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## PANORAMA

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**Doonites Excel at the Indian Talent Olympiad and IMO 2024-25**



In yet another proud moment, Doonites have made their mark at the prestigious International Mathematics Olympiad (IMO) and the Indian Talent Olympiad (ITO) 2024–25, securing top state ranks and scholarship awards. Their exceptional performance is a testament to their hard work, dedication, and academic excellence.

Harteg Singh stood tall as a State Topper, winning a scholarship cheque of ₹1200/- for his stellar performance in the IMO and securing State Rank 4 in the ITO.

Kanav Malhotra brought laurels by winning a scholarship cheque of ₹1000/-, achieving State Rank 6 in the ITO and excelling in the IMO. Along with these top achievers, several other bright minds were awarded Certificates of Appreciation and Excellence Medals for their commendable achievements in the Olympiad:

Maanvit Aggarwal (Class III–B), Aditi Amit Ladda (Class VII–B), Kunal Sandhoya (Class VI–A), Mrunal Nilesh Pawar (Class X–A)

These young scholars were felicitated in a special ceremony held on campus, cheered on by the school leadership and their proud teachers. Their success reflects the school's commitment to nurturing academic brilliance and inspiring students to strive for excellence. Congratulations to all the achievers—your journey has just begun, and the future holds even greater milestones.



## Training Future Diplomats: MUN Workshop Inspires Young Delegates



On July 5, 2025, students from Classes VII to XII participated in an engaging training session on Model United Nations (MUN)—an initiative designed to build critical 21st-century skills such as research, diplomacy, and public speaking. The session was led by Mr. Kanish Garg, a national-level debater, and Ms. Vaanya, a seasoned MUN participant, who shared their insights on MUN procedures, committee dynamics, and the art of drafting impactful resolutions. Their guidance provided students with a clear understanding of how international issues are debated and addressed in formal settings. The interactive format allowed students to express their views on pressing global matters, encouraging active listening and respectful dialogue. This experience not only deepened their global awareness but also laid a strong foundation for future participation in MUN conferences. With enthusiasm and curiosity, these budding diplomats took their first step towards developing leadership, critical thinking, and a sense of responsibility as global citizens.



## Celebrating the Guiding Light: Guru Purnima at Doon

Guru Purnima was observed with heartfelt devotion and joyous spirit, honouring the timeless bond between teachers and students. At Buds 'n' Blooms, the youngest Doonites began the day by learning about the sacred relationship between a guru and disciple. The atmosphere was filled with reverence as children recited the Guru Mantra and sang a melodious tribute to their first teachers. A lively puppet show added a spark of excitement, bringing wide smiles to little faces. Children also captured beautiful moments near a specially decorated Guru Purnima board, creating lasting memories rooted in gratitude and joy. In the primary wing, students of Classes I and II expressed their appreciation through a variety of heartwarming performances. The highlight was a special act presented by the teachers for their young learners, strengthening the emotional connection between them. Soulful songs, energetic dances, and heartfelt messages from the students beautifully showcased their admiration and love for their mentors. The celebration concluded with blessings, joyful moments, and a renewed sense of respect—reminding all that the light a teacher brings into a child's life shines forever.







## Patriotic Zeal Resonated in Hindi Poem Recitation



An atmosphere charged with patriotic fervour enveloped the campus as Doonites participated in the Inter-House Hindi Poem Recitation Competition held on July 28, 2025. The event, centred around the stirring theme of Desh Bhakti (Patriotism), offered a platform for young voices to express their love for the nation through the rich medium of Hindi poetry. Students from Classes I to V represented their respective houses with passion and confidence, making the competition both vibrant and inspiring. The contest was held in two categories—Classes I & II, and Classes III to V. In the first category, Priyaksh Chugh Nagar of Class I-B from Forward House secured the first position, while Harteg Singh of Class II-A from Unity House earned the second spot with his heartfelt recitation. Among the senior participants, Vivaan Sharma of Class IV-A from Peace House emerged as the winner, and Adwait Raj Tripathi of Class V-B from Unity House stood second. Their powerful performances left a lasting impression on the audience. The event served not only as a celebration of poetic talent but also as a meaningful tribute to the spirit of nationalism. The efforts of all participants were appreciated, and the winners were lauded for their outstanding performances that reflected both creativity and emotion.



## Inter-House Table Tennis Match Sparks Sportsmanship Among Doonites

An exciting Inter-House Table Tennis Match was recently conducted, bringing together the Primary and Middle Wing students in a spirited display of agility and camaraderie. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from all houses, creating a vibrant atmosphere filled with energy and determination. Shivank of Class V-A, Vansh of Class VII-A, and Agriya of Class VIII-C showcased exceptional skill and focus to emerge as champions from Peace, Freedom, and Forward Houses, respectively. Each match was a testament to the dedication and competitive spirit of the young players, who gave their best with every serve and stroke. Beyond competition, the event promoted values of sportsmanship, teamwork, and perseverance—traits that every Doonite takes pride in. The match concluded with loud cheers and hearty applause for all participants, celebrating not just victory but the collective spirit of participation and fair play.





## Celebrating Balance and Wellness on International Yoga Day

In alignment with the global movement, International Yoga Day was celebrated with great zeal, bringing together students, teachers, and staff in a collective journey towards harmony and health. Under the theme “Yoga for One Earth, One Health,” the event took place on the school campus, creating an atmosphere of mindfulness and unity. The celebration began with a warm welcome by the principal, whose address underscored the significance of yoga in maintaining both physical fitness and mental clarity, especially in today’s demanding world. Participants engaged wholeheartedly in various asanas and breathing exercises, embracing the ancient practice as a pathway to inner peace and well-being. The event served as a gentle yet powerful reminder of the importance of nurturing the body, mind, and spirit—values that yoga continues to promote across generations and geographies.







## Active Learning Strategies Take Centre Stage in Teachers' Training Workshop

On Saturday, May 31, 2025, a One Day Capacity Building Programme on Active Learning brought together educators for a transformative professional development experience. The enriching session was facilitated by esteemed resource persons, Dr. Anupam Handa and Ms. Anila Nair, both of whom are known for their impactful contributions to innovative teaching practices. The workshop centered around enhancing student engagement through interactive and experiential learning. Teachers participated in a series of hands-on activities and thought-provoking discussions that highlighted the importance of shifting from conventional teaching methods to dynamic, student-centered approaches.



## Workshop with Ei Empowers Educators



An enlightening workshop was recently organized in collaboration with Educational Initiatives (Ei), focussing on enhancing teachers' skills in classroom management and student engagement. The session offered valuable insights into the importance of self-awareness, empathy, and emotional regulation—key components in creating a nurturing learning environment. Through a series of interactive discussions and hands-on activities, educators explored effective strategies to build emotionally safe and inclusive classrooms.



## Empowering Educators Through Life Skills Training



A One Day Capacity Building Programme on Life Skills (Advanced) was held on June 30, 2025, with the aim of equipping educators with tools to foster essential 21st-century competencies in students. Led by CBSE empanelled resource persons Ms. Anupma Sharma and Ms. Sarika Malik, the workshop offered practical strategies for integrating life skills seamlessly into everyday classroom teaching. The session focused on vital areas such as decision-making, emotional regulation, stress management, and resilience-building—skills crucial for helping learners face real-world challenges with confidence. Teachers actively participated in a range of engaging activities, including group discussions and scenario-based learning, making the session both interactive and thought-provoking. Participants found the techniques particularly useful in promoting problem-solving and empathy among students, aligning closely with the goals of the NEP 2020. The event concluded with words of appreciation from Director Principal Dr. Sunita Anand and Principal, Mrs. Vandana Kumari, who expressed gratitude to the resource persons for enriching the faculty with actionable insights. The workshop reaffirmed the school's dedication to nurturing emotionally intelligent and future-ready learners through thoughtful, skill-based education.





## Young Environmentalists in Action on World Environment Day



On June 5, students from Nursery Jr. to Class XII came together to celebrate World Environment Day with great enthusiasm and a shared sense of responsibility. The day was marked by a series of meaningful activities, including tree planting, recycling drives, and cleanliness campaigns, all designed to instill eco-conscious habits among learners. The initiative highlighted the importance of small, consistent efforts in building a sustainable future. Through their active participation, students embraced the message that caring for the planet begins with everyday actions. The celebration served as a powerful reminder of the role young minds can play in shaping a greener, healthier world.



## Empowering Educators through STEM DLD Workshop



In association with the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) COE, Panchkula, an expert-led workshop was successfully conducted under the STEM DLD initiative. The workshop was organized in alignment with CBSE's Vision 2025 and the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, with the objective of equipping educators with advanced tools and innovative methodologies to strengthen STEM education in classrooms. The distinguished spokespersons for the workshop were Dr. Sandeep Kumar and Dr. Neerja Garg, who guided participants through a series of insightful sessions. The event brought together science and mathematics educators from across the tricity, offering them an immersive and collaborative learning experience. The initiative proved to be a meaningful step toward fostering innovation, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills in the teaching community. True to their spirit of lifelong learning, Doonites enthusiastically participated, reaffirming their commitment to academic excellence and educational growth.



## Doonites Explore Global Avenues at International Education Fair



In a step toward shaping globally informed minds, Doonites recently attended the International Education Fair held at The Taj, Chandigarh. The event offered a unique opportunity for students to delve into a world of global academic possibilities, including insights into international courses, scholarships, and admission procedures. With enthusiastic curiosity, students engaged in meaningful interactions with representatives from renowned universities across the globe. These discussions opened doors to a variety of career paths and higher education options, helping them visualize future possibilities beyond national boundaries. The visit was thoughtfully guided by teachers, who encouraged students to pose relevant and insightful questions. This not only enhanced the learning experience but also empowered the students to make informed decisions about their academic journeys. The initiative reflects the school's commitment to nurturing globally aware learners, equipping them with the knowledge and confidence to explore international platforms. The experience was both enriching and inspiring—leaving the Doonites better prepared for the challenges and opportunities of a globalized world.



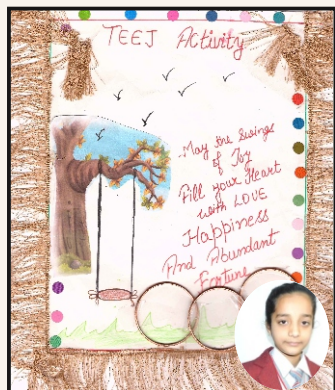


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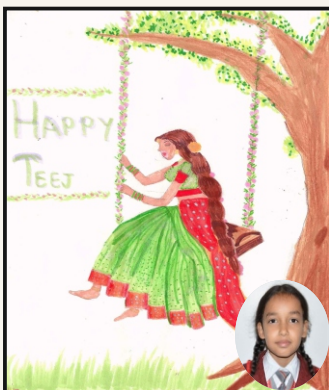




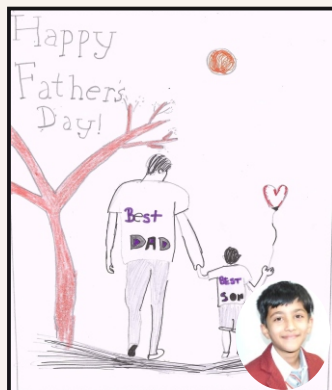
## ARTISTIC DOONITES



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Sanjh Tiwari, V-C



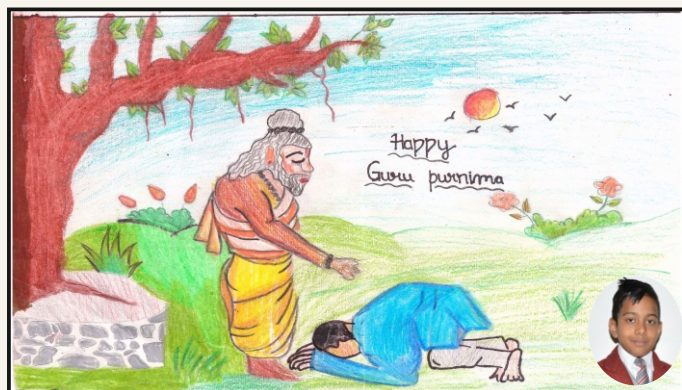
Advik Tandon, VIII-C



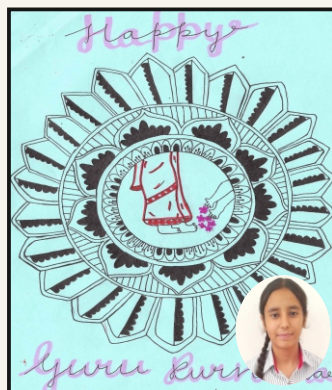
Jinishsa Patel, VII-A



Akariti Singh, IV-B



Parikshit Chopra, IV-B



Deshna Bhatt, IX-C





## From the Students' Desk

### ‘कारगिल विजय दिवस’

जान अपनी देकर, रखी शान तिरंगे की।  
बंदूकें हाथ में उठाकर, की रक्षा भारत माँ की।

दूर हुए अपनों से, माताओं ने अपने लालों को खोया।  
दूर हुए अपनों से, बहनों ने राखी का त्यौहार खोया।

पाकिस्तानियों ने किया कब्जा कारगिल की चोटी पर,  
आतंकवादी और सेना संग लेकर।  
खून खौला भारतीयों का,  
‘ऑपरेशन विजय’ को अंजाम दिया वीर सेना संग लेकर।

गोलियों से लड़े वह वीर जवान, लहू की बहाई नदियाँ।  
हर एक बूँद लहू के दानी ने युद्ध यह जिताया,  
जीतकर नया इतिहास यह बनाया।  
भूलना न कभी इनके बलिदान को, भारत माँ की संतानों को।  
शत-शत नमन है मेरा, इन वीर जवानों को।



Kritika Garg, VII-B (Freedom House)

### “The Earth We Owe”

Beneath the sky so wide and blue,  
Lives a world both old and new,  
Mountains whisper, rivers sing,  
Forest sway as breezes bring.

But the smoke has darkened the morning  
light,  
The seas grow restless in the night,  
Trees once proud now stand so few,  
The earth is calling- its calling you.

Not for medals, not for fame,  
But for a greener, brighter name,  
Plant a seed, protect the stream,  
Guard the air, keep nature's dream.

Every hand can heal the land,  
Together strong, together stand,

For every bird, for every bee,  
For children's eyes that long to see.

One earth, one home- it's all we own,  
It's the seed of life that we have been  
sown,

So, on this day, lift your voice high,  
Let's heal the ground, the sea, and the sky.



Saksham Kadyan (Forward House)





### एक कविता हर माँ के नाम

घुटनों से रेंगते-रेंगते, कब पैरों पर खड़ा हुआ,  
तेरी ममता की छाँव में, जाने कब बड़ा हुआ,  
काला टीका, दूध मलाई, आज भी सबकुछ वैसा है।  
मैं ही मैं हूँ हर जगह, प्यार ये तेरा कैसा है।  
सीधा-साधा, भोला-भाला, मैं ही सबसे अच्छा हूँ।  
कितना भी हो जाऊँ बड़ा, माँ।  
मैं आज भी तेरा बच्चा हूँ।



Vansh Kundu, VI-A (Unity House)

### Yoga Day

Sunrises whispers, calm and bright,  
We gather in the morning light.  
Mats unroll, the world stands still,  
We bend and breathe, embrace our will

Hearts beat softly, spirit soar,  
Through peace and strength, we seek for more.  
On Yoga Day, lets pause and say.  
Balance and bliss-our guiding way.



Ishleen Kaur, IX-C (Peace House)



## खामोशी का पर्दा

ना कुछ सुनना, ना कुछ देखना,  
ना कुछ बोलना अब आदत सी हो गई है,  
बस फोन की स्क्रीन में उलझी ज़िंदगी सो गई है।



कभी जो बातें चाय के प्यालों संग होती थीं,  
अब नोटिफिकेशन में दब कर खो सी गई हैं।  
माँ की पुकार, पापा की फिक्र,  
सब "डिस्टर्ब न करें" मोड में कहीं सो गई है।

हम बड़े होते गए, लेकिन रिश्ते छोटे होते गए,  
बचपन की वो आवाज़ें, अब थक कर चुप हो गई हैं।



माँ की झुर्रियों में इंतज़ार की रेखाएँ हैं,  
पापा की आँखों में अनकही व्यथाएँ हैं।  
एक समय था, जब वो हमारे हर पल के साथी थे,  
आज हम व्यस्त हैं, और वो बस यादों के साथी हैं।

उम्र हमारी आगे बढ़ती रही,  
पर उनका समय धीरे-धीरे बीत गया।  
और हम, बस फोन पकड़ कर बैठे रह गए हैं।



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