



## **Empowering Students Through Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025**



A live screening of Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025 was organized on February 10, 2025, providing students with an opportunity to engage with the Hon'ble Prime Minister as he shared valuable insights on exam-related stress, motivation, and effective study techniques. Students attentively watched the session, which was broadcast on DD National, DD News, and various online platforms. The discussion covered crucial aspects such as time management, stress management, and holistic learning, equipping students with practical strategies to approach their exams with confidence. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from the Principal, teachers, and school management, fostering a supportive and encouraging learning atmosphere. This initiative reinforced a positive approach to exams, aligning with the school's commitment to academic excellence and student well-being.

# **Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony: A Celebration of Excellence**



The much-anticipated Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony was a grand celebration of students' journey from 'Effort to Excellence.' The event honored outstanding achievements in academics, sports, and co-curricular activities, applauding the perseverance and dedication of young achievers. Dignitaries, parents, and faculty members gathered to witness proud moments as students were recognized for their commendable performances. The ceremony reflected the institution's unwavering commitment to holistic development, inspiring students to strive for success and uphold excellence in all their endeavors. With an atmosphere filled with pride and enthusiasm, the event reinforced the spirit of hard work and determination, motivating students to reach new heights in their academic and personal growth

#### **Moments of Glory: From Effort to Ecellence**















## **Celebrating Excellence at the Bharat Teachers' Olympiad 2025**



Heartfelt congratulations to all the toppers and participants of the Bharat Teachers' Olympiad, held online on January 19, 2025. This prestigious event recognized educators' dedication to deepening their understanding of

NEP 2020 and NCF 2023, reflecting their commitment to progressive education and lifelong learning. Their efforts in staying at the forefront of educational advancements are truly commendable. The school takes pride in its educators for their unwavering dedication to shaping young minds and contributing to the future of education. Kudos to all participants for being true torchbearers of change!

#### **Doonites Shine with Innovation: Obstacle Remover Car Models**

The talented students of Doon Public School have once again showcased their ingenuity by designing a series of innovative Obstacle Remover Car Models. These remarkable creations, developed to detect and remove obstacles from their paths, reflect a strong understanding of automation and engineering concepts. The models received widespread appreciation from teachers and peers, who commended the students for their creativity, problem-solving skills, and dedication. The young innovators – Lakshay, Kavish, Monal, Tanu, Aarav Saini, Vidhan, Saiyam, Ayan, Daksh and Vansh of Class VI have taken significant strides in demonstrating real-world applications of STEM learning. This achievement highlights Doon Public School's commitment to nurturing curiosity, hands-on learning, and 21st-century skills among its learners. The school takes immense pride in fostering a dynamic learning environment where imagination meets innovation. Such accomplishments continue to inspire young minds across the school to explore the exciting world of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics, paving the way for a future driven by creativity and innovation.





Magic has always been a source of wonder and excitement for all age groups, especially children. To provide a refreshing break from regular classroom learning, a captivating Magic Show was organized, bringing joy and excitement to the students. The students were thrilled to see the magician, dressed in a classic black hat and wielding a magic wand, perform a series of fascinating tricks. Their eyes widened with amazement as objects appeared and disappeared right before them, leaving them in awe. The magician skillfully used everyday objects to make the illusions even more engaging, ensuring an interactive experience by involving the students in some of the performances. From gasps of surprise to bursts of laughter, the show was met with sheer delight. The students eagerly participated, making the experience even more memorable. By the end of the event, the excitement was palpable, and the show received an enthusiastic thumbs-up from the young audience!



## A Fond Farewell to the Class of 2025





On February 8, 2025, a heartfelt farewell ceremony was organized for the outgoing Class XII students, marking the culmination of their school journey. The event was a blend of nostalgia, celebration, and inspiration, as students, teachers, and school leaders came together to bid farewell to another graduating batch. The ceremony commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp, symbolizing the pursuit of knowledge and wisdom. Director Principal Dr. Sunita Anand and Principal Ms. Vandana Kumari delivered inspiring addresses, encouraging students to embrace future challenges with determination while upholding the values instilled in them. A series of captivating performances added vibrancy to the occasion, including a melodious Hindi choir, an energetic Bhangra, and a heartfelt skit that reflected the school's unwavering support and guidance. Special awards such as 'The Most Cooperative', 'The Most Disciplined', and 'The Well Dressed' were presented to recognize students' contributions beyond academics. The crowning of 'Mr. and Ms. Farewell' added a touch of excitement to the celebration. The farewell reached an emotional peak as the Head Boy and Head Girl expressed their gratitude to the school, teachers, and peers for shaping their character and aspirations. As the evening concluded, students carried with them cherished memories, ready to embark on a new chapter of their lives, forever connected to their alma mater.



### "EduSports at Doon: Shaping Young Minds Through Movement and Play"

Integrating Sports into the Curriculum for Holistic Development Edu Sports is an innovative initiative that has been undertaken at Doon Public School. It seamlessly integrates physical activities into the everyday curriculum for students. It goes beyond traditional sports, focusing on age-appropriate activities that enhance motor skills, coordination, teamwork, and overall fitness while making learning fun and engaging. For young learners, structured physical activities help in cognitive development, improve concentration, and instill discipline. By incorporating sports into daily schedules, children remain active, reducing screen time and promoting healthy habits from an early age. These activities also boost social skills, confidence, and resilience, preparing them for both academic and personal success. Edu Sports is not just about playing; it is about learning through movement. With well-designed programs that align with a child's developmental stage, it fosters a love for physical activity while reinforcing essential life skills. By embracing this model, we at Doon, create a balanced environment where students thrive both mentally and physically, setting a strong foundation for lifelong well-being.





## Fun, Fitness, and Learning Through Play













## **Mrunal Shines in Colour Splash Painting Competition**

Heartiest congratulations to Mrunal of Class IX-A for securing 1st position in the Colour Splash Painting Competition 2024-25, organized by The Times NIE in association with HopUp, Zirakpur on February 4, 2025. Competing in Category 3 (Classes IX-XII), Mrunal displayed exceptional artistic talent, earning well-deserved recognition. This remarkable achievement brings pride to the school, adding another feather to its cap. The Doon fraternity applauds Mrunal's dedication and creativity, wishing her continued success in all future endeavors!





## Basant Panchami: A Joyous Celebration of Knowledge and New Beginnings



# **BUDS 'N' BLOOMS: SENSORIAL ACTIVITIES**





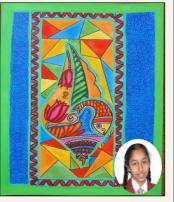




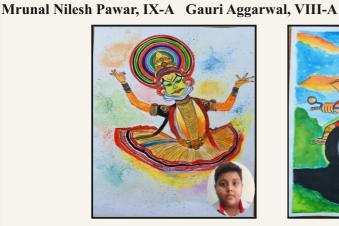








Harsimrat Kaur, VIII-A



Rehan Dadhwal, VI-A



Cherry Pandey, VII-A



Ekta Jangra, IX-C



Jinisha Patel, VI-A



Jhalak, VI-B



#### "A Journey to Remember: Reflections of our Doonites"

As we stand here on our farewell day, we realise that our school journey is coming to an end. It feels like just yesterday when we walked through these gates for the first time-nervous, excited and full of dreams. And now, here we are, ready to step into a new chapter of our lives. First and foremost, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to our teachers. You have been more than educators; you have been our guides, mentors and sometimes even our second parents. Your patience, wisdom and and consent encouragement have shaped us into who we are today. Every lesson you taught, whether inside the classroom or outside, will stay with us forever.

Our school has always provided an environment of worth, positivity and creativity. It's a place where we feel safe to express ourselves and pursue our passion. This nurturing atmosphere is a reflection of the dedication and vision of our Dean sir and Director Ma'am. Your leadership has played a pivotal role in making this institution a place where students not only learn but thrive.

And to my dear classmates- what a journey it has been! From shared lunch breaks to last-

minutes exam panic, from silly fights to unforgettable memories, we have grown together. We have laughed, cried and supported each other through thick and thin. No matter where life takes us, these moments will always be special.

Khushi Aggarwal, XII-C



#### Saying goodbye is not easy and it is not taught to us by anyone

Saying goodbye is not easy and it is not taught to us by anyone After 6 years of me being a Doonite I still remember the bob cut Aarvi coming to school with lots of dreams and aspirations in eyes for being the best student. I still remember competing with my classmates for being the favourite student of each and every teacher. In my six year journey, I have gained over nine laurels and awards just because of the opportunities which Ekta Ma'am and Sarasvati Ma'am have given me, but I still hold a special place for the first prize I got for the best debater in fifth standard. I would like to quote a special, thank you to all the faculty members of of Doon Public School for providing me with so many opportunities. Dean sir Director Principal Ma'am, Principal Ma'am, and all my teachers, thank you for understanding me and my talent with all your passion. When I was in ninth standard and was getting a laurel, I still remember Director Principal Ma'am coming to me and specially saying that you are phenomenal in your talent and I would love to meet your mom one day. Her words inspired me so much that whenever I feel low, I just remember her words and my confidence is back. I would like to thank this temple of education for teaching me what things actually are and how life actually works. Also, I would like to quote a special thank you to all the supporting staff of Doon Public School for always helping us in our daily needs. With grief that I am only left with two years of this grade school life, I am really happy to announce that. I am taking a family with me in the face of seniors, juniors, classmates, and teachers, which I have chosen, and I am very happy with them. Every journey has a beginning and an ending. Now the journey of me being a senior is ending, and the journey of being a senior secondary is starting. So now it's high time for me to wave a goodbye to my senior journey and enter my senior secondary life. At the ending note, I would like to thank the teacher who helped me in gaining this confidence. Ekta Ma'am. I am always going to remember you and always going to miss you. All my oratory skills are just because of you. A very big, thank you to you for trusting me and understanding my talent with a positive ending, I would like to thank all of you for giving me so many memories that are so dear to my heart, thank you and have a nice day.

Aarvi Khanna, X-C



## From the Students' Desk

This day i.e. on 07 February, 2025 is a day of full of emotions. At once, I feel very sad that I am leaving behind all the memories I've had with teachers, friends and everyone else. But, I really feel blessed and proud of all those moments spent in Doon.

As I am standing, I feel very proud to be called a doonite. Some close people might ever know that my favorite songs list also includes our school song. I remember my First day, me and my sister were crying a lot in the play area, begging God to take us to our parents. And now after 11 years almost, I am begging to God to let me stay here always.

I want to thank all the teachers, making a special mention to Sarawati Ma'am, Ekta Ma'am who always gave me surprises by making me speak out of nowhere, giving me mike to speak my thoughts and most of the events occured here only in multi media. I thank them for doing so, as it helped me to speak like this. From having phobia of stage or public speaking, I now take every opportunity to speak.

I want to thank some teachers, Rakesh Sir, Veerpal Ma'am, Anjali Ma'am, Madhu Ma'am, Gurinder Ma'am, Sudhir Sir and Upasana Ma'am for always supporting me, believing in me.

I want to thank all the school authorities for everything, for everything they did to make us feel happy at our second home.

Lastly, I would like to say that on the First day of our school we were all nervous to introduce ourselves and now this is the last day we are sad because we are leaving the room we all used to sit & study. I

hope all my friends will be my friends again. My teachers will be my teachers again. Sorry to everyone if I have hurt you, if I have disappointed you. From this I pause my speech and from this I rest my happy childhood. Thank you all!





Halls of Learning, Walls of Pride A second home, where hearts reside Within these walls, we grew and thrived Laughter, tears and memories alive The classroom buzzed with eager minds Teachers guides us with patience and kindness aligned Lessons learned and friendships formed with glee A community strong, for all to see The Playground's joy, the library's delight The laboratory's curiosity, shining bright The stages's spotlight, the sports field's cheer Each moment cherished, each year held dear As we depart, our hearts remain

Grateful for the lessons, the love, the pain

The struggles overcome, the triumphs achieved Our school, a foundation, our Seerat, XII-C

कॉल तो कल भी होंगे। "पर स्कूल आओगे?" – ये सवाल ना होगा फोन बहुत अच्छे कैमरा क्वालिटी के होंगे पर गैलरी में दोस्तों के बेकार फोटो नहीं होंगे सब यारों के यारानें फिर याद आये वो बीते हए लम्हें फिर याद आये वो पहला दिन, वो पहली सी बातें आज वो दोस्त सब बिछड़े तो लम्हें या आये देखा था जिसने अजनबी सा हमें आज वही खास इतने कि किसी को क्या बतायें देखा आज उस क्लासरूम की तरफ तो वो दोस्त मुस्कराते बड़े याद आये अब यही एक दिन है, एक दिन की सोबत, बिछड़े सब ऐसे के हर मुकाम पर याद आयें दिल टटा ये सोचकर कितनों को आखिरी बार देखेंगे वो बात दिल पर चुभी की जख्म आर पार नजर आये ब्राण्डेड कपडे भी बहत होंगे पर वो स्कूल ड्रैस सही तरीके से पहनने वाली डाँट ना होगी दुनिया तो ऐसी ही रहेगी। पर वो स्कूल लाइफ की छोटी सी घमार नहीं होगी।



Nandini, XII-C



#### **NEVER GIVE UP!!**

When conditions are amiss, and the life seems arduous, And the path you are tramping, seems all declivous ! When the savings are shallow, and the arrears are thick, And you want to hee-haw, But feel like sick!

When solicitude compresses too hard to gear up, Stretch out and snooze, but never give up!!

Life is bizarre with lots of curls and twirls, Giving each one of us, a roller coaster whirl!

Turning many a flip flops and numerous castaways, When he would have ripened, he had been facing decays!

Do not quit each, though you seem to be fed up, You may conquer the next jolt, so Never Give Up!!

Often the objective we feel is inaccessible, is rather hither, But it seems to the faint and feeble, that his goal is thither!

> Often the struggler loses courage and quits away soon, When he would have reached the pinnacle with a boom!

But he delays to realise when the chances slacken off, that how close was he, to the achievement that he dreamt of!

Winning is a defeat ,turned upside down, The sparkling silver lining, of the cloudy crown! It may seem afar, when it waits in your reserves, Your success, your achievement, your fame, that you deserve! So don't quit the battle at the hardest bump, Its always at your worst, When you should Never Give Up!!

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