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The Newsletter

FOUNDER'S DAY

CELEBRATING THE LEGACY AND VISION OF OUR FOUNDER
WHO LAID THE FOUNDATION FOR EXCELLENCE.

ZYFEST
A VIBRANT CELEBRATION OF CULTURE,
CREATIVITY, AND CAMARADERIE.

ZYDUS SCHOOL FOR EXCELLENCE,
VEJALPUR

Editor's Desk



With great excitement, we unveil this year's first edition. I am filled with pride and excitement to share the creativity, talent and imagination that flow through our school corridors.

From thought-provoking articles and poems to artwork and achievements, this magazine celebrates the essence of who we, the students of Zydus are – learners, dreamers, and changemakers.

We invite you to take a peek at the spirited annual cultural event Zyfest, academic achievements, fun-filled inter-house competitions and community initiatives of our school.

Every page offers a glimpse into the life and energy that defines our school. It reflects the teamwork, enthusiasm and dedication that make our institution a place of learning and joy.

A special note of gratitude to our respected Principal Ma'am, teachers, contributors and the editorial team for their constant encouragement and support.

Neha Shah, XI B
Editor



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Principal's Address

Dear All,



It gives me immense pleasure to present the first edition of ZEN 2025, our School Magazine, a publication that captures the vibrant spirit, creativity and commitment that characterize our institution. Each page of this publication is a testament to the hard work of our students and educators, who together continue to nurture a culture of learning, curiosity, and excellence.

In our school, we believe that real learning happens when students grow not only in knowledge, but also in character, self-awareness, and values. Guided by this belief, the past academic year has been a journey of progress and meaningful engagement. I am proud to share that our students have once again brought laurels to the school with their commendable performance in the Board Examinations.

In ICSE, our highest score touched an extraordinary 99.60% with 63% of our students securing 90% and above, 43 perfect 100% scores in various subjects, and the class average standing at 89%. In ISC, we witnessed brilliance across all three streams. The highest scores were 96.75% in Science and 98.5% in Commerce, while Humanities shone with a commendable 94.25%. I congratulate all students, their families, and our educators for their sincere efforts and perseverance. This success would not have been possible without our educators' unwavering efforts.

This year, we were also the proud recipients of Divya Bhaskar Award for Excellence in Academic Innovation & Teaching Excellence and the Indian School Awards (ISA) for Best School with Holistic Education. Additionally, we achieved All India Rank 57, State Rank 6 and City Rank 4 in the Education World India School Rankings. In recognition of our commitment to a clean and safe environment, we were presented with a Certificate of Appreciation by the Municipal Commissioner under the Swacch Bharat Abhiyaan – Clean Ahmedabad initiative.

Our students excelled in sports, art, cultural events, community outreach programs, and leadership initiatives – reflecting the holistic education we strive to impart. In the CISCE NWR and School Games, our students have made us proud with their achievements in sports, with several being selected to represent at the national level in Chess, Skating, Swimming, Gymnastics and Shooting (Air Pistol). Our girls' football team also qualified for the national level. Additionally, our students also bagged ₹95,000 in prize money at Khel Mahakumbh 3.0 (2024–25) by winning top positions in various sports events at the zonal and district levels.

We have also seen remarkable achievements in Science. In the state-level International Science Olympiad, Meghav Ladani won at the national level and was selected to represent both, our school and the country on an educational trip to NASA (USA).

May this publication encourage all students to dream big, work hard, and contribute positively to the world. May our collective efforts lead us to greater heights.

Thank You,

Mrs. Alka Murthy
Principal

Zydus School for Excellence, Vejalpur



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Zydus on the go



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OUR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVERS! ICSE 2024 - 25

GUJARAT TOPPER



Meghav Ladani

Eng-98 (Eng1-98,Eng2-97), Hindi-99, HCG-100 (Hcs-100,Geo-100), Mat-100, Sci-100(Phy-100,Che-100,Bio-100), CTA-100



Anamaya Sharma

Eng-95 (Eng1-93,Eng2-96), Hindi-97, HCG-100 (Hcs-99,Geo-100), Mat-100, Sci-100(Phy-100,Che-100,Bio-100), CTA-100



Tanay Gandhi

Eng-100 (Eng1-100,EN2-99), Hin-98, HCG-97 (HCS-98,Geo-95), MAT-99, Sci-97 (Phy-95,Che-97,Bio-100), CTA-100



Srivaths Iyer

Eng-96 (Eng1-95,EN2-97), Hin-96, HCG-99 (HCS-98,Geo-99), MAT-100, Sci-97 (Phy-94,Che-98,Bio-100), CTA-100



Avi Dwivedi

Eng-95 (Eng1-90,EN2-99), Hin-99, HCG-98 (HCS-97,Geo-98), MAT-100, Sci-96 (Phy-91,Che-97,Bio-100), Art-99



Om Oza

Eng-96 (Eng1-97,EN2-95), Hin-97, HCG-98 (HCS-98,Geo-97), MAT-99, Sci-98 (Phy-94,Che-100,Bio-100), CTA-100



Dhruv Bothra

Eng-96 (Eng1-92,EN2-100), Hin-97, HCG-98 (HCS-98,Geo-98), MAT-100, Sci-97 (Phy-96,Che-96,Bio-98), CTA-99



Vansh Shah

Eng-94 (Eng1-96,EN2-92), Guj-99, HCG-97 (HCS-98,Geo-95), MAT-100, Sci-95 (Phy-90,Che-95,Bio-99), CTA-100

HIGHEST SUBJECT SCORERS - ICSE 2024-25

100% MARKS



Meghav Ladani
Maths, Phy, Chem, Bio,
Comp. App., HCS, Geo.



Anamaya Sharma
Maths, Phy, Chem, Bio,
Comp. App., Geo.



Tanay Gandhi
Bio, Comp. App., Eng.1



Aarsh Shah
Bio, Comp. App., HCS



Srivaths Iyer
Maths, Bio, Comp. App.



Om Oza
Chem, Bio, Comp. App.



Dhruv Bothra
Maths, Eng 2



Avi Dwivedi
Maths, Bio



Vansh Shah
Maths, Comp. App.



Dhyani Doshi
Chem, Bio



Vanshi Desai
Eng 1



Khanak Agarkar
Bio



Swara Prabhune
Bio



Ridhaan Patel
Comp. App.



Vihaan Shah
HCS



Manit Kathiara
Geo



Aanvi Rawat
Hindi

HIGHEST SUBJECT SCORERS - ICSE 2024-25



Krishil Rajpal
Eco 96



Avi Dwivedi
Art 99



Nandita Pillai
Art 99



Hriday Shah
P.E. 98



Aarsh Shah
Guj 99



Dhyani Doshi
Guj 99



Manit Kathiara
Guj 99



Shimoli Shah
Guj 99



Tiya Chauhan
Guj 99



Vansh Shah
Guj 99



Vanshi Desai
Guj 99

CISCE BOARD EXAMINATION RESULTS 2024-25

Stellar performance in Board Exams – Yet another year of remarkable performance

OUR STAR ACHIEVERS

Meghav Ladani: Setting New Benchmarks in Achievement

Meghav scored 99.60% and also emerged as the Gujarat state topper and the third rank holder at the National level. He secured 100% in seven subjects and earned recognition in national and international Olympiads, including an international gold medal and a cash prize of Rs. 50,000 for the International Maths Olympiad. He secured the top position in the state-level International Science Olympiad, won at the national level and was selected to represent both, our school and the country on an educational trip to NASA (USA).



Anamaya Sharma: A trailblazer in academics and beyond

Our ICSE second-ranker Anamaya, with 99%, secured 100% in five subjects and consistently excelled in Mathematics and Science, at both national and international platforms. He was selected for the prestigious Pre-College Summer School Program at Harvard University and secured a position at the national level in STEM Quiz 3.0, emerging as a top performer among over 10 lakh participants. At the Harvard Undergraduate Science Olympiad (HUSO), he achieved India Rank 1 in Earth Science, India Rank 2 in Mathematics, Physics, Biology, and Chemistry, and Overall India Rank 2, earning multiple awards and a USD 200 scholarship.

Anamaya's achievements extend beyond academics. He secured a rank at the state level in the Times of India Public Speaking competition, was declared the Regional Runner-up in the TCS Inquizitive2024 Quiz, and was adjudged Best Speaker in the senior category of the Association of Schools for the Indian School Certificate (ASIC) NWR Debate Competition. He clinched the first prize in Vigyanam – a Science Research Paper Presentation competition hosted by DPS, Bopal.



OUR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVERS! ISC 2024 - 25

Science



Tanuj Gaudani

Eng-99, Mat-94,
Phy-94, Che-92, PE-100



Harsh Abhvani

Eng-92, Mat-99, Phy-97,
Che-90, Comp.Sc.-98



Manna Sarangi

Eng-93, Mat-96,
Phy-90, Che-78, Bio-98



Veer Dagli

Eng-92, Mat-96,
Phy-91, Che-93, Bio-96

Commerce



Anunay Gundecha

Eng-98, Eco-100,
Comm-95, Acc-98, Mat-98



Mohit Agarwal

Eng-93, Eco-98,
Comm-95, Acc-100, Mat-99



Riyaan Shah

Eng-97, Eco-94,
Comm-88, Acc-97, Mat-99

Humanities



Bhavika Jani

Eng-95, Soc-98,
Psy-95, Eco-89, Maths-83



Saumya Maniar

Eng-87, Soc-89,
Psy-91, Eco-58, Art-93



Aahana Davavala

Eng-93, Soc-91,
Psy-83, Eco-61, Art-89

HIGHEST SUBJECT SCORERS - ISC 2024-25

ENGLISH



Tanuj Gaudani - 99

BIOLOGY



Manna Sarangi - 98

PHYSICS



Harsh Abhvani - 97

CHEMISTRY



Aashna Kotecha - 94

MATHS



Harsh Abhvani - 99



Meet Parikh - 99



Mohit Agarwal - 99



Prashil Sodagar - 99



Riyaan Shah - 99

ECONOMICS



Anunay Gundecha - 100

ACCOUNTS



Mohit Agarwal - 100

PHYSICAL EDUCATION



Tanuj Gaudani - 100

COMPUTER SCIENCE



Harsh Abhvani - 98

SOCIOLOGY & PSYCHOLOGY



Bhavika Jani - 98 & 95

COMMERCE



Prisha Soni - 97

ART



Ikshwa Shah - 93

Achievements of remarkable significance

Awards received by the School

With immense pride, we share that our School has continued to shine brightly, earning several notable awards this year for its unwavering commitment to academic excellence and all-round development.

Awarded By	Awarded For
Divya Bhaskar Education Conclave & School Awards 2025.	Excellence in Academic Innovation & Teaching Excellence.
Indian School Awards (ISA)	Best School with Holistic Education (For demonstrating exceptional performance in fostering a holistic learning environment, promoting global citizenship, and implementing innovative teaching practices)
Education World – EW India School Rankings 2025 – 26 (September 15, 2025 issue).	City Rank – 4 th State Rank – 6 th India Rank – 57 th
Municipal Commissioner of Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC)	Certificate of Appreciation for maintaining clean and safe school environment under the Swacch Bharat Abhiyaan – Clean Ahmedabad.

Divya Bhaskar Awards 2025



Indian School Awards (ISA)



EW India School Rankings

EducationWorld			
EW INDIA SCHOOL RANKINGS 2025-26			
PART-I			
Rank	India 2025	State 2025	Ahmedabad
			Total 9400 (1500)
15	1	1	Udyan School for Children, Thaltej
16	1	1	Delhi Public School, Bopal
17	2	2	Vedant International School
18	3	3	Anand Niketan, Satellite Campus
19	4	4	Ekanya School
20	4	4	Zyta School for Excellence, Vejalpur
21	5	5	Dehi Public School (East), Ahmedabad
22	5	5	Anand Niketan, Maninagar
23	6	6	Zeebar School for Children, Thaltej
24	7	7	Anand Niketan School, Shilaj
25	8	8	Global Indian International School
26	9	9	St. Kabir School, Drive-in Road
27	9	9	The HB Kapadia New High School
28	10	10	The New Tulip International School
29	11	11	Lejla Mahendra Lions School (LML School)
30	12	12	Nirma Vidya Bhawan
31	13	13	Kalora Future School, Ghafodia
32	13	13	Shrawanesh World School, Bopal
33	14	14	Prakash Mehta

Swacch Bharat Abhiyaan - AMC recognition



TEACHING METHODOLOGY WORKSHOP – JR. KG.

A Teaching Methodology Workshop was held on 5th July 2025 for Jr. KG parents to help them understand the teaching methods and classroom strategies used for young learners. The session began with a warm welcome, followed by an address by our Principal, Mrs. Alka Murthy, who encouraged parents to avoid pressuring children and instead use the play-way method to make learning enjoyable at home. Jr. KG educators presented an overview of subjects such as English, Maths, EVS, Concepts, and Cognitive Development, explaining age-appropriate methods and daily activities that support learning.

They also shared the yearly syllabus and guided parents on using similar fun-based strategies at home to ensure consistent learning experiences. The workshop concluded with parents gaining an understanding of the school's child-centred approach and practical ideas to create a playful learning environment, thereby strengthening the essential partnership between home and school for the overall development of Jr. KG children.

Proud Moments: Student Achievements

RAJBHASHA YOGYATA PURASKAR

Vyom Gadani, grade VII bagged an award for securing highest marks in Hindi in the Rajbhasha Yogyata Puraskar organized by Space Applications Centre, a major center of the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO).

YOUNG AUTHOR AWARDS

Vyom Gadani achieved the Second Runner-up position in Hall of Fame for his distinguished and outstanding creative writing skills hosted by The School Post Young Author Awards.

CHESS TOURNAMENT

Hiyan Shah and Parv Jain of grade I secured First Runner Up position and Second Runner Up position respectively in Kid's Chess Tournament organised by Classicous Kid's Chess Tournament.

STATE KUDO TOURNAMENT

Rivan Limbachiya of grade IV won the Second position in the under 10 boys (+39 kg category) in the 13th Gujarat State Kudo Tournament.

STORY WRITING COMPETITION

Divija Bhamhani of grade XB had participated in a story writing competition in February 2025 conducted by Poetic Essence Publications and had secured second position in the 'Best Story Writer' category.

TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

The 6th Invitational Taekwondo Championship 2025 was held on 22nd June 2025 at Som-Lalit School, Ahmedabad, bringing together young martial artists from across the region to showcase their strength, discipline, and sportsmanship. Among the many talented participants, Devanshi Bodiwala of grade VIA made us proud by securing a Gold Medal in the Poomsae event and a Silver Medal in the Kyorugi event. Devanshi's outstanding performance reflects her dedication and hard work, and she truly exemplifies the spirit of Taekwondo.



INTER-SCHOOL HANDWRITING COMPETITION

Our students brought laurels to our school in the Inter-School English, Hindi and Gujarati Handwriting competitions organised by Lalji Mehrotra Lions School (LML).

Gujarati	Namasvee Joshi	V	First
English	Veer Shah	IV	Second
Hindi	Navya Patel	III	Third
Hindi	Kiana Cooper	V	Third

INTERNATIONAL COMPUTER SCIENCE GOLD MEDALISTS

Name	Grade
Nivaan Dosaliya	IIB
Kanisha Patel	IIA
Riyansh Shah	IIB
Manav Manglani	IIC

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD GOLD MEDALISTS

Name	Grade
Reyansh Shah	IIA
Riyansh Shah	IIB
Manya Patel	II

SRIJAN

Our students participated in Srijan, an Annual Cultural fest hosted by Delhi Public School, Bopal. Our school bagged the first position in 'Vigyanam' Science Paper Presentation and second position in Sheri Natak.

SRIJAN AWARDEES 2025-26

Name	Grade	Event	Position
Anamaya Sharma	XIA	'Vigyanam' - Science Paper Presentation	1 st
Pratham Shah	IXA		
Dhyana Doshi	IXA		
Namya Shah	IXC		
Tashvi Sharma	IXC		
Bhashi Shah	XC		
Raj Bhaskar	XC		
Khushi Rushi	IXB		
Dev Mehta	IXB		
Dwija Mehta	XC		
Virika Doshi	XB		

Sheri Natak

2nd

SOF SECOND LEVEL AWARD WINNERS

Name	Grade	Exam	Rank	Award won
Vyom Gadani	VII	ICSO	Zonal Rank 3	Zonal certificate of excellance/ Zonal Bronze Medal/Cash Prize ₹500
Deshak Priyadarshan	IV	IEO	Zonal Rank 6	Zonal certificate of excellance/Gift voucher worth ₹500
Prisha Shah	VI	IEO	Zonal Rank 8	Zonal certificate of excellance/Gift voucher worth ₹500
Ridhaan Patel	XI	IEO	Zonal Rank 10	Zonal certificate of excellance/Gift voucher worth ₹500
Meghav Ladani	XI	IMO and NSO	Zonal Rank 1	

**STATE TOPPER SILVER ZONE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIAD OF
SCIENCE**

Name	Grade	Rank	Award
Deshak Priyadarshan	II	State Topper	Medal of Excellence - Bronze

ZONAL TOPPERS INTERNATIONAL COMPUTER SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

Name	Grade	Rank	Award
Nivaan Dosaliya	II	21	Medal of Distinction
Ansh Patel	III	6	Medal of Distinction
Moksh Shah	III	10	Medal of Distinction
Shaurya M. Shah	III	14	Medal of Distinction
Anika Maheshwari	III	14	Medal of Distinction
Nivaan R. Shah	IV	12	Medal of Distinction
Vyom Gadani	VII	3	Zonal Bronze Medal + Medal of Distinction
Meghav Ladani	XI	1	Zonal Gold Medal + Medal of Distinction
Tanay B Gandhi	XI	6	Medal of Distinction

LOGIQIDS MENTAL APTITUDE OLYMPIAD 2024-25 FINAL STAGE

Name	Current Grade	International Rank	Award won
Anaisha Gandhi	II	8	Medal and Certificate
Vaani Shah	II	9	Medal and Certificate
Illesha Vadgama	II	7	Medal and Certificate
Nivaan Dosaliya	II	4	Medal and Certificate
Kimaayra Mishra	III	9	Medal and Certificate
Jiyan Shah	III	10	Medal and Certificate
Sakshat Jadav	III	9	Medal and Certificate
Kush Thanki	V	2	Trophy and Certificate
Nitya Jasani	VII	7	Medal and Certificate
Navin Nair	X	5	Medal and Certificate

IRAADA - AWARENESS SESSION

An awareness session on Substance Abuse was conducted for students of grades VIII to X on 22nd July 2025, facilitated by Iraada Ahmedabad, a youth-led initiative dedicated to promoting a healthier, addiction-free society. Through a well-structured presentation, a thought-provoking skit and an engaging Q&A segment, the team educated students about the harmful effects of substance abuse and the importance of making informed life choices. The students participated actively with curiosity and sincerity, making the session both impactful and meaningful, and the initiative was well-received as a valuable step toward fostering awareness and responsible behaviour among adolescents.

Tashvi's Performances at Waves Summit, NMACC and Prayagraj Mahakumbh

Tashvi Sharma of grade IXC represented Nartan School of Performing Arts under the guidance of Guru Smt. Smita Shastriji through a captivating Kuchipudi performance at the Waves Summit, held on 5th April at the Nita Mukesh Ambani Cultural Centre (NMACC), Mumbai. Invited by the Government of India, she performed at this prestigious event that brought together talented artists from across the nation.

She also performed at Prayagraj Mahakumbh-2025, another grand cultural congregation organized by the Government of India that celebrates art, spirituality, and tradition.



SEEDBALL DISPERSAL

BUILDING A GREENER FUTURE

ZSE, Vejalpur Champions the Green Gujarat Initiative

As part of the Green Gujarat initiative, the third phase of the Seed Ball making activity for sustaining our environment was held on 18th June 2025 for our students. The aim of this activity was to engage students in the preparation of seed balls and raise their awareness about the environment and its conservation.

Students of grades VI to VIII gained hands-on experience in making the seed balls and made around 14,000 seed balls. The slogan 'Small Changes, Big Impact' set the tone as all students, alongwith the teachers pledged to work towards a better environment by saving fuel, conserving water, and planting seeds. They were also encouraged to raise awareness among those around them. These balls of seeds and compost were dispersed at various locations in the forest, where they will eventually germinate and grow, contributing to the restoration of flora and fauna. It sensitised children to care for the environment, encouraging them to plant more trees and protect nature.

The event was facilitated by Dr. Binita Verdia, Head – Corporate Social Responsibility, Zydus Lifesciences, who emphasised the significance of making the seedballs for environmental preservation. The students actively participated and expressed their joy in being part of the initiative. A lucky draw was also held, where winners received sustainable bags, and each student was presented with a certificate and an eco-friendly pen.

SMALL ACTS, BIG IMPACT

SUGAR BOARD SESSION

A special assembly for students of grades I to V was conducted to raise awareness about the ill-effects of excessive sugar consumption, offering an informative and interactive platform to guide young learners toward healthier dietary choices. Students were taught about the harmful consequences of consuming sugary foods beyond recommended limits and were introduced to the various commercial names of sugar commonly found on food labels, with a strong emphasis on reading ingredient lists carefully. The session also highlighted lifestyle-related health issues such as Type-II diabetes and childhood obesity, encouraging children to adopt healthier eating habits by exploring nutritious alternatives to sugary snacks. The assembly concluded with all students taking a pledge to reduce their daily sugar intake, reinforcing their commitment to a healthier lifestyle.



ASISC NWR COMPETITION

The ASISC North West Region Competition 2025 was hosted by our school, bringing together participants who had qualified through their respective zones to compete at the regional level, with five senior teams and three junior teams taking part. The Senior Category was judged by Ms. Jean Dsouza, a dual Ph.D. holder in English literature and professor specializing in biblical and Indian literary studies, and Mr. Pradeep Malik, Ph.D., professor of Mass Communication and former Head of Languages, Literature & Aesthetics at Pandit Deendayal Energy University.

The Junior Category was evaluated by Ms. Vranda Rathi, a creativity trainer and storyteller with over 25 years of experience and founder of Vranda Arts, along with Ms. Ruhee Parekar, a literature scholar, Trinity-certified trainer, and Teaching Associate at CEPT University. The topics were "Should war be justified to safeguard human rights and freedom?" for the Senior Category and "The rise of coaching classes and private tutoring has drastically reduced the purpose of holistic education" for the Junior Category.

Anamaya Sharma of grade XI bagged the First position in the Senior category against the motion.



NWR DRAWING AND PAINTING

Adreeti Maity of grade VIII bagged the Third position in the sub-junior category in the NWR Drawing & Painting Competition held at JG International School. Her artwork stood out among numerous brilliant entries, reflecting both her creativity and dedication. The event featured talented young artists from across the zone, competing in Sub-Junior, Junior and Senior categories.



NWR CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION

Laksha Jani, grade X secured First position at the Regional level of NWR Creative Writing Competition held on 29th August 2025 at Anand Niketan, Shilaj. Her outstanding performance has earned her the honour of representing the North-West Region at the National Level.



ASISC NWR SPORTS AND GAMES NATIONAL PLAYERS

Skating	Dhyey Shah
Table Tennis	Diya Parikh
Swimming	Rishaan Shah
Chess	Saee Joshi
10m Pistol Shooting	Dhyan Gandhi
Football Girls Under-19	Riva Adani Viratee Shah Haya Reshamwala Aanshi Joshipura
Basketball Boys Under-14	Reyaansh Shah Aarav Jain
Athletics	Dhyey Shah Nirmit Soni Vihaan Shah Reyansh Shah Kahaan Khamar Hirak Rathod Yohan Singh Sanghavi Pandey Havisha Bhatt Priyanshi Shah Jeel Dave

NWR DECLAMATION COMPETITION - SUB JUNIOR CATEGORY

Vernica Jain of grade VIII bagged the 1st position in the Sub-Junior category of the Association of Schools for the Indian School Certificate (ASISC) NWR Declamation Competition at the Fr. George Hess Memorial Regional Literary competition held at Eklavya School on 25th July 2025. She represented our school at the Zonal level held at SGVP on 29th August 2025.



NWR Zonal Karate

Devarsh Gajjar bagged the first position in the U-17 boys category and Sharanya Trivedi secured third position in the U-14 girls category of the Association of Schools for the Indian School Certificate (ASISC) NWR Zonal Karate competition held at LML School. Both were selected for the Regional level.

Rank	Name	Class
1 st	Anamaya Sharma	11A
2 nd	Khanak Agarkar	11A
3 rd	Pramitnil Maiti	9A

Homage to founder Shri Ramanbhai Patel on 23rd Founder's Day

His legacy of "Pratibaddhata" honoured during the centenary celebrations

Our school proudly celebrated its 23rd Founders' Day, honoring its esteemed founder, Shri Ramanbhai Patel, a visionary who cherished having a centre for learning. Upholding its long-standing tradition, the school marked the occasion with elegance and grandeur.

This year's celebration was particularly special as it coincided with the centenary of Shri Ramanbhai Patel. The celebrations reflected the core values of Shri Ramanbhai Patel, especially his unwavering commitment to innovation, moral values, the nation, excellence and society.

The function commenced with the ceremonial garlanding and lightening of the lamp by the Chairman, Mr. Pankaj R. Patel, Zydus Lifesciences Ltd. alongwith esteemed dignitaries. This was followed by addresses from Mrs. Alka Murthy, Principal of Vejalpur campus, and Mrs. Jayshree Balasaria, Principal of Godhavi campus, who highlighted the significant accomplishments and milestones achieved by their schools over the past year.

In his address, Chairman Mr. Pankaj Patel recalled how the school was founded with inspiration from his father, Shri Ramanbhai Patel, who chose to dedicate his birthday not for celebration but for building an institution of learning. He emphasized that true legacy is not in wealth but in creating something meaningful, and highlighted the school's focus on nurturing curiosity beyond academics through music, photography, and other pursuits.

The Chairman reaffirmed the institution's commitment to quality education, discipline, respect, and integrity in all endeavours. He thanked teachers and parents for their efforts and extended his best wishes to the students, encouraging them to continue making the school proud.

Recognizing that teachers and students are the cornerstone of any educational institution, the school honored teachers for their dedicated service of 20, 15, and 10 years, with special recognition from Mr. Pankaj R. Patel. In addition, the Board toppers were specially felicitated during the function.

The felicitation ceremony was followed by a series of performances, including classical and semi-classical dances and a skit, each depicting the founder's commitment to his guiding principles.

The function was attended by parents, student achievers and the entire staff making it a memorable and inspiring occasion.



Glimpses of 23rd Founder's Day



News Coverage



Sandesh (City Life)

Jai Hind

Young Authors Award

Sr. No.	Name	Class	Awards and Honours
1	Mysha Chandaria	6C	Trophy Winner
2	Rushvi Shah	11B	Gold Medal
3	Vyom Gadani	7A	Silver Medal
4	Saanvi Soni	8B	Bronze Medal
5	Dikshan Shah	7A	Bronze Medal
6	Prisha Shah	6C	Bronze Medal

TATA Building Essay

Senior Category

Junior Category

Rank	Name	Grade
1st	Ishaan Shah	XIIA
2nd	Ishanvi Bharadwaj	XIB
3rd	Rudranshi Oza	IXC

Rank	Name	Grade
1st	Mahi Shah	VIIIB
2nd	Vacha Shah	VIIA
3rd	Neev Shah	VIC



Hamari Sanskriti, Hamara Abhimaan: A Celebration of Culture, Values and Togetherness

Our school celebrated its Junior Annual Day with enthusiasm, bringing together students, teachers and parents for a day filled with joy and pride. The programme commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp, followed by the presentation of the Annual Report by Principal Mrs. Alka Murthy, who highlighted the school's achievements and progress over the year.

The theme for Pre-primary and grades I & II, "Hamari Sanskriti, Hamara Abhimaan," was showcased through a series of captivating performances. Blending dance and drama, the students depicted Love for Nation, Respect and Honour, Gurushishya, Friendship, Panchtatva and Indradhanush, each reflecting the values of patriotism, dignity, devotion, harmony, and unity in diversity.

With colourful costumes and captivating music, the performances radiated energy and joy. The celebration culminated in the National Anthem.



Interhouse *Competitions*

Patriotic Song Competition

(Class VI-XII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Gyan	Devanshi Bodiwala Vanshika Vaghela Dhwanit Makwana Parv Pujara Dhyana Doshi Srividhya Iyer Namy Shah Shaurya Patel Yug Chapia Saeed Joshi Mehaan Shah Myra Shah Manvee Zala
2nd	Dharma	Mishwa Shah Avya Mehta Mugdha Mehta Priyanshi Shah Vrushti Doshi Dhyani Sampat Rudranshi Oza Aarav Rathod Pal Vora Jia Shah Vaidehi Bhaduria Bhavya Shah
3rd	Bhakti	Deeyan Shah Anirudh Nair Ashmit Kundu Dhyan Gandhi Kavya Parmar Mahi Shah Dhyara Shah Tanaya Gandhi Vrinda Bansal Nandita Pillai Vanshika Doshi

Inter-House Debate Competition

(Class IX-XII)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	9A	Gyan	Pratham Shah
2nd	12A	Dharma	Tanisha Bhatia
3rd	10B	Karma	Manav Parikh

Hindi Hasya Vyayoga Kavita

(Class IX-XII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Dharma	Tanisha Bhatia
2nd	Karma	Swara Prabhune
3rd	Gyan	Naysha Matreja

English-Essay writing (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	8B	Bhakti	Mahi Shah
2nd	8A	Karma	Aviana Sanghvi
3rd	6C	Bhakti	Vidita Gandhi

English-Essay writing (Class IX-XII)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	10B	Bhakti	Laksha Jani
2nd	10B	Karma	Atmaja Shukla
3rd	9C	Bhakti	Ashmit Kundu

Creative writing (class VI-VIII)

Name	Class	House	Rank
Adrisha Tiwari	6C	Karma	1st
Saanvi Soni	8B	Bhakti	2nd
Vacha Shah	7A	Bhakti	3rd

English-Essay writing (Class III-V)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	3A	Dharma	Dishant Patel
2nd	3C	Dharma	Dirgha Surve
3rd	3B	Dharma	Mayraa Patel
3rd	3B	Bhakti	Shreejoyee Das

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	4C	Gyan	Deshak Priyadarshan
2nd	4B	Dharma	Naavya Mishra
3rd	4C	Karma	Hrutvi Keshare

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	5C	Bhakti	Kush Dhaval Thanki
2nd	5C	Karma	Dhyana Parikh
3rd	5A	Bhakti	Jiana Patel

Quiz Competition (Class III-V)

Rank	House	Name	Class
1st	Dharma	Dev Shah	III A
		Aasimah Momin	IV A
		Heli Khambhayata	V B
2nd	Karma	Ansh Patel	III A
		Viha Rathod	IV B
		Kiyan Shah	V A
3rd	Gyan	Drishya Solanki	IIIB
		Shrey Modi	IV C
		Twisha Kachhadiya	V A

Story-Telling Competition

Rank	House	Participant	Class
1st	Gyan	Ishanvi Walke	1 B
2nd	Gyan	Shriya Shah	1 A
3rd	Gyan	Anaya Sanghvi	1 C

Greeting Card Designing (Class IX)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	9A	Karma	Jenil Dalki
	9C	Dharma	Rudranshi Oza
3rd	9A	Dharma	Dhyani Sampat
	9B	Karma	Tanvi Kaur

Greeting Card Designing (Class X)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	10C	Dharma	Jia S. Shah
1st	10C	Karma	Swarna Rai
3rd	10B	Bhakti	Khushi Bhuptani

Greeting Card Designing (Class XII)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	12B	Karma	Tvishaa Shah
2nd	12A	Bhakti	Diva S. Shah
3rd	12A	Bhakti	Mauli Dave

Chess (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	7C	Gyan	Yash Ahuja
2nd	8A	Dharma	Harshit Baxi
3rd	8B	Bhakti	Dhyara Jhaveri

Public Speaking (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Karma	Mysha Chandaria
2nd	Bhakti	Sara Chokhadia
3rd	Dharma	Falak Thawani

Poem Recitation (Class I-II)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	1C	Karma	Mahisha Vardhini
	1C	Bhakti	Vriha Gosaliya
3rd	2A	Dharma	Merushi Shah
	1C	Gyan	Khushi Gadani

Kho Kho Girls (Class III-V)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Gyan	Dhyana Davada Aaradhyा Shah Khwaish Gandhi Dhyana Parikh Twisha Kachchadiya Nakshi Shah Gurnoor Sachdeva Dhriya Zaveri Anvika Bangur Nishri Joshi Pavaki Gupta Prasanna Jamnapara
2nd	Karma	Aarna Shreevasatav Pranshi Shah Dira Trivedi Fatima Shaikh Yashvi Kasa Vaishvi Joshipura Shreya Solanki Drishi Parekh Khushi Patel Navya Jhaveri Annaisha Rathod Aahna Shah
3rd	Dharma	Misha Soni Brisha Meheta Dwisha Thakkar Pranshi Desai Aasimah Momin Siyaju Patel Dhyana Gajjar Jiyana Gandhi Kavya Bhatt Heli Khambhayata Nishka Matreja Hiya Vaja

Kho Kho Boys (Class III-V)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Dharma	Darsh Parekh Shrey Soni Parth Kasliwal Yajat Kapadeeya Mehaan Vyas Abhimanyu Bhatia Vidyut Ratwani Krishiv Tiwari Jaitra Patel Shreyan Dave Mokshang Mehta Devam Dave
2nd	Bhakti	Kiaan Vora Sharvil Vaishnav Krishrajsinh Masani Veer Shah Dhyan Rao Avik Jain Vihan Khaniya Ajmal Shekh Shlok Shah Mokshit Doshi Jay Dave Kush Potdar
3rd	Gyan	Vivaan Dave Drishya Solanki Kiyansh Kumat Keyan Shah Shivraj Pandey Anay Sagar Jayveer Patel Rajveer Solanki Vian Prajapati Divyam Mehta Kalp Shah Aditya Darbar

Kho Kho Boys (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Dharma	Hriday Jain Kiaan Shah Neev Shah Yug Tanna Harshil Bakshi Dhruvil Prajapati Nirmay Acharya Nuwal Jagrav Atmagna Shukla Hithart Shah Atiksh Shah Kunjal Prajapati
2nd	Gyan	Aarav Jain Nirmit Soni Arhat Parikh Riaan Morakhiya Hirak Rathore Devansh Desai Parv Pujara Arhaan Shah Aarnav Bhatt Devansh Thakkar Swarit Soni Mantra Patel
3rd	Bhakti	Reyansh Shah Kabir Surti Rudra Choksi Yashmit Chauhan Jenish Chauhan Mahip Gandhi Dhyan Patel Mandar Parekh Hridhaan Jhaver Maanit Modgil Deeyan Shah Vian Doshi

Kho Kho Girls (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Karma	Rayna Kotadia Peehu Shah Mahek Makwana Manya Mehta Sanghavi Pandey Aanya Sheth Hiya Doshi Shivali Vora Jiana Shah Aviana Sanghavi Shachi Pandey Adrisha Tiwari
2nd	Dharma	Dhyana Parekh Arna U Shah Vinisha Kapadia Priyanshi Shah Prisha Shah Hiya Shah Mishwa Shah Jayna Parmar Mugdha Mehta Aavya Mehta Mishka Rathod Tasneem Vohra
3rd	Gyan	Aaradhya Senapati Jeel Dave Shravi Jhaveri Preya Vora Twisha Thakkar Viaana Shah Aarna Gosaliya Brinda Solanki Kashvi Shah Manya Shah Pranshi Shah Krishaba Chudasama

Football Boys (Class III-V)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Gyan	Drishya Solanki Rajveer Solanki Shrey Modi Mourya Gohil Dhyan Nayak Divyam Mehta Aditya Darbar Kalp Shah
2nd	Dharma	Parth Kasliwal Agastya Jobanputra Mehaan Vyas Shivam Gohil Abhimanyu Bhatia Atharv Deshmukh Mokshang Mehta Samar Bhagat
3rd	Karma	Ansh Patel Kanav Jain Sahil Kara Adwait Deshmukh Jatik Tanna Vyom Patel Reyan Chauhan Vyom Desai

Football Girls (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Karma	Hiya Doshi Aanya Sheth Shreena Shah Aviana Sanghvi Sanghvi Pandey Shanchi Pandey Peehu Shah Utsavi Joshi
2nd	Bhakti	Sanjana Gujjar Vidita Gandhi Frenny Rabari Aleena Talukdar Prisha Mathukiya Mahika Singh Adreeti Maity Aayushi Dhodhiya
3rd	Dharma	Mishti Pancholi Hetanshi Desai Prisha Shah Aarna Shah Falak Jhawani Vrushti Doshi

Football Boys (Class VI-VIII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Gyan	Riaan Morakhia Aarav Jain Devansh Desai Nirmit Soni Dhwanit Makwana Heerak Rathod Kahaan Khamar Devansh Thakkar
2nd	Dharma	Saransh Brahmbhatt Atiksh Shah Neev Shah Dhruvil Prajapati Keshav Barot Harshit Baxi Rishit S Mehta Yug Tanna
3rd	Karma	Raj Dave Dhruvit Bhatt Parshav Kapadia Dhyey Kapadia Divit Shah Krishiv Patel Mihit Rajyaguru Herith Patel

Nature Drawing (Class I)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	1A	Bhakti	Siya Gandhi
2nd	1C	Bhakti	Vriha Gosaliya
3rd	1A	Gyan	Shriya Shah

Nature Drawing (Class II)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	2B	Karma	Ilesha Vadgama
2nd	2B	Bhakti	Nivaan Dosaliya
3rd	2B	Gyan	Prisha Gupta

Chess (Class III-V)

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	4C	Gyan	Rajveersinh Kantharia
2nd	5A	Gyan	Anushi Pandit
3rd	3B	Aryaveer Sanghvi	Dharma

Picture Composition

Class I

Name	Class	House	Rank
Snigdh Jain	1C	Dharma	1st
Jeeya Mehta	1B	Dharma	2nd
Kimaayra Mishra	1A	Gyan	3rd

Class II

Name	Class	House	Rank
Veer Shah	2A	Bhakti	1st
Aahna Shah	2A	Karma	2nd
Siyaju Patel	2A	Dharma	3rd

Abstract Art Colouring (Class I)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Gyan	Dhyana Lad
2nd	Gyan	Shriya Shah
3rd	Karma	Takshvi Dave

Abstract Art Colouring (Class II)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Bhakti	Siya Shah
2nd	Gyan	Dhwiti Thakkar
3rd	Bhakti	Nivaan Dosaliya

Chess (Class IX-XII)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Bhakti	Vihaan Shah
2nd	Karma	Albert Berkman
3rd	Dharma	Shrey Ghiya

Quilling Greeting Card Competition

Class VI

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	6B	Dharma	Prajna Kasliwala
2nd	6C	Karma	Shanchi Pandey
3rd	6B	Dharma	Avya Mehta

Class VII

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	7A	Karma	Devishi Jain
2nd	7A	Dharma	Jashvi Surti
3rd	7A	Bhakti	Hazel Xavier

Class VIII

Rank	Class	House	Name
1st	8A	Dharma	Lavisha Shah
2nd	8A	Gyan	Angel Shah
3rd	8C	Dharma	Falak Thawani

Story Telling (Class I-II)

Rank	Name	House
1st	Gyan	Ishanvi Walke
2nd	Gyan	Shriya Shah
3rd	Dhrama	Anaya Sanghvi

Doodling (Class III)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Bhakti	Het Jethva
2nd	Karma	Navya Jhaveri
3rd	Bhakti	Akshita Pattanaik

(Class IV)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Bhakti	Prisha Thakkar
2nd	Dharma	Jaitra Patel
3rd	Dharma	Dhyana Gajjar

(Class V)

Rank	House	Name
1st	Dharma	Nishka Matreja
2nd	Gyan	Swara Makwana
3rd	Karma	Drishi Parikh

Colouring Competition (Jr.Kg)

Rank	Jr.KG A	Jr.KG B
1st	Amarya Dabgar	Aarnav Sadaria
2nd	Nishva Panchal	Khwaish Doshi
3rd	Jency Pancholi	Adwiik Jain
4th	Hazel Patel	Naksh Shah
5th	Kiaan Ahuja	Rashi Shah



Collage Competition (Sr.Kg.)

Rank	Sr.Kg. A	Sr.Kg. B
1st	Dharm Vaidya	Avira Kamat
2nd	Dharvi Mandaliya	Dev Shukla
3rd	Dhyey Shah	Harsh Makadia
4th	Jia Adeshara	Kuveera Sharma
5th	Kiara Patel	Shrina Parmar

ENGLISH SINGING COMPETITION

Rank	House	Name	Class
1st	Dharma	Mishka Shah	1A
2nd	Dharma	Prisha Jain	2C
3rd	Karma	Sia Motani	1A





Campus Hullabaloo



SCHOLAR'S TROPHY (2024-25)

The Scholar's Trophy Ceremony for the academic year 2024–25 was held on 11th April 2025 to recognize and celebrate the academic excellence and outstanding achievements of our students.

Students from Classes VI to IX and XI who demonstrated exceptional academic performance during the year were honoured with a trophy and a certificate as a mark of their hard work and dedication. In addition, students who excelled in club activities and served actively in the Student Council were acknowledged with a Proficiency Certificate for their outstanding contributions and leadership.

The event was graced by Dr. Udayan Prajapati, Ph.D. Supervisor (Guide), Gujarat University, and Head & Associate Professor, Department of Mathematics, St. Xavier's College, who honoured us as the Guest of Honour. His presence and inspiring words added great value to the occasion and were deeply appreciated by students and staff alike.

Furthermore, students from Classes I to V were also recognized for their academic accomplishments and were awarded the Scholar Certificate.

The ceremony was a proud moment for the entire school community, reaffirming our commitment to nurturing excellence, talent, and holistic development among our students.



INVESTITURE CEREMONY

**Shri Rohit Chaudhari, Ahmedabad City DEO,
graces the occasion as esteemed Guest of Honour**

Our School held its ceremonial 'Investiture Ceremony', marking an important occasion to confer responsibilities upon the newly elected student council. The ceremony was presided over by Shri. Rohit Chaudhari, Ahmedabad City District Education Officer, as the esteemed Guest of Honour.

The Guest of Honour, Shri Chaudhari, addressed the gathering with an inspiring speech. He spoke about Project Saarthi, an initiative introduced to confidentially address students' and teachers' concerns, aiming to support both academic and administrative challenges with a strong emphasis on mental well-being. Highlighting the value of resilience, he urged everyone to adopt a never-give-up attitude, quoting Harivansh Rai Bachchan's powerful words: "Koshish karne walon ki kabhi haar nahi hoti." He also advised parents not to pressurize children solely for marks, but to encourage them in their areas of strength and always be their strongest support system.

His words resonated deeply with the students, faculty and the parents, leaving a lasting impression and motivating everyone to strive for excellence in all pursuits. Following this, the ceremony commenced on a solemn note with the Guest of Honour, Shri Rohit Chaudhari presenting the prestigious flag and sash to the newly elected Student Council, marking the official transfer of duties from the outgoing members. The Head Boy and Head Girl stood tall with dignity as they received this honour from the Principal, Mrs. Alka Murthy. The oath-taking ceremony witnessed the newly elected student council members pledging to fulfill their duties with sincerity and dedication. It was a proud moment for the parents of the office bearers, as they were invited to pin badges on their wards, marking the beginning of a new journey as leaders.

With flags raised high and heads held tall, the ceremony concluded with the rendition of the School Song, followed by the National Anthem.



ZYKRITI ZYFEST 2025: WHERE TALENT TAKES STAGE

AN UNFORGETTABLE CULTURAL EXTRAVAGANZA

Our school hosted its annual cultural festival, ZyKriti Zyfest 2025, on 1st August 2025, creating an unforgettable and enriching experience for students. The event commenced with the lighting of the traditional lamp, joined by the coordinators of the participating schools and esteemed judges. Following this auspicious beginning, our respected Principal, Mrs. Alka Murthy, addressed the gathering and extended a warm welcome to the judges, teachers, and students from all participating schools.

The fest served as a platform for students to showcase their talents and creativity, unveiling remarkable hidden potential from various schools. Over 900 students from more than 30 schools across Ahmedabad and Vadodara participated in this grand event. A range of competitions were organized, each designed to showcase different skills and talents.

To name a few, the English Spell Bee challenged juniors to demonstrate their spelling progress. Making Melody featured teams presenting their original compositions in the most creative and melodious ways. The Science Beat had participants perform raps infused with science and humor. The Comic Strip Making competition invited students to blend art and storytelling. The Hasya Natak, a Hindi comedy play, left the audience in splits with its lively and humorous performances. Glass Painting revealed the artistic flair of young participants through their vibrant and imaginative creations.

The Think or Sink Logical Reasoning Quiz tested participants' analytical thinking and quick decision-making in a high-stakes, fast-paced format. ZyKriti Zyfest was successfully conducted with the support of dedicated students of our school, who did not compete in any of the events but wholeheartedly volunteered their time and efforts to organize the fest meticulously.

The winners of the fest were Navrachana Higher Secondary School, Vadodara while the runners-up were Delhi Public School, Bopal. Each participant from the top three winning teams in each event was awarded a trophy.

ZYFEST 2025-26



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

The students of Pre-Primary, grade I, and grade II celebrated Independence Day on 14th August 2025 with great enthusiasm and patriotic spirit.

The day began with a special assembly where a teacher spoke to the students about the significance of Independence Day, helping young minds understand the value of freedom and the sacrifices made by our national heroes.

The Pre-Primary children arrived in beautiful tri-colour outfits, adding vibrant hues to the celebration. Some of them were dressed as national leaders and confidently spoke a few lines about the personalities they represented, delighting everyone with their performances.

The event concluded with the distribution of chocolates to all children, bringing smiles to their faces and making the celebration even more joyful.

The celebration successfully instilled a sense of patriotism and pride in our young learners.



SGVP LIT FEST 4.0

Sara Chokhadia of grade VIII brought laurels to our school by securing the third position in SGVP Inter-State Lit. Fest 4.0 in English Mono-Acting, held at SGVP International School.



REGIONAL ABACUS COMPETITION

Our young achievers from Grades III and V made the school proud with their outstanding performance at the 168th Regional Abacus Competition Festival organised by Brain-o-brain fest. From Grade V, Rivaan Nathwani distinguished himself by securing the prestigious Gold Topper Award, while Kush Thanki and Kavan Doshi brought further glory by winning the Champion Trophy. Adding to this success, Grade III students Pankhi Shah and Dwisha Thakkar were also honoured with the Gold Topper Award for their remarkable skills.

STATE ROLLER SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP

Navya Patel of grade III showcased outstanding talent by clinching the second position and earning the silver medal at the Warrior Open State Roller Skating Championship in the 9-11 age category.

STATE-LEVEL PYRAMINX CUBE RELAY COMPETITION

Our talented cubers made the school proud with their outstanding performance at the State-Level Pyraminx Cube Relay Competition. Krishaba Chudasama of grade VI secured a bronze medal in the 3×3 event and a silver medal in the 3×3-2×2 relay, while Siya Modi of grade VII excelled with two silver medals in the 3×3 category along with another silver medal in the relay.

ENJOGO PREMIER LEAGUE SEASON-5

Abhimanyu of Grade IV represented Flory Soccer Academy in the Enjogo Premier League Season 5 U-11 tournament at Savvy Swaraj Sports Club. He delivered outstanding individual performances, earning three Man of the Match awards and the trophy for the tournament's top scorer.

INTER-SCHOOL SOLO SINGING

Arnav S. Dudpuri of grade IV made us proud by securing the First position in the Solo Singing competition in the Krishna Heritage Inter-school competition.

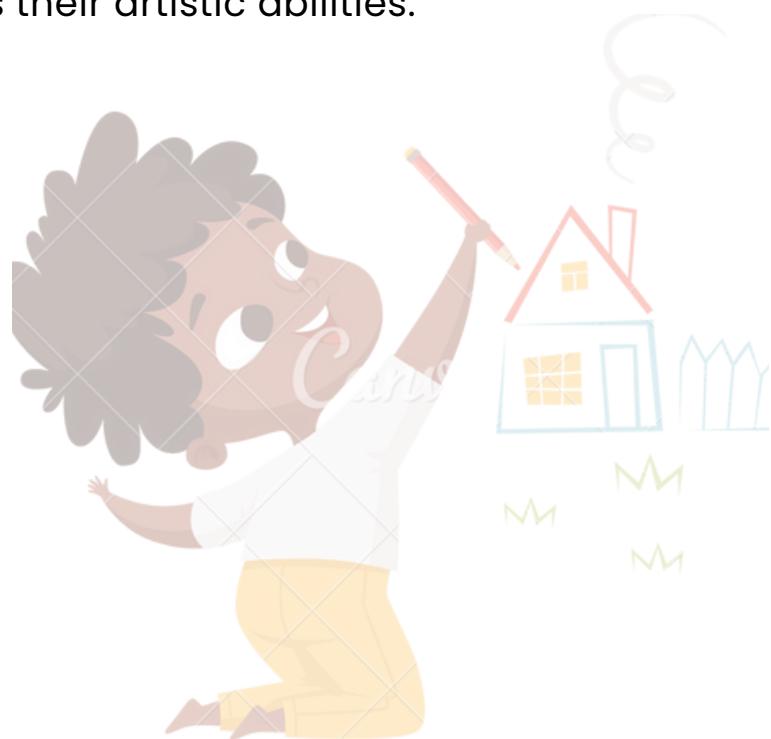
JR. KG. COLOURING COMPETITION

Colouring Competition was organized for the students to encourage creativity and artistic expression. Each student was provided with a colouring worksheet and was given one hour to complete the task using their choice of colours.

The activity saw enthusiastic participation from all classes, with students displaying great focus and creativity in their work. Their use of color combinations and attention to detail made the event both enjoyable and inspiring.

After careful evaluation, the top five performers from each class were selected based on creativity, neatness, and overall presentation. These students were awarded certificates and prizes during the school assembly by our respected Principal.

The event was a resounding success and served as a wonderful platform for students to express their artistic abilities.



SR.KG. COLLAGE COMPETITION

A Collage Making Competition was organized for the students, where each participant was provided with a collage worksheet featuring a picture of a hat, along with glaze paper in various colours. The objective was to complete the collage artwork creatively within the time limit of one and a half hours.

All students participated in the activity with great enthusiasm and showcased their artistic talents and creativity through vibrant and well-crafted collages.

The top five performers from each section were selected based on creativity, neatness, and overall presentation. These outstanding students were recognized during the school assembly and were awarded certificates and prizes by our respected Principal Ma'am.

The top five performers were:

- 1.Dharm Vaidya
- 2.Dharvi Mandaliya
- 3.Dhyey Shah
- 4.Jia Adeshara
- 5.Kiara Patel

The competition encouraged students to explore their creative potential while fostering healthy competition among peers.

COMMUNITY SERVICES CLUB VISIT UMANG SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN WITH HEARING LOSS

On 23rd September, the students of the Community Services Club visited the Umang School for Children with Hearing Loss. The objective of the visit was to spend quality time with the young learners and engage them in meaningful activities. During the visit, our students interacted with the children of Grade 1 and 2 and involved them in a variety of activities. Games such as puzzles, Mikado pickup sticks, and drawing-from-numbers were organized, followed by a drawing session that allowed the children to showcase their creativity.

The entire interaction was lively, joyful, and enriching. Towards the end of the visit, our students distributed chocolates among the children. The visit provided an opportunity for our students to foster values of empathy, inclusiveness, and social responsibility, making it a meaningful and memorable experience.



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATIONS

Teachers' Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm. The program began with the lighting of the traditional lamp by our Principal Ma'am, Mrs. Alka Murthy, along with Level Coordinators and the Student Council, paying tribute to Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan.

Following this, students took over the center stage and had organized some fun-filled games including tug-of-war for all the educators.

As a goodwill gesture, the management presented a gift to each educator.



NATIONAL SPORTS DAY 2025

The National Sports Day 2025 was observed during the school assembly on 29th August 2025, commemorating the birth anniversary of Major Dhyan Chand, India's legendary hockey player. Students from grades III to X, alongwith the educators, were present on the occasion. The programme was held under the campaign 'Ek Ghanta Khel Ke Maidaan Mein!' to promote fitness, sportsmanship, and Olympic values across the country.

The programme commenced with students sharing insights on the life and achievements of Major Dhyan Chand, followed by a film on his life.

To mark the spirit of the day, students shared updates on national and international sports news and emphasized the importance of sports and fitness in daily life.

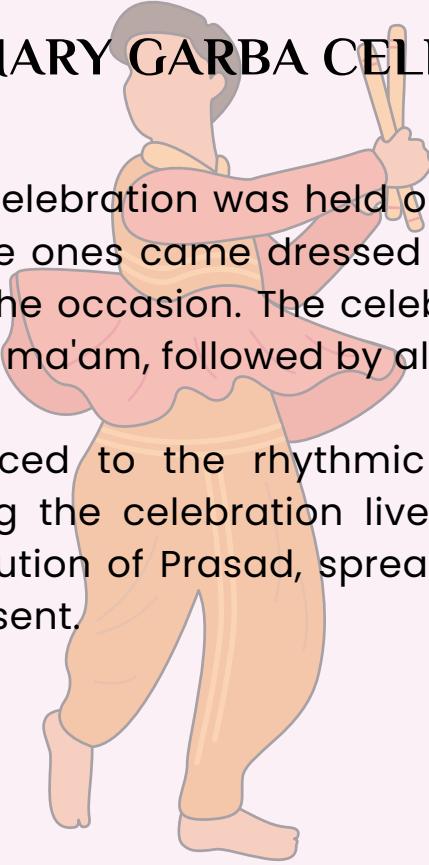
The National Sports Day Pledge was then administered by the Sports Vice-Captain, Viratee Shah, reaffirming the values of discipline, teamwork, and sportsmanship. This was followed by a speech on the Olympic Games by Aarav Jain, and another on the Paralympic Games by Reyansh Shah.

The programme concluded with a reminder of the significance of sports in students' lives.

PRE-PRIMARY GARBA CELEBRATION

The Pre-primary Navratri celebration was held on 25th September 2025 with great enthusiasm. The little ones came dressed in vibrant traditional attire, adding colour and joy to the occasion. The celebration began with an Aarti performed by our Principal ma'am, followed by all the teachers.

The children joyfully danced to the rhythmic beats of garba and the teachers joined in, making the celebration lively and cheerful. The event concluded with the distribution of Prasad, spreading happiness and festive spirit among everyone present.



DIWALI CELEBRATION

Diwali, the festival of lights, was celebrated with great enthusiasm and joy by our pre primary and grades 1 & 2 students. The program began with a prayer, followed by a warm welcome to the principal, students and teachers. One of the teacher's narrated the story of Diwali, explaining the return of Lord Rama to Ayodhya after fourteen years of exile and the significance of lighting diyas to celebrate the victory of good over evil.

The story was told in a simple and engaging way, which kept the students attentive and excited. Through the story, the importance of values like truth, goodness, and togetherness was highlighted. The teacher also encouraged everyone to celebrate Diwali in an eco-friendly manner by lighting diyas, sharing sweets, and avoiding crackers. The celebrations ended with a beautiful Diwali song and greetings exchanged by students and staff, spreading happiness and festive cheer all around. As part of the celebration, the pre-primary children made beautiful diyas and decorated them creatively. They were very excited to take their diyas home to share the joy of the festival with their families.

FIELD TRIP TO RELIANCE MART

The students of Jr. KG visited Reliance Mart near Nehrunagar as part of an educational outing to reinforce their learning on the topic 'Fruits and Vegetables'.

The children enthusiastically explored the mall and observed a variety of fruits and vegetables on display. They were then seated comfortably in a designated area, where they had the opportunity to touch and feel the fruits and vegetables available at the mart. The teachers explained each item and provided detailed information to help the students understand better. The students showed great eagerness while learning about different fruits and vegetables. At the end of the visit, the staff of Reliance Smart distributed chocolates to the children.



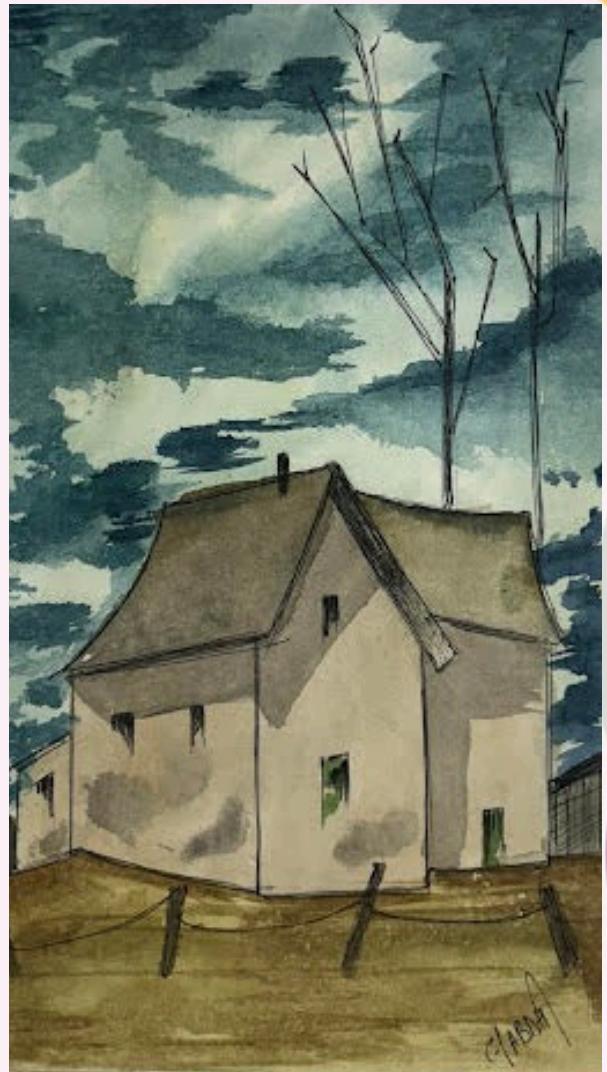
EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIP TO KANKARIA

As part of the topic "Means of Transport," the students of Junior KG A and B went on an educational field trip to Kankaria for a train ride. The children travelled by bus, observing various land vehicles along the way. At Kankaria, they enjoyed the toy train ride and learned that trains run on tracks. They also observed boats in the lake, which helped them understand water transport. The trip was a fun and enriching learning experience for all.

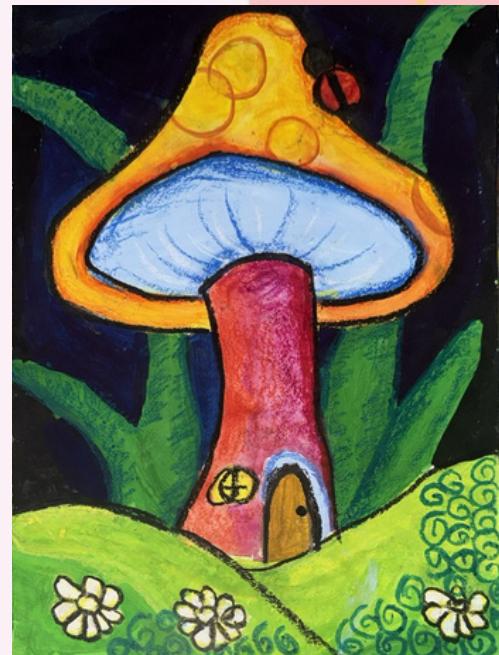
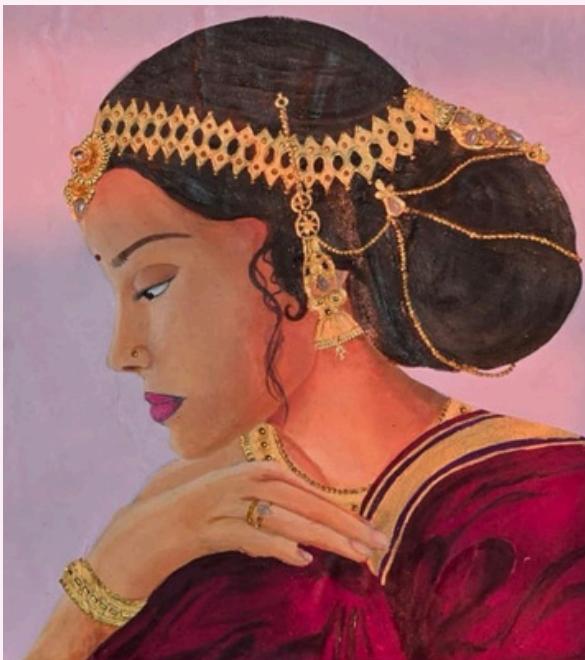


Creative Corner





-Labdhi Shah XI B



-Ananya Purey XI A



-Kalp Shah VC



-Kashvi Sinojiya VA



-Kryan Shah VA

TOUCHING LIVES FOREVER

A Poem on Teachers' day

गुरु ब्रह्म गुरु विष्णु, गुरु देवो महेश्वरः
गुरु साक्षात् परम ब्रह्म, तत्मै श्री गुरुवे नमः

जब पहला पग पड़ा विद्यालय में,
तो मैं भी कोटा पन्ना था।
मुझे भी शिक्षा लेकर,
एक काबिल इंसान बनना था।

तब साथ दिया मेरे गुरुओं ने,
और सिखलाई हर नई बात मुझे।
अब अगली कुछ पंक्तियों में,
मैं नमन कर्हंगी आज उन्हें।

धरती का भूगोल बताते,
इतिहासों की कथा सुनाते।
क्या, कब, क्यों, कैसे होता है,
विज्ञान से हमें सिखाते।

कभी पढ़ाते, कभी लिखाते,
खेल-खेल में सब समझाते।
मुश्किल को आसान बनाते,
हक के लिए लड़ना सिखलाते।

जाति धर्म पर लड़े ना कोई,
करना सबसे प्रेम सिखाते।
हमें सफलता कैसे पानी,
कैसे चढ़ना शिखर बताते।

खो ना जाएँ कहीं भीड़ में,
हमको हमसे यह मिलवाते।
हार-हार के फिर है उठना,
कोशिश करना यह सिखलाते।

तरह-तरह की शिक्षा देकर,
काबिल इंसान बनाते हैं।
सही-गलत और सच-झूठ का,
पाठ वो पढ़ाते हैं।

आदर सच्चाई की राह पर,
चलना वो सिखलाते हैं।
उनका उत्तम स्थान है,
शिक्षक वह कहलाते हैं।

अब दो आखरी पंक्तियां.....

जो बनाये हमें इंसान, और दे सही-गलत की
पहचान,
अपने स्कूल के उन गुरुओं को, मैं मान्या
गोयल करती हूं शत-शत प्रणाम॥



-Manya Goel VIII C

Jahan unchi imartien aasmano ko chumti hai, Jahan
kaali peeli ki pain-pain har gali
mein gunjti hai,
Jahan samandar ki lehre haule se ret ko
chhuti hai,
Jahan local logon ko waqt se bhi tez
daudati hai,
Yahan aadmi ka dost sirf uski parchhai hai,
Woh peeche chali aati hai magar yeh toh
train pakadne ki jaldi mein aage daudta
rehta hai,
Yahan vadapav ki chatni mein logo ki jaan
basti hai,
Sapno ka sheher isse kehte hai,
Bollywood ke kisson ki kitaab yeh hai,
Yahan ka sartaaj Taj hai,
Yeh mumbai hai, yahan takdeer ki lakirein
daudte bhaagte logon ke sapne bunti hai



-Swara Prabhune
XI A

My India

With Himalayas in the North,
Indian ocean in the South
Arabian sea in the West,
Bay of Bengal in the East,
I love my nation.

With developed culture,
And beautiful sculpture,
The people have no rest,
To do their work best.
I love my nation.

They give us rice in ration,
They dress in latest fashion,
We do many invention,
Which are about fiction.
I love my nation.

With number of hill station,
Which are God's creation,
It gives us protection,
And save us from tension.



-Kush Potdar
V C

Why do people ask,
Change yourself!
Don't be so kind,
Just match the vibe,
You get only one life!
Grasp it soon

Or you'll be out of our time.

But! Did the sun ever fear
And change its mind,
When he was surrounded
by the clouds full of wine?
Not to be too rude,
I like the way I am
I choose to be myself
And not change for the one
Who'll someday leave my hand



-Tashvi Sharma
IX C

I think I have to be sad to create poetry,
So I will write exactly on that.

Because here I am , bare,
and a notes app that is not somehow my
constant motivation anymore, to care.



-Tavishi Shah
XIA

I am a writer who bleeds,
The kind who yearns and then breeds.
Yet somehow my ink splatters across the page,
But the words are out of my reach.

I open my diary, and I stare at it instead.
When did the pages start to feel like a ghost in
my bed?

I stare at the ceiling then back at my phone,
My pen clicks on the table , the count unknown.

So many thoughts tangled in my head,
Yet none suffice to be written in despair.
So I glance at my diary, and stare some more.
Because how am I supposed to bring back the
grief,
That I forcefully teared out from my soul?

The Power of Curiosity: Your Secret Superpower for Learning

Why Questions Are More Powerful Than Answers

Have you ever noticed how the most interesting conversations start with a simple question? "What would happen if gravity worked backwards? "Why do some people have different coloured eyes?", "How do video games actually work?" Every great discovery in human history began not with an answer but with someone brave enough to ask "What if?" or "Why"

As students, you are living in the most exciting time in human history to be curious. You have access to more information, more perspectives, and more opportunities to explore than any generation before you. But here's the thing that might surprise you: having all the answers isn't what makes you smart. Knowing how to ask better questions is your real superpower.

The Curiosity Advantage

Research shows that curious students don't just learn more – they learn differently. When you approach a subject with genuine curiosity, your brain literally changes how it processes information. Instead of just memorizing facts for a test, you start connecting ideas, seeing patterns, and building understanding that lasts a lifetime.

Think about your favourite subject. Chances are, it became your favourite not because it was easy, but because something about it sparked your curiosity. Maybe it was a fascinating science experiment, a historical mystery, or a mathematical pattern that seemed almost magical. That spark of curiosity transformed learning from a chore into an adventure. How to Develop Your Curiosity Muscles:

1. Practice the "Five Whys"

When you encounter something new, don't stop at surface level understanding. Ask "why five times in a row. For example:

- "Plants need sunlight". Why?
- "They use it for photosynthesis". Why?
- "To convert light energy into chemical energy". Why?
- And so on...

2. Connect the Dots

Try to link what you are learning to things you already know or care about. Studying the Roman Empire? Think about how their engineering principles still influence modern architecture. Learning about percentages in math? Connect it to understanding statistics in your favourite sport.

3. Embrace "I Don't Know"

Those three words aren't a failure – they are an invitation to explore. Every time you say "I don't know", follow it with "but I'd like to find out". This simple shift transforms confusion into opportunity.

4. Question Authority (Respectfully)

Don't just accept information because a textbook or teacher says it's true. Ask for evidence, examples and explanations. Good teachers love curious students who push for deeper understanding. Remember these following things Every expert in every field was once a beginner who asked good questions. Every breakthrough was made by someone who wondered "What if things could be different?". Your curiosity isn't just a tool for getting good grades – its your pathway to becoming the person you want to be and making the contributions to the world that only you can make. So go ahead, be curious. Ask those questions. What questions will you ask today?

**-Tarang Kakkad
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The Unseen Curriculum: How Literature Forges Leaders with Soul

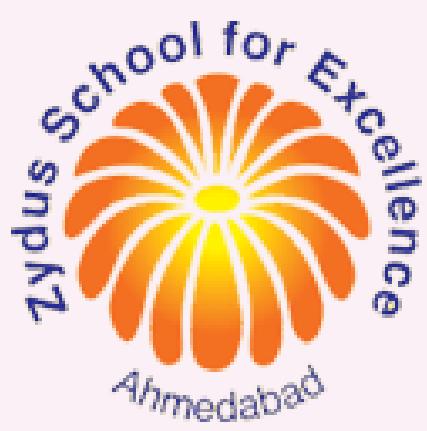
As a literature teacher, I often reflect that our greatest task is not to teach students how to read, but how to truly see. Deep engagement with literature is the finest apprenticeship in humanity, cultivating the very humane skills that will define the next generation of leaders. Consider the cautionary tales of ambition in *Macbeth* and *Julius Caesar*. These are not mere historical dramas; they are master-classes in power dynamics, ethical decay, and the consequences of unchecked ambition. A leader who has walked with *Macbeth* into his moral abyss understands the perils of isolation and paranoia far more profoundly than any business textbook could teach.

Poetry, too, provides the essential language for leadership. Robert Frost's "The Road Not Taken" is a perennial guide to decision-making, teaching that pivotal choices are often made with incomplete information and that true leadership sometimes lies in taking the unconventional path. D.H. Lawrence's "The Ship of Death" offers a profound lesson in resilience, guiding us through the necessary endings and quiet transformations we must all endure to emerge stronger.

Furthermore, literature expands a leader's cultural and emotional bandwidth. Sarojini Naidu's vibrant imagery in "The Bazaars of Hyderabad" is a celebration of community, economy, and human craftsmanship, fostering an appreciation for diverse cultures and local enterprise. The profound universalism and call for mindful living in Rabindranath Tagore's songs provide the spiritual compass—the inner light that ensures a leader's power is tempered with wisdom and compassion.

Ultimately, these texts are not just to be studied; they are to be lived. They teach empathy over apathy, reflection over reaction, and moral courage over mere compliance. By walking these pages, our future leaders learn to lead not just with their minds, but with a heart educated by a thousand different lives. They learn that the most excellent future is not just built on innovation, but on an profound, literary-informed understanding of the human condition.

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