



# Tapi Tarang

## DPS Tapi Term I Newsletter

### Growing Minds Gazette

#### Orientation Day

The Orientation for fresh students and parents of Delhi Public School Tapi was held on 28 March 2024, symbolizing the start of an exciting and dynamic new Learning Partnership for all incoming Dipsites in the academic session of 2024-25. The event commenced with the ceremonial lighting of the Vidyadeepam, followed by captivating vocal, instrumental and dance performances by the music and dance instructors. Principal, Ms. Archana Bhasin, shared her educational philosophy and insights with the audience. Parents and new students were introduced to their teachers, who provided details about the school's regulations, e-communication platforms and other vital aspects of the institution.



#### Exploring New Horizons: A Day Of Discovery

*Welcome back!  
School has begun.  
Time for work.  
Time for fun.  
Smile brightly, on your way.  
The school has started, just today!*

The first day of school on 1 April 2024 at Delhi Public School Tapi began with excitement and warmth. Teachers welcomed students with smiles, fostering a positive atmosphere. The "Welcome Assembly" featured prayers and a joyful dance, setting the tone for the day. Classes III-V students were engaged in various welcome activities, from interactive games to individualised emblems, promoting camaraderie and easing first-day nerves.

Class III had the Apple, Banana and Orange activity to encourage interaction. Each fruit was given an action and students were asked to be alert listening to the teacher calling out the various fruits as they had to act accordingly. They were warmly welcomed with personalized badges, fostering a sense of belonging from the outset.

Class IV had "Monkey See, Monkey Do" and "Simon Says" activities to encourage coordination and cooperation among students.

Class V students had fun by following the instructions of their teachers where they had to arrange themselves in the chronological order of their birthday month as quickly as possible and they had to jump to the side that is called out by the teacher.

Overall, it was a successful start to the new session, promising an engaging and memorable academic year ahead.



## Health and Hygiene Week

DPS Tapi celebrated Health and Hygiene Week from 01 to 06 April 2024, promoting awareness and good habits among students, with active participation from classes III-V. Activities included sharing nutritious homemade food, creating themed takeaways like toothbrush holders and encouraging daily routine integration for heightened health consciousness. The initiative was a success, fostering holistic student development and well-being.



## Inter House English Competitions

Students of Classes III-V participated in the English Competition on 5 and 6 April 2024 in various categories.

### Poetry Recitation Competition: Class III

The participants demonstrated their poetic prowess with fervour and emotive expression, captivating the audience with their engaging recitations. The winners are:

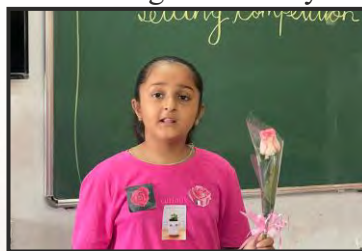
Rank	House	Students
Winner	Agni	Hridaan Gohil (III-A)
1st Runner Up	Dhatu	Hayaan Patel (III-A)
2nd Runner Up	Agni	Manya Dholabhai (III-B)



### Storytelling Competition: Class IV

The participants showcased their creativity and strong communication skills by weaving captivating stories, successfully enchanting the audience with their innovative and imaginative storytelling. The winners are:

Rank	House	Students
Winner	Jivam	Reyansh Yadav (IV-A)
1st Runner Up	Dhatu	Md. Zidan Miyajan (IV-A)
2nd Runner Up	Jivam	Freya Gadhiya (IV-B)



### Article Reading Competition: Class V

Participants shared informative articles on health and hygiene, emphasizing the significance of practising healthy habits in daily life. The winners are:

Rank	House	Students
Winner	Jalam	Mugdha Patel (V-A)
1st Runner Up	Jalam	Iram Garasiya (V-B)
2nd Runner Up	Bhumi	Arpan Gupta (V-B)



## Eid-UI-Fitr Assembly

Class V-A students presented an Eid-UI-Fitr Assembly on 12 April 2024, to underscore the significance of Eid. The assembly began with a prayer and an uplifting reflection emphasizing the significance of faith. This was followed by a heartfelt qawwali performance. The students then portrayed the renowned Hindi author Shri Munshi Premchand's timeless tale "Eidgah," which imparted essential values such as compassion, generosity and reverence for elders.



## Ambedkar Jayanti Assembly

Class V-B students organized Ambedkar Jayanti Assembly on 15 April 2024, to honour the birth anniversary of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar. This occasion holds significant importance as it commemorates Dr. Ambedkar's remarkable efforts towards social justice and equal rights for marginalized communities. Through a skit, students portrayed key events from his life, shedding light on his struggles and the discrimination he faced, both in the classroom, on the playground and during train travels due to his caste. The assembly not only showcased the societal prejudices Dr. Ambedkar encountered but also emphasized his achievements and his tireless advocacy for the upliftment of lower caste communities.



## Ram Navami Assembly

The students of Class IV-A conducted the Ram Navami Assembly on 19 April 2024, centred around dedicating oneself to Lord Rama and the belief in leading a righteous life. The assembly commenced with a prayer, accompanied by a thought of the day, followed by an informative speech and a subsequent quiz based on it. Students showcased their talents through a devotional song and a lively, rhythmic dance performance, creating a vibrant atmosphere throughout the event.



## Inter House Swimming Championship

Inter House Boys and Girls Swimming Championship was held on 20 April 2024 for the students of classes III-V. It was a great opportunity for the students to display their sterling swimming skills. The winners are as follows:

### III-V Boys

**Winner: Agni House**

Rahil Balar (IV-A)

**1st Runner Up: Bhumi House**

Aarnav Singh (IV-A)

**2nd Runner Up: Bhumi House**

Chris Zephaniah (V-A)

### III-V Girls

**Winner: Jalam House**

Mugdha Patel (V-A)

**1st Runner Up: Vayu House**

Dhyana Sarvaiya (IV-A)

**2nd Runner Up: Vayu House**

Griva Patel (V-B)



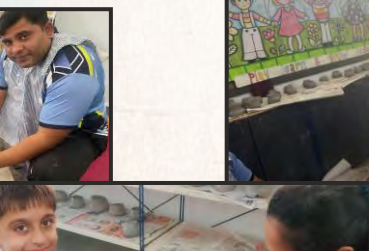
## Mahavir Jayanti Assembly

Class IV-B students organized a Mahavir Jayanti Assembly on 22 April 2024. The event commenced with meditation, prayer (Navkar Mantra), positive thought, and information on Mahavir Jayanti followed by a quiz, a short and engaging skit on the teachings of Lord Mahavir and a dynamic dance performance. The assembly inspired us to carry forward the teachings of Lord Mahavir in our hearts and minds.



## Pottery Week

Classes III to V participated in Pottery Week from 22-24 April 2024, embarking on an engaging, exciting and educational journey into the world of pottery. With hands-on guidance from skilled teachers, participants not only learned the techniques of pottery, including wheel throwing but also gained a deeper appreciation for craftsmanship and artistic expression. This immersive experience provided a platform for students to explore their creative abilities, refine their motor skills and communicate through the medium of clay. As students witnessed their creations taking shape, they experienced a sense of achievement and confidence, underscoring the vital role of art education in fostering holistic development. Ultimately, the event left a lasting impression, igniting a newfound interest in pottery among the young learners.



## Gujarat Day Celebration

Delhi Public School Tapi campus buzzed with excitement as classes III-V came together to commemorate Gujarat Day with a series of activities from 22 to 30 April 2024. Students participated in various Gujarati language activities, including speech, Know My State and relay word race with great enthusiasm. The event aimed to celebrate the vibrant culture and heritage of Gujarat while fostering creativity among the students.



## Warli Art Camp

DPS Tapi conducted a Warli Art Camp for the students of Class V from 22 April 2024 to 2 May 2024 to enrich their cultural understanding, nurture creativity, and promote appreciation for diverse forms of expression. Students learnt about Warli culture, history and symbolism and were guided through the process of creating their own Warli artworks starting from the basics to drawing figures, animals, birds and trees. The students learnt to depict the harvesting drawing, prepare celebration drawings, and marriage scenes and present Warli art through Folk stories. The Warli Art Camp at DPS Tapi was a resounding success, providing students with a memorable and enriching experience. It served as a platform for creativity, cultural learning and community engagement, highlighting the importance of preserving and promoting traditional art forms in education.



## World Earth Day Assembly

Class III-A organized the World Earth Day Assembly on 26 April 2024, to educate and inspire students about environmental conservation. The event included a tree conservation role-play and opportunities for students to share personal reflections on saving the planet. Musical and dance performances highlighted the importance of environmental awareness, encouraging peers to take action for a sustainable future. The assembly concluded with an emphasis on unity in protecting the environment.



## Surat District Aquatic Association Swimming Competition

DPS Tapi participated in the Surat District Aquatic Association Swimming Competition held at Rustampura Lapsiwala Swimming Pool Surat on 28 April 2024. The event provided a platform for all students to exhibit their talents and skills with great enthusiasm and passion. The results are as follows:

Mughda Patel (V-A) bagged the First Position in 50 mt. Back Stroke, the first Position in 100 mt. Back Stroke, the Third Position in 50 mt. Free Style and the Fourth Position in 100 mt. Free Style and selected for State Level Competition. Congratulations!

Dhyana Sarvaiya (IV-A); Ojas Meena (VI-A); Saachi Ghael (VII-B); Niyam Italiya (VIII-B); Rudra Sojitra, Kirtan Sarvaiya, Diya Jha (IX-A) actively participated in the competition.



## Inter House Folk Dance Competition

Classes III-V students participated in the Inter House Folk Dance Competition on 3 May 2024. These young maestros presented enthralling performances, showcasing various folk dance forms of different Indian states. These performances captivated the audience with their intricate footwork, vibrant costumes and rhythmic music, celebrating the cultural heritage of India and made the competition a great success. The winners are:

### Winner: Agni House

Anaya Majumdar, Hridaan Gohil, Inaya Mulla, Rakshit Gupta (III-A); Aarav Dhaduk, Anishka Panelia, Manya Dholabhai, Mayank Punjabi, Priyan Kansodariya, Trishan Machhar, Vihana Koshiya (III-B); Anaaya Kakadiya, Harsh Kapadia, Jenit Patel, Kalp Jagarwal, Preya Patel, Rahil Balar, Riyaan Desai, Rudra Kumar (IV-A); Harmi Vaghani, Naksh Shah, Riddhi Singh, Vivian Tejani (IV-B); Darsh Ghantiwala, Ibrahim Godil, Keyah Borda, Mann Premani, Stuti Vastarpara, Swara Malaviya (V-A); Aarvi Kumari, Aashi Brahmabhatt, Mohammed Ali Noorani, Muhammad Rayhaan Godil, Parinidhi Jha (V-B)

### 1st Runner Up: Jivam House

Abir Kapadia, Dharav Patel, Missa Dama, Moksh Ahir, Reah Bait, Riaan Patel (III-A); Muhammed Haris Khan (III-B); Manvik Kikani, Reyansh Yadav, Safa Januhasan, Shrey Patel (IV-A); Bashir Bhimani, Freya Gadhiya, Paakhi Ahuja, Shaurya Bhabhor (IV-B); Aaradhya Borle, Mahira Nagariya, Shivaansh Patel, Venisha Premani (V-A); Aditya Ranjan, Himalay Vitthani, Jaiwin Kapadia, Krishna Desai, Maanya Shah, Shivraj Biswas, Siya Bhikadiya, Srushti Trivedi (V-B)

### 2nd Runner Up: Dhatu House

Darshil Patel, Hayaan Patel, Jaksh Gamit, Shaurya Rana, Swaraa Ghael (III-A); Mayra Joshi, Reyansh Juglani, Safiya Nakhuda, Valay Lachhwani (III-B); Aarav Gupta, Aarav Singh, Manya Madhwani, Mishika Sumani, Mohamed Zidan Miyajan (IV-A); Hetansh Sudani, Mrigaj Makwana, Myra Raj, Neel Patel, Vihangsinh Thakor (IV-B); Aarav Ghael, Dhanya Kishore, Divansh Jagani, Kavisha Patel, Naksh Parmar, Pahal Patel, Prakhar Srivastava, Swara Shah, Vandit Gandhi (V-A); Aadhya Chaudhari, Alvira Qureshi, Ibrahim Rangoonwala, Mishti Mehta, Yashika Bachani (V-B)



## Khel Mahakumbh State Level Table Tennis Tournament

DPS Tapi participated in the Khel Mahakumbh State Level Table-Tennis Tournament held at Sidsar Sports Complex Bhavnagar on 3 June 2024. Dhimahi Kabrawala (V-B) displayed great vigour and sportsmanship during the tournament and bagged the Bronze Medal in U-11 Girls Category. K Tanishk (VI-B) actively participated in U-11 Boys Category.



## Fathers' Day Celebration

In honour of Fathers' Day, Delhi Public School Tapi hosted a three-day celebration from 12 to 14 June 2024 for classes III-V. Fathers were warmly welcomed with a heartwarming video showcasing cherished moments shared with their children. To gauge their bond, father-child pairs engaged in a series of questions to test their mutual understanding, followed by various games including Head and Tail, Ping Pong Ball, Glass Pyramid, Jump in and Out and Balancing the Glass. A highlight was the challenge of sticking the highest sticky note and balancing a ball with sticks. The students also presented handmade takeaways including coasters, photo frames and refrigerator magnets as tokens of appreciation for their fathers' unwavering support. The celebration fostered strong team bonding, with enthusiastic participation in cricket and football matches. Overall, the event provided a delightful opportunity for fathers and children to enjoy quality time together and was thoroughly enjoyed by all participants.



## Inter House Table-Tennis Championship

Inter House Table-Tennis Championship was held for classes III-V on 15 June 2024. Players demonstrated agility, strategy, and sportsmanship throughout the event. Congratulations to all participants for their spirited performances.

**Winner: Vayu House**

Nihaan Limbachiya (IV-A)

**1st Runner Up: Jivam House**

Shaurya Bhabhor (IV-B)

**2nd Runner Up: Jalam House**

Tirth Joshi (V-A)



## "Mission LIFE" and A Living Witness: An Essay through the Eyes of a Tree

Delhi Public School Tapi conducted a week long activities for Classes III to V from 15 to 19 June 2024, focusing on the seven themes of "Mission Life" which gave a valuable experience for children, promoting sustainable living and environmental awareness. Activities like poster making helped children to brainstorm the ways to save energy, water and the games played gave an exposure to think of ways to reduce waste and conserve energy. Students were also encouraged to adopt a healthy lifestyle by asking them to bring healthy tiffin every day.

The essay writing activity on "A Living Witness: An Essay through the Eyes of a Tree" allowed students to explore their local environment and identify the oldest existing tree in their neighbourhood. They analyzed the tree's role in the ecosystem and also understood its contribution to biodiversity and habitat preservation. The essays written by children showed a good understanding of the role of trees in preserving biodiversity and habitat. The activities helped students to think critically and creatively about their relationship with nature.



## Observance of National Reading Day

National Reading Day is celebrated every year on 19 June to honour the legacy of the late P.N. Panicker, the father of the Library Movement. The Board has planned to attempt the Guinness World Record for "the most children reading at one time" on 19 June 2024. The students at DPS Tapi celebrated it in very interesting ways. Classes III-V engaged themselves with diverse reading materials such as stories, articles and passages from various books, newspapers and magazines. Class III students visited the library and explored it to the maximum extent, Class IV had a storytelling session and also reading of different books and Class V students visited the junior classes and read out a story for them. All this had a positive impact on enhancing the reading skills as well as cultural awareness. Thus, achieving the primary goal to foster a love for reading and instil good reading habits from an early age.





## Khel Mahakumbh State Level Gymnastic Competition

DPS Tapi participated in Khel Mahakumbh State Level Gymnastic Championship held at Pandit Dindayal Upadhyay Indoor Stadium, Surat on 19 June 2024. The event provided a platform to all students to exhibit their talents and skills with great enthusiasm and passion. Dhwiya Panchal (V-A) and Maanya Shah (V-B) actively Participated in the Competition.



## International Yoga Day

Students of Classes III-V participated in a vibrant yoga session on 21 June 2024 under the observance of International Yoga Day. The students enthusiastically practiced various asanas, including Surya Namaskar (Sun Salutation), Dhanurasana (Bow Pose) and Bhujangasana (Cobra Pose), under the guidance of skilled instructors. The session emphasised the benefits of yoga for physical strength, flexibility and mental relaxation. Following the yoga practice, a quiz was conducted in the classroom to test the students' knowledge about yoga, its history and its benefits. The quiz fostered a deeper understanding and appreciation of yoga among the students, making the day both educational and enjoyable. Overall, the event was a wonderful blend of physical activity and learning, contributing significantly to the student's holistic development.



## World Music Day Assembly

The Music Department of Delhi Public School Tapi hosted an engaging World Music Day Assembly on 24 June 2024. The event's primary goal was to educate students about various musical instruments. The music teachers delivered an insightful presentation and categorised instruments into three main types: wind, percussion and string. They demonstrated each category with specific examples. Senior students from the Tabla and Violin camps showcased their talents through a group performance, playing different instruments. The assembly aimed to deepen students' appreciation for music, broaden their knowledge of musical instruments and inspire active participation in musical activities.



## World UFO Day

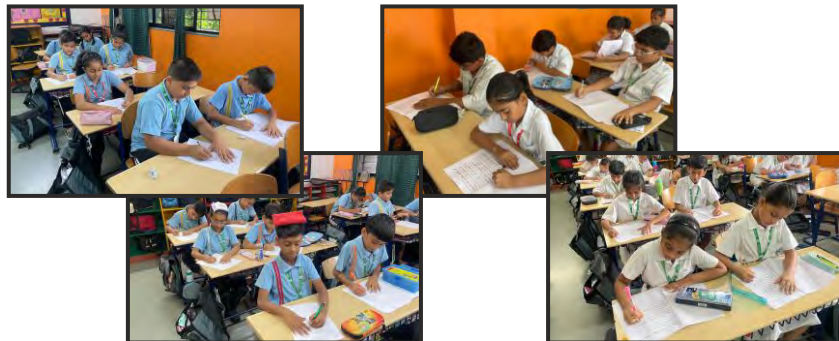
Delhi Public School Tapi celebrated World UFO Day on 01 July 2024, with the aim of educating and entertaining students about the mysteries of unidentified flying objects (UFOs) and extraterrestrial life. Classes III-V students featured a variety of engaging activities. Class IV-A led an informative assembly, sharing facts and findings about UFOs. Other classes participated in activities such as colouring, fancy dress, sharing interesting facts and English story writing. Each activity was tailored to suit different class levels, ensuring an informative and enjoyable experience for all students. Through these interactive activities, the students learned about UFOs and space exploration in a fun and engaging manner.



## English Handwriting Week

Handwriting is an important part of literacy and an essential skill for life. So, to practice these skills, English Handwriting Week was conducted for Classes III & IV from 01 to 05 July 2024. Students were given practice of tracing and channelizing curvy letters, rocking round letters, words, phrases, sentences as well as paragraph writing in the handwriting sheets. Some fine motor skills were also added like cutting, pasting, drawing, colouring, paper tearing etc. which help involve small muscles working with the brain and nervous system to control movements in areas such as the hands, fingers, lips, tongue and eyes. The students enthusiastically participated in the handwriting week and did their best. The winners are:

Rank	House	Students
Winner	Jivam	Missa Dama (III-A)
	Jivam	Nandini Jayswal (III-B)
	Vayu	Dhyana Sarvaiya (IV-A)
	Vayu	Shreeja Koladiya (IV-B)



## Karate Camp

A Karate Camp was conducted at Delhi Public School Tapi for Class III students from 01 to 05 July 2024, aiming at introducing students to martial arts and fostering discipline and physical fitness. The camp spanned five days, featuring intensive training sessions led by an experienced person from the school. Each day began with a warm-up followed by lessons in basic karate techniques such as punches, kicks, blocks and partner fights.

The camp has not only focused on physical training but also imparted principles of self-control, perseverance and respect. Team-building activities and discussions emphasized the importance of discipline in both karate and daily life. The camp successfully fostered both physical and personal development among students.



## Rain Dance

Classes III-V participated in Rain Dance on 05 July 2024. This event aimed to provide a fun-filled experience, allowing students to enjoy the monsoon season while promoting unity and joy. The weather was perfect, with light rain showers adding a natural touch to the event. Students danced under the open sky as natural rain showers provided a refreshing and joyous atmosphere. The cool rain combined with upbeat music created an exciting and memorable

experience. It encouraged students to dance freely and enjoy the rhythm of the rain. The students showed immense enthusiasm and joy as they danced and played in the rain. Their laughter and happiness echoed across the playground, creating a lively and spirited atmosphere. It offered a perfect blend of fun, excitement and a connection with nature, leaving everyone with cherished memories. The event concluded with a big cheer from all the students, expressing their delight and anticipation for future events.



## Inter House 'Create Your Own Math Board Game' Competition

'Imagination is the beginning of the creation.'

Inter House 'Create Your Own Math Board Game' Competition was held for Classes III and IV on 09 July 2024. Students participated exuberantly in the competition and created fascinating board games with different mathematical concepts that had been taught in their level grades. Students have been judged based on Mathematical concepts, Teamwork, Presentation, Creativity and Engagement. The event was a fun-filled learning experience for the students as well as the teachers. The winners are:

### Class III

#### Winner: Jivam House (III A)

Abir Kapadia, Missa Dama, Moksh Ahir, Reah Bait, Riaan Patel

#### 1st Runner Up: Bhumi House (III-A)

Aaditya Singh, Devansh Patel, Dhyana Kotak, Janmejay Barot, Vyana Patel

#### 2nd Runner Up: Jivam House (III-B)

Muhammed Khan, Muhammed Noormohammed Rajwani, Nandini Jayswal

### Class IV

#### Winner: Vayu House (IV-A)

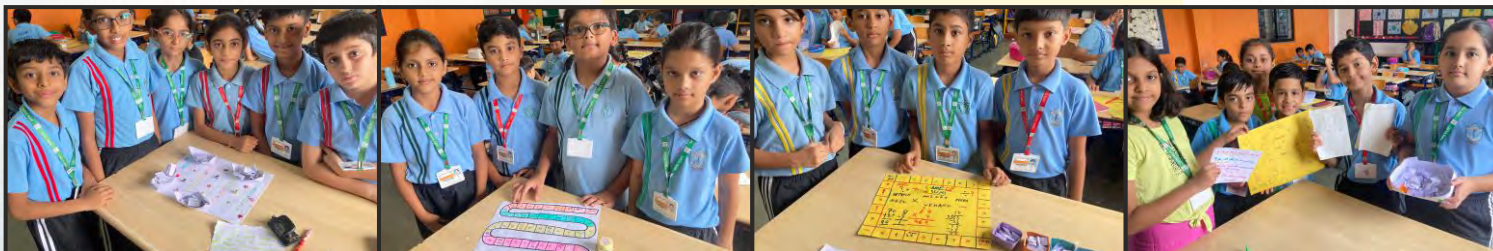
Arham Qureshi, Dhyana Sarvaiya, Meetrajsinh Raol, Nihaan Limbachiya, Praneet Singh, Riddhi Patel

#### 1st Runner Up: Jalam House (IV-A)

Manvik Kikani, Muhammad Kunda, Reyansh Yadav, Safa Januhasan, Shloka Goti

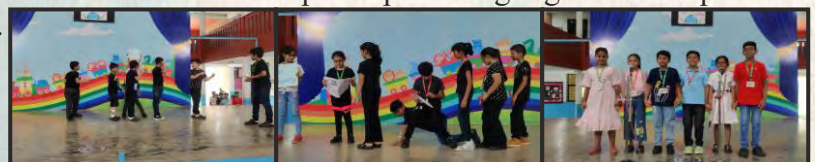
#### 2nd Runner Up: Jivam House (IV-B)

Freya Gadhiya, Hussain Kunda, Paakhi Ahuja, Shaurya Bhabhor



## World Population Day Assembly

Class III-B students conducted the World Population Day Assembly on 12 July 2024 to raise awareness about global population issues. They introduced the day's significance and history, followed by an act illustrating the severe effects of overpopulation, including resource shortages and environmental degradation. The assembly concluded with a Hindi poem emphasizing the need to protect our planet. Enthusiastic student participation highlighted the importance of curbing population growth for a sustainable future.



## 21st District Yoga Championship

DPS Tapi enthusiastically participated in the 21st District Yoga Championship held at Shri Swaminarayan Mission, Laskana, Surat, on 14 July 2024. Among the participants, Shrey Patel of Class IV-A achieved an impressive 4th position and has been selected for the State Level competition. Additionally, Vyana Patel (III-A); Vihana Koshiya (III-B); Reya Patel, Maanya Shah (V-B); Ayushi Singh (VII-A) showcased their talents and actively participated in the championship. Their dedication and hard work were commendable, reflecting the spirit of DPS Tapi.



## Inter House Karate Championship

The Inter House Karate Championship for classes III-V on 16 July 2024, was an exciting event where young karate students displayed their skills. It was a showcase of discipline and sportsmanship, highlighting their talents in various karate techniques. The championship promoted unity and respect among participants, creating a supportive school environment. The winners are:

### Winner: Jivam House

Moksh Ahir, Missa Dama (III-A); Reyansh Yadav (IV-A); Jaiwin Kapadia, Maanya Shah (V-B)

### 1st Runner Up: Agni House

Vihana Koshiya (III-B); Kalp Jagarwal (IV-A); Naksh Shah (IV-B); Darsh Ghantiwala (V-A); Aarvi Kumari (V-B)

### 2nd Runner Up: Bhumi House

Vyana Patel (III-A); Nihit Shah (III-B); Taksh Sukhadiya (IV-A); Chris Zephaniah Prakash (V-A); Kshiravdhi Tanaya (V-B)



## Inter House Skating Competition

The Inter House Skating Competition was held on 20 July 2024, featuring students from Classes III to V. The event provided an exciting platform for students to showcase their skating skills and enthusiasm for the sport. The rink was filled with energy as each student gave their best performance. The competition was a great opportunity for students to display their talent and enjoy a fun day of skating. The winners are:

### BOYS

#### Winner: Dhatu House

Shaurya Rana (III-A)

#### 1st Runner Up: Jalam House

Yunay Patel (IV-A)

#### 2nd Runner Up: Vayu House

Nihaan Limbachiya (IV-A)

### GIRLS

#### Winner: Dhatu House

Swaraa Ghael (III-A)

#### 1st Runner Up: Bhumi House

Devina Sinha (III-B)

#### 2nd Runner Up: Vayu House

Tanishi Gupta (V-B)



## Guru Purnima Assembly

The Class V-A students presented Guru Purnima Assembly on 22 July 2024, with great enthusiasm and reverence, celebrating the significant occasion dedicated to honouring and expressing gratitude towards teachers and spiritual mentors. The assembly began with a prayer followed by a speech on the importance of the guru in our lives. Later, the students showcased a series of cultural performances, including a drama and a mesmerising dance depicting a bond between a guru and a disciple. The event concluded with a heartfelt ceremony where students honoured their teachers, expressing deep gratitude and appreciation for their dedicated guidance and mentorship.



## Dance Camp

Delhi Public School Tapi organized an enriching and vibrant dance camp for Class III students from 29 July to 2 August 2024. The camp focused on two of India's classical dance forms: Bharatanatyam and Kathak. This initiative aimed to introduce young students to the rich cultural heritage of India through dance.

The highlight of the camp was a fusion performance that combined elements of both Bharatanatyam and Kathak. Students practised a choreographed piece that seamlessly blended the graceful, structured movements of Bharatanatyam with Kathak's expressive, fluid movements. The fusion dance allowed students to explore the versatility and harmony of these classical forms, showcasing their newfound skills dynamically and engagingly.

The camp not only provided an introduction to classical dance forms but also fostered a sense of discipline, cultural appreciation, and teamwork among the young dancers. The students' dedication and enthusiasm were evident in their performances, reflecting the success of the camp in achieving its goals.



## A Visit to Gurudwara

Class IV enjoyed an experiential learning excursion to Gurudwara Sri Guru Ramdas Ji on 30 July 2024. This enriching visit aimed to foster cultural awareness and understanding by introducing young learners to different types of religious places, their practices and the significance of the specific Gurudwara they visited.

Upon arrival, the students were warmly welcomed by the Gurudwara staff, who created a friendly and inviting atmosphere. The staff briefly introduced the significance of their Gurudwara, setting the stage for an informative and enjoyable experience.

During the visit, the students had the chance to observe various religious practices. They witnessed the recitation of prayers and hymns, gaining insights into the spiritual ambience of the Gurudwara. Additionally, the children were offered Kadha Prasad as part of their visit.



## World Friendship Day Assembly

Class III-B students conducted the World Friendship Day Assembly on 2 August 2024. It was a wonderful display of unity and friendship, filled with a variety of activities that highlighted the importance of friendship in our lives. An acrostic poem on "FRIENDS" was beautifully presented by the students which highlighted the true meaning of friends. The assembly continued with a vibrant "Thank You Dance" as a tribute to all the friends who bring happiness and joy into our lives. The students danced gracefully, expressing their gratitude towards their friends through beautiful choreography. The grand finale of the assembly was a melodious rendition of a friendship song, sung by the school choir. The song emphasized the bond of friendship and the joy of being surrounded by supportive friends. The harmonious voices of the choir filled the arena with warmth and joy, leaving a lasting impression on everyone present.



## Experiential Learning Excursion to Vijay Dairy

Class V students visited Vijay Dairy on 02 August 2024 to gain practical insights into the dairy's operations, including milk collection, processing, transportation, testing and manufacturing of various dairy products. The visit provided a valuable learning experience as students observed pasteurization, curd, butter making and milk packaging using machines. Additionally, they witnessed the production of sweets like rasgulla, gulab jamun, and peda and the chaat section where kachori and pani puri were prepared. The students were impressed by the extensive machinery and had the opportunity to explore the cold storage where dairy products were stored. The knowledge gained from this visit can be beneficial for understanding the complexities of dairy farming and the continuous efforts required to produce high-quality dairy products. Overall, it was an enriching learning experience that they will treasure.



## Inter House Quiz Competition

Inter House Quiz Competition was held for classes III- V on 03 August 2024. Three rounds - Mixed Bag, Visual, and One-Minute Rapid Fire tested students' knowledge, critical thinking and time-management skills. The event was well organized, with smooth execution and efficient time management. Students demonstrated impressive knowledge in various subjects, and team spirit was evident throughout. The quiz competition provided a platform for students to learn from each other and showcase their talents. The winners are:



## Winner: Bhumi House

Vivan Raj ( III-B); Nishka Shah ( IV-B);  
Arpan Gupta (V-B)

## 1st Runner Up: Jivam House

Missa Dama (III-A); Shaurya Bhabhor (IV-B);  
Aaradhya Borle (V-A)

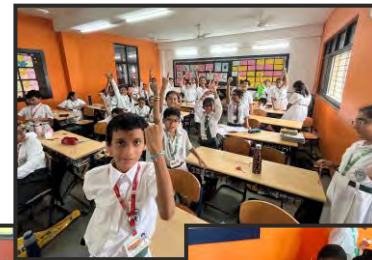
## 2nd Runner Up: Vayu House

Vihana Gadhiya (III-B); Nihaan Limbachiya  
(IV-A); Yujuvendra Rawat (V-B)



## Friendship Day Activities

Classes III-V celebrated Friendship Day with an array of activities on 05 August 2024. The day was filled with creativity and fun as each class participated in making friendship day gifts. Class III students crafted Friendship Badges adorned with symbols and messages representing friendship. Class IV students made Friendship Band Watches, while Class V students created handmade Friendship Bands, choosing different colours and patterns to weave their unique designs. The activities were a great success, fostering creativity, sharing, and a deeper appreciation for friendships among the students. The day was memorable and filled with heartfelt gestures and smiles.



## Idam Bharatam – This is my India

DPS Tapi enthusiastically participated in the 'Idam Bharatam—This is My India,' an online international festival organised by DPS Rajpura on the 77th Independence Day. The event aimed to celebrate India's rich and diverse culture across schools in India and abroad. The festival spanned three days, from 09 August to 12 August 2024.

On the first day, 09 August 2024, the event 'Aahwaan—An Invocation' featured a dance performance based on a regional folk song. Missa Dama (III-A) and Vishwa Mehta (VII-B) participated in this event.

Three events took place on the second day, 10 August 2024. The first was 'Medha Manthan—Show and Tell,' in which Jishan Mistry (III-B) and Jaksh Gamit (III-A) participated, showcasing their content, coherence, pronunciation and fluency. The second event was 'Sahityik Dharohar—Recitation from Scriptures,' where Yaqub Kunda (V-A) recited verses from the Quran and Ojas Meena (VI-A) recited shlokas. They were assessed on pronunciation, fluency, delivery and overall performance. The third event was 'Mera Vyaktitv, Meri Shaan—Role Play,' in which Yug Gajiwala (VII-A) portrayed the personality of Chandra Shekhar Azad, showcasing expression, content and overall performance.

On the third day, 12 August 2024, Koulik Ghosh (VII-B) and Dhriti Patel (VI-A) participated in the musical event 'Mile Sur Humara,' singing patriotic songs. The participation of the students in Idam Bharatam was a testament to the school's commitment to fostering a spirit of patriotism and cultural appreciation among them.



## Surat Inter School Karate Championship

Delhi Public School Tapi hosted and participated in the Surat Inter School Karate Competition on 10 August 2024. The aim of this event was to bring together various Karate styles to compete in a spirit of friendship and brotherhood. Their participation provided valuable experience, helping them qualify and aspire to achieve success in future competitions. The team delivered an outstanding performance. The winners are:

### Under-8 BOYS & GIRLS

#### 1st Runner-up

Samiya Chamadia (III-A)

#### 2nd Runner-up

Rudra Agrawal (II-A);  
Devansh Patel, Darshil Patel (III-A)

#### 2nd Runner-up

Jaral Mehta (III-A);  
Dhiya Kurup (III-B)



### Under-10 BOYS & GIRLS

#### Winner

Dhanyaa Kishore (V-A)

#### 2nd Runner-up

Naksh Shah (IV-B)

#### 2nd Runner-up

Freya Gadhiya (IV-B);  
Aarvi Kumari (V-B)



## Gujarat State Yoga Association Competition

Delhi Public School Tapi participated in the Gujarat State Yoga Association Competition held at Talad High School, Talad Olpad, on 11 August 2024. The students exhibited their mastery of various asanas and yoga techniques, reflecting their deep dedication to maintaining both physical and mental discipline. Their performances were a testament to the hard work and focus they have invested in their yoga practice. Shrey Patel of Class IV-A secured 6th place in the Under 8-10 Years Boys category and has been selected as a standby player for the National Level Competition.



## Independence Day Celebration

Delhi Public School Tapi celebrated the 77th Independence Day on 15 August 2024, with boundless enthusiasm and patriotism. The theme for this year's Independence Day celebrations is 'Viksit Bharat,' which translates to 'Developed India.' The program commenced with a March Past by the students of Classes III to V along with the Captains and Vice-Captains of the school. Followed by unfurling the national flag and paying tribute to our freedom fighters by proudly singing the National Anthem and saying our National Pledge. The cultural programme involved a patriotic song, poetry recitation, speech and a dance. Thus, spreading the message of respect for the nation, its legacy and the struggle of our freedom fighters.





## Inter House Junior Badminton Championship

Inter House Junior Badminton Championship for classes III-V was held on 17 August 2024. Students participated with great enthusiasm, demonstrating impressive stamina and agility. The tournament offered valuable learning experiences, helping our young players enhance their skills. The winners are:

### III-V (BOYS)

**Winner: Agni House**

Mann Premani (V-A)

**1st Runner Up: Jivam House**

Jaiwin Kapadia (V-B)

**2nd Runner Up: Jalam House**

Ritik Jha (V-B)



### III-V (GIRLS)

**Winner: Dhatu House**

Pahal Patel (V-A)

**1st Runner Up: Dhatu House**

Aadhya Chaudhari (V-B)

**2nd Runner Up: Bhumi House**

Dhimahi Kabrawala (V-B)



## Inter-House Board Decoration Competition

The Inter-House Board Decoration Competition, held on 17 August 2024, was a vibrant and enriching event, celebrating India's diverse traditions and rich cultural heritage. The theme, "Majestic India: The Essence of Tradition and Culture," inspired students to explore the multifaceted aspects of India's glorious past and present, portraying them through creative and visually appealing board displays. Each house participated enthusiastically, bringing their unique interpretations of the theme to life. The boards were adorned with intricate designs, traditional motifs, and a blend of colours that reflected the cultural diversity of our country. The boards were a testament to India's cultural richness, from depictions of classical dance forms and traditional attire to representations of famous monuments and festivals. The Inter-House Board Decoration Competition was a resounding success, leaving everyone with a deeper appreciation for India's cultural heritage. The event fostered a sense of pride and belonging among the students, as they worked together to showcase the essence of our nation's traditions and culture.

**Winner: Vayu House**

**1st Runner-Up: Agni House**

**2nd Runner-Up: Jalam House**



## Jarma Health Checkup

A comprehensive health check-up was conducted at Delhi Public School Tapi for Classes III to V from 21 August 2024 to 23 August 2024 to ensure the well-being of all students.



## Janmashtami Celebration

On 23 August 2024, the students of Delhi Public School Tapi Classes III – V celebrated Janmashtami to honour the birth of Lord Krishna, which falls on the eighth day of the dark fortnight of the month of Bhadrapada (August–September). The students eagerly participated in the & Matki Phod event held in the sparrow court, where they broke pots. Sweets were distributed among all the students, who were all dressed up beautifully for the celebration.



## TD Vaccination Drive

On 23 August 2024, a Tetanus and Diphtheria (TD) vaccination drive was successfully conducted at DPS Tapi. This initiative was organised in collaboration with the local Primary Health Centre Kudiyana (Government of Gujarat) has taken an initiative under the Universal Immunization program to conduct TD [Tetanus and Diphtheria] Vaccination camp for the students. Before the event, consent forms were sent to parents, and detailed information about the vaccination was provided to ensure transparency and awareness. A team of trained healthcare professionals administered the vaccines to students for classes V and X. The TD vaccination drive was a successful initiative, ensuring that the students of DPS Tapi are better protected against Tetanus and Diphtheria.



## Inter School Table Tennis Competition

DPS Tapi participated in the Inter School Table-Tennis Tournament held at Fountainhead School Surat on 24 August 2024. During the tournament Dhimahi Kabrawala (V-B) displayed great vigour and sportsmanship and clinched a gold medal in the U-12 Individual Girls Category. Nihaan Limbachiya (IV-A); Shaurya Bhabhor (IV-B) and K Tanishk (VI-B) Bagged Third Position in the U-12 Boys Team event. Paridhi Shah (VII-B) actively Participated in the U-14 Girls category.

## Inter House What's The Apt Word? Competition

'Inter House What's The Apt Word? Competition' was held for classes III-V on 28 August 2024. The competition aimed to enhance vocabulary, comprehension and quick thinking among young learners through four engaging rounds: Mixed Bag, Visual, Rapid Fire and Shabd Bodh (Hindi language). The competition provided a valuable platform for students to enhance their vocabulary and language skills in a competitive yet supportive environment. The winners are:

### Winner: Jivam House

Riaan Patel (III-A)  
 Freya Gadhiya (IV-B)  
 Shivraj Biswas (V-B)

### 1st Runner Up: Bhumi House

Vivan Raj (III-B)  
 Nishka Shah (IV-B)  
 Arpan Gupta (V-B)

### 2nd Runner Up: Jalam House

Samiya Chamadia (III-A)  
 Yunay Patel (IV-A)  
 Iram Garasiya (V-B)



## National Sports Day

National Sports Day is celebrated annually on 29 August to honour the birth anniversary of hockey legend Major Dhyan Chand. Delhi Public School Tapi observed this day on 29 August 2024 with great enthusiasm and energy. On National Sports Day, students of Classes III-V participated in traditional sports activities. The event featured three main indigenous sports Kho Kho, Kabaddi and Seven Stones. These activities promoted physical fitness, collaboration and fair play. The event was a huge success, promoting sportsmanship, teamwork and a healthy lifestyle.



## SSKAI Surat District Karate Championship

DPS Tapi participated in the SSKAI Surat District Karate Championship, organized by the Shito-Ryo Sports Karate Association on 01 September 2024 at Radiant English Academy, Umra, Surat. The students showcased their talents and skills with great enthusiasm and passion, earning accolades for their dedication and performance. The results are as follows:



## U-6 to U-18 Boys & Girls SSKAI Surat District Karate Championship

Reyaan Patel (IV-B); Darsh Ghantiwala (V-A); Dhanyaa Kishore (V-B); Hayagriv Sachapara (VII-B); Divisha Kishore (VIII-A); Aman (IX-B); Jiya Mehta (X-A) bagged the Gold Medal by securing the First Position. Mishti Sumani (II-B); Nihit Shah (III-B); Aaradhya Borle (V-A) Jaymeet Mandaviya (V-B); Soham Sambhare (IX-A); Aarav Shah (X-B) bagged the Silver Medal by securing the Second Position. Vinisha Bachani (I-A); Rudra Agrawal (II-A); Ved Parmar, Darshil Patel (III-A); Vivan Raj (III-B); Krishiv Singh (IV-B); Vandit Gandhi (V-A); Yug Tavethiya (VII-A); Velina Patel, Shriyut (VII-B); Aaymaan Vankawala (IX-A) bagged the Bronze Medal by securing the Third Position. Iyaad Garasiya, Nand Vitthani, Arnav Moradiya, Nityam Italiya (II-A); Hiyansh Makwana, Rivaan Jariwala (II-B); Anaya Majumdar, Mu. Amaan Shaikh, Samiya Chamadia (III-A); Dhiya Kurup (III-B); Reyansh Yadav, Taksh Sukhadiya (IV-A); Mrigaj Makwana, Mahir Ghorji, Naksh Shah (IV-B); Gargi Khandelwal (V-A); Maanya Shah, Aarvi Kumari, Jaiwin Kapadia (V-B); Pruthvi Goti (VI-A); Aarnish Vankawala, Vedansh Desai (IX-A) participated with great zeal.

## Swachhata Pakhwada

Swachhata Pakhwada, a government initiative, aims to promote cleanliness and hygiene across the country. DPS Tapi has enthusiastically participated in the campaign from 01 September 2024 to 15 September 2024, organizing a variety of activities such as cleanliness drives, awareness sessions, competitions, and creative writing. Students, staff, and the community were all involved in spreading the message of cleanliness. The event began with a Swachhata Pledge ceremony. All students and staff gathered to pledge their commitment to maintaining cleanliness at school, home, and in the community. The pledge reinforced the importance of cleanliness as a shared responsibility. A painting competition on the theme of cleanliness and environment protection was held. Students of Class III participated in an 'Acrostic Poem Writing' competition on the word "Save Water" and students from Class IV showcased their creativity, with colourful posters depicting ways to keep our environment clean. The competition not only boosted creativity but also raised awareness of key environmental issues such as waste segregation, water conservation, and pollution control. As part of the creative writing activities, this activity helped the students reflect on the deeper meanings of cleanliness and its impact on their lives. The Swachhata Pakhwada at our school culminated in a grand prize distribution ceremony held on 13 September 2024. This event recognized the outstanding efforts of students who participated in various competitions and activities organized during the campaign. The ceremony was a moment of pride for the winners and served as an inspiration for everyone to continue contributing toward cleanliness and hygiene.



## Skating Camp

DPS Tapi conducted a Skating Camp for the students of Class V from 2 September to 6 September 2024 to improve the learners' skating techniques while fostering teamwork and confidence in a fun and supportive environment. Each day began with a warm-up session followed by skill-building drills, including techniques like balancing, weight transfer, advanced stepping technique, crossovers, races and sprints.

The camp also aimed to foster a love for skating and encourage personal growth in each participant. It provided a balance of skill development, fun and teamwork leaving a lasting positive impact on the participants. The camp successfully achieved its goal of promoting athletic growth among young skaters.



## Teachers' Day Celebration

Classes III-V celebrated Teachers' Day with great enthusiasm to honour the dedication and hard work of their teachers on 05 September 2024. The celebration started in the school courtyard, which was beautifully adorned with vibrant decorations, including posters, banners, and colourful handmade crafts by students. The celebration was brought to life with a series of mesmerizing performances by students across different grades to express their gratitude. One of the highlights of the event was the recital of poems dedicated to teachers. Teachers were honoured with gifts and handmade cards prepared by the students. The day ended with smiles, warm conversations and a renewed sense of respect and love for the teachers. It was truly a memorable day, filled with joy, gratitude and celebrations, reminding everyone of the invaluable role that teachers play in our lives.



## Hindi Handwriting Week

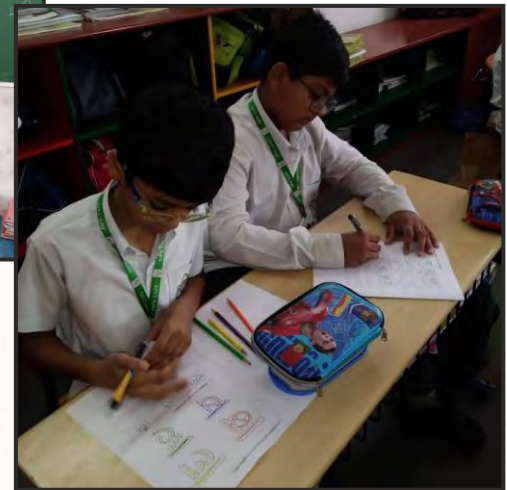
Hindi Handwriting Week was observed from 09 September to 13 September 2024 for the students of Classes III & IV to promote the importance of good handwriting.

Throughout the week, various fine motor skills activities were carried out to enhance creativity among the students. Also, different strokes of Hindi writing were practiced to improve their handwriting skills which is a significant aspect of academic performance and personal development. The focus was given to letter formation, spacing and presentation as well.

The main objective was to raise awareness about the importance of neat and legible writing and foster a love for the Hindi language among the students. Many students displayed a noticeable improvement in their Hindi handwriting by the end of the week. The enthusiasm among the students was commendable and they showed great interest in enhancing their Hindi writing skills.

The winners are:

Students	Class	House
Moksh Ahir	III-A	Jivam
Reeva Balar	III-B	Bhumi
Anaaya Kakadiya	IV-A	Agni
Kumari Mukta	IV-B	Jalam



## Inter House Chess Championship

Inter House Chess Championship was held for classes III-V on 12 September 2024. The event showcased our young chess players growing enthusiasm and skill development. Each match was a testament to their strategic thinking and competitive spirit. The winners are:

### Winner: Bhumi House

Ridan Babariya (IV-B); Hamil Brahmania, Mohammed Asad Kapadia, Chris Zephaniah Prakash (V-A)

### 1st Runner Up: Vayu House

Nihaan Limbachiya (IV-A); Shreeja Koladiya, Mahir Ghori (IV-B); Jaymeet Mandaviya (V-B)

### 2nd Runner Up: Agni House

Kalp Jagarwal, Riyaan Desai (IV-A); Naksh Shah (IV-B); Mohammed Ali Noorani (V-A)



## CBSE West Zone Skating Competition

DPS Tapi participated in the CBSE West Zone Skating Competition held at Mother Care School Bhumel Nadiad from 11-16 September 2024. Aadya Chaturvedi (IX-B) showcased excellent skating skills, winning first place in the Road One Lap and a silver medal in the 500m+D event. Shaurya Rana (III-A) also actively participated in the competition.



## Hindi Diwas Assembly

"हिंदी का सम्मान है, देश का सम्मान है,  
हिंदी से हिंदुस्तान है, तभी तो ये देश महान है"

Class IV-B conducted the Hindi Diwas Assembly on 20 September 2024 to celebrate the richness and significance of the Hindi language. The program commenced with a musical Hindi prayer, which filled the atmosphere with positivity. After that, the significance of Hindi Diwas was explained by one of the students, who spoke about the adoption of Hindi as the official language of India on 14 September 1949. This was followed by a brief speech on promoting Hindi in our lives. Participants from different classes presented poems by famous Hindi poets, and idioms, showcasing their talents and the beauty of the language. A skit was also performed by students, highlighting the importance of Hindi in uniting the nation and preserving cultural heritage. The skit was well-received and conveyed the message in a humorous yet impactful way. The assembly concluded with a quiz on Hindi literature and grammar. The Hindi Diwas assembly was a successful celebration of our national language. The students actively participated and gained a deeper understanding of the significance of Hindi in our cultural and national identity.



## Inter School Arts Competition: Kalakriti

DPS Tapi enthusiastically participated in the Inter School Arts Competition-Kalakriti organised by Fountainhead School, Surat. The Inter-School Art Competition was a vibrant and engaging event that provided students from various schools an opportunity to showcase their artistic talents. The competition was divided into categories based on age groups such as Dance, Music, Drama and Visual Arts. The festival spanned two days, on 31 August 2024 and 14 September 2024. Aayati Bahuguna (VI-A) Secured 1st Rank in Western Solo Dance Competition.

Tashvi Patel, Reyansh Yadav (IV-A); Aadya Kannai (VI-A); Shivansh Lotwala, Krisha Soni, Kavyaraj Singh Bakrola, Yutika Juglani, Kavya Lathiya (VI-B); Ayushi Singh, Diya Tilala (VII-A); Viha Maheta, Nandini Patel (VII-B); Amisha Ramnani, Shree Mahto, Pearl Chhatani (VIII-A); Siya Shriwastav, Shreya Rani (VIII-B); Anusha Kumari (IX-B); Mantra Bhingradiya, Ayuhsi Suhag (X-A) participated in the competition.



## Navratri Celebration

Classes III-V students celebrated Navratri with great enthusiasm on 03 October 2024. The event featured vibrant Garba dances, where students and teachers dressed in traditional attire and danced to folk music. The celebration emphasized the cultural significance of Navratri, concluding with a message about respecting traditions. It was a fun and memorable experience for everyone.



## Gardening Week

Classes III and IV students participated in an educational gardening project in school from 23 to 27 September 2024. This initiative was designed to instil a profound appreciation for the world of plants and nurture a keen interest in gardening among our young learners. The students of Class III undertook a unique task of planting the seeds of wheat, jawar, ragi, bajra and rice in small pots. Class IV students were engaged in an equally captivating endeavour, planting fenugreek and coriander in pots. Through this, they observed the gradual growth and development of these aromatic herbs and meticulously documented their observations. The diligent efforts of students extended beyond planting; they maintained weekly records of observations to monitor the progression of these plants. This holistic approach gave the students a profound insight into the intricate life cycles and growth patterns of various grains and herbs. This initiative represents a meaningful step towards nurturing a greener, more environmentally conscious and plant-loving community.

