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NEWSLETTER

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2026**

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ACCOLADES

Grade 10 First Board Examination 2026 Toppers

Congratulations!



SREEJANI BHADURI
(First)
99.6%



SREYAN PANDA
(Second)
98.8%



ARHAM GADA
(Third)
98.4%

SPOTLIGHT

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

ENGLISH - 100%



Aditya Janardhanan



Arham Gada

FRENCH - 100%



Aakarsh Jauhri



Ahil Gurubaran

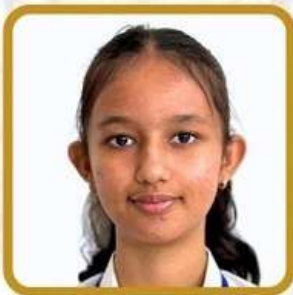


Anasuya Ramakrishnan

SPOTLIGHT

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

FRENCH - 100%



Avni Gupta



Avyukt Shyam Menon



Kavya Bhatia



Maya Bhat



Pranjal Agarwal



Rhea Mehrotra



Saanvi Lalwani



Saiful Haque



Shaurya Shekhar
Prasad

LAURELS

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

FRENCH - 100%



Shivansh Goyal



Snehil Prusty



Sreejani Bhaduri



Aarush Keerthivasan

SANSKRIT - 100%



Aditi Gopinath



Ananya Daga



Ananya Ray



Arham Gada

LAURELS

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

SANSKRIT - 100%



**Balunaini Lakshmi
Sahasra**



**Gautami Hemanth
Magal**



**Gowri Hema
Ravikiran**



Manasvini Rau



Nandika Mittal



Naomi Davis



Naysa Chhabra



Parinitha Bhyrav Kumar



Sachit Bhujang

ACCOLADES

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

SANSKRIT - 100%



Sreyan Panda



Tarika Vaitheeswaran



Vaishakh Vipin

STANDARD MATH - 100%



Reyaansh Agrawal



Sreejani Bhaduri



Vaishakh Vipin

LAURELS

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

SCIENCE - 100%



Avyukt Shyam Menon



Isheetta Nayak



Nandika Mittal

SOCIAL STUDIES - 100%



Sreejani Bhaduri



Sreyan Panda

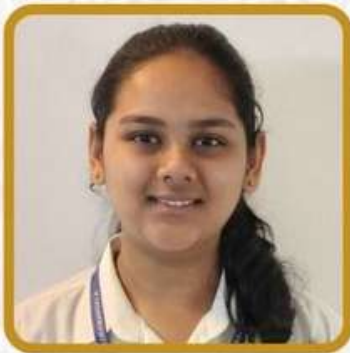


Uwais Ahmed

ACCOLADES

GRADE 10 FIRST BOARD EXAMINATION 2026 SUBJECT TOPPERS

HINDI - 98%



Anshika Sonthalia



Uwais Ahmed

BASIC MATHS - 73%



Ridhima Basistha



Shradha Vasanth

SPOTLIGHT

SSCE (Grade 12) Board Examination 2026 Science Toppers



AANVI MANISH
(First)
98.8%



ADWAIT AMIT RANADE
(Second)
98.6%



MAHESHWAR M
(Second)
98.6%



SAMARTH UMASHANKAR
(Third)
98.4%

HONOURS

SSCE (Grade 12) Board Examination 2026 Commerce Toppers



AARYAN BIYANI
(First)
96.4%



RHEA GEORGE
(First)
96.4%



SHUBHANG RISHIKESH KUTTAN
(Second)
94.8%



RAAHIL PRAKASH
(Third)
94.6%

HONOURS

SSCE (Grade 12) 2026 Subject Toppers CHEMISTRY - 100%



AANVI MANISH



**ADWAIT
AMIT RANADE**



MAHESHWAR M



**SAMARTH
UMASHANKAR**

HONOURS

SSCE (Grade 12) 2026 Subject Toppers

COMPUTER SCIENCE - 100%



**ADWAIT
AMIT RANADE**



DEVANSH LAL



MAHESHWAR M

BIOLOGY - 100%



AANVI MANISH



SAMARTH D GOWDA

EXCELLENCE

SSCE (Grade 12) 2026 Subject Toppers

MATHEMATICS - 100%



TARUN GURUPRASAD

ENGLISH - 99%



ANVI GARG



M K RITHIKA SHREE



NIRVIK DEY



PALAK AGARWAL



VEER BANTHIA

EXCELLENCE

SSCE (Grade 12) 2026 Subject Toppers

BUSINESS STUDIES - 99%



**ANUSHKA
MEHRA**



SAYALI GURAV



**SHUBHANG
RISHIKESH KUTTAN**

ACCOUNTANCY - 99%



AARYAN BIYANI



RHEA GEORGE

EXCELLENCE

SSCE (Grade 12) 2026 Subject Toppers

PHYSICS - 99%



SAMEER KRISHNA

ECONOMICS - 97%



PALAK AGARWAL



RHEA GEORGE

EXCELLENCE

SSCE (Grade 12) 2026 Subject Toppers

APPLIED MATH - 96%



KHUSHI AGARWAL

PSYCHOLOGY - 96%



SHREYA SETHURAMAN

ENTREPRENEURSHIP - 95%



ASHMITHA SRINIVAS

STELLAR SUCCESS

UNIVERSITY PLACEMENTS

Class of 2026

Based on data available at the time of compilation

NAME	UNIVERSITY
Aakanksh Bajpai	National University of Juridical Sciences
Aanya Jain	Krea University
Aarush Rajendra Jain	New York University
Aaryan Biyani	Christ University
Aditi Vishal	Christ University
Aditya Durgadas	Delft University Of Technology, Netherlands
Anirudh Srinivas	Boston University
Anushka Mehra	University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Aryamaan Raj Budhia	Azim Premji University
Aryannsh Batra	University of Leeds
Aurit Dutta	St. Joseph's College of Commerce

STELLAR SUCCESS

UNIVERSITY PLACEMENTS

Class of 2026

Based on data available at the time of compilation

NAME	UNIVERSITY
Ayura Subhash	Srishti Manipal Institute
Ayush Sundaram Iyer	University of Warwick
Devansh Lal	University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Hamza Khan	University of Toronto
Hiya Bansal	FLAME University
Jacob Thomas Maliekel	Vellore Institute of Technology
Kashvi Pathania	Ashoka University
Kavya Jain	Plaksha University
Khushi Agarwal	Durham University

STELLAR SUCCESS

UNIVERSITY PLACEMENTS

Class of 2026

Based on data available at the time of compilation

NAME	UNIVERSITY
Lasya Guha	BITS Law School
Meghna Puthal	University of Toronto
Nishant Ray	NMIMS University Mumbai
Oisika Das	NMIMS University Mumbai
Palak Agarwal	St. Joseph's College of Commerce
Raahil Prakash	Azim Premji University
Rajit Ramesh Pai	Christ University
Rhea George	National University Singapore
Riddhi Gupta	Christ university
Rutv Tej Sud	Vellore Institute Of Technology

STELLAR SUCCESS

UNIVERSITY PLACEMENTS

Class of 2026

Based on data available at the time of compilation

NAME	UNIVERSITY
Sahana Srivatsan	BITS Law School
Sameer Krishna	University of Massachusetts Amherst
Sayali Gurav	Christ University
Simrun Kaushik	Manipal Academy of Higher Education
Suhaani Roy	King's College London
Vandana Ranjith	Azim Premji University
Veer Banthia	BITS Law School
Vidhita Subramaniam	KREA University

STELLAR SUCCESS

Anvay Varshney (Grade 10C) secured Rank 1 in the Continent Zone at the Unified International Cyber Olympiad (UICO) 2025–26. He also led his team to victory at the MATE ROV National Championship held on 16–17 May 2026.

As National Champions, the team will represent India at the MATE ROV World Championship in Canada, competing against teams from over 40 countries. Their achievement has earned sponsorship from Oceaneering India, the Indian arm of a leading global ROV engineering company.



Aarav Vedhanayagam (Grade 9C) is a member of Team Sigma (FRC Team 9692), a robotics team that competes in the FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC).

In March 2026, Team Sigma achieved historic success at the Marmara and Avrasya Regionals in Istanbul, winning the FIRST Impact Award—the highest honour in FRC and the first ever won by an Indian team—as well as the Engineering Inspiration Award. The team also finished as Regional Finalists, earning qualification for the FIRST World Championship 2026 in Houston, Texas.

At the World Championship, Aarav contributed as part of Team Sigma, helping the team secure the Team Sustainability Award. Team Sigma emerged as the highest-performing Indian team at the championship and the only Indian team to win an award, marking a significant milestone for Indian robotics.



STELLAR SUCCESS

Sohham Joshi (Grade 12A) achieved a perfect score of 1600/1600 on the SAT, an exceptional accomplishment that reflects outstanding academic ability and preparation. He also earned a Silver Medal in the Singapore and Asian Schools Math Olympiad (SASMO), placing among the top 12% of participants and demonstrating his strong aptitude in mathematics.



Suhani Agarwal (Grade 12C) participated in the National-Level Debate Championship conducted by Harvard World Schools in Jaipur, where she was ranked the 7th Best Speaker among over 250 participants from 80 teams across India.

She subsequently represented Team India at the Harvard World Schools International Debate Championship held at Harvard University, Boston, from 3–6 April 2026, and was ranked 27th speaker worldwide among 180 participants.



Student Author

Ridhimaa Basistha (Grade 11C) has authored and published a fantasy novel for young adults titled **The Veilwalk**. The book is available on Amazon Kindle and through the Notion Press Store.



STELLAR SUCCESS

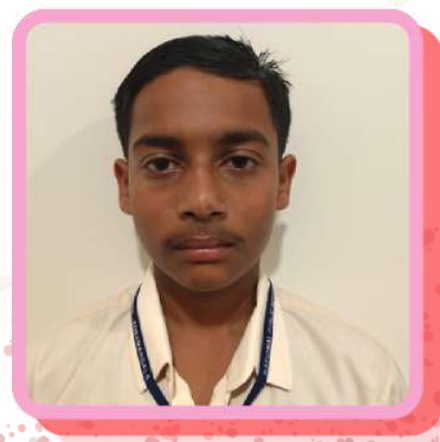
Sana N Ahmed (Grade 10B) participated in the Future Founder Summer Program conducted by the Mesa School of Business. As a member of Team Azuri (Imitation Silver Jewellery), she contributed to achieving the highest revenue of ₹2,63,000 during the programme. She was part of the student-led entrepreneurial venture that involved product development, marketing and sales. Her team received four awards: Highest Revenue, Crossing One Lakh Revenue Milestone, 2nd Best Team Introduction and Most B2B Deals.



Adhrit Saha (Grade 7A) qualified for the Singapore International Mathematical Olympiad Challenge (SIMOC) 2026 after securing a Bronze Medal in the Singapore and Asian Schools Math Olympiad (SASMO).



Vivaan Puthal (Grade 9A) earned multiple accolades during the summer break. He won a Bronze Medal in the Copernicus Math Olympiad, a Bronze Medal in the Spirit of Math Contest, and a Silver Medal in the Singapore and Asian Schools Math Olympiad (SASMO).



STELLAR SUCCESS

Geetanjali Chidambaram (Grade 9A)

participated in the 1M1B Future Leaders Program and was shortlisted for the 9th 1M1B Activate Impact Summit at the United Nations, Geneva, in November 2025. She presented Project Pyarid, an initiative focused on making menstrual education more inclusive, and was recognised among the Top 13 participants at the summit.



Three students of our school brought laurels through their outstanding performance in the TERI Green Olympiad conducted on 7 November 2025.

Abhishree (Grade 6D) secured an impressive 98% and was awarded a Certificate of Distinction, while **S V Adhiyan (Grade 7A)** achieved 82% and also received a Certificate of Distinction. **Vedarth D Sawant (Grade 10A)** scored 74% and earned a Certificate of Merit, making the school proud with their commendable achievement.



STELLAR SUCCESS

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Esprit De Corps



On 4 April 2026, our Boys' and Girls' basketball teams participated in the Esprit De Corps VC Cup (Vice Chairman Cup) organised by TTA. The tournament featured nine teams across the boys' and girls' categories and was conducted in a knockout, single-elimination format.

The Grade 10 Girls' Basketball Team secured the runners-up position, narrowly losing the final to NPS HSR. The team displayed exceptional grit, determination, and sportsmanship throughout the tournament.

STELLAR SUCCESS

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Prakaash Sarran (Grade 12 C) won the doubles title at the ITF J60 Junior Tennis Tournament held in Gurgaon from 9–14 March 2026. The tournament featured participants from several countries, including Australia, the USA, Hong Kong, Indonesia, and India.

Prakaash Sarran (Grade 12 C) emerged as both the singles and doubles champion at the ITF J30 Tournament held in Kampala, Uganda, from 25–30 May 2026. This marks his first international singles title and his first doubles title won outside India. In the singles event, he defeated players from Uganda, Ireland, Kenya, France, and Japan, overcoming the Japanese player in the final.



STELLAR SUCCESS

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Prachi Nagar (Grade 12C) participated in the Kochi Swimathon Ultra on 12 April 2026, completing a challenging 10-kilometre open-water swim in the Periyar River, Kochi. Widely regarded as the swimming equivalent of a marathon, the event demands exceptional endurance and determination. Prachi secured 10th place in her category with a timing of 5 hours 24 minutes.



Adrish Mandal (Grade 9A) reached the finals of the Boys Under-14 Doubles Tennis event at the Boys National U14 Tennis Championship Series held in April 2026, showcasing excellent skill and competitiveness at the national level.



Nidhi Lalwani (Grade 7B) successfully completed a High-Altitude Himalayan Trek at an elevation of **12,550 feet**. Through experiential learning activities, she demonstrated resilience and determination by overcoming challenging terrain and extreme weather conditions to reach the summit.



STELLAR SUCCESS

IIT MADRAS

Our school partnered with IIT Madras last year for their School Connect Programme. As part of this programme, 21 students of Grade 10 and 12 students earned certificates at three levels- Participation, Completion and Appreciation.

Appreciation + Course Completion Certificates

Names	Course
Shlok Alva	Fundamentals of Aerospace
Chitrangada Bhat	Fundamentals of Aerospace
Guhan Annamalai	Math Unplugged: Games & Puzzles
Trisha Chintan Shah	Economics, Finance, and Money Matters
Hansini Prasanna	Introduction to Law

Appreciation + Participation/Completion (Mixed Category)

Names	Course
Aahana Agarwal	Economics, Finance, and Money Matters
Anvita Chandrashekar	Economics, Finance, and Money Matters

Course Completion Certificates

Names	Course
Anmol Mathur	Introduction to Electronic Systems
Jayanth D S	Fundamentals of Aerospace
Kapil Kalidasan	Introduction to Data Science & AI
Suhani Agarwal	Introduction to Data Science & AI
Vachan Vishwanath	Introduction to Data Science & AI
Dhithi Mahendra Reddy	Introduction to Chemical Engineering
Ahil Gurubaran	Fundamentals of Aerospace
Tarun Guruprasad	Economics, Finance, and Money Matters

STELLAR SUCCESS

IIT MADRAS

सहभागिता Participation Certificates

Names

Arjun Sahai
Aditya Janardhanan
Akshara Bhatia
Anshika Sonthalia
Naomi Davis

Course

Introduction to Chemical Engineering
Fundamentals of Aerospace
Fundamentals of Aerospace
Introduction to Law
Introduction to Engineering Biological Systems

REOPENING DAY



REOPENING DAY ADDRESS MARKS A PROMISING START TO THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2026–27

The new academic year 2026–27 began on a cheerful and enthusiastic note as students of Grades 1–8 returned to school on 3 June 2026. The Principal, Ms. Jyotsna Nair warmly welcomed the students, while noting that the academic session for Grades 9–12 had already commenced on 25 May 2026. The assembly began with a series of humorous and relatable memes that served as an engaging icebreaker, drawing laughter from the students and setting a positive tone for the day.

In her address, the principal appreciated the students' participation in the Summer Reading Programme, encouraging them to continue cultivating the habit of reading and maintaining records of the books they read. She also shared the school's outstanding Grade 10 and Grade 12 board examination results, inspiring students to strive for excellence.



The principal also gave a glimpse of the exciting events planned for the year, including Environment Day celebrations, Pravaha 2026 – the University Fair, and several other enriching events. Success stories of students during the summer break were shared, and students and teachers with 100% attendance were felicitated.

Highlighting the school's commitment to holistic development, the principal introduced various academic, co-curricular and extracurricular opportunities available to students. These included a Scientific Research Programme, a newly launched Robotics Club, and a range of activities in music and sports. Students were encouraged to enrol in programmes that matched their interests and aptitudes.



The address concluded with two thought-provoking videos conveying the importance of understanding people beyond first impressions and using one's success to make a positive difference in society. The principal summed up the address by extending her best wishes for a productive and fulfilling academic year.

STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTIONS

2026-27



With the commencement of the academic year 2026-27, the school conducted elections for the posts of School Prefect and House Captains on 1st April 2026 and 2nd June 2026, respectively.

The elections provided students with an opportunity to participate in a democratic process and exercise their right to vote. Candidates campaigned enthusiastically, presenting their manifestos and sharing their vision for the school community. The polling process was conducted in a fair and transparent manner, with both students and teachers participating actively. Voters signed the electoral roll, had their fingers inked, and cast their votes through a secret electronic ballot.

Following the completion of polling, the much-awaited results were announced by the Principal, Ms Jyotsna Nair.

School Prefect

- Prachi Nagar (12C)

House Captains

- **Challengers House** – Shivank Jaiswal (12A)
- **Explorers House** – Adya Mishra (12A)
- **Pioneers House** – Joshua Jacob Jinu (12C)
- **Voyagers House** – Arav Jaluka (12B)

The elections concluded on a celebratory note, with the newly elected student leaders receiving congratulations and best wishes from their peers and teachers as they prepared to take on their responsibilities for the year ahead.

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

The Investiture Ceremony 2026-27, held on 18 June 2026 at NPS Koramangala, marked a significant milestone in the school calendar as young leaders formally assumed their roles and responsibilities. The occasion celebrated not only achievement but also the values of service, integrity, and commitment that define exemplary leadership.

The ceremony was graced by the Guest of Honour, Mrs. Sumitra Nithin, Director of Natyasaruti, a renowned institution for Bharatanatyam and Carnatic music, in the esteemed presence of Principal Ms. Jyotsna Nair and the Vice Principals. The event commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp, followed by a soulful prayer rendered by students of Grades 6-12.



Mrs. Sumitra Nithin, an acclaimed national and international artiste and the proud parent of two distinguished NPS Koramangala alumni- Vikram Nitin and Abhiram Nitin- delivered an inspiring address. Drawing upon experiences from her own life, she spoke about the importance of empathy, creativity, resilience, and social harmony in leadership. Encouraging students to adopt a growth mindset, she also cautioned them against the distractions and pitfalls of social media.

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

The auditorium, charged with anticipation and excitement, erupted in applause as the names of the newly elected Student Council for 2026–27 were announced. Eighty-six deserving students received their prestigious golden badges from the Guest of Honour, the Principal Ms. Jyotsna Nair, and the Vice Principal Ms. Suhita Nandy. Adding a unique touch to the ceremony, Ms. Nandy celebrated the new leaders through a thoughtful poem, highlighting that leadership is not merely a position of authority but a commitment to uplifting others while growing in character and purpose.



The cultural segment added vibrancy to the occasion. Students of Grades 7 and 8 presented a spirited dance performance dedicated to Lord Ganesha and his vahana, Mushaka, while students of Grades 6–9 delivered a stirring rendition of Rachel Platten's Fight Song, a globally recognised anthem of resilience and self-belief.



The ceremonial handover of the School Flag, the Sports Flag and the House flags by the Principal symbolised the transfer of responsibility, honour, and legacy to the newly elected leaders.

On behalf of the Student Council, the newly elected School Prefect, Prachi Nagar, administered the oath of office and pledged to uphold the values of the school with sincerity, dedication, and teamwork. In her maiden address, she expressed gratitude for the nurturing environment provided by the school and promised to foster unity and meaningful student engagement. The presence of alumni added a special warmth to the celebrations, reinforcing the enduring bond shared by generations of NPS Koramangala students. The ceremony was followed by friendly matches between the senior students and alumni, bringing the memorable occasion to a joyful close.



WORLD MUSIC & YOGA DAY



Marking a soulful blend of mindfulness and melody, International Yoga Day and World Music Day were observed with great enthusiasm and artistic fervour at NPS Koramangala on 24th June 2026. The programme beautifully highlighted the harmony between yoga and music, two timeless practices that nurture physical well-being, emotional balance, and inner peace.

The event commenced with the chanting of a sacred shloka accompanied by a graceful presentation of Chandra Namaskar, setting a serene and reflective tone for the celebration. Students then captivated the audience with a vibrant selection of Indian musical performances, including Phirse, Aadiyilalo Anthamilalo, and the spirited Boat Song. A moving instrumental rendition of The Best of Times by Grade 11 students further showcased the depth of musical talent within the school.

A video presentation on Maharishi Patanjali offered insights into the life and teachings of the revered sage, followed by an impressive yoga demonstration by students of Grades 6 and 7, who displayed remarkable flexibility, coordination, and discipline.



The celebration was enriched by soulful performances from the faculty members Ms. Roopa Keshava Raman and Ms Pooja Majumdar while students enthralled the audience with Western classics such as Clocks and Bohemian Rhapsody. A special highlight was the award-winning teachers' band performance that had earlier secured first place at the Battle of the Bands competition hosted by the TISB Training Academy (TTA).



The programme concluded with a guided meditation session, leaving everyone with a profound sense of calm, gratitude, and well-being.



PRAVAHA 2026 UNIVERSITY FAIR



NPS Koramangala successfully hosted Pravaha 2026, a mega University Fair on 8th June 2026. The fair brought together about 80 universities from 16 countries under one roof. A collaborative initiative across NPS campuses, the event offered students and parents a valuable platform to explore higher education opportunities and engage directly with university delegates from around the world.

Derived from the Sanskrit word meaning a *continuous flow*, Pravaha aptly reflected the spirit of the event—a coming together of aspirations, ideas, and possibilities. The campus was abuzz with interaction as participants explored academic programmes, admission processes, scholarships, and global study options.

The fair provided a unique opportunity for students and parents from Grades 8-12 to gain firsthand insight, seek guidance, and make informed decisions about future academic pathways. Meaningful discussions with university delegates helped broaden perspectives and deepen understanding of the evolving higher education landscape.



The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, parents, educators, and delegates, creating an atmosphere of curiosity, learning, and collaboration. Pravaha 2026 concluded on a highly positive note, leaving participants better informed, inspired, and more confident about the choices that lie ahead.

NEW STUDENTS' INTRODUCTION

An introduction session for the newly admitted students was held on 9th June. The session offered the new entrants an opportunity to introduce themselves to their peers and teachers thus enabling all present to become better acquainted with the newest members of the institution.

Each student came forward and shared a brief introduction, speaking about their previous school, hobbies, interests and their newly assigned school Houses. The session concluded with a brief address by the Principal. This experience marked a significant first step in the new students' assimilation into the school community by cultivating a spirit of camaraderie and belonging.



CLASS ASSEMBLY

10A- ENVIRONMENT DAY



On June 5, 2026, Class 10A presented a thought-provoking morning assembly to mark the occasion of World Environment Day.

The programme commenced with an insightful speech by HOD English Department, Ms Usha Unnikrishnan on Kanso—the Japanese philosophy of simplicity and mindful living. This concept invited students to reflect on how conscious restraint can foster a highly sustainable lifestyle.

The assembly unfolded with a compelling dystopian skit depicting a future where severe air pollution endangered human survival. Personified pollutants revealed the dire consequences of unchecked human activity, while current news headlines effectively connected the fictional narrative to contemporary environmental concerns.



Following the drama, an impassioned speech reminded the audience that time remains to alter our trajectory through mindful choices. An interactive quiz on environmental awareness further reinforced these themes of redemption. Carried forward by a graceful classical dance and an inspiring song, the event culminated in a collective pledge to actively protect and preserve the environment.



CLASS ASSEMBLY

10B- CAN YOU HEAR THE MUSIC?



The 10B assembly on 30th June titled *Can You Hear the Music?* was a heartwarming presentation that celebrated the emotional power of music through a blend of drama, dance, and interactive elements. The assembly began with Ms. Jenita Maria Dunn, Faculty, Department of Fine Arts, encouraging all the students to use music as a healthy way to cope with life's challenges instead of turning to distractions like social media.

After weeks of dedicated preparation, the class presented a moving story of a family navigating stress, responsibilities, and a grandfather's memory loss. Through this touching performance, they illustrated how love, togetherness, and familiar melodies can provide comfort, foster healing, and strengthen relationships during difficult times. The students conveyed the central theme with sincerity and confidence, leaving the audience with a meaningful reflection on how music enables us to express emotions and bring us closer.

Adding a lively contrast to the emotional narrative, an energetic dance performance and an engaging quiz kept the audience entertained throughout. The assembly concluded with an inspiring message that resonated with everyone present.



PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES - GRADES 9 - 12



To equip students and parents for the academic year 2026-27, orientation programmes were conducted for Grades 12, 10, 9, and 11 on 28 March, 4 April, and 30 May 2026 respectively.

The sessions commenced with comprehensive presentations outlining the scheme of studies, the CBSE curriculum framework, subject offerings, assessment structure, leave policy, communication channels, and the various support programmes available to students. The orientations concluded with an interactive question-and-answer session with the Principal, Ms. Jyotsna Nair.

A key feature across all grades was a collaborative parent-student activity that encouraged families to design a balanced daily timetable. The exercise focused on effective time management while ensuring equal importance to academics, physical health, and emotional well-being and limiting the screen time.

Participants also engaged in thought-provoking case studies centred on the challenges faced by the adolescents. Through discussion and analysis, parents and students explored practical strategies to overcome obstacles, make informed choices, and foster holistic development.

PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES - GRADES 9 - 12

Adding a valuable peer perspective, the Grade 9 and Grade 10 orientations featured interactions with senior students.

Grade 10 toppers shared practical study techniques, learning strategies, and insights from their academic journeys, while current Grade 12 students spoke about the challenges of senior secondary school and the importance of maintaining a healthy balance between studies and personal well-being.

The orientation programmes served as an effective platform for strengthening the partnership between school and home, enabling students to begin the academic year with clarity, confidence, and purpose.



PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES - GRADES 6 - 8

The Parent Orientations for Grades 6–8 were successfully conducted on June 6 and 13, 2026, fostering a collaborative start to the academic year. Both sessions thoughtfully commenced with a comprehensive overview of the academic framework, assessment structures, and yearly expectations, setting a positive tone.



The June 6th session for Grade 6 placed a strong emphasis on the school's pastoral care programme, highlighting key initiatives for emotional and social development. Parents were also engaged with interactive learning stations to experience innovative classroom teaching methodologies firsthand.



PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES - GRADES 6 - 8

On June 13th, the orientation for Grades 7 and 8 featured a thought-provoking discussion on "Digital Detox," underscoring the urgent need for healthy technology habits in an increasingly connected world. The programme culminated inspiringly with a collective pledge by students, parents, and educators to embrace technology with balance, responsibility, and purpose. These sessions effectively equipped the community to support student growth, moral development, and overall well-being.



NPS KONNECT

ALUMNI GUIDANCE SESSION FOR ENGINEERING ASPIRANTS

As part of the NPS Konnect initiative, which continues the tradition of graduating achievers mentoring their juniors, a guidance session was conducted on 24 June 2026 for Science students of Grades 11 and 12. The session was conducted by our Board toppers of 2026, Maheshwar and Samarth Umashankar, who secured impressive JEE Advanced All India Ranks of 1991 and 2056 respectively and are aspiring for admission to the prestigious IITs.

Through engaging presentations, they shared practical tips on preparing for CBSE Board examinations, JEE Main, and JEE Advanced.

Their advice covered study planning, note-making, selection of reference books, and subject-specific strategies for Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics.

They also shared insights into their daily schedules and preparation journey. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A, where students had the opportunity to seek guidance and clarify their doubts. Informative and inspiring, the session provided valuable direction and motivation to aspiring engineers.



TISB SPORTS & RECREATIONAL TRIP

From 23-25th June 2026, students of Grades 6-12 enjoyed a day of sports, recreation, and peer interaction during their visit to TISB. They enthusiastically participated in athletic events such as the 100 m and 200 m sprints, shot put, and cricket competitions.



Beyond the formal events, students spent time engaging in various games and activities, fostering camaraderie and teamwork. Surrounded by the lush green expanse of the TISB campus and aided by pleasant weather, the outing provided a refreshing break from routine and an opportunity to build lasting memories with friends.



The visit successfully combined healthy competition, sportsmanship, and leisure, making it an enjoyable and enriching experience for all.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

GRADE 10 A VISIT TO LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR

On 29 June, class 10A visited an old age home run by the Little Sisters of the Poor. The visit began with an informative talk by one of the senior Sisters, Sister Josephine, who shared the inspiring story of Saint Jeanne Jugan, a French woman who founded the congregation after the French Revolution.

After the talk, the students handed over cakes, rasgullas, and biscuits that they had prepared for the residents. The students were then taken on a guided tour of the old age home, where they visited the residents' rooms, the vocational training room, the laundry room, the doctor's quarters, and the three dining halls. The Sisters also explained the daily routine of the residents and how they are provided with medical care, nutritious food, and a comfortable living environment. Later, the students interacted with several elderly residents and spent time talking to them. They also sang songs, which brought smiles to the residents' faces and created a joyful atmosphere. The visit was peaceful, emotional, and eye-opening. It taught the students the importance of respecting their elders, spending quality time with them, and caring for them with love and gratitude, just as they have cared for us throughout our lives.



VPA PHOTOGRAPHY TRIP GRADE 10

On June 20th, thirteen enthusiastic members of the Photography VPA Club, accompanied by their teachers, embarked on an inspiring field trip to Talakkadu, Shivanasamudra, and Somnathpura to sharpen their creative skills.

The journey began in Talakkadu, where students tackled hands-on assignments focusing on three distinct themes: Power of Water, Nature's Patterns, and Emotions Amidst Nature. Next, the team traveled to the iconic Shivanasamudra waterfalls. Despite lower water levels, the striking rocky cliffs and lush greenery provided a perfect backdrop for experimenting with lighting, framing, and shutter speeds.



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The final stop was the historic Somnathpura Temple, renowned for its intricate Hoysala architecture. To make history come alive, teachers organized a thrilling visual treasure hunt based on the temple's stone carvings, challenging students to observe details closely through their lenses.

The memorable trip concluded with a stunning portfolio of images and a fresh perspective on capturing nature.



VISIT TO CERN



Every year, the CERN educational visit provides senior students with an exceptional opportunity to engage with world-class scientific research and innovation. The programme broadens their horizons beyond the classroom, inspiring curiosity, critical thinking, and a deeper appreciation for the pursuit of knowledge.

This year, a group of Grade 12 students, accompanied by the senior coordinator and Science faculty members Ms. Pramila Menon, Ms. Padmavathi, visited the CERN facility in Geneva, Switzerland, from 3 May to 9 May 2026. The educational tour offered a unique opportunity to explore the intersection of science, technology, and culture.

The visit began with an engaging interaction with Ms. Archana Sharma, followed by a tour of the Antimatter Factory. Over the course of the week, students explored several of CERN's renowned experimental facilities, including ALICE, LHCb, CMS, ISOLDE, and the Science Gateway. They also attended insightful sessions with eminent scientists such as John Ellis, gaining valuable perspectives on research, innovation, and careers in science. Informal interactions with researchers at the CERN cafeteria further enriched their understanding of the global scientific community. Throughout the visit, students were guided by CERN-affiliated PhD scholars, Mr. Ashwin Bhartia and Mr. Snigdho Das.

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Beyond the laboratories, the students immersed themselves in the charm of Geneva, visiting landmarks such as the Old Town, Carouge, the Farmers' Market, St Pierre Cathedral, Lake Geneva, and the iconic Jet d'Eau. The trip concluded with an unforgettable excursion to Chamonix, where students enjoyed discovery walks and visited the spectacular Ice Caves and Aiguille du Midi.

The visit was a deeply enriching experience, offering students a rare opportunity to witness science at the frontiers of discovery, interact with leading researchers, and gain insights that will undoubtedly inspire their future academic and professional pursuits.

TEACHER'S SPEECH

Many people think Kansa means owning very few things or living in an empty house. But actually, it means choosing what truly matters and letting go of what doesn't. It is about being intentional with our choices. Think of pioneering environmentalist Sir David Attenborough, who turned 100 this year and doesn't even own a car! Compare that to our own habits: how many of us have half-empty notebooks, unworn clothes, and gadgets we barely use?

Instead of asking, 'What else can I buy?' let us ask, 'Do I really need this?' Before purchasing something new, let's use what we already have, repair what we can, share when possible, and recycle responsibly. Kansa is not about sacrifice—it is about making room for what is important: our friendships, our hobbies, our learning, and our experiences. Let us make a simple choice: to take only what we need and leave enough for others and for the future.

Kansa reminds us of a simple truth: the Earth has enough for our needs, not for our endless wants. Sir David Attenborough once warned that if we don't change our ways, 'things are going to get worse.' Let us stand together today, practice a little Kansa, and prove that our future can be brighter, not worse.



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