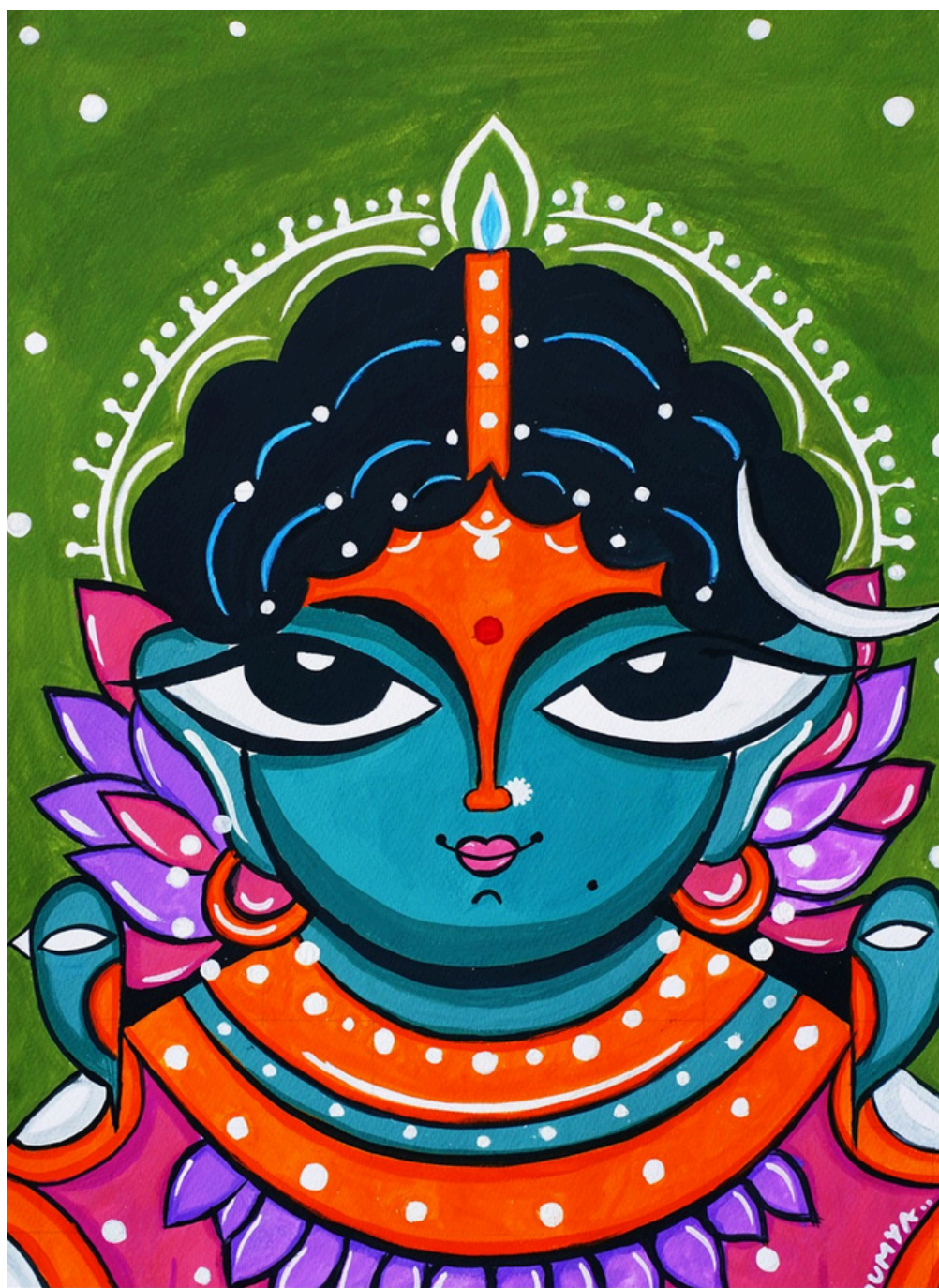


THE GAZETTE



SOUMYA SINGH TEOTIA
GRADE XII

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TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION



“A teacher takes a hand, opens a mind, and touches a heart.”

Teacher’s Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at G.D. Goenka Public School, Indore, to honour the hard work and unwavering dedication of our beloved teachers. The celebration was thoughtfully organized by the Admin Team and the School Management under the guidance of Mr. Devraj Singh Badgara (Chairman), Ms. Sulakshana Badgara (Director), Mr. Dravya Singh Badgara (Sports Director), and Mr. Ashish Arora (Principal).

The program began on a heartfelt note, with warm words of gratitude and appreciation for the teaching fraternity. Ms. Pratibha Sharma beautifully compered the event, sharing inspiring quotes and reflections on the vital role teachers play in shaping young minds. A touching video presentation added to the emotional spirit of the celebration, expressing love, respect, and admiration for the teachers’ tireless efforts. To make the occasion even more special, the management presented each teacher with a gift and a thank-you note as a token of appreciation for their dedication and commitment. The day was filled with warmth, joy, and a deep sense of respect, leaving the teachers with cherished memories and a renewed sense of pride in their noble profession.



ART MEETS FASHION – WEARABLE ART WORKSHOP



“Art is not just something you hang on walls — it’s something you can wear!”

Creativity was in full bloom at G.D. Goenka Public School, Indore, on 16th September, as students from Grades VI to XII participated in a vibrant Art Workshop held in the Multipurpose Hall (MPH). The session was conducted by Ms. Kratika from Babbled Tint, who introduced students to the exciting world of wearable art — painting on clothes and accessories they had brought from home. The workshop aimed to inspire students to think beyond paper and canvas, encouraging them to express their creativity through fashion and explore new painting techniques. Under Ms. Kratika’s expert guidance, the young artists experimented with colors, patterns, and textures, transforming simple fabrics into stunning pieces of self-expression.

With soothing music playing in the background, the MPH turned into a hub of imagination and inspiration. Students painted with enthusiasm and confidence, and by the end of the session, proudly showcased their beautifully designed wearable masterpieces — each a reflection of their unique creativity.

The workshop was not only a fun-filled, hands-on experience but also a wonderful lesson in how art can seamlessly blend with fashion and everyday life. It truly proved that creativity knows no bounds!



WHERE COLOURS SPEAK AND CREATIVITY COMES ALIVE

BY: SURBHI GUPTA- HOD ARTS

At GD Goenka Public School, Indore, we believe that visual arts are not merely an extracurricular pursuit but a vital element in shaping a child's personality and intellect. Art encourages creativity, imagination, and innovation—skills essential for success in every sphere of life. Through drawing, painting, and designing, students learn to think independently, express emotions confidently, and explore ideas beyond conventional boundaries. Visual arts also strengthen critical thinking and problem-solving abilities, as each artistic creation involves observation, analysis, and decision-making.

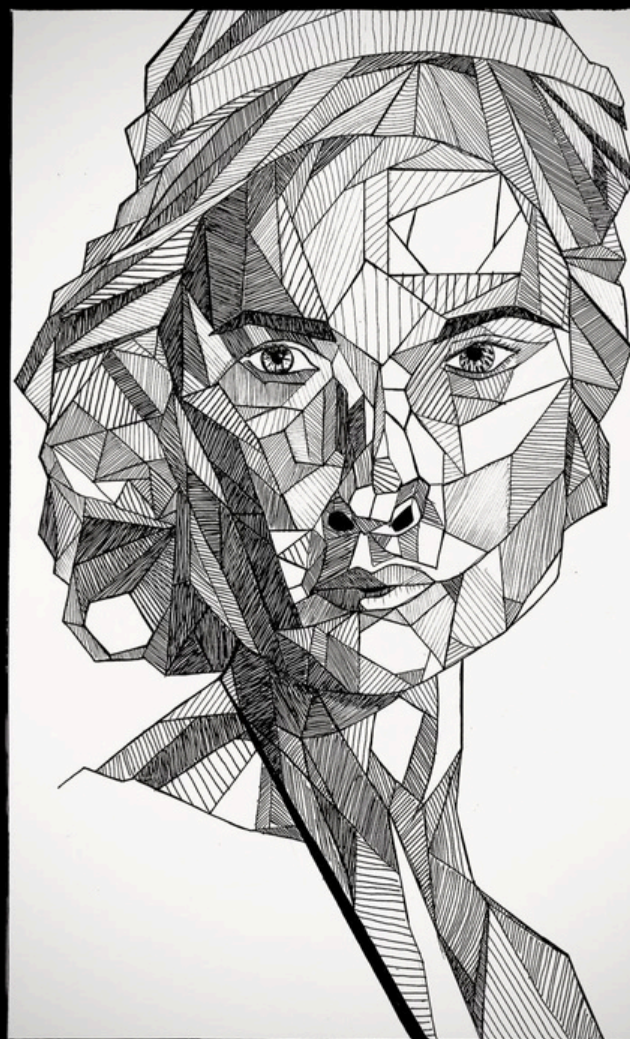


Moreover, art serves as a powerful medium of emotional expression, helping students develop empathy, self-awareness, and resilience. Our art classrooms are vibrant spaces where diverse cultures, traditions, and perspectives come alive, fostering appreciation and respect for global heritage. The hands-on nature of art enhances fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination, while opportunities to showcase their work build confidence, pride, and self-esteem among learners. Collaborative art projects further teach teamwork, patience, and mutual respect, preparing students to thrive in cooperative environments. Research has consistently shown that students engaged in the arts perform better academically, demonstrating improved memory, focus, and cognitive skills. At GD Goenka, we nurture not just artistic talent but the creative spirit that drives curiosity and innovation. Every brushstroke, colour choice, and design becomes a step toward self-discovery. Through our visual arts programme, we aim to cultivate thinkers, dreamers, and visionaries who view the world with imagination and heart—because at Goenka, art is where learning comes alive.

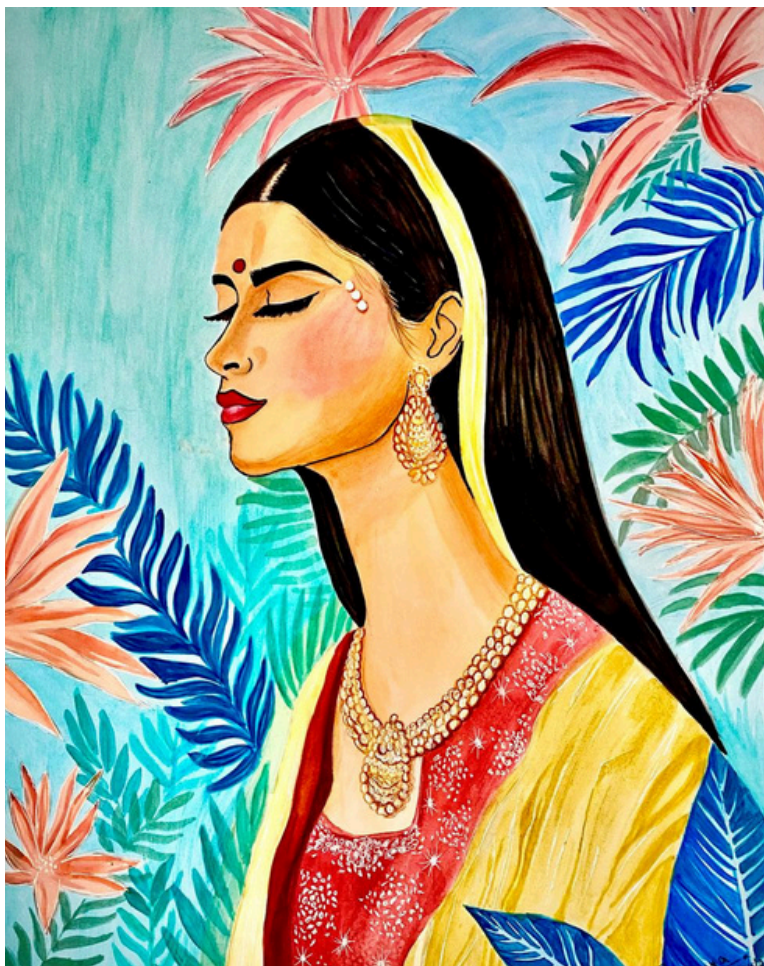


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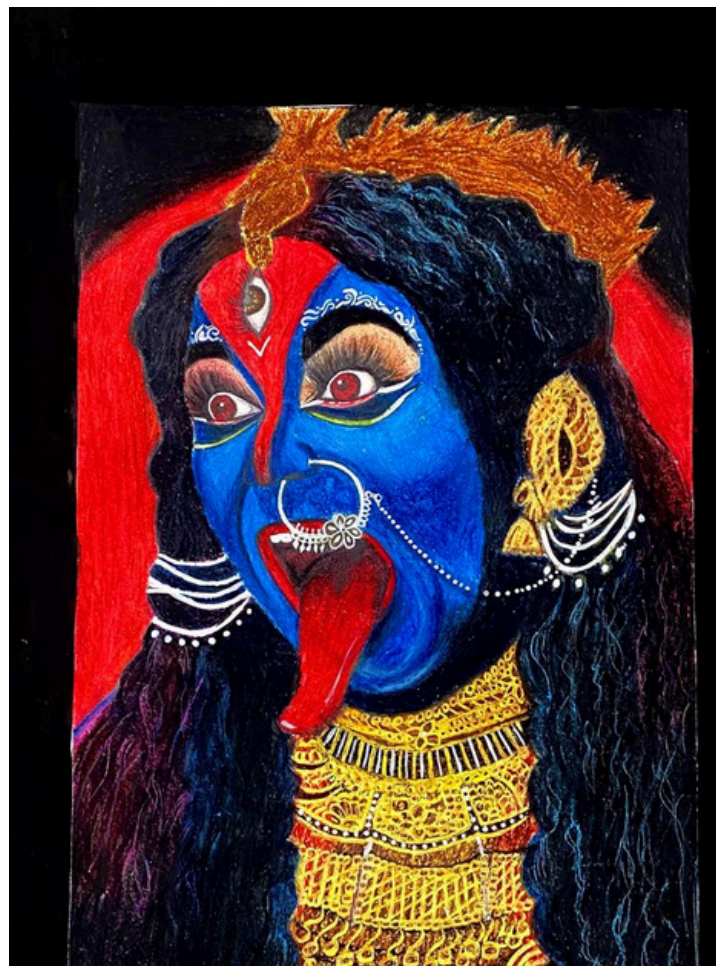
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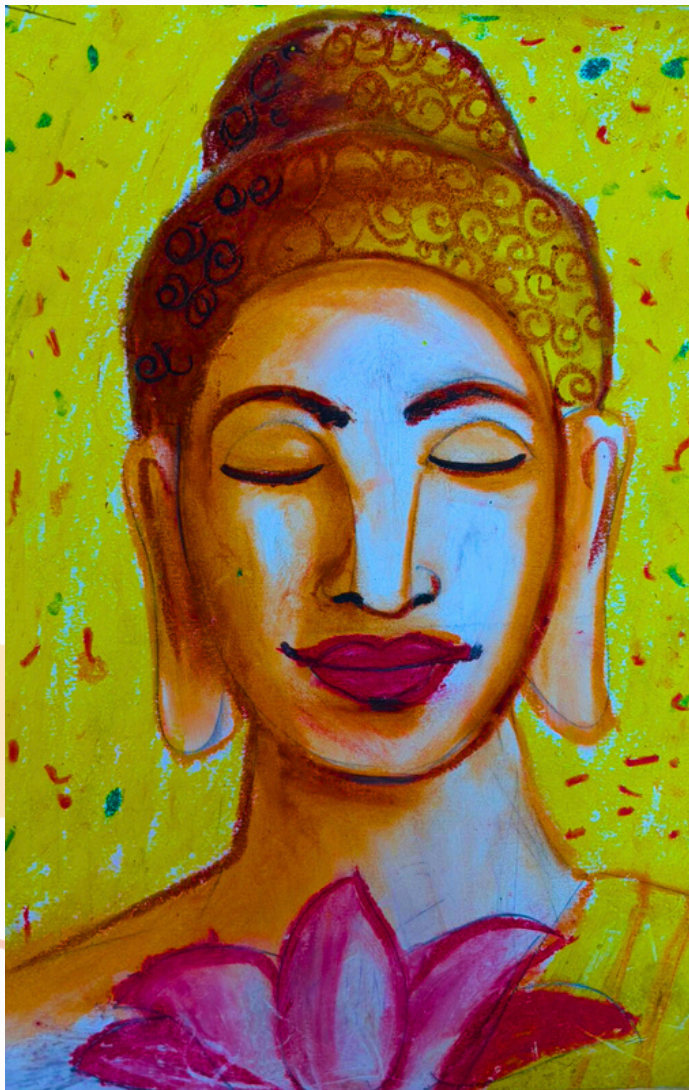
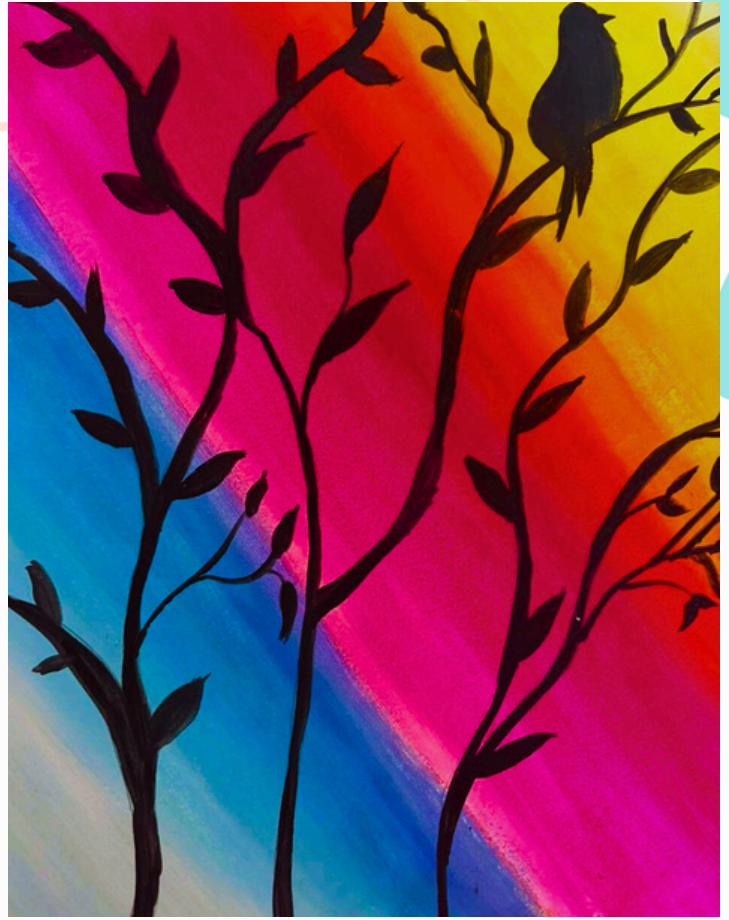
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ORANGE DAY: A SPLASH OF CREATIVITY AND JOY



A window into the joyful world of our budding artists



KABEER AGRAWAL: GRADE III

STREET PLAY ON “IMPACT OF AI ON OUR LIVES” – A THOUGHT-PROVOKING PERFORMANCE



The campus of G.D. Goenka Public School, Indore, buzzed with excitement during the Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM) as a group of talented students from Classes IX to XII presented a powerful street play on the theme “Impact of AI on Our Lives.” The performance captivated the audience with its compelling dialogues and expressive acting, shedding light on how Artificial Intelligence is reshaping the modern world. From revolutionizing healthcare and education to introducing challenges like job displacement and privacy concerns, the play offered a balanced and insightful perspective on technology’s double-edged nature.

The realistic portrayal and creative presentation not only entertained but also inspired the audience to think deeply about how AI influences everyday life. Parents, teachers, and students engaged in a lively discussion following the performance, reflecting on the opportunities and ethical challenges AI presents.

The young performers received much appreciation for their confidence, creativity, and awareness of such a contemporary topic. The event was truly a success — blending learning with awareness and leaving everyone with a renewed curiosity about the future of Artificial Intelligence.

VISION FOR WELLNESS: EYE CHECK-UP CAMP PROMOTES EYE HEALTH AWARENESS AT GD GOENKA PUBLIC SCHOOL, INDORE



TRANSFORMING THE LIBRARY INTO A LEARNING RESOURCE CENTRE

By Ms Ankita Binjwa – School Librarian & Learning Resource Coordinator

Dear Students, Teachers, and Parents,

In alignment with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the library at G.D. Goenka Public School, Indore is evolving into a vibrant Learning Resource Centre (LRC)—a space where knowledge, creativity, and innovation come together. The library today serves not only as a place for reading but as a hub for active and joyful learning.



To maintain a dynamic and relevant collection, a Book Recommendation Register allows both teachers and students to suggest new titles. Based on these inputs, carefully selected books are added each month, ensuring the library remains engaging for learners from Nursery to Grade XII.

The library also hosts interactive literary activities such as storytelling sessions, book reviews, book fairs, and creative competitions, encouraging reading, critical thinking, and imagination. Additionally, access to digital resources, including e-books and online reference tools, strengthens research and academic learning.

As the School Librarian and Learning Resource Coordinator, my vision is to foster a culture of reading, research, and inquiry across the school. Together, we aim to make the library the intellectual heart of our institution—a place where curiosity is celebrated and knowledge continues to grow.



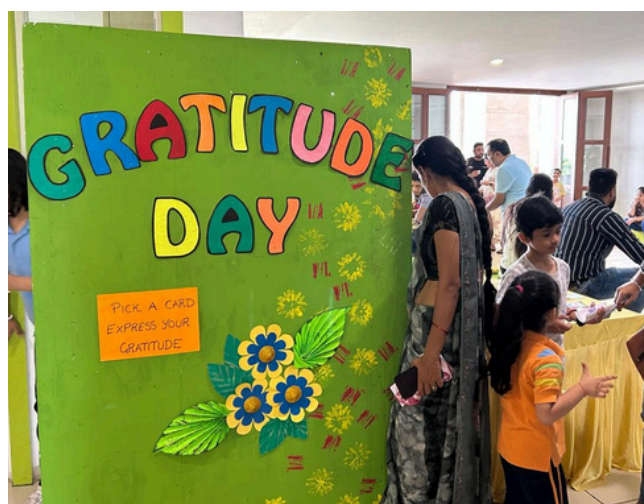
GRATITUDE- THE RESET BUTTON

From the Counsellor's Desk: Ms Punam Valecha

Life feels like it's on fastforward—Deadlines, school runs, work calls, sibling fights, and endless chores. No wonder most of us end the day drained, irritated, or running on autopilot. Imagine your phone stuck with too many apps running. It slows down, overheats, crashes. Our minds work the same way. Gratitude is that quick restart—the one that brings back clarity, calmness and energy to keep us going. Its not the overused “say thank you” version, but the kind that quietly resets your brain in the middle of chaos. Gratitude here means pausing for a moment — noticing the breath that keeps you steady, the laughter, the small comforts, your child's smile, the luxuries, a warm meal, a moment of silence, or even the lessons learned through struggle and letting that acknowledgement bring a sense of contentment.



Our mind is like Velcro for the negative — it automatically sticks to worries, complaints, and fears. These thoughts are quick, mechanical, and often leave us feeling heavy, pulling our energy down or leaving us stuck. Gratitude helps us maintain balance. It works in the opposite way, creating space for positivity. Gratitude lifts us up, lightens the heart, and refreshes the mind. It clears away tension and brings a sense of inner nourishment and peace. In this way we align with Nature's Wisdom. Nature always finds its way to balance — just like day and night, or the change of seasons. In the same way, we as humans carry balance within us too, with our right and left sides, and even in our beliefs about angels and demons, which remind us that light and shadow both exist and together create harmony.” By practicing gratitude, we balance out the natural pull of negativity with the uplifting power of positivity. It clears away the dust of daily tensions and leaves us with more peace, joy, and inner strength. The secret is—gratitude belongs to everyone. You don't have to earn it, chase it, or wait for it—it's already within you.”



IN CONVERSATION WITH THE HEAD OF SPORTS

MR. DEEPAK GURJAR- HEAD OF SPORTS

Sports: Where Passion Meets Potential !

As the Head of Sports at GD Goenka Public School, I'm delighted to witness our students' passion and talent for sports. Our school recognizes the importance of sports in shaping young minds, fostering essential life skills like teamwork, discipline, and resilience. Through various sports activities and tournaments, we provide our students with opportunities to develop their physical and mental abilities, build confidence, and learn valuable lessons about sportsmanship and fair play.



Our students have consistently demonstrated exceptional skills, dedication, and teamwork, making us proud in numerous competitions. What's truly remarkable is that our students have progressed to represent our school at various levels - district, state, national, and even international! Their achievements are a testament to their hard work, talent, and the unwavering support of our coaches, teachers, and parents.

Looking ahead, we're excited to announce that the Inter-House Cricket Tournament and House Lawn Tennis Tournament are scheduled for the upcoming months. Our students are eagerly anticipating these events, and we can already sense their enthusiasm and competitive spirit. These tournaments will not only promote healthy competition but also provide a platform for our students to showcase their skills and teamwork.

At GD Goenka Public School, we believe in the winning formula of "Discipline, Dedication, Excellence", and we're confident that our students will continue to excel in all aspects of life. As we continue to empower our young minds through sports, I'm confident that our students will excel not only in academics but also in their chosen fields, becoming well-rounded individuals who will make a positive impact in the world.

INTER-HOUSE TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT



RANAK SHASTRI SHINES AT DEWAS DISTRICT SUB JUNIOR BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP

Ranak Shastri Shines at Dewas District Sub Junior Badminton Championship
GD Goenka Public School, Indore, takes immense pride in announcing that Ranak Shastri, a talented student of Grade VIII, has brought laurels to the school by emerging as the Winner at the Dewas District Sub Junior Badminton Championship, held from 28th to 30th August 2025.

Ranak's remarkable achievement is a testament to his dedication, consistent training, and unwavering determination. His passion for the sport and commitment to excellence have truly paid off, earning him this prestigious title.



RUHI BAID GLIDES TO GLORY AT SGFI DIVISION LEVEL SKATING TRIALS

Heartiest congratulations to Ruhi Baid for securing 1st rank at the SGFI Division Level Skating Trials held at Emerald Heights International School, Rau. Selected for the State Level Competition, Ruhi's dedication and passion make GD Goenka Public School, Indore proud.

RISE OF AI IN EDUCATION: ARE WE READY?

By Ms Nidhi Srivastava, Chief Editor & Academic Coordinator

In today's schools, learning is changing — and it's not just about textbooks anymore. Artificial Intelligence, or AI, is quietly becoming part of how we study and teach. From apps that customize lessons just for you, to tools that help teachers understand your progress, AI is here. But the big question is: Are we ready to use AI the right way?

What's AI Doing in Our Schools?

AI isn't the future — it's happening now. You might've used personalized learning apps, automatic grading, or chatbots that answer your questions anytime. Even tools like ChatGPT (that's me!) help with writing and research. Teachers use AI to spot when students need extra help and adjust lessons accordingly. Imagine worksheets tailored just for you — that's AI in action.

Why It's Exciting

- *Learning Your Way: AI adapts to your unique needs.*
- *Quick Feedback: Instant insights help you improve faster.*
- *Support for All: AI assists students with different needs and challenges.*

But Let's Be Careful

Too much reliance on AI can limit our own thinking. We must watch out for privacy, screen time, and ensure everyone has fair access to technology.

At GD Goenka

We're introducing AI thoughtfully, encouraging students to use it as a helpful partner — not a crutch. Through discussions and activities, we promote smart and responsible tech use.

What You Can Do

- *Use AI to help, not replace your effort.*
- *Always ask why and how — think critically.*
- *Protect your online privacy.*
- *Get creative — try AI for brainstorming or learning new skills.*

Final Thought

AI won't replace teachers or students — it's here to empower us. Its true power depends on how wisely we use it. Together, let's lead with curiosity, care, and responsibility.



Ms Nidhi Srivastava
Chief Editor