

# ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL NOIDA

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### Editorial

*July brimmed with excitement at APS NOIDA, with the Cluster Level Quiz, Command Level sports tournaments, vibrant club activities, and spirited participation in external competitions. Collaborative teaching initiatives added fresh energy. Collating these moments into crisp nuggets was a delightful challenge—each story a testament to our students' talent and dedication, filling us with immense pride and joy.*

*Happy reading!*

### Inter-APS Cluster Level (Delhi Area) Quiz Competition 2025



The Inter-APS Cluster Level (Delhi Area) Quiz Competition 2025 was held on Jul 18, 2025 at Army Public School, Noida. The participating teams from APS Delhi Cantt, APS Dhaula Kuan,

APS Shankar Vihar, and APS Noida were tested of their knowledge and quick thinking by the esteemed quizmaster Mr. Arindam Bhattacharya. After a thrilling tie-breaker with APS Shankar Vihar, APS Noida emerged victorious.

The Winners team of APS Noida—



Akshita Bhadauria (XI A), Navikka Saini (XI B),

and

Pratyush

Shahi (X A),

along with

the Runners

Up team of

APS Shankar

Vihar, —was

felicitated

with trophies



and certificates.

### ACCOLADES



Fifteen students of APS Noida were honoured at the **Meritorious Students Award 2025 (2.0)**, organised by the **URJAA Global**

**Principals Association** on Jul 4, 2025, at KIET Group of Institutions, Ghaziabad. **Principal Ms. Indrani Neogi** received a **prestigious Award for Exemplary Leadership**, while Ms. Anshu Sinha (PGT Mathematics) and Mrs. Anu Mathews (PGT Geography) were recognised for their dedicated mentorship.

**Class XII achievers of the school scoring above 80% in CBSE Exams**

2025- Snehal Kant, Saanvi Malhotra, Raj Shekar Sinha, Ponish Bhatia, Khushi Bedi, Danica Thakkar, Vrahi, Saumya Suri, Nishtha Karn,



Sarthak Singh, Shreya Hooda, Devaditya Singh, Avi Shukla, Yashu Tomar, and Sunandini Negi- were felicitated with a **Medal and Certificate of Excellence**.

On Jul 9, 2025, the school team, comprising eight students of Classes VI and VII, participated in 'Kavya Dhara' at Pragyan School, Greater Noida, and won the First prize.

Ms. Geeta Patwal, Hindi Teacher, was their Teacher Mentor. The winners are **Vanshika Singh (6 B)**, **Avnika (6 B)**, **Aaradhya Mishra (6 C)**, **Peherr Chaudhary (6D)**, **Maanit Srivastava (7C)**, **Akshat Dhyani (7C)**, **Nitant Baranwal (7C)** and **Aadyant Baranwal (7C)**.



## ACCOLADES

The school proudly hosted the **Western Command Inter APS Under-17 Girls' Football Tournament 2025** from Jul 9-11, 2025. Four teams—APS Noida, APS Kandrori, APS Ambala, and APS Jalandhar—competed with great enthusiasm and skill. In a thrilling final match on Jul 11, **APS Noida emerged victorious** by defeating APS Kandrori with a commanding 3-0 scoreline. With this win, APS Noida qualifies to compete for a spot in the prestigious Subroto Cup. The winning team comprised talented players: Aishwarya Sheemar, Samridhhi Tripathi, Irtiqah Ashraf, Jahista Jahangir, Kunsal, Dechen Chosdon, Ananya Chaurasia, Tanisha Rawat, Himani Ray, Harshita Baneshi, Isha, Shreya Chaudhary, Rinchin Norzom, Tenzin Lhamu, Sonakshi and Anushka Pasman. Special awards were as follows:

- Best Defender – **Samridhhi Tripathi** (APS Noida)
- Best Goalkeeper – Priyanshi (APS Kandrori)
- Best Player – **Harshita Baneshi** (APS Noida)

The Chief Guest, **Chairman APS Noida**, and special guest **Kunwar Rudransh Singh**, an International Level Football player and proud alumni of APS NOIDA felicitated the winners.



APS NOIDA U-17 Girls' Football Team secured a commendable victory in their first match at the **Pre Subroto-Inter Command Girls' Football Tournament**, held at APS Barrackpore, West Bengal from Jul 21 to 24, 2025. The team defeated Army Public School, Bengdubi Siliguri (Eastern Command) with an impressive score of 2-0. The goals scored by **Rinchin (VII)** and **Samridhi Tripathi (XI)** led the team to victory and **qualification for the Inter Command Football tournament.**



In the **Inter Command U-17 Girls' Football Tournament**, held at APS Barrackpore on Jul 24, 2025, APS Noida U-17 Girls' Football Team beat APS Lucknow by 2-0, with goals from **Harshita Baneshi (IX)** and **Samridhhi Tripathi (XI)** and won the tournament and qualified for the prestigious Subroto International Football Tournament.



The APS Noida U-19 Girls' Football Team won the **2nd position** in the **CBSE North Zone Girls Football Championship**, held at M.D. International School, Bagpat, from Jul 24-28, 2025.

The school Under 19 Girls' Basketball team won the **Third Position** in **CBSE Cluster Basketball Tournament**, held at Sparsh Global School, Greater Noida (West) from Jul 23-27, 2025.



**Ipsa Mehta** of **Class IX** emerged victorious at the **North Zone CBSE Boxing Championship**, held in Dehradun from Jul 11-16, with a **Gold Medal** in the Under-17, 66–70 kg category and secured her a spot in the upcoming **CBSE National Boxing Championship**, to be held in Haryana.



Ipsa has also **first position** in the State Level Boxing Championship, organised by Uttar Pradesh Boxing Association in Meerut from Jul 21-23 to qualify for the National Boxing Championship to be held at Galgotia University, Noida.



**Sahana Singh** of **Class IX D** has been selected to participate in the prestigious **Best Cadet NCC Camp**, held from Jul 7-26, 2025, at Greater Noida. This selection highlights her exemplary discipline, commitment, and leadership as an NCC cadet, bringing pride to the school community.

On Jul 22, 2025, five students from APS NOIDA participated in **Math Fest 3.0**, an inter-school competition held at Delhi Public School Sector-132, Noida. The event provided a platform for students to showcase their mathematical skills and creativity across various activities.



**Spriha Garg** of **Class XI C** made the school proud by securing the **third prize** in Canvas of Curves.



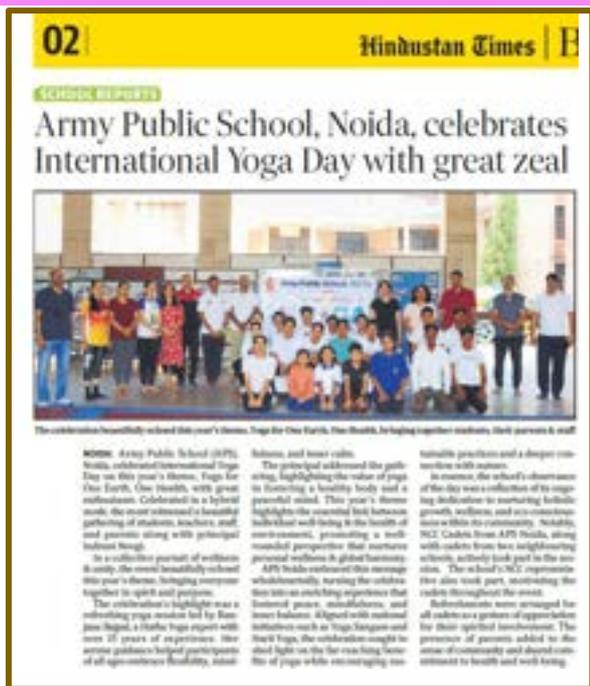
The school participated in the **Inter-School IT Fest Lapis Lazuli**, held at Sapphire International School on Jul 26, 2025. The fest focused on **Artificial Intelligence and Ethical Balance**, encouraging students to explore technology creatively while fostering critical thinking. Our students showcased exceptional talent and brought laurels to the school with their remarkable achievements.

• AI on Trial – Courtroom Role Play: **Aakshara (VIII C)** and **Veda Malshe (VIII C)** secured the **First** position.

- Ikebana meets AI: **Vedanth Ram (XI D)**, **Harleen Kaur (XI D)**, **Aryen Moza (IX C)**, and **Sanvi Rai Singh (XI D)** bagged **First** position.
- Future City Planners – Designing an AI-Integrated Community: **Amogh Bhatt (VIII C)**, **Divyansh Shahi (VIII C)**, **Mhd. Arzan (VIII C)**, **Mannit Shrivastav (VII C)**, and **Utkarsh Gaur (VII C)** secured **Second** position.
- Doodling – AI in Everyday Life: **Manya Singh (VIII C)** secured the **Second** position.



## MEDIA COVERAGE



Page 2 of Hindustan Times, dated Jul 08, 2025, featured our school news article on International Yoga Day 2025 on the theme 'Yoga for One Earth, One Health'.



Page 2 of Hindustan Times, dated August 10, 2025, featured our school for successfully hosting the Western Command Inter-APS U-17 Girls' Football Tournament 2025 and celebrating our championship victory.



Srinika Paul of class VII A from APS NOIDA gained recognition in Page 6 of Hindustan Times Newspaper, dated Jul 16, 2025, for her painting in the column Dreamy Patterns and Colourful Artworks.



Harshita Chaudhary, Class 7, APS Noida, gained recognition in Page 6 of Hindustan Times Newspaper, dated Jul 30, 2025, for her painting in the column Dreamy Patterns and Colourful Artworks.

## EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES



In alignment with the encouragement of multilingualism as outlined in the National Education Policy 2020 and to realize the vision of "Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat," the school organized the **Indian Languages Summer Camp – 2025** as per CBSE Circular No. Acad-28/2025. As our school commenced summer vacation from May 13, the camp was conducted in **online mode during the summer break**. From learning **greetings, numbers, and alphabets in different languages** (Class IV) to sharing **travel experiences in their mother tongue** (Class V), illustrating **regional art and musical instruments** (Class VI), preparing **local recipes** (Class VII), describing **historical monuments** (Class VIII), and presenting **biographies of freedom fighters and army heroes** (Class IX), the students celebrated India's rich linguistic and cultural heritage with enthusiasm and pride. Students showcased their drawings, projects, cookbooks, and videos, creating an environment of cultural exchange when the school reopened in July.



In another commendable effort, the students of APS Noida, under the guidance of **Ms. Meena Bisht**, Computer Teacher, organised a **donation drive** to support underprivileged children. The student volunteers **Akshansh Tomar (10B)**, **Aryan Jindal (10A)**, **Asad Raza (10B)**, and **Bhavya Ghai (10A)** for their sincere contributions. Their efforts led to a generous collection of clothes, stationery, and other essential items, which will bring meaningful benefits to the children



supported by the UDAAR Foundation. These initiatives reflect APS Noida's ongoing dedication to fostering environmental stewardship and community service among its students.

Under the **Eco Clubs – Mission for Life** initiative by the Ministry of Education, Army Public School, Noida conducted a **Dolphin Conservation Awareness Programme** to promote marine conservation. Students from Classes VI to XII participated in a *Pledge-Taking Ceremony*, committing to protect dolphins, reduce plastic usage, and safeguard aquatic ecosystems. A *Painting Competition* for Classes VI to VIII was held within classrooms, where students enthusiastically expressed their concern for the environment



through creative and meaningful artwork. These paintings were later displayed as part of the Community Awareness Programme and were appreciated by parents, sparking important conversations on conservation. The event empowered students with a sense of responsibility, fostering environmental awareness and encouraging them to become mindful protectors of nature.



As part of its ongoing commitment to environmental sustainability, the school organized a **Tree Plantation Drive** facilitated by **Ms Ritu Chaudhary**, former **Biology teacher**. Her involvement inspired students to actively participate in nurturing green spaces on campus, fostering awareness about ecological balance and the importance of preserving nature.



On Jul 30, 2025, a seven-member team from Ernst & Young (EY) visited Army Public School, Noida, to launch the **EY STEM App project**. The session highlighted the importance of the app through impactful facts and statistics on female contributions to AI and technology. An engaging quiz on **women's achievements in STEM** and a detailed registration guide kept students actively involved. Ms. Karuna Dhall (TGT Science) represented APS Noida as the Single Point of Contact (SPOC), ensuring effective coordination. The EY STEM App, a gamified platform for girls aged 13–18, offers interactive activities and real-world tasks to inspire STEM careers.



## SCIENCE WEEK CELEBRATIONS 2025 - "FUN WITH SCIENCE"



The school, celebrated **Science Week** from Jul 14-19, 2025 with great enthusiasm, aiming to ignite scientific curiosity and promote experiential learning among students. A series of well-curated, hands-on activities were conducted across all classes.



In the Primary Wing, Balvatika and Class I explored buoyancy and hygiene through the

experiments *Will it Float or Sink?* and *Bye-Bye Germs*. Class II delved into magnetism, patterns, and textures with *Magnetic Mysteries* and *Stamp-a-Veg Fiesta*. Class III investigated density through *Rainbow in a Jar*, while Class IV discovered filtration with *Making Muddy Water Sparkle*. Class V experimented with refraction in *The Invisible Reveal*. These joyful, hands-on experiences nurtured a love for science through playful, inquiry-based learning.

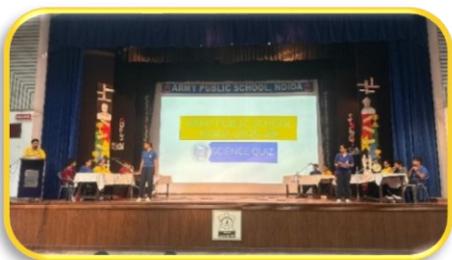
In the Senior Wing, Class VI participated in "**Healthy Food Fiesta – Eat Smart, Live Strong!**", where they set up eco-friendly stalls displaying homemade nutritious snacks. They presented placards with ingredient lists, nutrient charts, and shared health benefits, fostering awareness of balanced eating. Class VII explored the



dynamics of air and heat in "**Air-mazing Reactions: When Heat Blows Your Mind!**" Through engaging demonstrations, students understood air pressure, wind formation, and temperature effects, making invisible science visible. Class VIII showcased their ingenuity



in "**Symphony of Science – Music from Waste,**" crafting musical instruments from recyclable materials. Their rhythmic performances highlighted concepts of sound production and sustainability. Students of Classes IX and X took the stage for "**Visual Science Theatre,**" creatively explaining complex scientific concepts using models and visuals. The activity was held over two days, ensuring each group had the opportunity to present with clarity and confidence. Senior students of Classes XI and XII participated in the



"**Battle of Brains – Senior Science Quiz,**" testing their knowledge and analytical skills across Physics, Chemistry, Biology, and emerging technologies.

The week-long celebration culminated in a **Science Exhibition** on Jul 19, 2025, held during the PTM. Parents enthusiastically visited the stalls and expressed delight at seeing their children develop scientific aptitude and confidence. **Mrs. Indrani Neogi**, the Principal, also visited the exhibits and was enthralled by the creativity and depth of understanding displayed by students of all grades. The event was a resounding success and left students inspired to explore the wonders of science beyond the classroom.



## STUDENT WORKSHOPS & CAREER FAIRS

On Jul 18, 2025, Army Public School, Noida, in collaboration with Jitin Chawla's Centre for Career Development, organized a **Profile Building Workshop** for students of Classes XI and XII. The session was conducted by Ms. Priyanka Dutta, a renowned Profile Building Mentor and Study Skills Coach. Drawing from her rich background in psychology and human resources, she guided students on aligning their academic and extracurricular activities with their career goals.

The informative workshop was followed by the **Annual Career Fair**, organised by Mr. Jitin Chawla's team in the stilt area of the school. The event aimed to guide students of Classes X to XII in making informed career and academic choices. The Career Fair witnessed participation from almost 25 prestigious universities and institutions from India and abroad, offering students a glimpse into a wide array of academic programmes and career paths. Notably, the event also welcomed students from **Government Inter College**, Sector 12, Noida, under the **Vidyanjali Project**. Participating universities and institutions:

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On Jul 19, 2025, the **Career Counselling Cell** of the school organised a Career Talk on **"New Age Emerging Career Options,"** led by Mr. Jitin Chawla, Founder of the Centre for Career Development. The session introduced students and parents to diverse, evolving career paths shaped by technological and global changes. Mr. Chawla shared valuable insights into emerging fields and future-ready careers in an engaging and accessible manner. The interactive Q&A session that followed addressed queries on subject selection, overseas education, and career planning.

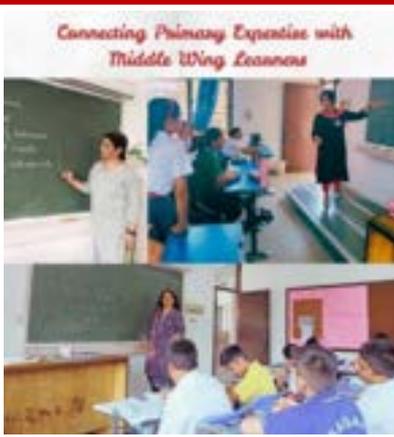


## EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES



From Jul 17 to 19, 2025, a vibrant **Book Fair** was held in the Primary Wing Reception area of the school. Students from Classes I to VIII visited the fair during their allotted periods, accompanied by their teachers as per the scheduled plan. The event showcased a wide range of age-appropriate books, drawing enthusiastic participation from young readers. The fair served as a valuable platform to promote curiosity, imagination, and a lifelong interest in reading among students.





On Jul 5, 2025, the school organized a special teaching initiative titled “*Connecting Primary Expertise with Middle Wing Learners.*” As part of this collaborative endeavour, Ms. Harinder Kaur, Ms. Archana Thakur, and Ms. Ujjwala Raja, teachers of the Primary Wing, conducted engaging sessions with middle wing students. The initiative fostered cross-level academic interaction and showcased the strength of shared pedagogical practices, creating a vibrant and enriching learning environment for the students.

Bringing the spirit of **collaborative learning** to life, **Mr. Divyam Bisht, TGT Mathematics**, captivated and inspired the students of **Classes V A and V B**. The interactive approach encouraged students to participate actively, ask questions, and work together to solve mathematical problems. The session not only enhanced conceptual understanding but also promoted peer learning and confidence in the classroom.



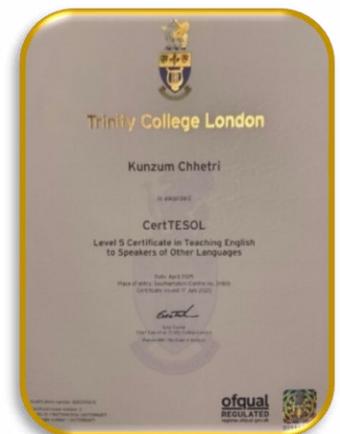
The **School Innovation Council (SIC)**, spearheaded by Ms. Shaili Singh, PGT Computer Science, organised an activity on Jul 12, 2025 during the class assembly. As part of the July initiative, a video on ‘*India’s Innovation Journey and the Power of Creative Thinking*’ was showcased ([Watch here](#)), inspiring students to think beyond the ordinary and explore innovative solutions for real-world challenges.



## ILLUSTRIOUS ALUMNI



**Kunzum Chhetri**, alumna of the 2018 batch of APS NOIDA, has successfully completed the **CELTA** qualification from the **University of Cambridge** and the **Cert TESOL** from **Trinity College, London**. Her teaching experience with adult learners from Iran, Iraq, Spain, and France has further enriched her skills. The school takes pride in Kunzum’s remarkable



achievement and wishes her continued success.



**Naveen Yadav**, an alumnus of APS Noida, has demonstrated remarkable resilience and achievement. Despite a major accident in Class VIII, he went on to win the **Vaibhav Sarpal Memorial Trophy** and the **Phoenix Trophy** for courage and leadership. A **Gold Medallist in**



**Financial Management** from SRCC, he served as Marketing Head of the Students’ Union and later worked at Bank of America, earning a **Bronze Certificate for Excellence**. Naveen is currently pursuing his MBA at IIM Calcutta, having received calls from top IIMs and FMS. The school congratulates him on his inspiring journey.

## CLUB ACTIVITIES



July was abuzz with creativity and learning as Primary and Senior Wing clubs offered students enriching experiences beyond textbooks. The Primary Wing's seven clubs—from Cubs and Bulbul to Symphonia—nurtured skills in teamwork, creativity, public speaking, music, and culinary arts. Engaging activities like tricolour crafts, napkin folding, storytelling, and quizzes fostered confidence and curiosity.

The Senior Wing's thirteen clubs—from Artistic Expression to Vedic Wisdom—provided diverse avenues for growth. Students explored AI programming, dance, diplomacy, environmental conservation, theatre, music, heritage, and more. Hands-on projects, spirited debates, scientific experiments, and cultural explorations kept participation high and enthusiasm vibrant. Across all sessions, the clubs cultivated critical thinking, collaboration, and self-expression, leaving students inspired and better equipped for holistic growth.



## EDUCATIONAL VISIT

Ten students of the Senior Wing, accompanied by their IT Teachers, **Ms. Shaili Singh**, and **Ms. Sneha Bhardwaj**, had the opportunity to visit the **National Level Exhibition** organised by the **All-India Council for Technical Education & the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell (MIC)**, hosted by Galgotias University, Greater Noida, on Jul 29, 2025.

The elite student team comprised: **Anika Mishra (12A)**, **Aryaman Sharma (11D)**, **Piyush Kanti Das (11D)**, **Aadmya Prakash Mittal (10A)**, **Divit Singh (9D)**, **Divyansh Shahi (8C)**, **Utkarsh Gaur (7C)**, **Aakshara (8C)**, **Veda Malshe (8C)**, and **Amogh Bhatt (8C)**.



## OPEN DAY & PARENT-TEACHER MEETING



The school successfully hosted its **Open Day cum Parent-Teacher Meeting** on Jul 19, 2025 for students from Balvatika to Class XII. The event provided a valuable platform for parents and teachers to engage in constructive discussions on students' academic performance,



behaviour, and overall progress. The school organised the following educational, career oriented and community engagement events on the same day.



In line with the school's commitment to student well-being, a **Free Health Check-Up Camp** was organized for students, parents, and staff. Conducted by qualified medical professionals, the camp offered essential health screenings and guidance on preventive.

A special **Career Talk** was conducted in the school auditorium for parents of Classes IX to XII by renowned career counsellor Mr. Jitin Chawla. The session on *New Age & Emerging Career Options* provided valuable insights into evolving career landscapes.



Reflecting the spirit of compassion and community service, the school organized a **GOONJ Donation Drive** alongside the PTM. Students and parents contributed clothes, books, and essentials for the underprivileged, reinforcing the value of empathy and social responsibility.

The day also featured a vibrant **Science Exhibition**, where students presented innovative models and projects, showcasing their creativity and scientific temperament. A **Scholastic Book Fair** added to the excitement, offering a variety of books to foster reading habits and lifelong learning.

## TEACHER WORKSHOPS AND ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES

**Ms. Preeti Siddhu, TGT Hindi** attended a one-day workshop on *Promoting Mental Health and Wellness* was organized on **Jul 5, 2025** at Aster Public School, Greater Noida, under the CBSE Capacity Building Program. The sessions were led by the CBSE resource persons Dr. Poonam Choubey and Ms. Pratibha Upadhyay. Discussions centered around common mental health challenges faced by students and teachers, supported by engaging case studies and creative activities.



As part of our Inclusive Education initiative, all middle and senior wing teachers completed the 17-module course on the **Project Inclusion app**, developed by the **Sri Aurobindo Society**, in June-July 2025. All the Primary and Senior Wing Teachers of APS Noida completed this 7-hour certificate course, marking a significant step towards creating inclusive classrooms. This training equips teachers

to screen students for potential disabilities, apply effective strategies for teaching Children with Special Needs (CwSN), and strengthen their role as inclusive educators.

**Ms. Meenakshi Bhardwaj**, faculty member of the Primary Wing, participated in the **Advanced Level Training Webinar on Project Inclusion**, organised online by **AWES-FDRC** from Jul 1-4, 2025. Building on the basic level of Project Inclusion, the programme focused on practical strategies, universal design, and sustainable inclusion in schools. The webinar featured engaging, activity-based sessions on phonological awareness, reading skills, handwriting development, number sense, the CRA approach, behaviour functions, and classroom management.



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### Upcoming Events: Aug-Sep '25

- ❖ Inter-House Football Tournament
- ❖ Hindi-Sanskrit Week
- ❖ Inter-House Debate, Poetry Recitation & Rangoli Making Competitions
- ❖ Independence Day Celebrations
- ❖ Raising Day/ Annual Day
- ❖ Periodic Assessment II

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