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PREPARING FOR REOPENING

The reopening involves preparing students for transition by gradually reintroducing routines, refreshing academic skills, and focusing on both social and emotional well-being. For the academic year 2025-26, the School reopened after Winter Vacations on 14th Jan, 2026.

PRE-BOARD II FOR 10TH AND 12TH CLASS

Pre-Board Exams are essential simulated assessments, designed to prepare students for final Board Exams by mirroring the actual, often tougher exam environment and paper pattern. They act as a crucial diagnostic tool, highlighting strengths, weaknesses, and knowledge gaps, while enhancing time management, writing speed, and confidence. From 15th January students of class 10th and 12th, appeared for the Pre Board Examination.

PRACTICAL EXAMINATION FOR CLASS 12TH

Practical Exams are essential for bridging the gap between theoretical knowledge and real-world application, allowing students to demonstrate hands-on skills, deepen understanding, and improve information retention. These assessments foster critical thinking, enhance problem-solving abilities, and prepare students for professional environments by evaluating competencies in a controlled, practical setting. On 19th January CBSE Practical Exams started for class 12th.

REHEARSAL FOR REPUBLIC DAY

Rehearsals are crucial for transforming a raw, unpolished idea into a refined, confident, and high-quality performance. They serve as a vital risk-management tool to uncover technical flaws, build muscle memory, and deepen emotional connection to the material through repetitions. Rehearsals reduce anxiety, perfect timing, and ensure seamless coordination among performers. Practice for aerobics program started from the third week of January in the School Campus.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION

Republic Day is celebrated annually on January 26th, which marks the day in 1950, when the Constitution of India came into force, transitioning the nation into a Sovereign, Democratic, and Republic State. It signifies the formal adoption of Democratic Governance, Constitutional Supremacy, and the Fundamental Rights of citizens. On 26th January, Flag hoisting ceremony was held in school campus. Students performed aerobics program in the District Republic Day Celebration at Lamini Stadium.



SEMINAR ON DRUG ADDICTION

Drug addiction, now often called a Substance Use Disorder (SUD), is a chronic brain condition where someone compulsively uses a substance (like drugs or alcohol) despite harmful consequences, driven by intense cravings that hijack the brain's reward system, leading to loss of control and continued use, despite negative impacts on health, relationships and life. A seminar was held on awareness against Drug Addiction and HIV by experts from Dr. Sudeep Memorial Charitable Trust on 29th January.



★ VALUE CLUB ACTIVITY ON MARTYRS DAY ★

Value Club activities are essential for holistic development, fostering critical life skills, character, and social responsibility beyond academic learning. They build empathy, teamwork, and discipline through practical experience, while improving student's self-esteem, mental health, and connection to community. These activities also enhance cultural awareness and encourage ethical decision-making. On 30th January, Value Club conducted assembly, on the topic "Martyrs Day ",which included speech, amazing facts and an activity on freedom fighters.



★ SEMINAR ON CAREER AND COUNSELING ★

Career and counseling seminars are essential for providing personalized guidance, allowing students and professionals to align their strengths and passions with suitable career paths. These sessions offer crucial insights into evolving job markets, assist in mapping out academic/career goals, and bridge the gap between education and employment, ultimately reducing uncertainty and boosting professional confidence. A career and counselling seminar for class 10th students was conducted in School Campus on 2nd February to help the students for planning their future with clarity, by choosing stream, as per their interest. It was conducted by Mr. Rajat from 'Preksha'. A seminar for 11th and 12th students was conducted by Mr. Kangna from GNIT University



★ CAMP OF SCOUTS AND GUIDES ★

Scouts & Guides camps are vital for holistic development, fostering self-reliance, leadership and character in young students, through outdoor activities like hiking and camping. These camps build life skills, social responsibility, and discipline while promoting physical fitness and appreciation for nature. Participants learn practical skills (knots, first aid), teamwork, and community service. A three days camp of Scouts and Guide was organized in the School Campus from 5th February. Students from classes 3rd to 8th participated in it with great enthusiasm and showcased their talent.



★ PTM NUR-12TH ★

Parent-Teacher meetings (PTMs) are vital for fostering a collaborative partnership between Home and School, directly impacting a student's academic and personal growth. They provide a platform to discuss progress, identify learning gaps early, and align strategies for improvement. Regular and productive PTMs build trust, encourage and help teachers understand a child's unique needs, ultimately enhancing student performance. On 7th Feb, PTM of class Nursery to 12th, showcasing the performance of students in PT2 and Pre Board 2 was conducted.

MEETING OF SCHOOL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

SMC (School Management Committee) meetings are crucial for ensuring accountable, transparent, and participatory school governance, primarily by monitoring functioning, managing funds, and promoting community involvement. These meetings facilitate the creation of School Development Plans (SDPs), track student/teacher performance, improve safety, and address grievances. SMC meeting was held on 7th February to plan about upcoming academic session and discuss the different challenges, difficulties and achievements of the past academic session.



STATE LEVEL HAND BALL COMPETITION

Handball competitions are crucial for fostering high-intensity physical fitness (cardiovascular health, strength, endurance), developing quick strategic thinking, and enhancing motor skills like passing and jumping. Our two students were selected to participate in the State Level Under 11 Hand Ball Competition, which was held on 9 February, at Ludhiana. Participants were Nirvan of class 4th and Swastik of class 5.



IT CLUB ACTIVITY

Internet Safety is crucial for protecting personal data, privacy, and mental well-being from threats like Hacking, Phishing, and Cyber bullying. It ensures secure digital experiences by enabling users to avoid inappropriate content, online predators, and financial fraud, ultimately fostering responsible, long-term digital habits. Internet Safety Day was celebrated on 10th February by IT Club. It was accompanied by thoughts, amazing facts, quiz and a short skit in the morning assembly.



PRERNA – DISTRICT LEVEL COMPETITION

Our students Aditya Joshi[Class 8] and Avika[Class 9] participated at the District Level competition – PRERNA, in P M Shri Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Najochak, on 9th February.



CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY DAY

Every year, National Productivity Day serves as a powerful reminder that sustainable progress is built on Discipline, Innovation, Collaboration and Consistent Effort. National Productivity Day was celebrated in the morning assembly on 11th February. It was accompanied by amazing facts, thoughts, quiz, slogans and a short skit.



FAREWELL CEREMONY OF CLASS 12TH

A farewell ceremony serves as a crucial, emotional milestone that marks the end of a significant chapter (school, college, or work) and the beginning of a new one. It is important for expressing gratitude, honoring achievements, strengthening bonds through shared memories, and providing closure, while boosting the morale of departing individuals with positive well-wishes. On 12th February, Farewell Ceremony of Class 12th was celebrated in the School Campus. Students were welcomed with rose petals. Giddha and Bhangra were performed during the event. Welcome Speech and gratitude speech by teachers and students brought special feelings to the program. Games were conducted and titles were given to the students. Program concluded with honoring students with sachets, crowns and brooches. Naman Rana and Nandini were honored as Mr. and Miss. RIS, Kashish Digra and Kunal were honored as Mr. and Miss. Intellectual, Prisha and Lagan were honored as Versatile Personalities, Abhinav Bharati and Kartik were honored as Sports Personalities of RIS, Shivank and Aastha were honored as Mr. and Miss. Regular, Kritika and Nikhil were honored as Mr. and Miss. Diligent, and Sakshi and Garima were honored as Sincere Personalities of RIS.



WEBINAR BY CBSE

Webinars arranged by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) are essential for updating stakeholders on policy changes, providing professional development for Educators, and improving teaching standards through modern, student-centered pedagogies. These sessions focus on implementing the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, improving assessment methods, and ensuring the smooth conduct of Board Examinations. On 13th february a Webinar was organized on the conduct of Examination 2026 and digital evaluation by teachers. It also included question answer session based on queries of evaluators.



FINAL- TERM EXAMS

Examinations serve as a crucial tool for assessing a student's knowledge, providing feedback on his strengths and weaknesses, as well as motivating them to engage deeply with their studies. On 23rd February, Final Examinations started for all classes.



LANGUAGE CLUB ACTIVITY



Language clubs are crucial for fostering, enhancing, and maintaining language proficiency by providing a relaxed, informal, and supportive atmosphere for learners to practice skills outside the classroom.

On 20th Feb, Language Clubs had an assembly on Social Justice. It consisted of a speech, a special pledge on social justice, thoughts in all the languages, amazing facts, poems in English and Hindi and a play by Punjabi Club.



ASSEMBLY BY CLASSES



Class assemblies are important for fostering School Unity, Discipline, Building Confidence through Public Speaking and imparting moral as well as academic values in students.

IstA -Never give up- February

IstB -Sharing is caring- February

II A - Good habits –February

IIB -Self acceptance - February

IIIA - Small steps big success - February

IIIB - Forgiveness- February

IVA - Think before you speak - January

IVB - Exam stress management –February

VB Power of words - February

VA. Discipline -February

VC Digital awareness - February



RESULT DECLARATION

Annual result day is a crucial, celebratory, and reflective event that marks the end of an academic year, recognizing students' hard work and achievements. It fosters a sense of community, motivates future learning, and allows for analyzing academic performance to guide improvements. It also facilitates vital feedback between teachers, parents, and students.

Annual Result declaration of the classes commenced from 18th March 2025, where the overall academic and cocurricular performance of the students is presented to the parents. The students looked excited and were joyed with their performances.

Result declaration was conducted class wise from 18th March to 25th March. Students achieving top positions were awarded with medals and certificates.



CLASS TOPPERS (I - XI)



KINDERGARTEN GRADUATION

Graduation Ceremony marks the commencement of the journey of the young toddlers in the Primary Schooling, after completing the joyous life of the Kindergarten School. It is a significant milestone that marks a child's transition from early childhood to formal education, fostering confidence, accomplishment, and pride. It celebrates academic and social growth.

Graduation Day for kindergarten (UKG) was conducted on 19th March in the School Campus. It was commenced with a welcome speech, followed by poem, giddha, bhangra, dance by little Champs, and blessings by Chairman Sir and Principal Sir. Report Cards were awarded to the students with their personality tags.





QUIZ COMPETITION

Quiz competitions are crucial educational tools that enhance learning by boosting knowledge and retention, fostering critical thinking, and promoting rapid problem-solving. They build confidence, reduce stage fear, and teach vital teamwork skills while making education engaging and interactive.

Our school students participated in the inter school quiz competition at P M Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya 3 on 20th Feb, under the community participation program, where they participated to strengthen community through the test of knowledge in science. Jivika of class 8th won 3rd prize in the competition.



STAFF MEETING FOR NEW SESSION(2026-27)

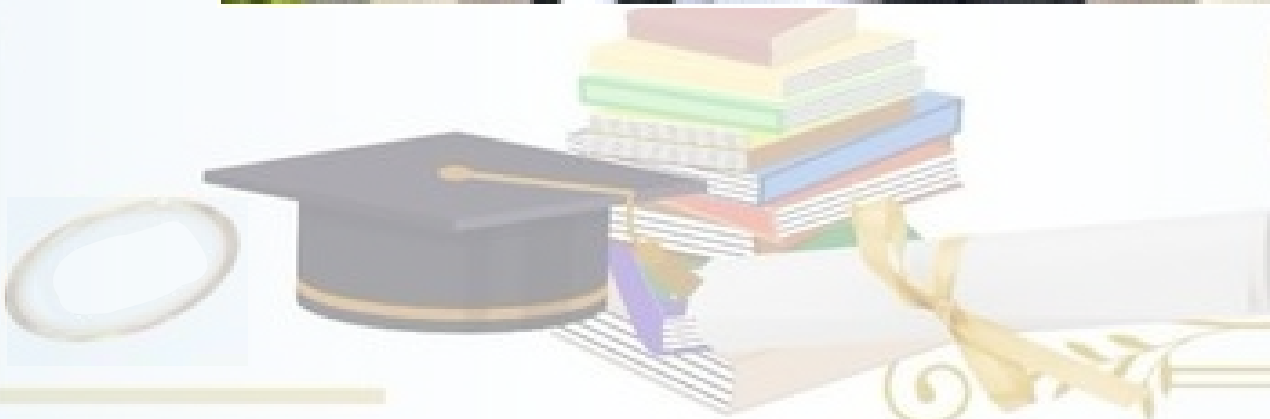
New session meetings (or kick-off/start-of-term meetings) are vital for aligning teams on new goals, setting clear expectations, and building team morale. They foster collaboration, allow for the identification of potential obstacles, and ensure everyone understands their role, reducing confusion and increasing efficiency. On 28th March, a meeting was conducted by Principal Sir to allocate duties in various fields as well as class inchargeship for the upcoming session 2026-27.

SELECTION IN CLAT

The Common Law Admission Test (CLAT) is the premier national-level Entrance Exam in India for admission to 25+ National Law Universities (NLUs) and various private law schools for undergraduate and postgraduate Law Programs. It is critical for securing elite legal education providing a standardized, merit-based, and highly competitive pathway to top-tier law careers.

In essence, CLAT is not merely an exam, but a vital stepping stone for students desiring a top-tier legal career in India, fostering skills necessary for success in Corporate Law, Litigation, and Public Service.

It's announced with pride that one of our student - Aaina Sharma secured an all India rank 385 in CLAT 2026, placing among the top candidates nationwide. It reflects her strong performance and dedication in one of India's most competitive law entrance exams. She is presently studying Law at Gujarat National Law University.





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