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SAI RATH



It was a truly divine opportunity to get the sacred darshans of the holy 'Sai Rath' in our school premises. With immense love, devotion and reverence, the staff and children of Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore accorded a warm and reverential welcome to the sacred Sai Rath. The atmosphere was charged with divine vibrations as the Sai Rath entered the school premises amidst a grand procession led by the school band. The children lined the pathway with folded hands and smiling faces, expressing their love and reverence for Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba by showering flower petals.



As the Sai Rath slowly made its way through the school premises, children of the school choir and band sang mellifluous bhajans in praise of Lord Sri Sathya Sai Baba, filling the air with sacred vibrations of devotion, turning the entire campus into a temple of joy and worship.





It was indeed a very special opportunity for the staff and children to experience the presence of divinity up close, strengthening their faith. It was a moment of unity, joy and deep respect, leaving everyone present emotionally uplifted. The sight of the sacred Sai Rath amidst the cheerful celebration became an unforgettable memory for all, inspiring the children to lead lives based on the noble teachings of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.















Teacher's Day'

The Teacher's Day celebrations commenced on a spiritual note with soulful bhajans offered in praise of our Eternal Guru Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.

The atmosphere was filled with devotion, gratitude and joy as the children presented zestful performances, graceful dances and melodious songs, each act a heartfelt tribute to their beloved teachers.

The Director, Shri M G Paranjape in his inspiring address, highlighted that while the primary task of a teacher is to impart knowledge, they go much beyond that by nurturing values, guiding character and helping every child recognize and realize their true potential. He emphasized that students must also learn the fine distinction between desiring success and truly deserving it through dedication, discipline and hard work.

Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra, appreciated the children for putting together such a wonderful programme. She reiterated that both teachers and parents lay the firm foundation of a child's life.

Teachers, she added, not only impart wisdom but also groom and nurture children so that they stand tall and bask in the glory of their own success, it is the teaching profession that makes the base of all other professions.

The highlight of the day was the special screening of the movie 'Sitaare Zameen Par' at Phoenix Citadel, especially arranged for the teachers by the Parent's Committee and the School Management.

The heartwarming movie, coupled with sumptuous snacks, offered a refreshing break, leaving the teachers cherished and celebrated on this special day.

TEACHING IS A WORK OF HEART



BEST TEACHER EVER!









DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

The Sathya Sai family had the privilege to attend a very inspiring and spiritually enriched session graced by Mr. and Mrs. Rakesh Soni, an accomplished industry expert with extensive international experience in enhancing business performance across multi-billion-dollar energy and resource sectors in India, Australia, and the Middle East.





Sir, profoundly emphasized the need to identify one's inherent talent, persevere, nurture it with dedication, and follow one's true passion. The thought-provoking address encouraged students to look within, discover their unique strengths and channelise them purposefully.





The assembly commenced with soulful bhajans, creating an atmosphere of devotion and serenity. This was followed by Jyoti Meditation, where the tranquil stillness allowed everyone to reflect on the inner light that guides every individual towards self-discovery and excellence.





A special highlight of the assembly was the captivating dance performance by our talented dance teachers, Mr. Yashwant Gawde, Mrs. Pallavi Vyas and their team, beautifully portraying the eternal bond of a guru and shishya through the story of Guru Dronacharya and Eklavya that shines with deep sacrifice and humility.









Aarti at the Lotus Feet of Bhagwan Sri Sathya Sai Baba was offered by Mrs. & Mr. Rakesh Soni. The session truly touched both the heart and soul.

BONSAI WORKSHOP

A unique and enriching Bonsai Workshop was organised for the children of classes 5-9, offering them a glimpse into the art and science of miniature tree creation. The session was conducted by Mr. Veer Choudhary, a nationally and internationally acclaimed Bonsai master, renowned for his expertise and innovative techniques in the Governing field. Our Board Members-Mrs. Padma Kalani & Mrs. Pankaj Soni, Senior Bonsai Masters of the city were also present for the session.





Mr. Choudhary introduced the children to the fascinating world of Bonsai — the ancient Japanese art of growing and shaping trees in containers. He explained the nuances of selecting the right plant, understanding its growth pattern and nurturing it with patience and care. The highlight of the workshop was a live demonstration on wiring and shaping, where the children witnessed how the form and aesthetics of a Bonsai are carefully crafted over time.

Mr. Veer Choudhary deftly demonstrated pruning and wiring a tree to turn it into a beautiful Bonsai. He magnanimously gifted the Bonsai tree created by him to Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra.

The session was highly interactive and engaging, with the children enthusiastically asking questions. Mr. Choudhary's passion and insights left the young learners deeply inspired, kindling in them a sense of creativity, environmental awareness and appreciation for nature's beauty. The workshop successfully blended learning with hands-on experience, making it a memorable and educational event for all.



CYBER SECURITY

An informative session on Cyber
Security Awareness was conducted by
the officers from the State Cyber Crime
Cell, Indore Zone — Mr. Sabyasachi
Saraf (Superintendent of Police) and Mr.
Dinesh Verma (Inspector, MP Police),
along with Mr. Rahul Jain, President of
Kisri Sanstha and District Convenor,
BJP Vyapari Prakoshth.

The session was graced by the presence of Honorary Treasurer, CA Shyam Bhatia Sir.

It was an enlightening and interactive experience that sensitized students about responsible and safe digital practices.



AI & INNOVATION SEMINAR

An insightful seminar on AI & Innovation was conducted by IMA bringing together distinguished speakers who shared their knowledge and experiences with the students.

The session was opened by CA Naveen Khandelwal, who introduced the concept of Artificial Intelligence and its promising future. He emphasized the growing importance of AI in shaping careers and industries, encouraging students to embrace this technological revolution.

The keynote address was delivered by Mr. Milind Raj, popularly known as "The Drone Man of India." He shared his inspiring experiences with the Honourable Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam and stressed that the present is the best time for students to learn and apply Artificial Intelligence. He highlighted how small but focused efforts in the right direction can lead to life-changing outcomes. Advising students to set deadlines for even small tasks, he quoted one of Dr. Kalam's valuable lessons: "Try to know something about everything, and everything about something."

The seminar also featured Mr. Kumaar Bagrodia, widely recognized as India's Brain Enhancer. He spoke about the conscious and subconscious mind, explaining how mindful living can transform one's life. He informed the audience that although the human brain makes up only 2% of the body mass, it consumes nearly one-third of the body's energy. With over a trillion neurons, he stressed the importance of developing and nurturing our mental potential.

The seminar left the students motivated and inspired, providing them with valuable insights into Artificial Intelligence, innovation and the limitless power of the human mind.







JOY OF GIVING

Tiny Tots of Balmandir learn sharing and caring

Our Community Service program "Joy of Giving" brightens up DIWALI of the lesser privileged children.







Joy of Giving

Our little stars of Class 1 celebrated the Joy of Giving with big hearts and bright smiles.







The real joy of Diwali
was seen in their eyes
as they made others
happy. Children
experienced that even
small acts of kindness
makes a big
difference.











A JOY OF GIVING

Community service isn't just helping others, it's about spreading kindness like sunshine.

Children of class 2 enthusiastically participated in the community service -'Joy of Giving' and discovered that when we give, we also receive something precious, that is joy!

They stepped out with big hearts and bright smiles and learned that true happiness comes from sharing – a toy, a pencil, a snack, or just a warm hug







The Joy of Giving- Community Community Service by children of IV









With hearts full of compassion and hands full of generosity, the Sai Messengers' disseminate boundless joy and love, kindling the radiant Diwali lights of hope in the lives of the less privileged, embodying the sublime spirit of 'Joy of Giving'.

Spreading Smiles



Spreading smiles, sharing joy our young changemakers in action!

Embodying the true spirit of service this festive season our class 5 children prove that the greatest joy lies in giving, not receiving.







"NOOR"





We are proud to share that Sarakshi Tiwari, Sudiksha Tiwari, Gurneet Singh Narang, Meher Lilani, Anhad Singh Rana, Manvi Bhandari, Seher Saluja, Sanskar Sharma, Avni Surana and Preet Gulati have started a student-led initiative, NOOR, dedicated to lending a helping hand to those in need. The initiative aims to promote learning and value-based education among the less privileged through mentorship, encourage active listening and learning habits and extend care and support to the elderly. As a reflection of their efforts and empathy, the team proudly introduces the first edition of their e-newsletter, showcasing their journey of kindness, learning and meaningful community engagement.

SHI VIGYHN UTSHV

An exemplary Science Exhibition was organized by the students of Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar.

The exhibition was inaugurated by our beloved Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra.

It was a wonderful showcase of young, innovative minds, featuring futuristic working models, factual scientific concepts and practical solutions to everyday societal challenges.

Students from classes 5 to 9 participated enthusiastically.

Class 5 presented a lively role play on extinct and endangered species.

A BMI calculation booth was set up for visitors.

Awareness sessions on dental health and carbon footprints were key highlights of the event.

To ensure a wider reach, the exhibition was live-streamed for all to witness the students' creativity in action.

With nearly 90 exhibits on display, the event provided an inspiring platform for budding scientists to express their curiosity and imagination. The excitement and energy of the students made the entire atmosphere vibrant and joyous.





APPRECIATION CEREMONY FOR SAI VIGYAN UTSAV 2025



Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore, proudly congratulates the winners of Sai Vigyan Utsav 2025, held on 15th October by presenting a book to them.

Our young innovators showcased exceptional creativity, curiosity, and scientific temperament through their remarkable projects. Heartiest congratulations to all the achievers for their outstanding accomplishments!





SATUDYAMIX

Organized by: Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore In collaboration with: School Innovation Council

Date: 17 October 2025

Theme: "Har Ghar Swadesh, Ghar Ghar Swadeshi"

In a magnificent confluence of entrepreneurship, innovation, and patriotism, Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore proudly hosted the tenth edition of its entrepreneurial fest — Sai Udyami X, in collaboration with the School Innovation Council. The celebration beautifully echoed the ideals of self-reliance and cultural pride through its thought-provoking theme, "Har Ghar Swadeshi."



The event was graced by eminent dignitaries — Treasurer CA Shyam Bhatia, Director Shri M. G. Paranjape, Principal Dr. Anju Chopra, and Vice Principals Ms. Vandana Daji and Mr. Mohit Dubey — whose presence elevated the occasion with wisdom and encouragement. The entire event was conducted under the able supervision of Ms. Sheetal Agrawal, the Head In-Charge of Sai Udyami X.





Supporting her vision was the Managing
Committee of Sai Udyami, comprising
Presidents of the Sai Udyami Managing
Committee – Ishanika Shrimal and Aashvi
Bansal, Event Head Archit Gupta, along with
Director of the School Innovation Council,
Shourya Mishra. Their leadership,
coordination, and creative insight ensured that
the event was executed with remarkable finesse
and efficiency.

The grand inauguration began in true Swadeshi style — the rhythmic beats of the dhol resonated through the campus, symbolizing the heartbeat of self-reliant India. This traditional welcome was followed by a cheerful cake-cutting ceremony, officially marking the commencement of the much-anticipated fest. The air was filled with joy, enthusiasm, and the scent of festivity as the celebration unfolded.

The school grounds were transformed into a kaleidoscope of colours, creativity, and aromas. A total of 38 aesthetically designed food stalls lined the venue, each reflecting the entrepreneurial flair and culinary passion of the students. From traditional Swadeshi dishes bursting with Indian flavours to Continental cuisines representing global diversity, the stalls offered a delightful gastronomic experience for every visitor.

Adding to the festivity was a dedicated

Pottery Section, where students showcased
India's rich handicraft heritage through
beautifully crafted clay artefacts. This artistic
corner became a favourite attraction,
symbolizing the blend of tradition and
innovation that Sai Udyami X stood for.









The entire event radiated the upcoming spirit of Diwali — the festival of lights. Stalls were adorned with shimmering diyas, lanterns, and colourful decorations, creating an ambience of warmth and celebration that perfectly matched the Swadeshi theme. The sight of twinkling lights and happy faces reflected the essence of "Atmanirbhar Bharat" — self-sufficient, vibrant, and full of hope.

Further enriching the event were five
Innovation Stalls conceptualized by young
visionaries, focusing on critical themes such as
Career Counselling, Resource Management,
Sustainable Development, and Prosperous
Bharat. These exhibits highlighted the school's
dedication to fostering creative and socially
responsible thinkers capable of building a
sustainable future.

The event also embraced the digital frontier with live streaming on Facebook and YouTube, enabling parents, alumni, and well-wishers from across the country to witness the energy and ingenuity of the young entrepreneurs in real time. The online response was overwhelming, proving that innovation knows no boundaries.

Throughout the day, dignitaries and visitors applauded the students' commitment, creativity, and entrepreneurial vision. Their appreciation served as an inspiration for every participant to continue believing in the power of Swadeshi enterprise and innovation.

As the curtains fell on Sai Udyami X 2025, the fest left behind not just memories but a message — that the seeds of progress are sown when young minds unite tradition with innovation. It was not merely an event; it was a movement celebrating self-reliance, creativity, and national pride.

Sai Udyami X thus stood as a shining testament to the school's philosophy of nurturing intellect with integrity — an endeavour where every student learned that true entrepreneurship begins from one's own roots, powered by the spirit of Swadeshi India.























Sai Manovrati



'Sai Manovrati', Psychology Fest, was organized by the students of Psychology at Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar Indore. The Principal, Dr Anju Chopra, inaugurated the fest and applauded the students' remarkable achievement and hard work.

















It was a vibrant celebration of creativity, innovation, and wellness. The event aimed to acknowledge the importance of mental health, emotional well-being and inclusivity.















It had activities such as personality test, anxiety test, gratitude tree, emotional unburdening through confession boxes, art therapy, protective tests, illusion activities, etc.

The fest saw participation from a huge number of students.

It aimed to raise awareness about emotional well-being, and the importance of seeking help when needed. The fest helped promoting a positive and supportive environment.













It also helped the students of psychology to exhibit their learning and skills in the field.

























Scholastic Book Fair









"Reading opens doors to the world of imagination, knowledge, and endless possibilities."

The much-awaited 3 days Scholastic Book Fair, organised in the school was inaugurated by Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra, who emphasized the importance of cultivating the habit of reading among students. The fair showcases a wide array of books across genres—fiction, non-fiction, classics and knowledge-based titles—sparking curiosity and enthusiasm among young readers.

The vibrant display of books has turned the school premises into a haven for book lovers, encouraging students to explore, imagine and learn beyond the classroom. The event truly celebrates the joy of reading and the power of books to inspire young minds.



MAJESTIC

MANDAY

Manday, a treasure trove of history and wonder!

A day trip to Mandav orgranised for the children of class 3 was an unforgettable adventure. 135 enthusiastic children, 18 teachers and 5 support staff, had a day filled with laughter, learning and cherished memories.

The children explored Mandav's majestic wonders, promoted 'Vocal for Local' by shopping for local goodies and relished well-planned snacks and delicious lunch.

The day trip proved to be a culinary delight for the kids. The spread included yummy sandwiches, sizzling samosa, crispy chips and sweet treats like cream rolls, icecream, dairy milk and biscuits. The lunch delicacies included Jal Jeera, Paneer, Jeera Aloo, vegetables, Noodles, Pasta, French Fries, Dal, Rice, Salad, Papad and Raita. They relished chilled Frooti and Jeeru quenching their thirst after long walks in the majestic palace. It was a delightful feast that added to the excitement of the outing.

The day concluded with beaming smiles and happy memories that will be treasured forever.



Basket of Memories - Manday



The photos and videos clearly show how much the kids enjoyed and learned through this experience. It's heartwarming to see them exploring, smiling, and creating such beautiful memories together. Truly grateful for the efforts, care, and enthusiasm of the teachers and organizers who made this day so special for our children.

It seems to be a super fun for our kids ... arrangements were very well planned and we were also updated time to time with the activities they are doing ... Great efforts by principal mam, teachers and the staff in organizing this trip ... appretiable

Thank you all teachers and staffs team for the nonderful trip! I'm so grateful for the memories kids made and the fun they had together."

Kids had a great time . from last few days he was super duper excited for this trip

Thanks a lot dedicated staff and teachers

Kudos to all team members for the great trip.

It was a great trip. I m sure she enjoyed a lot as she was so much excited for going Mandav contains the teachers and supporting staff

The trip was so exciting to for kids. The arrangements and refreshments were also amazing, school authorities are also giving info about kids on school group.

Kids are having so much 🐯 fun 🤝

Thanks alot to Principal Ma'am and teachers for planning such a monderful trip for kids, Tanishka enjoyed a lot 💖 😊

Of heartfelt thank you to Frincipal Ma'am, Fload Mistress Ma'am, All the Teachers, and the entire support staff for organizing such a newdorful and nelt planned day trip to Mandav. The trip was so thoughtfully coordinated — from the travel arrangements to the constant sharing of pictures — every detail reflected the care and effort put in to ensure the children's safety and enjoyment.

No are truly grateful for the way you looked after the students and made the experience so memorable. In sure the children had a great time exploring and learning, and we can't wait to hear all their funfilled stories!

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Dr (Noetha Shrwactava Schani (Mother of (Nitya Schani (3rd E) 游

CA heartfelt thanks for such an amazing trip!

Pairka had been waiting so eagorly and was super
excited ever since the trip was announced. The happy faces
of all the kids truly reflect how well they were cared for and
how much they enjoyed every moment.

Once again, sincere thanks to the entire SSSW team for organizing such a nenderful and memorable experience!

Divya skah Mother of Pavika Shah section & &



Thankyou teachers and all supportive staff special thank to Principal Mam to all your love dedication and care all the arrangements was superb trip was amazing, kids are having so much fun Dr Swapnil Soni

Mother of Swanik soni 3D

Thanks a lot to Principal Ma'am and teachers for planning such a monderful trip for kids, Tanishka enjoyed a lot

CA big heartfelt thank you to all the teachers and the school team for organizing such a beautiful trip! **

Bhavya coming home with full of stories, smiles, and unforgettable memories. surely. Your care, effort, and dedication made this experience truly special for the kids. We're so grateful for all that you do! **

Kiana Dawani

Mother of Bhavya 3B



Thanku (All Teachers & Principal Mam & Staff ne are nriting to express our sincere gratitude for the wonderful picnic your organised for the children's and ne appreciated all the hard work & efforts that went into making it a safe & memorable day...

Jyotsana Bisen

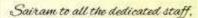
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Thank u so much Principal Mam teachers n all supportive staff. Danish enjoyed a lot..

Knds to the school team for organizing such a memorable day at Mandar! The trip beautifully balanced fun, learning, and care leaving the children with menderful memories,

(A heartfelt appreciation to our Principal Meiam, Head Mistress Maiam, teachers, and staff for the thoughtful planning and constant supervision that made everything run so smoothly. The joy and excitement on the children's faces said it all!

Bost regards, Dr Shubham (Agrawat (Methor of (Amayra (Agrawat)) (3rd E)



The pictures from the Mandav trip look absolutely nonderful. Thank you so much for giving the kids such a beautiful experience to learn, explore and make memories together Its lovely to see how much fun they had. Can't wait to hear stories from Divika once she's back. Really appreciate all the effort, care, and planning that nent into making this trip so special for the kids.

Richa Sachdeira Mothor of Durka Sachdeira 3rd (A

Regards

Tanish & Tanush Arora

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Dipti Arora



A big thank you to Frincipal Maiam, Head Mistross Maiam, all the Feachers, and Support Staff for organizing such a newderful and nellcoordinated day trup to Manday! Everything nas planned neth such core from travel and activities to ensuring the children were safe, happy, and engaged throughout. The photo updates were a levely truch and made us feel like we were part of their fun day too.

We truly appreciate all the time, thought, and effort that nent into making this experience so special and momorable for the students. Pan't mait to hear all the exciting stories and happy moments from the children!

Regards

Widhi Behani

Mother of Vaidehi Behani

(3rd.8)



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Regards

Surbhi patwa

(Mother of veer patria and irray patria (3rd 4) & (3rd 8)

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Regards

Sonam Rawat

(Mether of Nivaan Ranat (3rd D)

heartfelt thank you to Principal Ma'am, All the Teachers, and the entire support staff for organizing such a nonderful and nell-planned da trip to Mandav.

Appreciate all the efforts .

Regards

Rati Khandelwal

Mother of CArjan Khandelwal

Class 3rd 9

I rould like to express my sinone appreciation for the care and comfort practed by the teachers and staff during today's trip to Mandai.

Kndes to the entire team for a successful and nell-managed outing. \bigcirc

Boling forward for more such inriving adventures as part of children's inthusiastic journey of learning.

Divas Mom. 3rd B





Mam, u have always made sure that the kids are safe and comfortable. Thank you so much for organizing such a wonderful trip for the kids. The children had a great time and created beautiful memories.

We truly appreciate all the effects. Kids had wonderful time. Thank u for giving them this wonderful memory.

Regards.

Dear Principal mam

If am writing to express my sincere gratitude for the recent school trip to Mandar. The experience was both educational and fun, and kids learned so much more than they expected.

The exportunity to do a specific activity or experience, e.g., see the historical artifacts at was a valuable hands on lossen that helped him understand in a new way.

(10e also nant to thank you and the teachers for the excellent planning and supervision that made the trip safe and enjoyable for everyone. It is approximate the effort and dedication it takes to organize such a momerable and enriching experience.

Thank you once again for this nonderful exportunity.

Sincerely.

Chiyaan Magar

3rd B





EXCURSION TO RANTHAMBORE



A group of 107 enthusiastic young explorers from classes 4 and 5, along with the Principal, 12 teachers, embarked on an exciting excursion to Ranthambore, filled with joy and anticipation. The journey began with cheerful chatter and sparkling curiosity as the children look forward to exploring the famous wildlife sanctuary and catching a glimpse of the majestic tiger in its natural habitat.







BASKET OF MEMORIES RANTHAMBORE

For students, a trip to Ranthambore National Park offered an exciting adventure and a chance to connect with nature. Imagine spotting majestic tigers, exploring ancient ruins, and learning about wildlife conservation. This experience was both fun and educational, providing valuable lessons about the importance of preserving our natural heritage.





The fun begins...

61 children of class 6 along with 10 teachers had set out with enthusiasm and excitement to Statue of Unity to witness the grandeur of the awe inspiring statue of the 'Iron Man of India'.





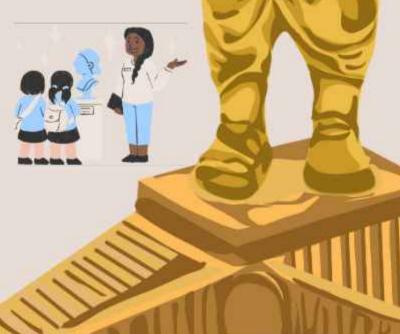












BASKET OF MEMORIES STATUE OF UNITY

THE EXCITEMENT WAS PALPABLE AS THE STUDENTS BOARDED THE BUS, BOUND FOR THE ICONIC STATUE OF UNITY! WITH BACKPACKS FILLED WITH SNACKS, CAMERAS, AND A SENSE OF ADVENTURE, THEY CHATTERED ANIMATEDLY ABOUT THE TRIP AHEAD. AS THE BUS HIT THE ROAD, THEIR ANTICIPATION GREW, FUELED BY THE PROMISE OF WITNESSING THE WORLD'S TALLEST STATUE UP CLOSE. THE JOURNEY HAD JUST BEGUN, BUT THE ENERGY WAS ALREADY ELECTRIC.

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teachers and team of school for

a wenderful trip of our Kids

Thank you very much to the Principi

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Applause for each and every member of eatys sal for such a smooth and

Hats off to the entire team for such a wonderful trip. Being a teacher I can truly understand and thus appreciate the efforts of entire team to manage such large no.of students, Palak Juin - Mother of Nakshatra Jain 6 D

Thank u all the teachers and the

organisers for a safe and

wonderful trip

ma'em and all the teachers for such a

wonderful trip and taking care so

much of our kids...

all the time and taking core of them as a guardian.

Thank you so much to principal

mazing trip. Aysan enjoyed alet . And thanks for making it memorable. Therik you so much all the Heartfelt thanks to our respected Principal Ma'am, teachers, and entire staff for organizing such a memorable and joyful trip for our children. This experience will not only bring smiles to their faces but also provide valuable learning opportunities that will stay with them forever Thank you for your dedication and effortal Thank you so much respected Anju ma'err and all teachers for were seen as the second Principal ma'err, all teachers and all staff members.

Thankvou all so much for continuous efforts to make this 3 day trip for all kids memorable. The kids enjoyed a lot. Thankyou for providing a safe environment to the kids and help them create memories they will cherish forever. Thank u all the teachers and the organisors for a hanky all the teachers for this wonderful safe and wonderful trip memorable trip n taking care of the our children. trusty memorable trip to hank you so much All the teachers for suc kids ... Hatsoff to the s wonderful trip and taking care of our kids whole team of teachers so well and organisers Trunks all the teachers for this wanderful n organised trip. They were very happy and mamorable trip in taking care of the our children stready looking forward for the next one Really appreciate the efforts and support of all the treathers. Your case A sig thank you to Anju ma'um and the entire chool feem for segerating such a wonderful this at the Status of Unite. The lide same back with so overy status, new learning, and leasuiffed termines. Tody approxime the effort, planning, and care taken by the trachers and staff thingshould be the second staff the second staff the second staff than the se and company made the children really comfortable. All arrangemen sing. B Locking forward for the meet one

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management team for organizing such a wonderful trip. The kids had a great time and made life time memories.

Thank you for providing a safe and comfortable environment to the kids. The tales from the trip are exciting and memorable 9

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99 young explorers of class 7 along with 11 teachers, embarked on an exciting excursion to Udaipur and Kumbhalgarh, filled with joy and anticipation.















The journey began with cheerful chatter and wide-eyed curiosity as the children set out to discover the rich history and culture of Rajasthan.





Basket of Memories

Kumbalgarh and Udaipur



A heartfelt gratitude to all the teachers, staff and other support staff for taking care of our children. Dedication of every member of the team was remarkable

Along with enjoyment they have life lessons also.

Thanks for everything

Regards

Thank you for organising a monderful trip.... Everything ment smoothly. Thanks to all the teachers.

Fappreciate the kindness and generosity of "Naamya ma'am" n Tripti ma'am"; it made the trip so much easier and more enjoyable....!!

Regards ...

Veena Choukse

(Anaisha's mom)



Thanks mam for joyful and safe trip Kids enjoyed a lot.

Thank you mam for joyful & safe trip.

Kids enjoyed a lot, it's a wonderful trip

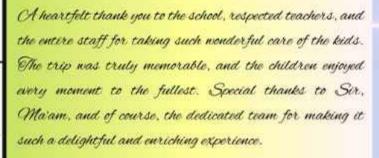
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It was anesome, fabulous and joyful tripall childrens enjoyed lots. Thankyou you Principal ma'am All Teachers, and supporting staff for organising such wonderful trip. 💌 🌂 💐

Thank very much mam all the best teachers, staff for taking care of our children and giving a lat of enjoy and learningsand experience 🥮 🛵

Thank you mam for joyful & safe trip.

Kids enjoyed a lot, it's a wonderful trip!



Warm Regards Shueta Bajaj . Jaweer mom

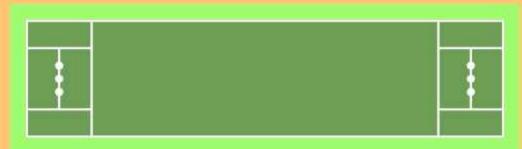


Fextend my heart felt gratitude and thanks for organising the school trip and N H8 care of the kids.

Your effort, time, and de appreciated. The children experience and made memories long time. Thank you for making



TRIP TO CRICKET MUSEUM >



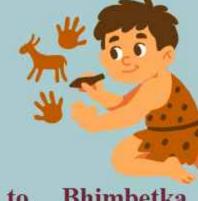
The children of class 8 had a memorable and enriching visit to the MPCA Cricket Museum, an experience that blended learning with excitement. As they stepped into the museum, they were instantly drawn to the fascinating world of cricket, brought alive through its treasured memorabilia and timeless souvenirs.

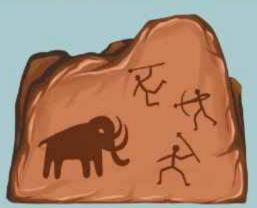
The museum housed an impressive collection that celebrated the glorious journey of cricket, showcasing jerseys, bats, balls, photographs and trophies associated with great legends of the game. The children were awestruck to see objects that once belonged to stalwarts who carved their names in cricketing history.

The visit proved to be a unique educational opportunity, helping children appreciate the cultural and emotional significance of cricket in India. It was truly an interesting, intriguing and unforgettable learning experience.



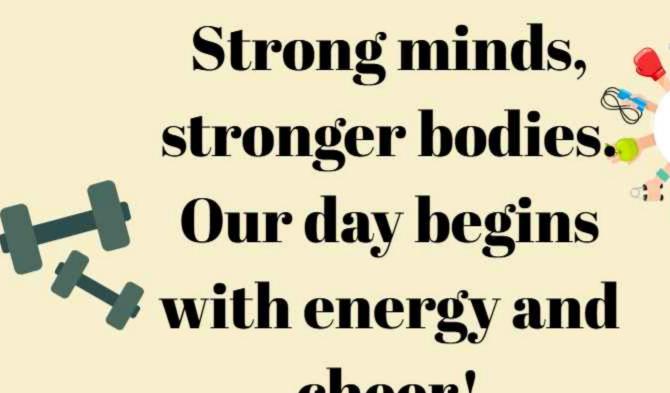
Trip to Bhimbhetka

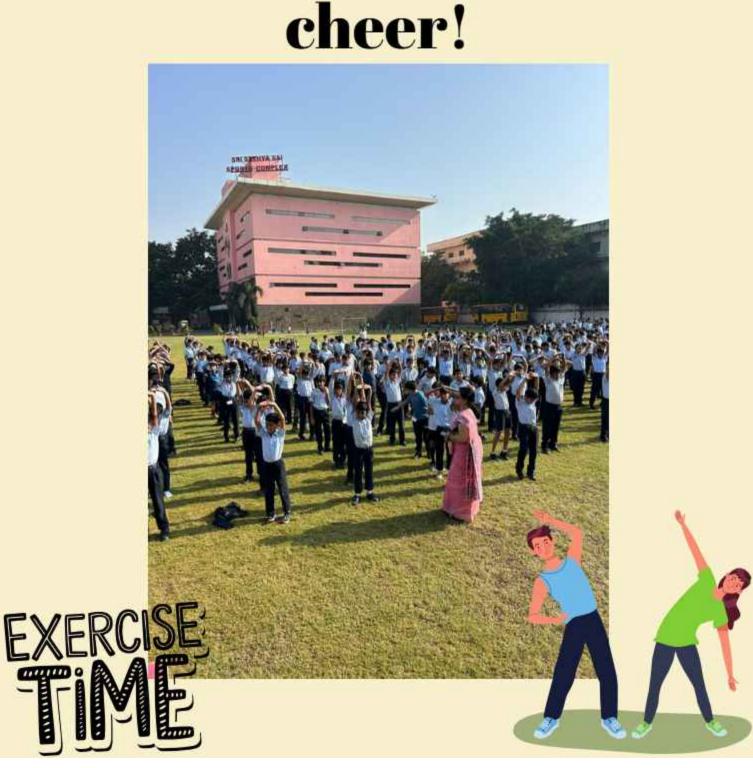




trip to Bhimbetka The proved to be a wonderful journey for the students of Classes 11 & 12. They witnessed the prehistoric caves, learned about the rich history of the site, and gained valuable insights into India's ancient heritage. The day made even was more enjoyable with moments of laughter, and a sumptuous meal shared together. With hearts full of memories and experiences, the group is now on their way back.







DIWALI PREPS!

Beautiful and colourful lanterns and torans were made by the tiny tots of Balvatika.











DIWALI CELEBRATION

Diwali celebration at Bal mandir was a symphony of colours, joy, and togetherness. The spectacular dance drama, vividly recreated Victory of Good over Evil and the grand welcome of Lord Ram in Ayodhya, with its harmonious blend of music, resplendent costumes and emotive performances.

The festivities included a mesmerizing puppet show, masterfully weaving details of 5 days festival that enthralled the young audience. The students' delight was at peak as they savored a special tiffin party, relishing homemade delicacies and sharing them with friends. The excitement continued with hands-on activities that ignited creativity the intricate diya making and vibrant rangoli designs adorned the school premises. Children went home with happy and fond memories.



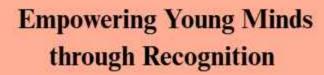




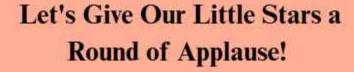








The Crowning Ceremony for Bal Vatika children was a resounding success! This special event celebrated the achievements and good conduct of our young learners, fostering a sense of confidence and motivation.



By recognizing their efforts, we're instilling values of hard work, self-expression, and teamwork. These tiny tots are our future leaders, and we're proud to nurture their growth!







EMPOWERING YOUNG MINDS THROUGH RECOGNITION

Our Crowning Ceremony for Classes 1 to 4 was a grand celebration of talent and good conduct.

This memorable event honoured the achievements of our young learners, filling them with pride, confidence and a renewed spark of motivation for others.













ENRICHING OUR LIBRARY



We are pleased to announce the delightful arrival of 125 enchanting books from the esteemed Ladybird publication, meticulously curated for our young readers at Bal Mandir Library. These captivating volumes, featuring modern stories, timeless fairy tales and traditional narratives, are crafted with simplicity and charm, igniting a lifelong passion for reading in the hearts of our children.







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विद्यालय में बड़े हर्षोल्लास के साथ हिंदी दिवस मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर कक्षा पहली से चौथी के विद्यार्थियों के लिए हिंदी प्रश्नोत्तरी प्रतियोगिता (ज्ञान ज्योति) का आयोजन किया गया।

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WORLD ANIMAL DAY









"Voices for the Voiceless - Tiny Tots Celebrate World Animal Day!"

Our tiny tots of Balvatika celebrated World Animal Day with immense excitement and love for their furry and feathered friends. Dressed in creative animal masks, they joyfully roared, chirped, meowed, and hopped, bringing the jungle and skies alive in the classroom!

Through fun activities, they learnt the true essence of this special day — to protect, care, and show kindness towards all living beings. The little ones also took a pledge to be kind to animals, to keep water and grains for birds, and to love and care for their pet friends.

The day was filled with laughter, compassion, and learning — reminding everyone that

a kind heart can make the world a safer place for every creature.

"CINEMA R TIME"

A special screening of the inspiring short film "Chalo Jeete Hain" was organized in the School Auditorium for children of classes 3 and 4.

They enjoyed the movie with delicious popcorn. The 32 minute movie is inspired by the childhood of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi.

It showcases references to freedom fighters Bhagat Singh, Rajguru and Sukhdev, who lived for others and conveys a powerful message of kindness and living with values of empathy towards others.



Stepping into the Enchanting World of Books!





Books are magical treasures that open the doors to imagination and wonder. Our little Balvatika learners joyfully embarked on a delightful Reading Adventure, stepping into the colourful world of stories with sparkling eyes and curious hearts.

They eagerly flipped through picture books, observed bright illustrations, and tried reading simple phonics-based stories with the gentle guidance. This engaging session nurtured their curiosity and sowed the seeds of a lifelong love for books and learning.

With hearts full of joy, our tiny tots pledged to spend time with books every day and to discover the joy of reading as they grow. After all, "Today a reader, tomorrow a leader."

Focus Area:

- · Building early interest and love for books
- · Developing phonics, listening, and imagination skills
- · Encouraging curiosity and joyful learning through storytelling



Eat Healthy Eat Strong











** "Eat Healthy, Stay Strong!" | # |

Our little Balvatika champs stepped into the colourful world of Healthy vs. Unhealthy Food through role play, stories & fun sorting games. Factories are discovered how fruits, veggies & milk make us tall, strong & bright , while too much junk, sugar & salt can dim our shine. While the little ones enjoyed, laughed, and discovered the joy of making smart food choices every day!



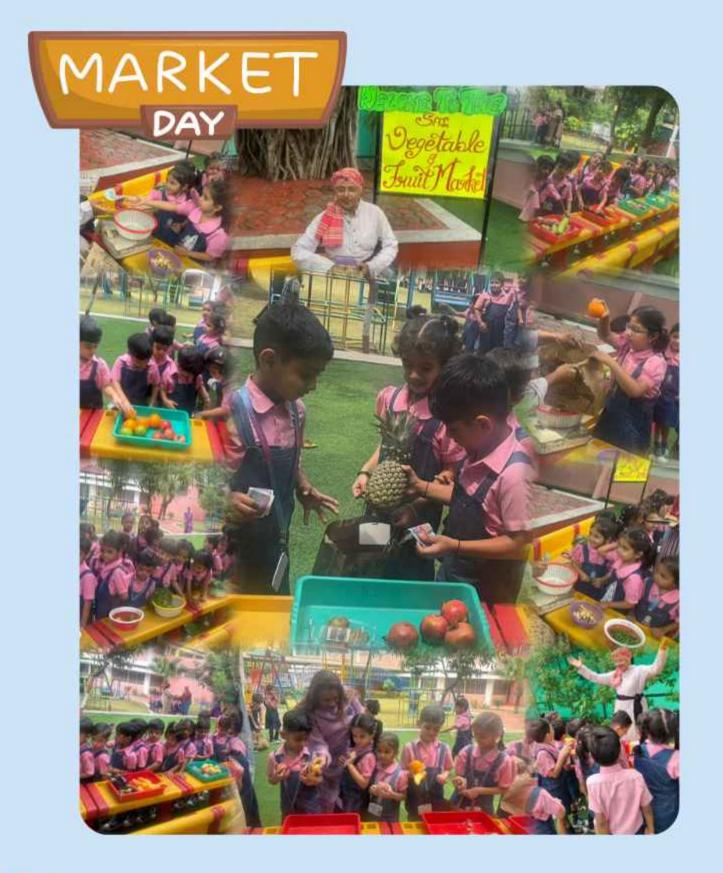


A colourful Fruit & Vegetable Market was set up for our tiny tots of Balvatika.



The children enthusiastically participated in this pretend play activity, where they explored and enjoyed shopping for fresh fruits and vegetables. Through this joyful experience, they not only learned to recognize fruits and vegetables but also discovered the difference between the two.

They were also encouraged to adopt an eco-friendly habit
— using paper bags instead of plastic bags for shopping.



The day was filled with fun, laughter, and lots of learning
 truly a memorable "market day" for our little ones!

Re Orators yourself Balvatika



Building Confidence through Show & Tell

Our Balvatika kids had a fantastic time participating in the "Show and Tell" activity. With sparkling enthusiasm, each child took turns speaking about their chosen object using the Magic Mike. They began by greeting everyone, introducing themselves, and confidently describing their special object.

The activity helped our little stars express their thoughts clearly, shine on stage, and develop polite speaking manners. It was heartwarming to see them speak with so much joy and pride!

Focus Areas:

Personality & Confidence Building through public speaking **Greeting and Introducing Oneself politely**

Encouraging Self-Expression and Active Listening





"Number Fun Fiesta!"

Balvatika Counting Activity

Our Balvatika kids participated in an exciting "Number Fun Fiesta" activity. Through playful counting exercises and hands-on tasks, children explored the joyful world of numbers. The activity encouraged them to recognize numbers, count objects, and engage their senses through interactive games.

With bright smiles and eager hands, they strengthened their hand-eye coordination and exercised their brain through fun thinking challenges — turning learning into a lively gym for their minds! The young learners thoroughly enjoyed every moment of this engaging number adventure.

Learning Outcomes:

*Children identified and counted numbers with confidence.



*Improved fine motor and coordination skills.

*Strengthened early numeracy and problem-solving abilities.



🦈 Brain Gym Activity - "Colour Match Challenge!" 🌈

Balvatika kids had a fun-filled time participating in the Brain Gym Activity, designed to enhance their focus, concentration, and coordination skills. The children enjoyed an exciting Colour Recognition Game, where they identified the correct coloured hand cutouts matching each colour-changing ball.

This playful exercise encouraged them to think quickly, stay alert, and coordinate their eyes and hands efficiently. The vibrant and interactive setup kept every child fully engaged and motivated throughout the activity.





Beginning the day with positive affirmations.





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CLASS ASSEMBLY - 7 C



The class assembly of 7 C celebrated Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla's achievement as the first Indian astronaut to dock at the International Space Station (ISS). Students showcased his journey from NDA to ISRO, highlighting his hard work and dedication. A creative space environment was set up, with the words of Shukla spoken from space. A student played the role of PM Narendra Modi, delivering a speech spoken to Shukla in space. The program concluded with a dramatic enactment of the spaceship launch and landing. Students sang a song, "jaanbaaz hum chale" filling the auditorium with zeal. A motivational dance performance followed, inspiring all. Students were praised and motivated by the inspiring words of Principal Ma'am.

CLASS OF ASSEMBLY - 7D

The students of Class 7 D conducted a thoughtprovoking assembly on the theme "India of my
Dreams-2047", showcasing their vision of a
progressive, self-reliant and innovative nation.

Through engaging presentations, they highlighted
the future of agriculture with smart farming and
sustainable methods, innovations by future scientists,
India's growth in sports, and the transformation of
education through Al-powered and interactive
classrooms.

The assembly concluded with an energetic group dance on "India Wale" and a collective pledge to contribute towards building a developed and inclusive India. The Principal appreciated the students for their creativity and inspiring ideas, reminding everyone that "India of my Dreams-2047 is not just a vision, it is our mission to create a nation of innovators, leaders, and changemakers."



"Apne Apne Ram"

Class Assembly - 7 E

Children of 7 E conducted a meaningful and thoughtprovoking assembly on the theme "Apne Apne Ram", which beautifully conveyed the idea that Lord Ram—a symbol of righteousness, compassion and service—lives on in different forms in today's world.





The assembly began with a powerful skit showcasing reallife examples of modern-day heroes who reflect the values of Lord Ram.



A segment on Sathya Sai Baba, who was portrayed as a true embodiment of Ram-like virtues—spreading love, peace, and selfless service to humanity.







Through each act, the students illustrated that "Ram" is not confined to mythology, but lives on in every person who upholds truth, kindness, and duty. A beautiful dance performance followed. Principal Ma'am appreciated the students for their commendable performance and for the inspiration they reflected through the act.

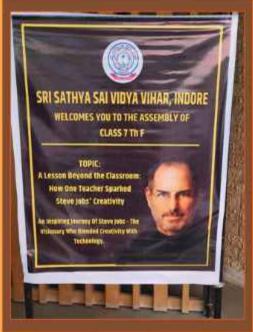
A Lesson beyond the Classroom – How One Teacher Sparked Steve Jobs' Creativity CLASS ASSEMBLY - 7 F

The students of Class 7 F presented an inspiring assembly on how a teacher's encouragement can spark creativity. Through a short skit, they portrayed the life of young Steve Jobs and how his teacher motivated him to think differently. The presentation beautifully highlighted the values of innovation, curiosity, and the guiding role of teachers.

A melodious song and an energetic dance performance added liveliness and enthusiasm to the assembly. The Principal appreciated the students for their efforts and motivated them by sharing Steve Jobs' life and journey, encouraging everyone to believe in their ideas and never give up on their dreams.









CLASS ASSEMBLY - 8 A

Children of class & A presented a creative and lively assembly on the theme "The Power of Imagination – Walt Disney's Magical Journey."

The assembly began with a skit showcasing the inspiring journey of Walt Disney – a dreamer who turned imagination into reality through dedication and creativity. It included the creation of the beloved characters like Micky Mouse and Toy Story. A melodious song highlighted the magic of dreams and hope. An energetic dance performance filled the stage with colours and joy. The audience was mesmerized by the fantastic band performance that added rhythm and excitement to the atmosphere. A catchy PowerPoint presentation displaying Disney's quotes, milestones and his legacy of imagination, enhanced the visual appeal of the programme. The assembly concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks.

The assembly was much appreciated by all.



Mr. Umakant Sharma, Vidhayak, Shironj District accorded a warm and an extravagant welcome to the U 19 Boys & Girls Football teams from all the Divisions of Madhya Pradesh who were there to participate in the SGFI Division Football Tournament. The players marched across the Shironj District amidst cheers of the citizens.

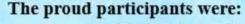
FOOTBALL

PROUD MOMENT!

🏆 Proud Moment – Women's World Cup Trophy Match 🦒

A day to remember for all of us! Ten girls of Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore had the wonderful opportunity to serve as Flag Bearers during the Women's World Cup Trophy Match – England vs India, held on 19th October 2025 at the Holkar Stadium, Indore.

It was an inspiring and thrilling experience for the students to be part of such a prestigious international sporting event — walking proudly on the field alongside world-class cricketers and witnessing the excitement of the match up close.



Amyraa Soni – Class 5A

Kayra Soni - Class 5A

Anaya Tiwari - Class 5B

Shiza Surolia - Class 5E

Swara Gupta – Class 5C

Arisha Sharma - Class 5E

Tashi Bansal - Class 5C

Priyali Jain - Class 5E

Hitika Gupta - Class 5F

III Aashvi Godha – Class 5D

This remarkable opportunity has motivated our young girls to dream big, embrace teamwork, and continue their journey with dedication and confidence.

We are truly proud of our girls for this memorable achievement and experience.







"A Family Feast"



Father came with veggies bright,
And curd so fresh, a lovely sight.
Bua and I with laughter light,
Mixed them well to make raita right.

Baba sat with knife in hand, Cutting salad crisp and grand. I mashed potatoes, soft and neat, Ready for parathas, warm to eat.

Grandma made the dough with care,
Rolling love in every layer.
Mother cooked with magic art,
Aloo parathas—straight from heart!

Then we gathered, one and all,
Big and small in dining hall.
Smiles and chatter, joy and cheer,
A family feast we hold so dear!

"A happy family eats together!"



MAITRI MISHRA

AN INSPIRING STORY OF ALYSSA CARSON

A few days ago, in my English class, our teacher shared the inspiring story of 'Alyssa Carson', an American girl born on 10th March, 2001, in Hammond, Louisiana, USA. Since childhood, Alyssa had dreamt of traveling to Mars and had attended several space camps to pursue this ambition.

Her story deeply inspired me. I was particularly fascinated to learn that she speaks English, French, Spanish, and Mandarin fluently. Like Alyssa, my favourite subject is Mathematics, which made her journey even more relatable.

At the age of seven, Alyssa attended her first space camp in Huntsville, Alabama, USA. As a teenager, she earned her pilot's license and underwent extensive training, including water survival, gravitational force training, microgravity flights, scuba certification, and decompression training.

Alyssa is eager to bridge the vast distance between Earth and Mars, the Red Planet, which is approximately 225 million kilometers from the Earth.

She aspires to collaborate with American space organizations like NASA and SpaceX. Although NASA is currently focused on lunar missions and has not yet finalized its Mars mission or astronaut team, I hope Alyssa will be selected for a future NASA mission.

I wish her the very best in her journey.

ARATRIKA PANDEY

7 D

My Memorable Trip to Sikkim

Last month, I went to Sikkim with my family. It was a very exciting trip. We went to Gangtok, which is the capital of Sikkim. The weather was cold and nice. There were mountains all around and the air was very fresh. One day, we visited Changu Lake. It was covered with snow and looked so beautiful. The water was very cold. After that, we went to Baba Mandir. It is a special temple made in memory of a soldier. It felt peaceful there. In Gangtok, we also went to MG Marg. It is a big market with lots of lights, shops, and food stalls. I ate momos and saw many tourists. We bought some gifts from there too. We visited a museum where I saw old things and learned about Sikkim's culture. Then we went to a monastery where monks were praying. It was very calm and quiet. One of the best places was Banjhakri Waterfalls. The waterfall was tall and fast. There were statues, trees, and bridges. I clicked many pictures there and played near water. I enjoyed this trip. I saw many new places and learned new things. This trip to Sikkim was not only fun but also educational. I learned about nature, culture and the importance of clean surroundings. It was a memorable experience, and I would love to visit Sikkim again someday. I will never forget my trip to Sikkim!



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Operation Sindoor

When terror strikes and evil shadows fall, India stands strong, rising tall.

Operation Sindoor was a bold assertion of justice over escalation.

India has long faced the shadow of terrorism — from the Parliament attack in 2001 to the brutal Pahalgam attack on 22 April 2025.

Pakistan has supported terrorism every second, every minute, every day, every month, and every year. These acts of terror, backed by Pakistan, have wounded the soul of the nation

Yet, India has emerged stronger, and with Operation Sindoor launched on 7
May 2025, a new chapter in national security began.

Echoing the spirit of Surgical Strikes (2016) and the Balakot Airstrike (2019), Operation Sindoor roared louder than ever before.

However, with Operation Sindoor, India has signalled a clear transformation in its approach — moving from reactive defence to proactive offense, marking a bold shift in national security policy.

This wasn't just about crossing borders; it was about crossing boundaries of old thinking.

By combining ground intelligence, cyber operations, and precise military action, India showcased a modern, multi-dimensional strategy.

The operation targeted nine key terror sites, sending a powerful message that India will respond to threats before they strike.



The Role of Youth

In this changing landscape, the youth are not mere spectators — they were the protectors too.

From participating in NCC to cybersecurity and drone innovation, India's young minds are stepping into national service. Even start-ups are building defence tech. The youth are India's new digital warriors, defenders of both borders and bytes. Youths are a boon to the nation indeed... from Agni-veers to armies to the

Unity in Diversity

Terrorism's goal is to divide — but India's strength lies in its unity. After the Pahalgam attack, citizens across religions and states stood united in mourning and in demand for justice. Hoisting of flags lighting of candles were done.

All communities supported the operation, rejecting any narrative that tried to communalise the issue. The slogan "One India, Strong India" became the voice of millions.

This unity in diversity is our greatest shield, making India unbreakable

Strategic and Cultural Strength

cyberworld youths are everywhere.

Operation Sindoor represented the united efforts of India's defence forces, from ground troops to cyber control, carrying out a swift response.

Guided by the philosophy of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam (the world is one family), India worked with peace even on a strike, it harmed only terror camps not Pakistani citizens, demonstrating that peace and power can co-exist.

The nation, India has a past of never attacking any country in the last thousand years.

Strong Indian government

With strategic clarity, focused leadership and firm resolve, the defence ministry of India protected citizens, and avoided war through a precise action.

In a world of violence, India showed strength through peace, and proving that peace is not surrender, and restraint is not weakness.

In a nutshell

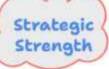
- Operation Sindoor marks a turning point in India's fight against terror.
- It is a symbol of the country's refusal to be a silent victim.
- It is a reminder that India will pursue peace but with courage, clarity, and strength.
- It demonstrated how modern India responds: with strength, unity, and strategic vision.
- As terrorism evolves, so does India the Modern India is ready to protect, prepared to lead, and proud to stand tall.

With courage in heart and unity in sight, India strikes back to protect what's right.

India's Journey to National Security

Operation Sindoor

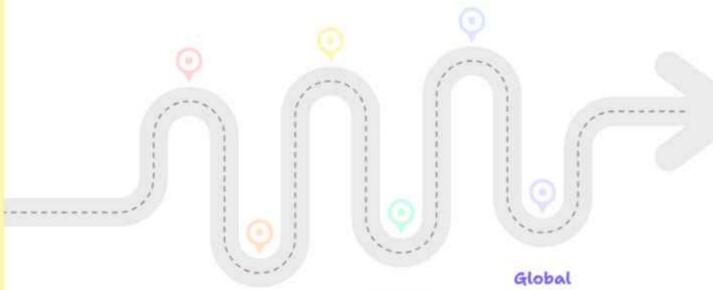
India launches a strategic operation to counter terrorism, marking a shift in security policy.



India demonstrates a blend of strategic precision and moral clarity in its response to terrorism.

The role of Youth

Young citizens actively participate in national service, contributing to defense and cybersecurity.



Terror Attacks

India faces repeated terror attacks, highlighting the need for enhanced security measures.

Unity in Diversity

Citizens unite across religions and states, rejecting divisive narratives and supporting national unity.

Respect

India earns international respect for its balanced approach to security and peace.



Agrata Shah 7 E

THE MAGICAL PENCIL

Long ago, in a little corner of the world, there was a boy named Leo . He was a great fan of artists and dreamt to be one . He practiced sketching whenever he had some free time .

Seeing his talent his mentor gave him a pencil that pencil looked just like an ordinary one but, when he started drawing even a spoilt drawing of apple turned into a beautiful apple picture and when he came back after calling his mother to show this.

They realised that when he went out of the room the picture turned into real apple. He realised this magic and thought of utilising this Magic Pencil. His Mother said --

"Leo, this pencil is special. But promise me, until you become perfect on your own, you won't use its magic."

Leo nodded and made a pledge. From that day on, he kept the pencil safely in a box and practiced day and night. He sketched with normal pencils, erased, failed, tried again. Sometimes his drawings looked funny, sometimes messy, but he never gave up.

Days turned to months. His hands grew steady, his eyes sharper, and his heart more patient. One day, he drew an apple with such detail and beauty, it looked just like a real one. His mother watched silently, then opened the box and handed him the magic pencil.

"Now, you are ready."

This time, when Leo drew with that pencil, the apple didn't just become beautiful — it instantly became real, without even changing. He had become just perfect.

...and then that magic pencil finally turned the little boy Leo to
Leonardo da Vinci, a great artist.

DARSHANIK SHAH

Suicides of Farmers: Is It Normal?

In 2022, a total of 11, 290 individuals in the farming sector, including 5,207 farmers and 6,083 agricultural labourers, committed suicide in India. This number accounted for 6.6% of all suicide victims in the country. These numbers are not merely some random figures; they have been cited in research papers.

It's hard to believe, but every hour in our country, a farmer or farm labourer loses their life. This dark reality is a reminder of the challenges they face daily, often going unnoticed by many of us.

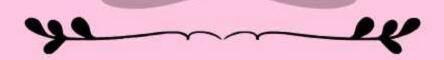
What are the reasons?

Several farmers face financial crises, extreme poverty, debts, corruption in subsidies, threats and most of all, they find farming expensive, meticulous and requiring huge amounts of investments. Imagine farming being costly, even though we buy its fruits at unreasonably low prices!

The Government, though, has made schemes and policies and even introduced insurance for their sake, but it would be foolish of us to even hope that they would get even 1/10 of their share. This is called "The change corruption has brought in".

Beyond cultural pressures and mental health stigma, rural living poses significant challenges for farmers. Many reside far from mental healthcare resources, making it difficult to seek help.

Various reports suggest that a significant percentage of Indian farmers, potentially over 20%, live below the poverty line. And after all these burdens on them, they almost gain the right to end their lives! Though they aren't in prisons, the social norms and the 'system' are no less than guns on one's forehead.



Now, let's ask ourselves a question: "Do we expect change here?"

"Yes, we do."

National Suicide Prevention Strategy (NSPS): India launched its National Suicide Prevention Strategy (NSPS) on November 21, 2022, marking the first public health policy focused on suicide prevention. The strategy aims to reduce suicide mortality by 10% by 2030, compared to 2020 levels.

Enhancing Financial Security and Risk Mitigation: Improve access to affordable credit, implement effective debt relief and crop insurance, promote income diversification, and invest in irrigation and agricultural research to increase productivity and reduce reliance on rain-fed agriculture.

Strengthening Mental Health Support and Policy: Establish accessible mental health services in rural areas, reduce stigma, educate farmers about financial and mental well-being, and implement government policies that focus on income stability, risk reduction, and social welfare for farmers.

Implementing these kinds of strategies is not just important; it is vital for achieving success and driving meaningful progress.

It is rightly said, "When tillage begins, other arts follow. The farmers, therefore, are the founders of human civilisation."

SUHANI KOTHARI 9 F

Melody of Life

Wandering down the silent streets of the city...
Under the star studded, violet tinted evening sky...

The wind, brought a flower of hope, which seemed pretty.

And that hush whispered in my ears, a gentle 'Hi'!

The hues of my dreams faded, and this walk introspected...

Frosty zephyr even made the water rise to shivers...

The tear rolling down my cheek, that little frozen pond reflected.

Together happened, a soft icy sigh, goose bumps down the skin under my blazer, and quivers!

The legs, not weakened...but the heart cluttered with endless thoughts, wished to rest...

Laying on a partly broken wooden bench, I gazed the twinkles with a wry smile...

"I was going to be a singer, not a failure...destiny! I hoped for fame not denial piercing my chest!

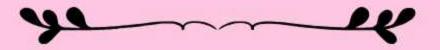
I asked you to help me, not leave me in a pit of darkness alone, long upto a mile!"

These complaining eyes...quietly shut into a sleep, a restless one...

Lost in a hopeless midst of my dream, an unknown melody stirred me...

Rubbing my sluggish eyes, I approached a strange hut thronged by Christmas fun.

It wasn't Christmas, but a tree, decorated and carols being sung for a newborn blurred me.



The baby stared at me, and didn't babble, but said "You are not a failure, you're hope!

I'm being celebrated, coz I've taken birth, in you...as you. I'm you, your SOUL!

Failure planted my seed in you, to edify you not for you to feel mope.

Jesus's birth is celebrated but the actual Jesus is me, to constitute you not let you be lone".

A gasp woke me, the inner me, my mind from that fantasy...

The weather warmed and my boot prints were visible on the wide, thick sheet of snow.

Like a page, inscribed by the ink of my untold, unknown... prophecy.

Following which, the ray of love and melody again in me would grow.

I retraced my path, my boot prints, humming the Christmas carols being sung in my dream.

Letting the melody wrap me in its comfort and endless warmth.

Strolling on this hopeful page, I didn't knew the reason behind this joy, and inner beam!

I just followed the rhyme, not knowing where am I going to south or to North!

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"AI - The Smart Helper in My Life"

Hello! My name is Aishwarya. I am 9 years old and I study in Class 4. Today I want to tell you about something really cool. It is called AI, which is Artificial Intelligence. AI is a super brain inside computers. It helps them do smart things just like people.

During the time of COVID, we stayed at home and had online classes. We used smart apps to learn. The app would teach us Math, English and also tell us when we made a mistake. It was like having a mini teacher in the phone.

At home, my Mummy talks to Siri to ask about the weather or to make a phone calls. That is also AI. We also have Alexa. I say, "Alexa, can you tell some dialogue of famous hindi movies," and she does it. AI listens and understands us.

Sometimes, on weekends, I cook with my Papa and my little sister. We use the phone to take recipe ideas from AI. Then we cook yummy lunch together. Once we made Paneer Tikka and Aaloo tuk by watching a smart video. We felt like real little chefs.

When I play Minecraft on my mom's phone, I see how animals and villagers move on their own. They build houses, run around, and try to protect their homes. It feels like they are alive. That is AI working inside the game and making it more fun.



My Dadi now uses an app on her phone to track my school bus. It shows where the bus is in real-time. She says it makes her feel peaceful. That is also AI working for our safety.

My teacher says AI is very helpful, but we must use it in a good way. It should help people. We should not become lazy.

I think AI is like a best friend. It helps me learn, play, cook, and do many things. One day, I want to make a robot that can play Minecraft with me and also help me clean my room.

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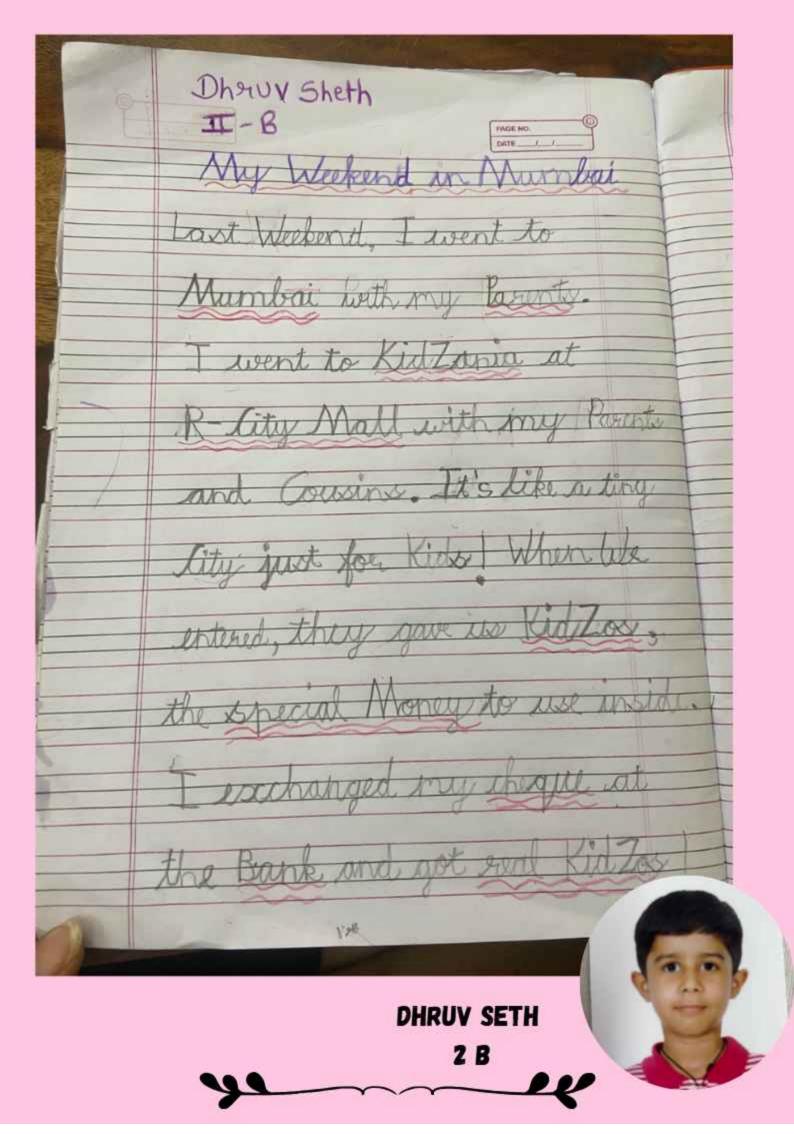


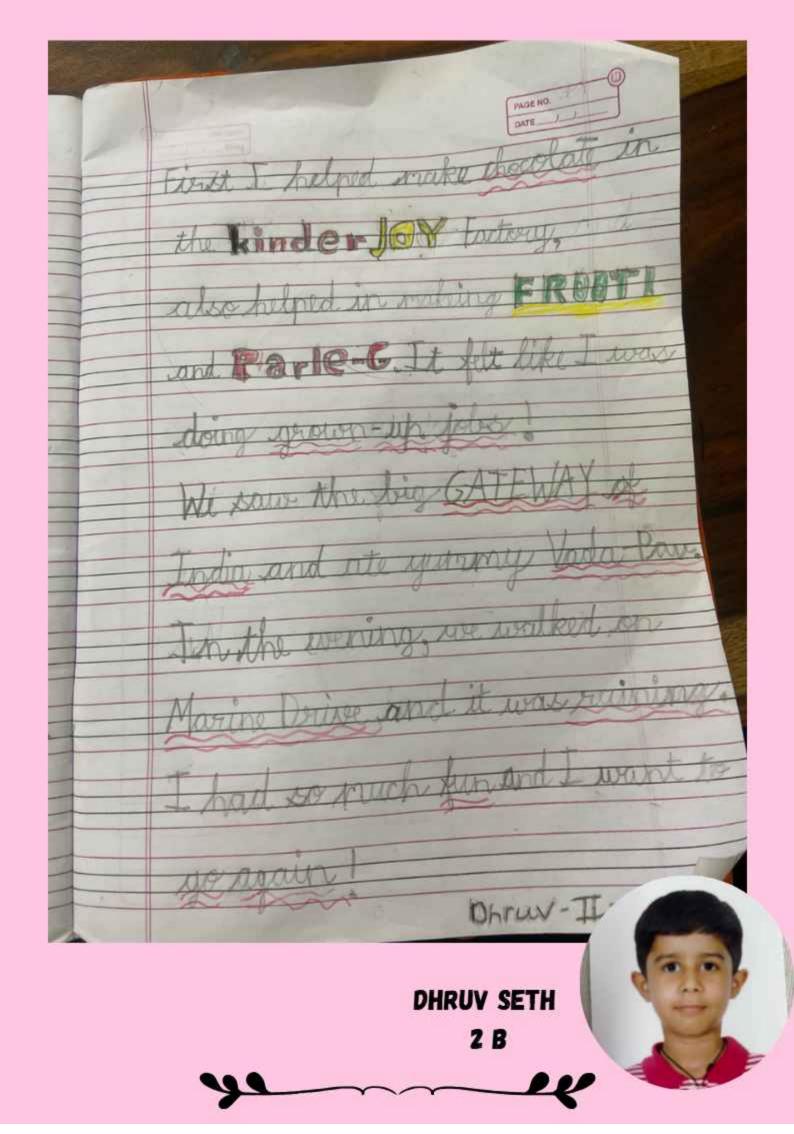
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HOW BIG AND BEAUTIFUL.....

"Do it proportionately" warns Federal Reserve Chair Jeremy Powell, once an obscure figure and now a worldwide talking point, following the narrow clearance of Trump's Federal Reserve bill, which has been received in the House of Representatives - there's much brouhaha on whether Senate gives it a green flag; there remains general indifference towards it due to months of asinine simplification of a well-meaning law with noble intentions as that of an accountable public office-bearer willfully delivering what he promised and made the core base of his second term campaigning- tax cuts for Americans. While all is not beautiful about Trump's bill, lowering taxes is an idea too romantic to resist.

Persisting apprehensions arise due to a clause in the controversy mired bill, increasing the debt ceiling of federal borrowing. 25% of national income of the USA currently goes into paying interest, and Elon Musk, who has gone a way too far in criticising the bill is primarily worried about generations of homegrown businesses and American money possibly paying much larger interest rates, given the bill gets cleared. However, the solution to this not-so-peculiar situation may lie with Powell himself, Trump has called him out for not lowering interest rates, citing the fact that European counterparts have done so up to as high as nine times. Apart from these propositions, the bill includes more stringent regulations for availing social security, gives the federal government exclusive rights to administer AI-related regulations for up to 10 years, exempts taxes on tips and overtime, reverses green taxes, among other ones. These changes are, if not welcome, then surely acceptable.



As for the numbers, the bill's tax provisions alone would reduce federal tax revenue by \$4.0 trillion from 2025 to 2034 on a conventional basis before added interest costs. On a dynamic basis, accounting for economic growth, the revenue reduction would fall by about 22 percent to \$3.1 trillion over 10 years. However, by introducing narrowly targeted new provisions and sunsetting several pro-growth provisions, it complicates the structure of the tax code, according to estimates by researchers at Tax Department Organisation.

The US is not any country. If the US were a small country, then we could sideline the effect of its domestic rubric on our collective trajectory, but the US is the largest economy in the world and the largest importer as well; therefore, in principle, the largest market.

Although some positions of this bill might be theoretically indefensible, they become spectacular and pressing for the market at large.

Some may find Trump's new bill rather ugly, but beauty still lies in the eyes of the beholder.

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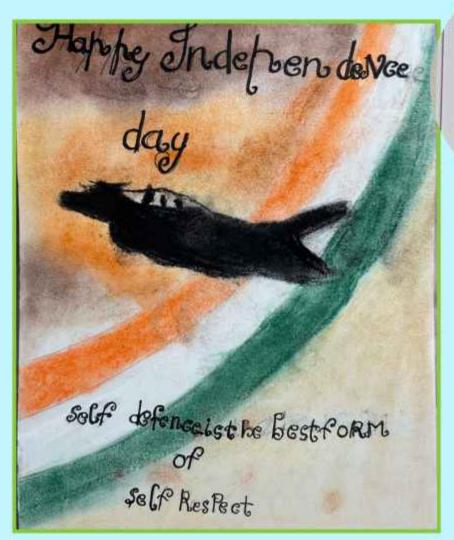


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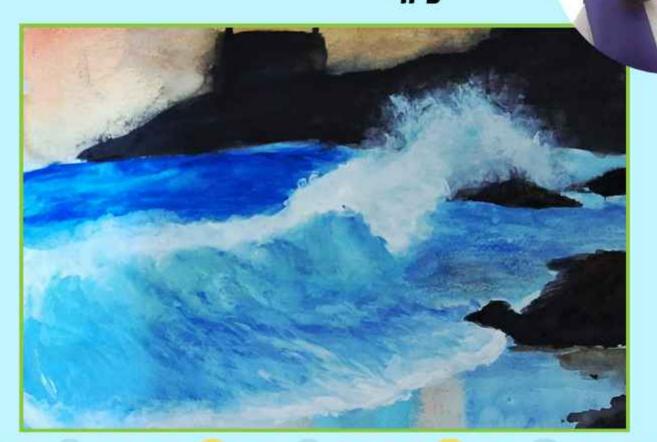






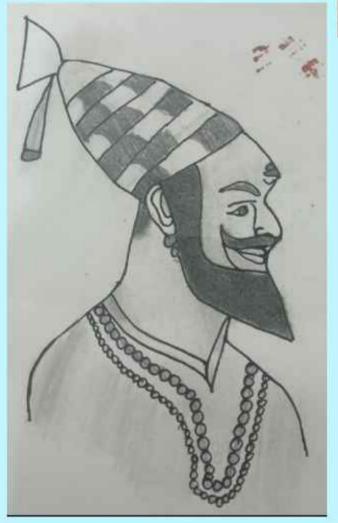
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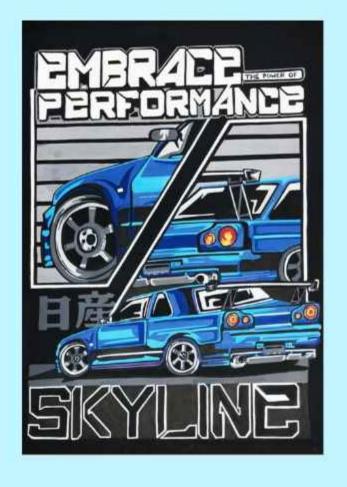




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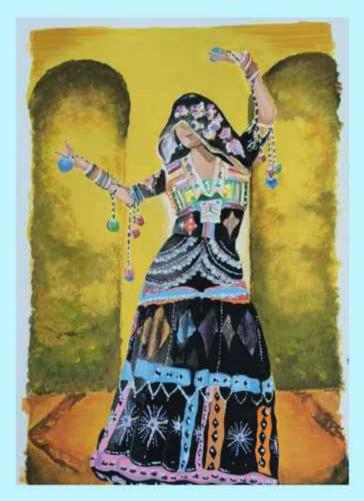


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