty & empathy.



Enhance Cognitive Development

Boosts memory & logical thinking.



Promote Calmness & Better Sleep

Helps children relax & sleep peacefully.



Foster a Love for Reading & Learning

Builds a lifelong love of books.



Support Emotional Expression

Helps children express their feelings.



सोने से पहले कहानी सुनना हर बच्चे के बचपन का सबसे प्यारा पल होता है जो न केवल उनके चेहरे पर मुस्कान लाएंगी बल्कि उन्हें अच्छे संस्कार भी सिखाएगा

- Indian stories for kids are like a treasure chest of culture, values and imagination 🌟
- Sharing or reading a story creates warm moments with parents/grandparents. It develops the loving bond and emotional connect.
- Indian stories nurture identity, preserves history, culture and ethics.
- They help us to imbibe values like courage, kindness and resilience.
- Here we introduce ideas for story bonds which can be taken up at home.
- These stories carries the legacy and sacrifices of our Heroes.



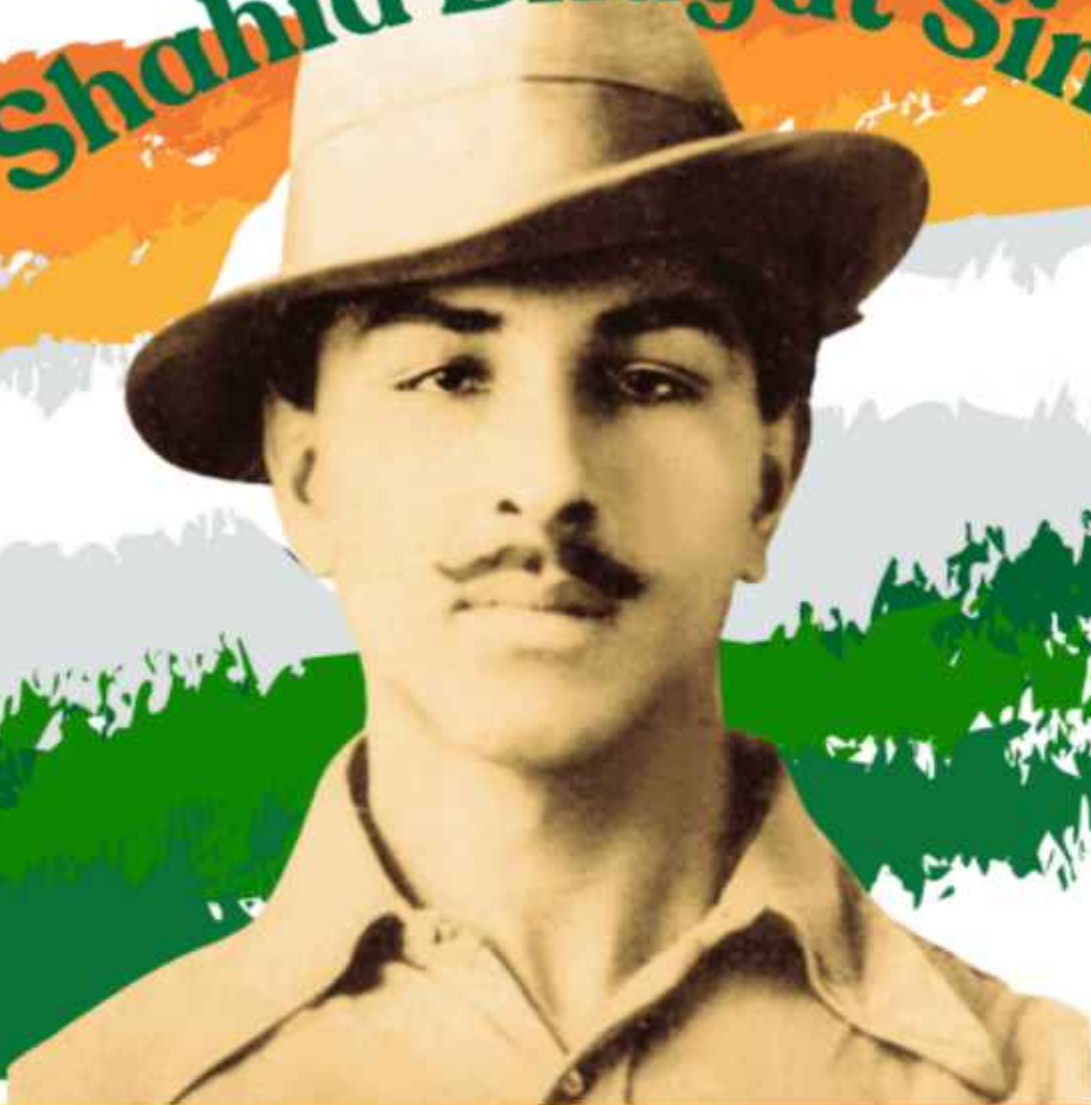


Food For Thought.....

These tales are not mere stories; they are lanterns lighting the path of young children, guiding them through the labyrinth of life with wisdom inherited from ages past. Here is the gist of the stories... Have a memorable time with your children. Explore the stories in detail...



Shahid Bhagat Singh

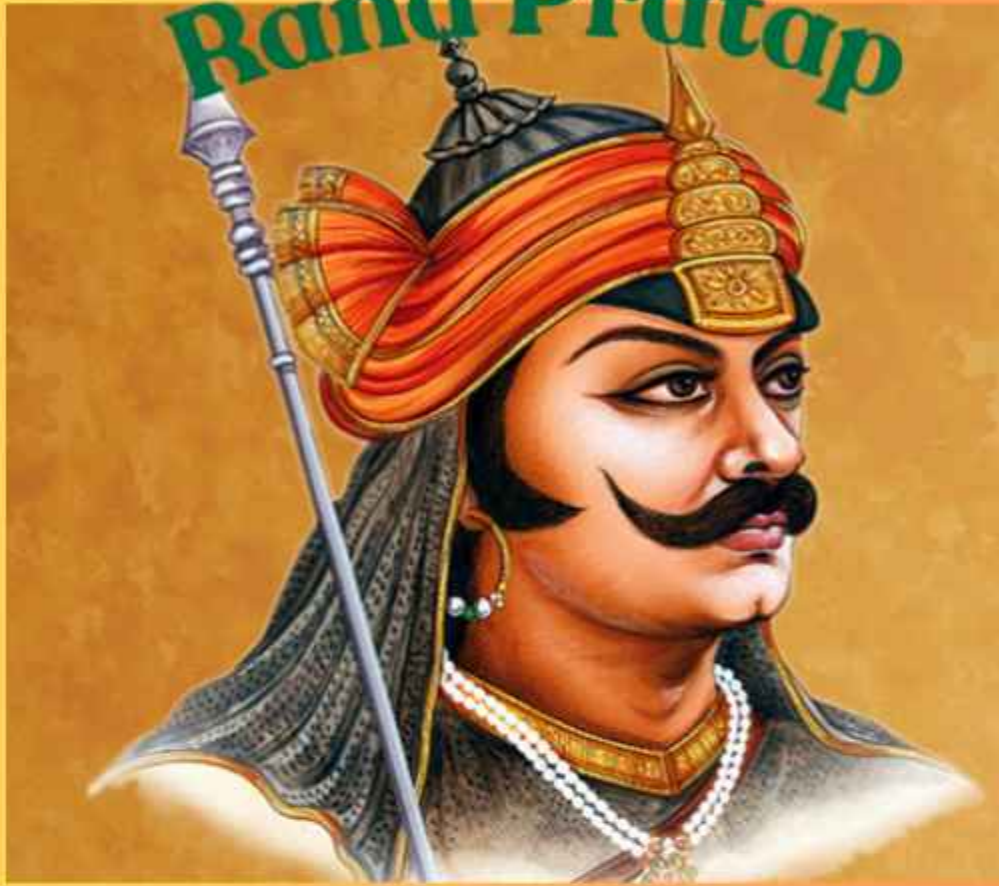


SHAHID BHAGAT SINGH

Bhagat Singh was a key figure in India's fight for Independence against British rule. His famous slogan "Inquilab Zindabad" means "Long live the revolution". His bravery and sacrifice CONTINUE TO INSPIRE Indians and freedom fighters worldwide. March 23 is remembered as Shaheed Diwas in India in his honour.

Bhagat Singh threw a bomb in the Central Assembly with his friend Batukeshwar Dutta to protest British laws. They shouted "Inquilab Zindabad" and were arrested. In court, Bhagat Singh said he did it for India's freedom. He was hanged by the British at the age of 23, but his bravery inspired Indians to this day.....

Rana Pratap



MAHARANA PRATAP

Maharana Pratap popularly known the Lion of Mewar was a Rajput king who ruled Mewar from 1572 to 1597. He was a fierce warrior and fought against the mighty Mughal Empire, refusing to surrender. His iconic Battle of Haldighati is still remembered for his bravery. He fought against Akbar's massive army with just 800 soldiers. His loyal horse Chetak helped him escape when wounded. Maharana Pratap had a loyal horse named Chetak who died fighting alongside him. He used clever strategies like ambushes and raids. He lived in the hills, using his people's skills to survive and resist the Mughals. He ate simple food to stay connected with people. His courage and determination inspire Indians to this day.

🎄 Christmas Carnival 🎄

The Balmandir campus transformed into a wonderland all set for a Christmas Carnival.

Principal Dr Anju Chopra welcomed the tiny tots.

❄️ The children presented a melodious mix of carol singing and mesmerizing dance accompanied by the festive talk.

🎨 Various Creative Stations like DIY corner, Tatoo corner, Magic station, Games zones were set up.

🍪 Mouth watering snacks like millet bhel, cake, khaman and lemonade were served to add to the festivities.

The presence of Santa Claus brought thrill to the occasion.

The day ended with joyful memories weaving the fabric of culture and togetherness for our children.





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The Surprise Test

Sweat was running off my face, I looked at the teacher taking rounds of the class, expecting some hint but today nothing could be done. It was a **SURPRISE TEST**.

That all started in the morning when I was getting ready, I could foretell the teacher is planning something

With anxiety in my mind I boarded the bus, reached school and after the assembly when the first bell rang the teacher came with a bundle of sheets, she called two students to distribute them. And meanwhile she wrote the date and "Surprise Test" on the board, everyone was startled & shocked.

Now let's go back to that scene, I tried hard but I couldn't solve more than a few questions. For long I tried memorising the answers but I couldn't remember.

I drank a sip of water and with that sip a vigour of energy ran through my body. The memories of the teacher explaining the lesson started clicking in my mind, answers started echoing in my brain.

And within five minutes, the whole answer sheet was complet but still it felt like there was so much more to write I had to take an extra sheet to write. The teacher gave me an extra sheet with strange expressions on her face.

At the end of the period all the answer sheets were collected. The teacher took them to the Staff Room. She checked roll no. 1's answer sheet, 2.'s 3's and soon it was my answer sheet's turn to be checked. Now it was her chance to be startled she checked once, twice, thrice she couldn't believe that I have scored full marks.

A few days later when the results came even, I was shocked. Earlier when the teacher used to announce marks, she had a disappointing look on her face but this time she was elated as the class result was awesome and the best among all other classes.

With a beaming smile, bouncy gait and a report card in hand I went home. My parents were ecstatic, even I couldn't believe my eyes and they couldn't believe and after checking twice, thrice they readily signed it. It was a moment of extreme pleasure and pride for them.



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Devotional Paths to the Divine - Adi-Shankaracharya

*A child arose with timeless sight
Truth awakened in full light*

An 8th Century philosopher of Advait, was Adi Guru-Shankaracharya where Adi is first means he is believed to be the first real Guru, Shankar stands for Shiva which proves he was a Nayanar (Shaivite) and Acharya for Guru which shows he preached, and he was a south- Indian philosopher and spiritual teacher. We all know about the Vedas and Upanishads. Upanishads were commentaries based on the Vedas and the person who wrote commentaries both on commentaries Vedas and even Upanishads was Shankar. He not only wrote on these two but also on Bhagavat Gita and the Brahma sutras too. When the Hindu philosophy was at the time of its decline it was Shankara who preached and revived it back.

In 788 CE (or even ranging to 509 BCE depending on different traditions) on the Vaishakha Shukla Panchami at Kaladi, Kerala in the house of Namboodiri Brahmins a baby-boy took birth. His father Shivaguru died early leaving him to his mother Aryamba. His mother raised him alone. Till the age of 8, he was an extremely wonderful child and even mastered the Vedas under his mother's guidance and support which led his spiritual inclination since childhood. With such knowledge he was known to be a child prodigy. All was going smoothly just then the story had some twists.

One day, At the age of 8, while bathing in the river Poorna a crocodile caught his leg fearing his end was near, he asked his mother's consent for renunciation and told Aryamba that if she lets him accept sannyasa he'll be saved. The mother, distressed but helpless, gave her consent. As soon as she agreed, the crocodile released him, which was seen as divine intervention. Śaṅkar (childhood name) immediately became a sanyasi beginning a spiritual life. The shocked Aryamba couldn't accept the harsh truth but soon agreed.

On the banks of river Narmada, the disciple of Gaudapadacharya, Guru Govinda Bhagvatpada made his ashram. After a long travel Shankar met him & decided to be his shishya. Govinda Bhagvatpada initiated him to monastic life. Govinda preached him the doctrine of Advaita. Atman, Parmataman and Brahman are all same. They are one with you and me. The world appears real but is avidya and maya which hides the true nature of reality. When ignorance is removed, truth is realized. jnana is the main path to liberation. Rituals and actions alone cannot give final freedom. when you can understand this, you get moksha from worldly issues and problems.

A Famous Advaita summary is “Brahma Satyam, Jagat Mithya, Jivo Brahmaiva Naparah.” “Aham Brahmasmi, tat tvam asi”

Brahman alone is real, the world is appearance, the soul is not different from Brahman. I am brahman, you're that too. And then that little guru Shankar started propounding Advaita philosophy. His first sermon at Kashi established him as a young but powerful spiritual teacher.

Then he started his Digvijaya yatra, the tour to victory. He travelled across entire India on foot to revive Hinduism and spread the doctrine of Advaita and debate to enrich his knowledge. Guru Shankar visited Kashi, Badrinath, Dwarka, Puri, Sringeri, Kanchipuram and many other centres of India on foot. During his travel, he debated with many people mostly Buddhists, Mimasa scholars and other Vedantic schools. In one such debate, Mandana Mishra with the judge Ubhaya Bharati in which he won and Mandana decided to become his follower and got initiated to Advaita and became Shishya Sureshwar.

Some of his major works which he wrote during and for Digvijaya are Brahma Sutra Bhashya, Bhagavad Gita Bhashya, Upanishad Bhashyas, Upadesa Sahasri, Bhaja, Govindam, Dakshina Murti Stotra, Vivekachudamani.

Some of his major contributions include uniting different Hindu sects, reducing sectarian conflict, reviving Sanatana Dharma, introducing Panchayatana Puja which teaches that all deities are forms of one Brahman - Shiva, Vishnu, Shakti, Ganesha and Surya.

During his travel he made 4 Mathas in the four directions including Sringeri Matha (South), Dwarka Matha (West), Govardhan Matha {(Puri) (East)}, Jyotirmath {(Badrinath) (North)}.

He also formed Dashanami order which is a monastic tradition founded by Adi Shankaracharya to organize Advaita monks. His disciples...

•**Padmapada** carried forward Shankara's teachings through authoritative Advaita commentaries.

•**Hastamalaka** represented spontaneous enlightenment through innate spiritual realization.

•**Totaka** embodied deep devotion combined with rigorous scholarship.

•**Sureshwara** systematically expanded and defended Advaita philosophy through philosophical works.

Soon after at the age of 32 Shankaracharya attained Maha Samadhi at Kedarnath, merged with shiva and returned to his divine form. He wasn't suffering from any illness nor some injury nor did he ever physically die he became one with the brahman, with you, me and all creatures of the Earth.

He died young, why? Has this question come to your mind. If yes, here's the solution. His life was meant for reviving Hinduism, spiritual reform not longevity and he was sent for spreading Advaita Vedanta so his mission was completed. And technically he should be given moksha at the age of 9 only yet to spread his philosophy he was alive but even after being distinct from the brahman he was one with it his body from inside was atman and from outside was avidya maya. His work was divinely designed, fated and ordained.

The founder of Advaita philosophy and one of the best Indian philosophers who had also influenced modern thinkers, theology and Hindu philosophy was Jagadguru Adi Shankaracharya. By some philosophers and his followers, he was worshiped as lord shiva's avatar, venerated as a saint and even revered as a philosopher. He was also a poet and composed devotional poems and hymns like Bhaja Govindam.

*Brief his life, the eternal flame
India still chants Shankar's name*



Agrata Shah

Mosquitoes and Our Nature

Last Sunday, as I sat in my study room trying to finish my homework, I simply couldn't concentrate. A swarm of mosquitoes kept biting me relentlessly. Frustrated, I called my mother. She smiled, plugged in an anti-mosquito device, and within minutes, the pests began to disappear.

Mom, I asked, rubbing my itchy arms, Why do these mosquitoes bite us? Why do they treat us like enemies? What's their importance in our lives?

She laughed gently and replied, actually, mosquitoes are a family of small flies, with over 3,600 species found around the world. The word mosquito comes from Spanish and Portuguese—mosca (fly) + the diminutive -ito, meaning 'little fly'.

She continued, like all flies, mosquitoes undergo a four-stage life cycle: egg, larva, pupa, and adult. The first three stages are aquatic. Eggs are usually laid in stagnant water. They hatch into larvae, which feed and grow before turning into pupae. The adult mosquito finally emerges at the water's surface. Depending on the species, adult mosquitoes live anywhere from a week to about a month.

Then she added, contrary to what many people believe, it's only the female mosquitoes that bite and that too for egg production. Both males and many female mosquitoes primarily feed on nectar from flowers. This makes them surprisingly effective pollinators, especially in wetlands and forests.

I nodded, but she continued in a serious tone. Yes, mosquitoes do spread diseases like dengue, malaria and chikungunya, because of this, they're often seen as nuisances. But they are also an integral part of ecosystems across the world.

Surprised, I asked, "How?"

She explained, far from being useless, mosquitoes contribute to biodiversity, food webs and nutrient cycling. Removing them entirely could cause unintended ecological disruptions. Their larvae and adults serve as a crucial food source for many animals like fish, amphibians, birds, bats and even other insects. Without them, many predators would face food shortages, which could affect entire food chains.

She continued, while some of the 3,500+ mosquito species are more ecologically important than others, a total wipeout could destabilize sensitive Arctic and tropical ecosystems where mosquito larvae dominate aquatic biomass.

However, scientists through GM (Genetically Modification) process are working on targeted control of only the disease-causing species, without harming the others.

Mom said, mosquitoes may seem like pests, but they are threads in nature's fabric, connecting aquatic and terrestrial systems and supporting countless species. Their presence reminds us how even the smallest creatures play vital roles in maintaining ecological balance.

That conversation transformed my annoyance into fascination. Mosquitoes may bother us, but they are undeniably essential to the circle of life.

Aratrika Pandey

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My Roof Garden



**There's a lovely garden on my roof,
Come visit my house if you need proof!**

**I water the plants to help them bloom,
They send fresh, clean air into my
room.**

**Tulsi, Marigold, Cactus, and Rose,
I click selfies with them in happy pose.**

**I trim and prune them every Sunday,
Which turns my weekend into a fun
day!**



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Magnetic Dust Catcher for Roads

“Invisible Pollution, Visible Solution”



Every time a vehicle brakes or its tires wear down, it releases fine metallic dust into the air. These microscopic particles are invisible but dangerous — linked to asthma, respiratory illness, and heart disease, especially in children and the elderly.

A practical and low-cost solution to this problem is the Magnetic Dust Catcher — a roadside device designed to reduce air pollution by capturing metallic particles. Using a low-energy fan, the unit draws in polluted air. Neodymium magnets trap metallic dust, while an optional filter captures larger pollutants like smoke and soot. The device is rechargeable, weatherproof, solar-compatible, and suitable for mounting on standard GI 9-meter octagonal poles.

Each unit costs approximately ₹3,200 to produce — nearly ten times cheaper than commercial air purifiers. The poles required for installation cost around ₹10,500 and are readily available from industrial suppliers.

Air pollution causes around 7 million premature deaths globally each year, according to the World Health Organization. Metallic dust, though often overlooked, is a significant contributor.

A cleaner urban future is possible — one magnet at a time.

The Solution

The Magnetic Dust Catcher is a compact, roadside unit equipped with:

- A low-energy fan that draws in polluted air
- Neodymium magnets that attract and trap metallic particles
- An optional dust filter to capture larger pollutants
- A rechargeable battery, optionally powered by solar energy
- A weather-resistant enclosure and pole for outdoor use

How It Works

Air is pulled into the unit by a fan. As it passes through the chamber, fine metallic particles are captured by embedded magnets. Cleaner air is released on the other side, contributing to improved local air quality.

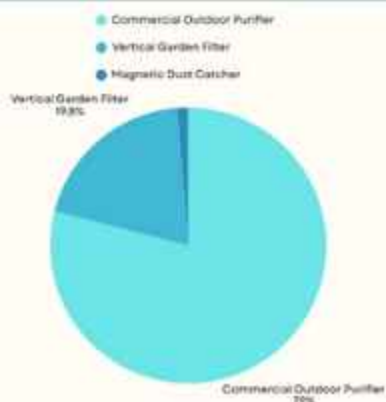


Implementation Plan

- Phase 1: Deploy 10 pilot units in high-traffic locations to assess effectiveness
- Phase 2: Collect and analyze trapped dust over 4 weeks
- Phase 3: Collaborate with urban authorities for larger-scale deployment based on pilot data



COST COMPARISON CHART: EXISTING AIR PURIFIERS VS. MAGNETIC DUST CATCHER



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