

## DIVINE SPECTRUM

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#### **ARTICLE BY JUNIOR PROGRAMME HEAD**



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At Mother Divine Public School, our approach to early childhood and primary education is aligned with the principles of the National Curriculum Framework (NCF). The NCF emphasizes that learning should not be limited to rote memorization, but should focus on experiential learning, creativity, and holistic growth.

#### 1. No Rote Learning - More Exploration

Children learn best when they connect knowledge with real-life experiences. Instead of memorizing facts, they are encouraged to explore, question, and discover concepts through activities, stories, and hands-on tasks

#### 2. Skill Development Beyond Academics

Education today goes beyond textbooks. Skills such as problem-solving, teamwork, communication, and empathy are nurtured through projects, role-plays, art, music, and collaborative tasks. Activities like the Student-Led Parent Conference (SLPC) empower children to take ownership of their learning and confidently showcase their progress

#### 3. Experiential Learning through Kitchen Garden

Our newly initiated Kitchen Garden allows children to plant seeds, care for plants, and watch them grow. These activities instill patience, responsibility, and a deeper appreciation for nature while connecting them to science and environmental care in a fun, practical way.

#### 4. Assessments without Pressure

In line with the NCF, assessments are designed to track progress and growth, not to judge or label children. There are no exams in early years; instead, continuous observations and feedback help teachers and parents understand a child's strengths and areas for improvement.

"Education is not the learning of facts, but the training of the mind to think." — Albert Einstein

**Tips for Parents: Growing Minds, Not Just Grades** 

- Value Habits Over Marks Encourage honesty, punctuality, kindness, and responsibility. These shape a child's character more than a score ever can.
- Appreciate Effort, Not Just Outcome Praise your child's hard work, persistence, and creativity, even if the result isn't perfect.
- Make Learning Joyful Link studies to daily life—measuring ingredients in the kitchen, gardening, or storytelling—to help children learn naturally.
- Model What You Teach Children learn more from what they see than what they hear.
   Show them by example—read, stay curious, and practice discipline.
- Celebrate Individuality Every child grows at their own pace. Avoid comparisons; instead, focus on their unique strengths and talents.
- Encourage Responsibility Involve children in small household tasks. These teach accountability, patience, and teamwork.

Remember: Grades may reflect a child's progress in one subject, but habits reflect the foundation of their whole life.

Together, as partners in education, we can help children grow into confident, empathetic, and skillful learners—prepared not just for academics, but for life.

#### FROM THE FACILITATOR'S DESK



MS. ALKA ROHILLA

"Every child is a story unfolding, and every lesson adds a new chapter of growth."

There's a unique joy that comes with teaching Grade II - a stage where curiosity deepens, imaginations flourish, and learning becomes an exciting journey of discovery. Every day, we see children turning their ideas into words, solving problems with growing confidence, and working together with kindness and enthusiasm.

From lively class discussions to thoughtful writing, from exploring new concepts to helping a friend, every moment is filled with wonder and meaning. Their questions spark curiosity, their creativity shines through, and their determination inspires us. Whether it's a proud smile after solving a tricky sum, a new word learned in reading, or a kind gesture shared with a classmate—these are the everyday victories that make teaching them so rewarding.

In our classroom, we believe in gentle encouragement, active participation, and celebrating every achievement—big or small. It's a space filled with learning, laughter, and love, where every child feels valued, supported, and inspired to be their best self.

Thank you for the trust you have placed in us. Being part of your child's journey in Grade II is both an honour and a joy. With every story, every question, and every smile, we are building something truly special—together.

## SHINING STARS

**NAME: Yuvika** 

**GRADE: II B** 

**MONTH: JULY** 

Yuvika consistently puts in her best effort, engages enthusiastically in activities, and spreads positivity with her cheerful attitude.





NAME: Khwahish

**GRADE: II B** 

**MONTH: AUGUST** 

Khwahish has shown remarkable dedication, participates enthusiastically in all activities, and inspires her classmates with a cheerful and lively attitude.

**NAME: Aadishree** 

**GRADE: II B** 

**MONTH: SEPTEMBER** 

Aadishree shows consistent curiosity and enthusiasm in her work, actively participates in class activities, and radiates positivity through her cheerful nature.



# CLASSROOM CHRONICLES



BACK TO SCHOOL BUZZ SESSION 2025–26 (1<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2025)

"After every pause comes a brighter new beginning."

The Back to School Buzz for began with excitement and joy. Children came back after the summer break with cheerful smiles. Fun ice-breaking games were organised to welcome them warmly. Students also made colourful smileys, spreading happiness all around. The activities built teamwork, friendship, and self-expression. Laughter, enthusiasm, and a love for learning filled the classrooms. It was a perfect start to the new academic journey.





# BAK SHOOL

Meenal said, "I drew flowers on my bag. It looked so beautiful!"



Deepak said, "I drew hearts and flowers on my bag. It looked so colorful!"





# SPECIAL ASSEMBLY: RAINY DAY (4<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025)

"The rhythm of raindrops is nature's own music—calming, soothing, and full of hope."

The Special Assembly on the theme of "Rainy Day" was celebrated with great excitement and joy. Children performed a lively dance, showcasing their energy and rhythm while expressing the beauty of rain. The assembly included songs, rhymes, and a short skit, all reflecting the magic and freshness that rain brings. It was a delightful experience that engaged both students and teachers, spreading happiness and appreciation for nature's showers.





Rudra, "Hello Friends, I enjoyed my summer vacation and happy to be in school again."



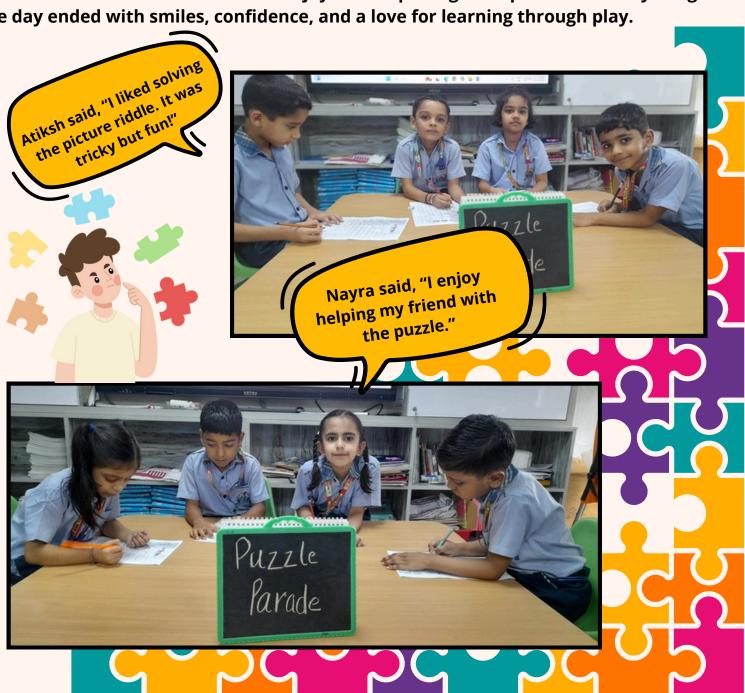
Aadvik said, "wow! that is so beautiful."



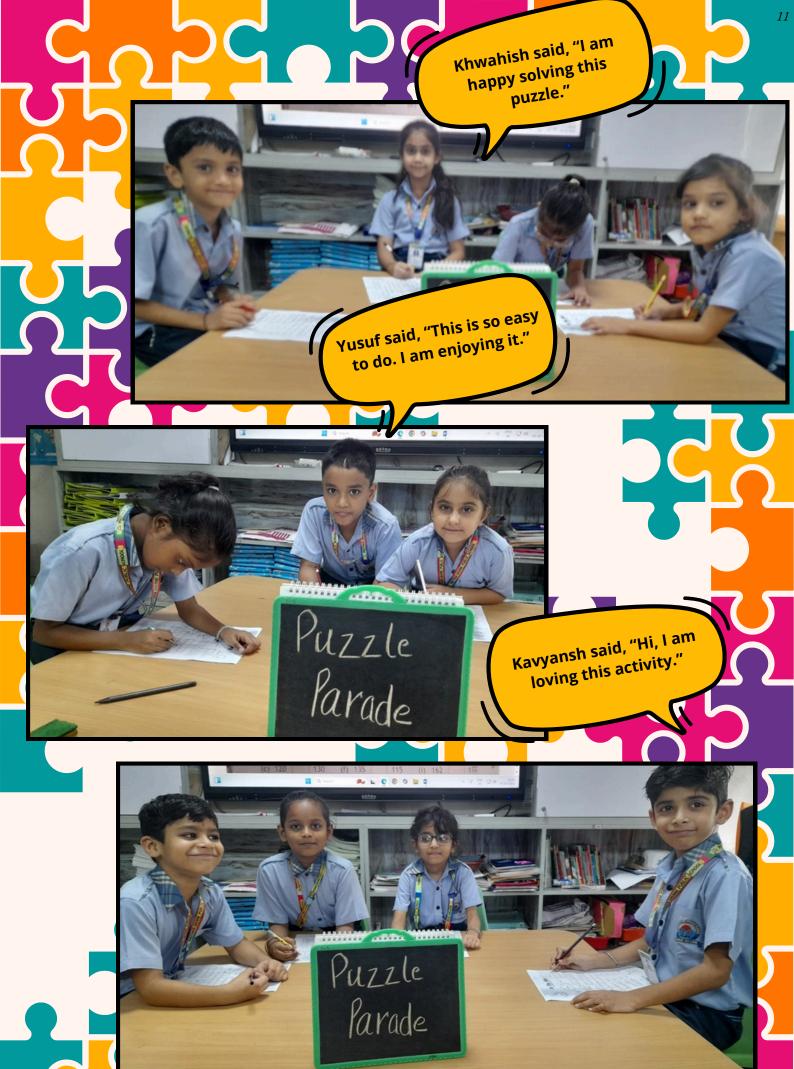
# ORGANIZED BY BRAINIACS CLUB (7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025) PUZZLE PARADE

"A fun-filled journey of riddles, puzzles, and brain teasers."

The Brainiacs Activity, Puzzle Parade, was an exciting experience for students. Children eagerly solved different puzzles that challenged their thinking skills. From word searches to picture riddles, every puzzle sparked curiosity. The activity encouraged logical reasoning, problem-solving, and patience. Students worked with focus and shared their ideas with friends. Their joy on completing each puzzle was truly delightful. The day ended with smiles, confidence, and a love for learning through play.







#### GURU PURNIMA (10<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025)

# "Expressing gratitude to those who inspire and guide us."

The celebration of Guru Purnima was filled with respect and gratitude for teachers. Students joyfully made beautiful cards to express their love and appreciation. They also learnt about the importance of teachers as guides who lead us towards knowledge and wisdom. The activity inspired children to value learning, discipline, and respect for their mentors. The day was marked by creativity, thankfulness, and warm smiles all around.



















#### YELLOW COLOUR DAY (31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2025)

"A bright splash of sunshine, happiness, and cheer."

The celebration of Yellow Colour Day in was full of joy and brightness. Children came dressed in lovely yellow outfits, bringing a sunny charm to the classroom. They identified different yellow objects around them and spoke about their importance. Fun-filled activities like colouring, art, and craft made the day even more exciting. The cheerful yellow theme created an atmosphere of warmth, positivity, and happiness.













Trisha said, "My house uniform is also yellow in colour."

Mokshit said, "It is so much fun celebrating yellow colour day with my friends "



#### RAKSHA BANDHAN (8TH AUGUST 2025)

"Celebrating the bond of love, care, and protection between siblings."

The festival of Raksha Bandhan was celebrated with joy and affection. Children learnt about the importance of this special bond between brothers and sisters. They also enjoyed making colourful rakhis and sharing sweets with friends. The celebration filled the classrooms with warmth, togetherness, and festive cheer.

Garvi said, "I made a pretty rakhi today. It felt very special!"

Raksha

Bandh

Mayank said, "Making colourful rakhi was so much fun today."

> Ayan said, "I learnt the meaning of Rakhi today. It is about love and care between brothers and sisters."







Kiyansh said, "I enjoyed making a Rakhi card."

Samariddhi said, "I made a beautiful Rakhi today. I loved the activity!"

> Harshit said, "I enjoyed making this promise card."







#### JANMASHTAMI MELA (11<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025)

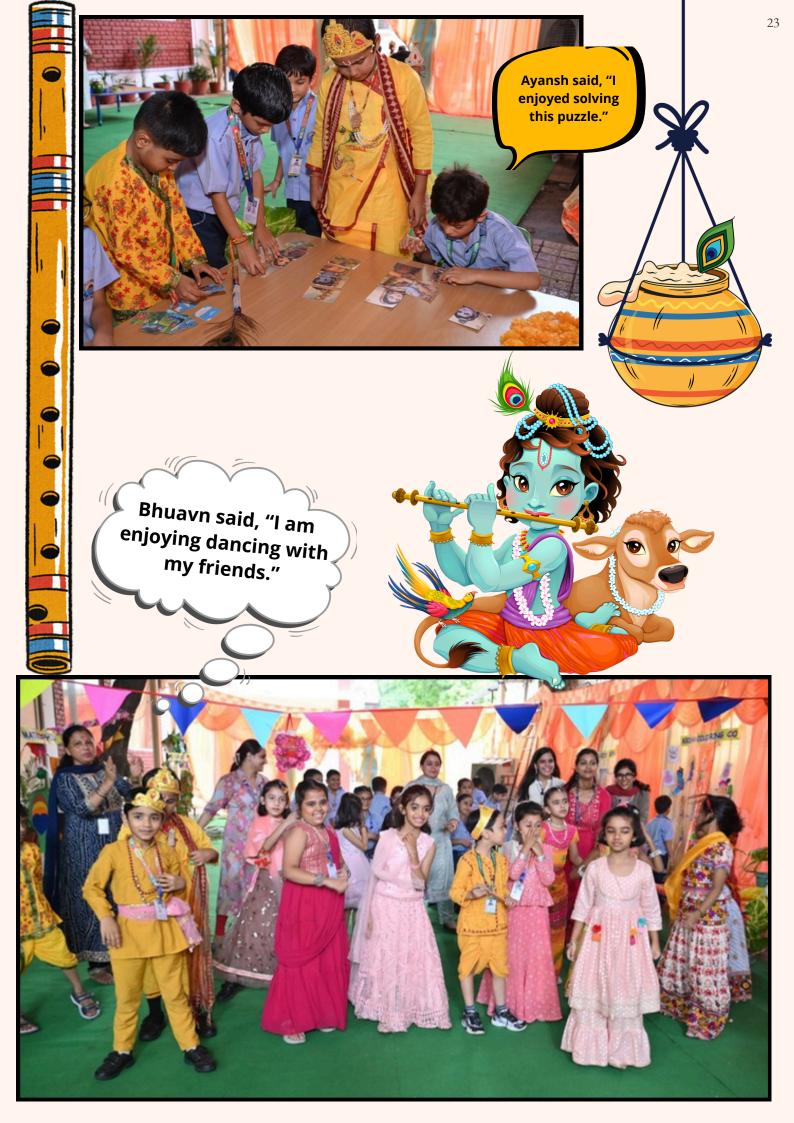
"A joyful celebration of devotion, culture, and tradition."

The festival of Janmashtami was celebrated with great enthusiasm. Children came dressed as Radha and Krishna, adding colour and charm to the day. The classroom turned festive with songs, dance, and playful activities inspired by Lord Krishna's life. Students also enjoyed taking part in the matki phod activity, which brought excitement and laughter. The celebration helped children learn about the values of love, friendship, and devotion while enjoying the festive spirit.









#### INDEPENDENCE DAY (14<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025)

"Freedom in the mind, strength in the words, pride in our souls." 🔆

The 79th Independence Day was celebrated with great patriotism and enthusiasm. Children came dressed in the colours of the national flag, spreading the message of unity. They participated in patriotic songs, dance, and craft activities showcasing the tricolour. The classrooms echoed with pride as students learnt about the sacrifices made by freedom fighters. The celebration filled every heart with love, respect, and devotion for the motherland.



# ORGANIZED BY GREEN CRUSADERS CLUB (4<sup>TH</sup> & 18<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025)

## "Nurturing nature with small steps towards a greener tomorrow."

The Green Crusaders Activity was celebrated with enthusiasm and care for the environment. Children participated in plantation drives, watering plants, and learning about the importance of greenery. They also made posters and slogans to spread awareness about saving nature. The activity encouraged responsibility, love for nature, and the value of protecting our planet. It was a meaningful experience that inspired students to become true friends of the Earth.



#### GANESH CHATURTHI (27<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025)

"Welcoming Lord Ganesha with devotion, joy, and festive spirit."

Ganesh Chaturthi was celebrated with great enthusiasm. Children learnt about the significance of Lord Ganesha as the remover of obstacles and the symbol of wisdom. They took part in craft activities, making little Ganesha idols and decorative artwork. Festive songs and stories about Lord Ganesha added charm to the celebration. The day filled the classrooms with devotion,











#### TEACHER'S DAY (4<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)



"A heartfelt tribute to our mentors who inspire and guide us."

Teachers' Day was celebrated with love and gratitude. Students expressed their appreciation through songs, poems, and short performances dedicated to their teachers. They also made colourful cards to show their affection and respect. The celebration highlighted the invaluable role of teachers in shaping young minds. The day was filled with warmth, joy, and thankfulness

for the guiding light of education



# Teachers

Aadvik
Nayyar: Come
on, friends,
dance with us!



# ORGANIZED BY TECH TITANS CLUB (9<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)



"Exploring the world of technology through fun and learning."

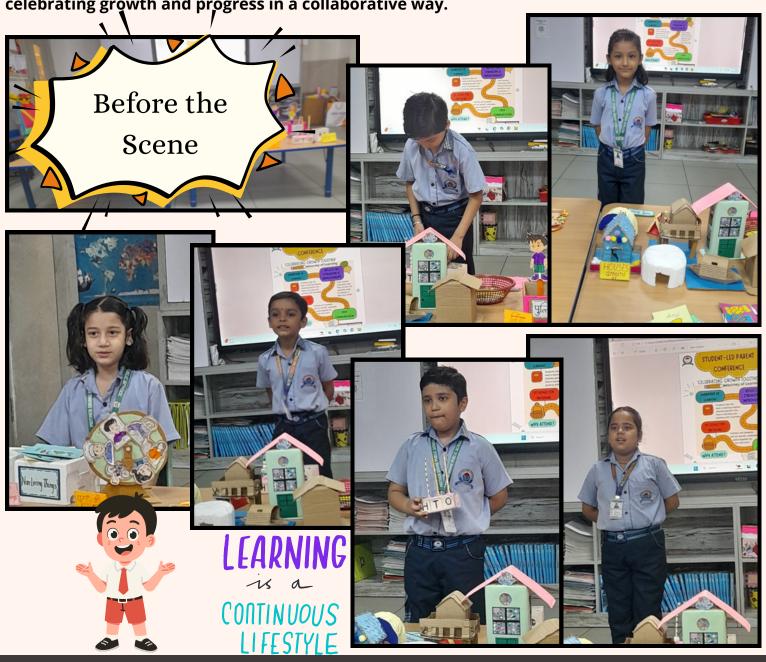
The Tech Talk Activity was an engaging and informative experience. Children were introduced to basic concepts of technology and its role in daily life. They participated in discussions, quizzes, and interactive demonstrations with great enthusiasm. The activity enhanced their curiosity, creativity, and awareness about safe use of technology. The day inspired young learners to become smart and responsible users of digital tools.



# STUDENT-LED PARENT CONFERENCE (26<sup>TH</sup> & 27<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)

"A platform for students to showcase their learning journey to parents."

The Student-Led Parent Conference was a reflective and meaningful experience. They confidently shared their learning journey, showcasing their knowledge, skills, and achievements across subjects. They enthusiastically and clearly engaged parents through presentations, activities, and portfolios. The conference fostered confidence, responsibility, and ownership of learning among students. The event created a valuable bridge between home and school, celebrating growth and progress in a collaborative way.



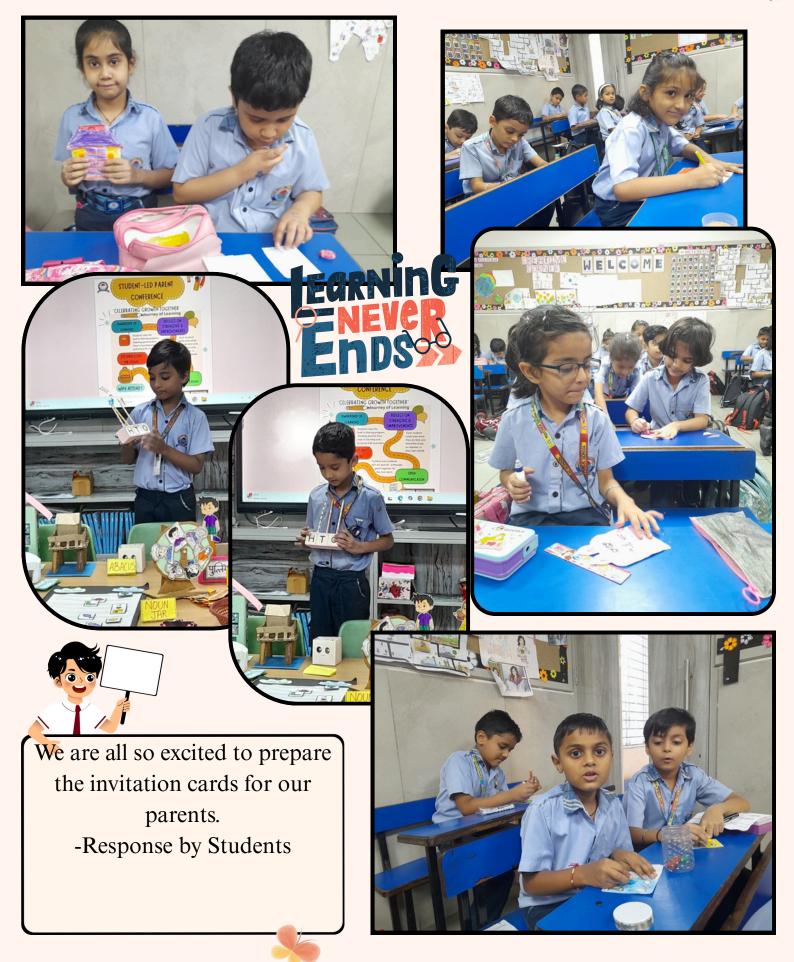








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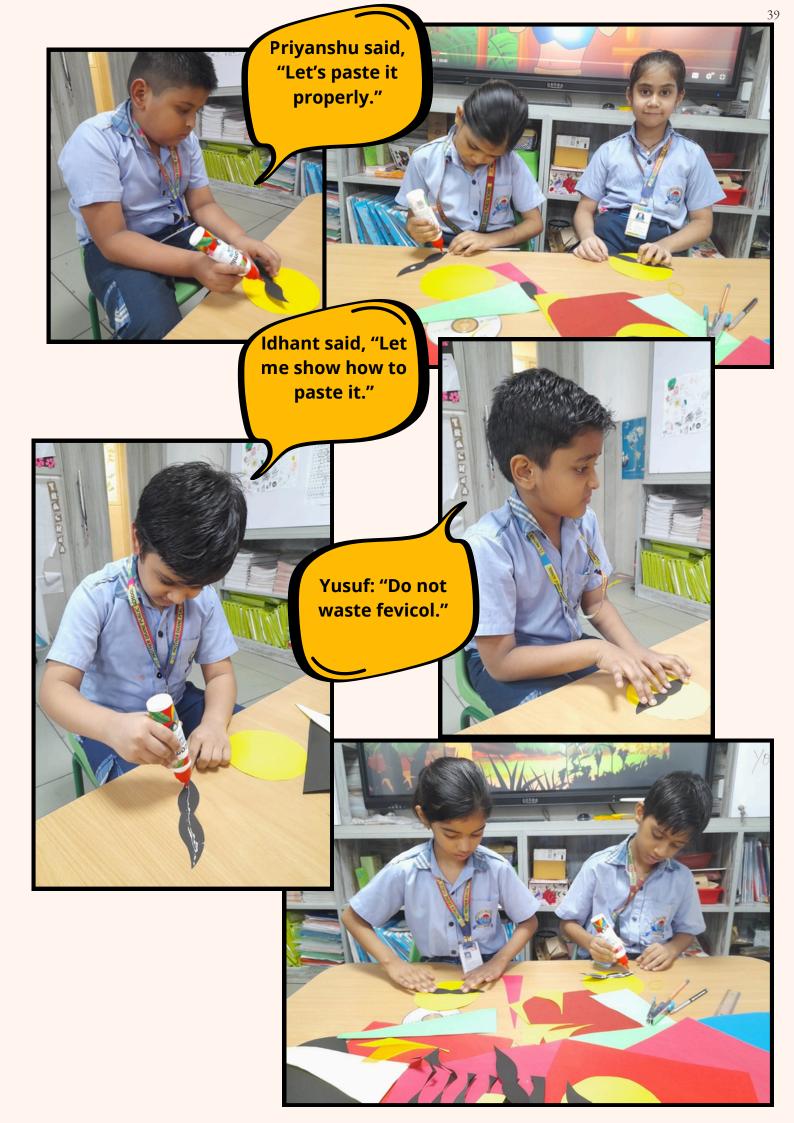
#### DUSSEHRA, GANDHI, AND SHASTRI JAYANTI (29<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)

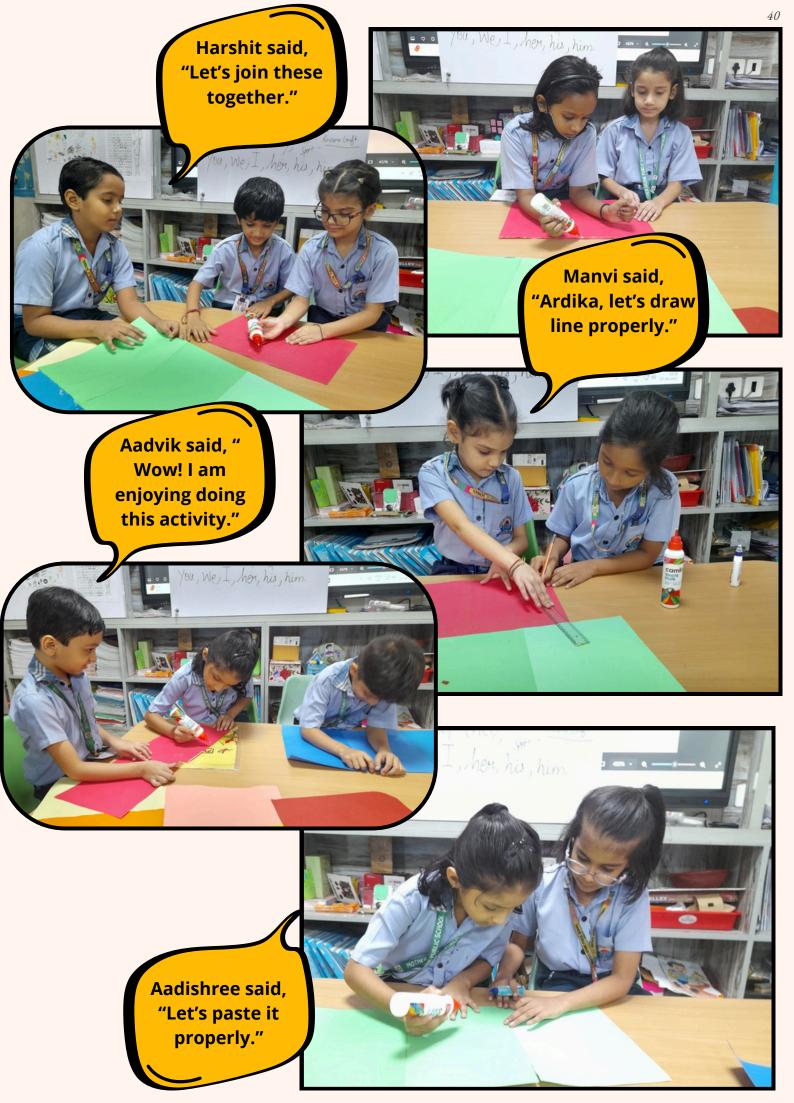
"A celebration of values, courage, and the triumph of good over evil."

The Dussehra Celebration was a vibrant and meaningful experience. Children actively participated in presentations, skits, and creative activities that highlighted the story of Lord Rama and the victory of truth over falsehood. They expressed their understanding through dance, drama, and art, showcasing values of honesty, kindness, and bravery. The celebration fostered cultural awareness, moral learning, and joy among students. It created an atmosphere of festivity and reflection, reminding everyone of the importance of righteousness in everyday life











Mokshit: "Let me also help you and make Ravana."







All students were happy and enjoying the celebration.

-Response by Students

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Students said that they enjoyed doing the garba performance with their friends.

-Response by Students











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