



# KADAM

*A stride forward...*

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**GOLDEN JUBILEE YEAR: - MARCH 2025 - MARCH 2026**

## INTER HOUSE SCIENCE QUIZ

On November 1, 2025 the Science Department of Ankur School organized an Inter-House Science Quiz for classes VI-VIII. The event saw enthusiastic participation from all the four houses. Winners-

**1st: Aster House**  
Ayansh Sharma (VI-A)  
Kaniva Sharma VII-B)  
Manvi (VIII-A)

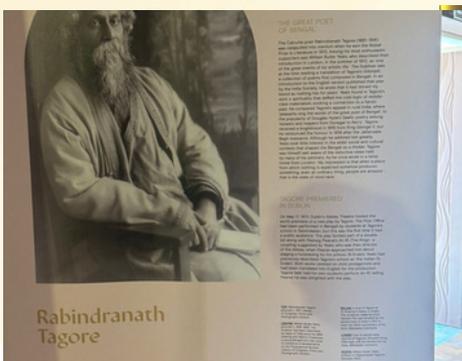
**2nd: Daffodil House**  
Kartik (VI-E)  
Abhishek Jangir (VII-C)  
Lakshya Sharma (VIII-D)

**3rd: Tulip House**  
Rehmatpreet Kaur Sandhu (VI-E)  
Neer (VII-B)  
Shaurya Thakur (VIII-E)



## STUDENTS EXPLORE INDIAN -IRISH RELATIONS

On November 3, 2025, the students of class X visited an exhibition on 'Indian-Irish Relations' at St. Stephen School, Togan. The exhibition highlighted the shared colonial history and the parallel struggles for freedom of India and Ireland. Students learned about key figures such as Rabindranath Tagore, Sister Nivedita and Annie Besant, who contributed to strengthening ties between the two nations. Important historical events, including the Irish Famine and the Jallianwala Bagh Massacre, were presented to draw meaningful comparisons. The exhibition also showcased cultural exchanges through films, documentaries, charts and photographs. The visit proved highly educational and inspiring, offering students a deeper understanding of the historical and cultural bond between India and Ireland.



## GURU PURAB CELEBRATED WITH REVERENCE AND DEVOTION

On November 4, 2025 Ankur School hosted a thematic assembly to commemorate Guru Purab, honouring the birth anniversary of Guru Nanak Dev Ji, the founder of Sikhism.

The assembly featured soulful prayers, hymns and thought-provoking speeches on Guru Nanak's teachings, emphasizing the importance of compassion, equality and service to humanity. Students participated enthusiastically showcasing their understanding of the Guru's message.

As part of the celebrations, prasad was distributed to students and staff, symbolizing the spirit of sharing and community bonding. The event fostered a sense of unity and reverence, inspiring students to embody Guru Nanak's principles in their daily lives.



## 11वां इंडिया अंतर्राष्ट्रीय विज्ञान उत्सव

8 नवंबर, 2025 – अंकुर स्कूल के विद्यार्थियों ने पंजाब विश्वविद्यालय, चंडीगढ़ के लॉ ऑडिटोरियम में आयोजित 11वें इंडिया अंतर्राष्ट्रीय विज्ञान उत्सव (IISF 2025) के शुरुआती प्रदर्शन (कर्टेन रैज़र) में भाग लिया। IISF 2025 का आयोजन भारत सरकार के पृथ्वी विज्ञान मंत्रालय द्वारा DST, DBT, CSIR, DoS, DAE और विज्ञान भारती (विभा) के सहयोग से किया जा रहा है। शुरुआती प्रदर्शन (कर्टेन रैज़र) समारोह ने मुख्य उत्सव की काउंट डाउन की शुरुआत को चिह्नित किया और विज्ञान एवं नवाचार के महत्त्व पर बल दिया।



## EDUCATIONAL TRIP TO BUTTERFLY PARK

Students of Classes V & VI visited the Butterfly Park, as part of their curriculum and to foster an appreciation for nature and biodiversity. This educational trip provided the young learners with a unique opportunity to explore and understand the life cycle of butterflies, their habitats and the importance of conservation. During the visit, the students had an engaging experience, learning about various butterfly species and observing them in their natural habitat. The trip was both enjoyable and informative, aiming to instill a sense of environmental awareness and responsibility among the students.



# SWARNIMOTSAV CELEBRATIONS AT ANKUR SCHOOL

## ANNUAL DAY : PRE-PRIMARY WING

The three day 'Swarnimotsav', the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Ankur School commenced on November 11, 2025. The first day celebrations began with Annual function of the Pre-Primary Wing. Ms. Radhika Singh, HCS, Director Tourism and Additional Director Higher Education, Chandigarh Administration, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

The highlight of the event was the presentation of the 'School Documentary', depicting its 50 years long journey. Many other performances like 'The Happiness Show', 'Id Mubarak' and 'Musical Odyssey' stole the show. The chief guest Ms. Radhika Singh HCS, congratulated the Principal and the school for 50 years of its accomplishment and successful journey.



## SWARNIMOTSAV : ANNUAL DAY PRIMARY WING

On November 12, 2025, the Primary Wing, celebrated its Annual Function marking the second day of the school's three-day 'Swarnimotsav' celebrations

The occasion was graced by Smt. Kala Ramachandran, IPS, Principal Secretary to the Government of Haryana, Department of Heritage and Tourism as the Chief Guest. The event began with a graceful Saraswati Vandana, invoking divine blessings, followed by a melodious welcome song by the students. The cultural presentations included an enthralling Puppet Show by the renowned puppeteer Mr. Subhashish Neogi, play on Freedom Fighters and Bhangra Musical that kept the audience captivated.

In her address, the chief guest Smt. Kala Ramachandran appreciated the school's efforts in promoting holistic education and providing platforms that nurture creativity, confidence and talent among students. Principal Ms. Aruna Dhiman lauded the dedication and artistry of students and teachers alike, emphasizing the importance of co-curricular activities in fostering all-round development.



# SWARNIMOTSAV : ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATIONS (SECONDARY WING)

On November 13, 2025, the senior wing hosted the final day of its Annual Function, Swarnimotsav, at Tagore Theatre, Chandigarh, in a grand celebration of the school's 50 glorious years. The event was graced by the presence of Chief Guest Mr. Sandeep Vig, President, Ankur School Management Committee. Highlight of the occasion was the release of the school's Coffee Table Book, a compilation of memorable moments and achievements from the past five decades. The programme featured a diverse range of performances, including a puppet show, dance tapestry, sangeet setu and gymnastics musical display, showcasing exceptional talents of the students and paid tribute to the school's rich legacy. In addition to the captivating performances, the event also witnessed the distribution of academic and sports awards to deserving students, recognizing their outstanding achievements and hard work throughout the year. The Chief Guest, Mr. Sandeep Vig, addressed the gathering, commending the efforts of the students and faculty and celebrating the school's remarkable journey over the past 50 years. The event reflected the school's commitment to fostering creativity, excellence and holistic development.



# CONSTITUTION DAY-HONOURING OUR FOUNDING VALUES

On November 27, 2025 Ankur School marked Constitution Day with an assembly celebrating the spirit of the Indian Constitution. The programme began with the hoisting of the national flag, followed by a collective reading of the Preamble, setting a reflective tone for the day. A student speaker delivered an inspiring speech, linking the core values of justice, liberty, equality and fraternity to everyday school life. The celebration concluded with the Constitution Day pledge reaffirming commitment to constitutional ideals.



## ਗੁਰਮਤਿ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਨਾਲ ਸੰਬੰਧਤ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਇੰਟਰ- ਹਾਊਸ ਕੁਇਜ਼ ਮੁਕਾਬਲਾ

28 ਨਵੰਬਰ, 2025 ਨੂੰ ਅੰਕੁਰ ਸਕੂਲ ਦੇ ਮਲਟੀ ਪਰਪਜ਼ ਹਾਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਗੁਰਮਤਿ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਨਾਲ ਸੰਬੰਧਤ ਇੰਟਰ-ਹਾਊਸ ਕੁਇਜ਼ ਮੁਕਾਬਲਾ ਕਰਵਾਇਆ ਗਿਆ। ਸਕੂਲ ਦੇ ਹਾਊਸਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਟੀਮ ਰਾਵੀ, ਬਿਆਸ, ਸਤਲੁਜ ਅਤੇ ਚਿਨਾਬ ਵਜੋਂ ਵੰਡਿਆ ਗਿਆ। ਮੁਕਾਬਲੇ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਾਰੇ ਪ੍ਰਤਿਯੋਗੀਆਂ ਨੇ ਉਤਸ਼ਾਹ ਨਾਲ ਭਾਗ ਲਿਆ ਪਰ ਟੀਮ ਚਿਨਾਬ ਦੇ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਹਰਬੀਰ ਕੌਰ (7ਵੀਂ) ਅਤੇ ਮਨਵੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ (8ਵੀਂ) ਨੇ ਸ਼ਾਨਦਾਰ ਪ੍ਰਦਰਸ਼ਨ ਕਰਦੇ ਹੋਏ ਜਿੱਤ ਦਰਜ ਕੀਤੀ। ਇਹ ਮੁਕਾਬਲਾ ਪਿੰ. ਅਰੁਣਾ ਧੀਮਾਨ ਜੀ ਦੀ ਦੇਖ-ਰੇਖ ਹੇਠ ਹੋਇਆ। ਕੋਆਰਡੀਨੇਟਰ ਸ਼੍ਰੀਮਤੀ ਜਯੋਤੀ ਸ਼ਰਮਾ ਜੀ ਨੇ ਬੱਚਿਆਂ ਦਾ ਹੌਸਲਾ ਵਧਾਇਆ। ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਨੇ ਇਸ ਪ੍ਰੋਗਰਾਮ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਬੱਚਿਆਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਗੁਰਮਤਿ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਪ੍ਰਤੀ ਰੁਚੀ ਪੈਦਾ ਕਰਨ ਦਾ ਯੋਗ ਯਤਨ ਕੀਤਾ।



## MATHS QUIZ

Ankur School, organized an Inter-House Mathematics Quiz Competition conducted by the Maths Department on 29th November, 2025 in the Multipurpose Hall of the school. School houses were divided into four teams 'The Number Ninjas', 'The Brainy Calculators', 'The Radical Thinkers', & 'The Calculus Crew'. All the contestants participated enthusiastically in the competition but the teams 'The calculus crew' (Primary wing) and 'The Brainy calculators' (Secondary wing) won and showed excellent performances.





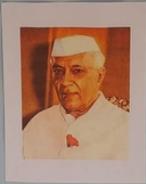
# ACTIVITIES OF THE MONTH - PRE-PRIMARY & PRIMARY

## CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

## THREADING THE BEADS

## SEED SOWING ACTIVITY

### HAPPY CHILDREN'S DAY



## ACCOLADES

## STATE-LEVEL PAINTING CONSERVATION

## PAINTING

## COMPETITION

## ON

## ENERGY

Hansika and Harshita of Class IX have been selected for the State Level Painting Competition on the theme "Energy Conservation," organized by Bhakra Beas Management Board (BBMB). Their outstanding creativity and awareness towards the theme have earned them selection for the next round, along with a cash award of ₹2000/- each. Their paintings beautifully conveyed the message of saving energy for a sustainable future. While Hansika's artwork highlighted the importance of switching to renewable sources, Harshita's painting creatively depicted the contrast between a world that conserves energy and one that wastes it.



# FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT



Ankur School's under-13 boys football team clinched the bronze medal at the Open Football Tournament held at Manimazra from November 29-30, 2025, showcasing exceptional skill, teamwork, and sportsmanship throughout the two-day event.

# TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT



On November 16, 2025, Aarav Sharma and Ridesh Sharma of Class-III won gold medals at the 10th Stepping Stones Open Taekwondo Championship 2025-26, held at Sports Complex, Sector 56, Chandigarh.

# CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP



Dishant, a Class IX student, won a silver medal as appreciation at the SGFI National Chess Championship held in Tripura. He topped his team's performance by winning 5 out of 6 games, the highest win count among all participants.

## ANKUR IN NEWS

### स्वर्णमोत्सव में 50 वर्षों की यादें हुईं ताजा

जागरण संवाददाता, चंडीगढ़ : सेक्टर-14 स्थित अंकुर स्कूल की सीनियर विंग ने वीरवार को टेगोर थिएटर में अपने तीन दिवसीय वार्षिक समारोह स्वर्णमोत्सव का समापन किया। इस समारोह का मुख्य आकर्षण विद्यालय की डाक्यूमेंट्री प्रस्तुति और 50 वर्षों की उपलब्धियों का संकलन प्रस्तुत करने वाली टेबल बुक का विमोचन रहा।

कार्यक्रम में छात्रों ने कठपुतली शो, नृत्य टेपेस्ट्री, संगीत सेतु, भंगड़ा और जिमनास्टिक जैसी रंगारंग प्रस्तुतियों से दर्शकों का मन मोह लिया। इसके साथ ही, शैक्षणिक और खेल उपलब्धियों में उत्कृष्ट प्रदर्शन करने वाले विद्यार्थियों को पुरस्कार से



कार्यक्रम के दौरान स्टूडेंट्स को सम्मानित किया गया। स्कूल विद्यार्थियों के प्रदर्शन की सराहना प्रधानाचार्या अरुणा घीमान ने करने हुए स्कूल को 50 वर्ष के विद्यार्थियों और शिक्षकों को



### बच्चों की प्रस्तुति देख अभिभावक हुए रोमांचित

प्रीयू कैंपस के अंकुर स्कूल में तीन दिवसीय स्वर्ण जयंती समारोह का आगाज

चंडीगढ़। चमक भूविहंगी के रूप में अंकुर स्कूल का तीन दिवसीय स्वर्ण जयंती स्वर्णमोत्सव शुरू हो चुका है। पहले दिन के समारोह की शुरुआत प्रि-प्रधानी विंग के वार्षिक समारोह से हुई। मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में एक्टर एवं अभिनेता निर्देशक तथा निर्माता परमवीर सिंह उपस्थित रहे। समारोह में बच्चों ने प्रस्तुति से समर्थन देते हुए। कुछ अभिभावक बच्चों को टेबलबुक रोमांचित हो गए। कार्यक्रम का मुख्य आकर्षण स्कूल डॉक्यूमेंट्री का प्रदर्शन का विशेष सत्र के 50 वर्षों की शैक्षणिक यात्रा को दर्शाता था। इसके अलावा नृत्य प्रदर्शन को भी प्रशंसा मिली।



अंकुर स्कूल के स्वर्ण जयंती समारोह के पहले दिन प्रस्तुति देने बच्चों को। स्कूल विद्यालय में प्रदर्शन के दौरान प्रधानाचार्या अरुणा घीमान एवं सचिव विद्यालय परियोजना के अध्यक्ष ने भी बच्चों को प्रशंसा की।

### एआई से तैयार गीत और लैंटर्न पपेट्स से नाटक मंच पर उतारा



20 दिनों में बनाए 75 पपेट्स

वीरवार को टेक्टर-18 के टैगोर थिएटर में 'स्वर्णमोत्सव 2025' के तहत नाटक द देवकी दिखा छात्रों को प्रेरित किया।



## ਕੱਲੂ ਦਾ ਚਮਕਦਾ ਚਿਹਰਾ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ



ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਹੋ ਸਕੂਲ ਦਾ ਚਮਕਦਾ ਸਿਤਾਰਾ, ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਬਿਨਾਂ ਅਧੂਰਾ ਇਹ ਸੰਸਾਰ ਸਾਰਾ। ਮਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਭਰ ਲਿਆਓ ਹਰ ਨਵਾਂ ਇਰਾਦਾ, ਮਿਹਨਤ ਨਾਲ ਪੂਰਾ ਹੋਏ ਹਰ ਖੁਆਬ ਤੁਹਾਡਾ। ਹਰ ਰੋਜ਼ ਸਿੱਖੋ, ਤੇ ਅੱਗੇ ਨੂੰ ਵੱਧਦੇ ਜਾਣਾ, ਨਵੇਂ ਗਿਆਨ ਦੀ ਰੋਸ਼ਨੀ ਹਰ ਪਾਸੇ ਫੈਲਾਣਾ। ਗਿਆਨ ਦੀਆਂ ਕਿਤਾਬਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਮਨ ਲਾ ਕੇ ਪੜ੍ਹਨਾ, ਫਿਰ ਹਰ ਮੁਕਾਮ ਨੂੰ ਹਾਸਿਲ ਕਰਕੇ, ਸਦਾ ਉੱਚਾ ਚੜ੍ਹਨਾ। ਆਪਣੇ ਗੁਰੂਆਂ ਦਾ ਹਰ ਹੁਕਮ ਮੰਨਣਾ ਹੈ, ਚੰਗੇ ਕਰਮਾਂ ਦਾ ਪੱਲਾ ਸਦਾ ਫੜ੍ਹਣਾ ਹੈ। ਇਹ ਵੇਲਾ ਹੈ ਤੁਹਾਡਾ, ਇਸ ਨੂੰ ਨਾ ਗਵਾਉਣਾ ਹੈ, ਹਰ ਮੌਕੇ ਨੂੰ ਸਫਲ ਬਣਾ ਕੇ, ਆਪਣਾ ਨਾਮ ਕਮਾਉਣਾ ਹੈ। ਤੁਸੀਂ ਹੋ ਕੱਲੂ ਦੇ ਸਿਤਾਰੇ ਵੀ, ਉਮੀਦ ਵੀ, ਸਕੂਲ ਦੀ ਰੱਖਣੀ ਹੈ ਹਮੇਸ਼ਾ ਦਿਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਯਾਦ ਵੀ। ਹਮੇਸ਼ਾ ਸ਼ੁਸ਼ੀਆਂ ਭਰੇ ਹੋਣ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਰਾਹ ਸਾਰੇ, ਚਮਕਦੇ ਰਹੋ ਜਿਉਂ ਅੰਬਰ ਦੇ ਤਾਰ ਤਾਰੇ। ਰੀਚਾ ਗਰਗ (ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਵਿਭਾਗ) ਅੰਕੁਰ ਸਕੂਲ

