

76TH REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION

The 76th Republic Day was celebrated with solemnity and grandeur in the school on 26th January, 2025. It was an occasion to reflect on not just political independence, but the strength, resilience, and unity that define India. The bright morning welcomed excited children, parents and teachers who had assembled to salute the National Tricolour and pay tribute to the great leaders who toiled relentlessly to usher in a safe and free India. The celebration was also a reminder of the country's rich diversity, with different cultures, languages, and traditions coexisting harmoniously, all united by the love for the motherland.

The Director Principal, Ms. Aditi Misra, unfurled the flag which was followed by the singing of the National Anthem. In her address, Ms. Misra recited the inspiring poem by the Nobel Laureate, Rabindranath Tagore, *'Where the Mind is Without Fear.'* She urged everyone present to revisit the Constitution of India, emphasising the importance of understanding not just our rights but also our duties. She highlighted that aligning our rights with responsibilities is the key to the nation's progress.

The programme continued with a patriotic poem recitation by a student of class XI, Nandika Jain, which deepened the understanding of Republic Day's significance.

Next, the school choir, consisting of the Junior Wing, Middle Wing, students of Classes 9 and 11 along with the children of Shiksha Kendra, a school for non formal education for underprivileged children, performed a harmonious medley of patriotic songs. The performance uplifted the spirit of the audience, reminding everyone of the sacrifices made for India's freedom and the responsibility to preserve and protect it.





