



School Annual Report: Academic Year 2025-26

Celebrations are not just about festivities; they are an integral part of a well-rounded education, contributing to students' social, emotional, and academic development, while also fostering a positive and inclusive school environment. Celebrations in schools are crucial for fostering a positive and engaging learning environment. They offer a break from routine, boost school spirit, promote social skills, and enhance cultural awareness, contributing to students' holistic development.

1. Rajmata Jijau Smriti Din- Friday, 20th June 2025

Rajmata Jijau Smriti Din was observed in V.J. International school on 20th June 2025 to pay tribute to the great mother and visionary, Rajmata Jijabai. Students were briefed about her life, values and contribution to shaping Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's ideals. The programme helped students understand the importance of courage, leadership and patriotism. The observance was meaningful and inspiring.

2. International Yoga Day-Saturday, 21st June 2025

International Yoga Day was celebrated in V. J. International school on 21st June 2025 with enthusiasm and awareness. Students and teachers participated in a yoga session and practised various asanas and breathing exercises. The programme highlighted the importance of yoga for physical fitness, mental peace and a healthy lifestyle. The celebration was refreshing and inspiring.

3. Dindi Celebration – Saturday :5th July 2025

Dindi was celebrated with devotion and enthusiasm at V.J. International School on 5th July 2025. Students dressed in traditional attire participated in the Dindi procession, singing abhangs and chanting the names of Lord Vitthal. The programme helped students understand the spiritual and cultural significance of the Wari tradition. The celebration created a joyful and devotional atmosphere in the school campus.

4. Guru Pournima Celebration- Thursday, 10th July 2025

Guru Pournima was celebrated in our school on 10th July 2025 with devotion and enthusiasm. The programme highlighted the importance of gurus and teachers in shaping students' lives.

As a special activity, **Mātrū Pūjan** was organized to help students understand the role of mothers as their first teachers. Students offered flowers and expressed gratitude to their mothers, creating an atmosphere of respect and emotional bonding.

Teachers guided the students and shared the significance of respecting parents and teachers in daily life. The celebration helped inculcate values of gratitude, respect and cultural awareness among students.

The programme concluded successfully with a message to uphold these values in everyday life.

5. Kargil Vijay Diwas & Investiture Ceremony, Friday, 25th July 2025

Kargil Vijay Diwas was solemnly observed in our school on 25th July 2025 to pay tribute to the brave soldiers who sacrificed their lives for the nation. Students were informed about the significance of the Kargil War and the courage and patriotism displayed by the Indian Armed Forces. The programme instilled a sense of national pride and gratitude among students.

On the same occasion, the **Investiture Ceremony** of the newly elected Students' Council was conducted. The elected members were formally entrusted with their responsibilities and administered the oath of commitment and leadership. The ceremony emphasized the values of discipline, responsibility and service.

The day was meaningful and inspiring, encouraging students to become responsible citizens and future leaders.

6. World Nature Conservation Day, Monday, 28th July 2025

World Nature Conservation Day was observed during the school assembly on 28th July 2025. Students were made aware of the importance of conserving natural resources and protecting the environment. A short speech and informative presentation highlighted the need to save water, reduce waste and promote sustainable practices. The programme encouraged students to take responsibility for preserving nature for future generations.

7. Nag Panchami Celebration

Nag Panchami was celebrated in our school with cultural enthusiasm and traditional spirit. Students were made aware of the significance of the festival and its importance in Indian culture.

On this occasion, a **Mehendi drawing activity** was organized for the Pre-Primary students. The little ones participated joyfully and displayed their creativity through beautiful designs. The activity added colour and excitement to the celebration.

The programme helped students understand cultural values while enjoying a creative experience.

8. Lokmanya Tilak Punyatithi

Lokmanya Tilak Punyatithi was observed during the school assembly with respect and remembrance. Students were informed about the life, contributions and patriotic spirit of Lokmanya Bal Gangadhar Tilak. His famous slogan, "Swaraj is my birthright and I shall have it," was highlighted to inspire students with values of courage and nationalism.

The observance encouraged students to develop a sense of responsibility and dedication towards the nation.

9. Ganesh Idol Making Activity, Saturday, 2nd August 2025

A Ganesh Idol Making Activity was conducted in our school on 2nd August 2025 with great enthusiasm. Students actively participated in preparing eco-friendly Ganesh idols using clay and natural materials. The activity aimed to promote creativity as well as awareness about environmental conservation.

Teachers guided the students throughout the process and explained the importance of celebrating festivals in an eco-friendly manner. The activity was both educational and enjoyable, encouraging artistic skills and environmental responsibility among students.

10. Independence Day & Dahi Hundi Celebration, Friday, 15th August 2025

The 79th Independence Day was celebrated with great patriotism and enthusiasm in our school on 15th August 2025. The programme commenced with the unfurling of the National Flag, followed by the National Anthem. Students presented patriotic speeches, songs and cultural performances, remembering the sacrifices of our freedom fighters and expressing pride in our nation.

Following the Independence Day programme, a joyful **Dahi Handi celebration** was organized. Students enthusiastically participated in the traditional event, symbolizing unity, teamwork and cultural heritage. The celebration added festive spirit and excitement to the day. The combined celebration instilled both national pride and cultural values among students, making the day memorable and meaningful.

11. Teacher's Day Celebration, Thursday, 4th September 2025

(Celebrated on 4th September 2025)

Teacher's Day was celebrated in our school on 4th September 2025, as 5th September was declared a holiday on account of Eid-e-Milad. The programme was organized to express gratitude and respect towards teachers for their dedication and guidance.

Students presented speeches, songs and small performances to honour their teachers. Some students also took the initiative to conduct classes, experiencing the responsibility of teaching. The celebration created a joyful and appreciative atmosphere in the school.

The programme concluded with a message highlighting the importance of teachers in shaping the future of society.

12. Ozone Day Celebration, Tuesday, 16th September 2025

World Ozone Day was observed during the school assembly on 16th September 2025. Students were informed about the importance of the ozone layer in protecting life on Earth and the need to reduce harmful environmental practices.

A short speech and awareness message emphasized the importance of conserving energy, reducing pollution and protecting the environment. The observance encouraged students to adopt eco-friendly habits and contribute towards a healthier planet.

The programme was informative and meaningful.

13. Diwali Celebration, Thursday, 16th October 2025

Diwali was celebrated in our school on 16th October 2025 with joy and traditional spirit. During the programme, students were informed about the significance of the five days of Diwali — Dhanteras, Naraka Chaturdashi, Lakshmi Pujan, Padwa and Bhau Beej — and the values associated with each day.

Teachers explained the importance of cleanliness, prosperity, gratitude, family bonding and the victory of good over evil. Students participated enthusiastically in festive activities, creating a joyful atmosphere in the school.

The celebration emphasized celebrating Diwali in an eco-friendly and safe manner, spreading light, happiness and positivity.

14. Children's Day Celebration, Friday, 14th November 2025

Children's Day was celebrated with joy and enthusiasm in our school on 14th November 2025. The day was dedicated to honouring the innocence, creativity and talents of our students.

On this occasion, educational and entertaining films were shown section-wise, carefully selected according to the age group of students. The films carried meaningful messages and provided both enjoyment and learning.

Teachers addressed the students, highlighting the importance of Children's Day and the values promoted by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. The celebration created a cheerful and memorable experience for all the students.

15. Constitution Day Celebration, Wednesday, 26th November 2025

Constitution Day was observed in the school assembly on 26th November 2025 to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India. Students were informed about the significance of the day and the importance of the Constitution in guiding the nation.

The Preamble of the Constitution was read aloud collectively, reinforcing the values of justice, liberty, equality and fraternity. A short speech highlighted the rights and duties of citizens and the importance of respecting democratic principles.

The observance helped students develop awareness about their responsibilities as responsible citizens of India.

16. Annual Cultural Function, Friday, 12th December 2025

The Annual Cultural Function was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 12th December 2025. The programme was based on the inspiring theme of **Environmental Awareness and Spreading Kindness**.

Students presented various cultural performances including dances, skits, songs and speeches that highlighted the importance of protecting nature, conserving resources and promoting compassion in society. The performances beautifully conveyed messages of responsibility towards the environment and the need to spread positivity and kindness in everyday life.

It was heartening to note that nearly **80% of the students actively participated** in the programme, making the event vibrant and inclusive. The function showcased the talents, creativity and confidence of the students while reinforcing strong social values.

The Annual Cultural Function was a grand success and left a lasting impact on all present.

17. National Mathematics Day Celebration, Monday, 22nd December 2025

National Mathematics Day was observed in the school assembly on 22nd December 2025 to commemorate the birth anniversary of the great mathematician Srinivasa Ramanujan. Students were made aware of his remarkable contributions to the field of mathematics.

A short speech highlighted the importance of mathematics in daily life and encouraged students to develop logical thinking and problem-solving skills. The celebration inspired students to appreciate the beauty and significance of mathematics.

The programme was informative and meaningful.

18. Christmas Celebration, Wednesday, 24th December 2025

Christmas was celebrated with joy and festive spirit in our school on 24th December 2025. The campus was beautifully decorated, creating a cheerful and warm atmosphere.

Students were informed about the significance of Christmas and the message of love, peace and kindness taught by Jesus Christ. Various activities such as singing carols, speeches and festive performances were conducted, adding excitement to the celebration.

The programme emphasized the values of sharing, caring and spreading happiness. The celebration was joyful and memorable for all the students.

19. Sports Week and Annual Sports Day,

Sports Week: 9th October to 14th October 2025

Annual Sports Day: 15th October 2025

Sports Week was conducted in our school from 9th October to 14th October 2025 with great enthusiasm and sportsmanship. Various indoor and outdoor games were organized for different classes, encouraging students to participate actively and showcase their physical abilities and team spirit.

Students enthusiastically took part in track events, team games and fun activities, promoting fitness, discipline and cooperation. The week fostered healthy competition and unity among students.

The **Annual Sports Day** was celebrated on 15th October 2025. The event included march past, athletic competitions and prize distribution. The programme highlighted the importance of physical fitness and sports in overall development.

The celebrations concluded successfully, motivating students to adopt a healthy and active lifestyle.