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## MISSION STATEMENT

*We are committed and determined to redefine the cause of excellence in education and implement it through accelerated need based practical oriented process with holistic approach; to empower learner for self-exploration, so as to become a responsible global citizen with deep rooted ethos of Indian culture and tradition.”*

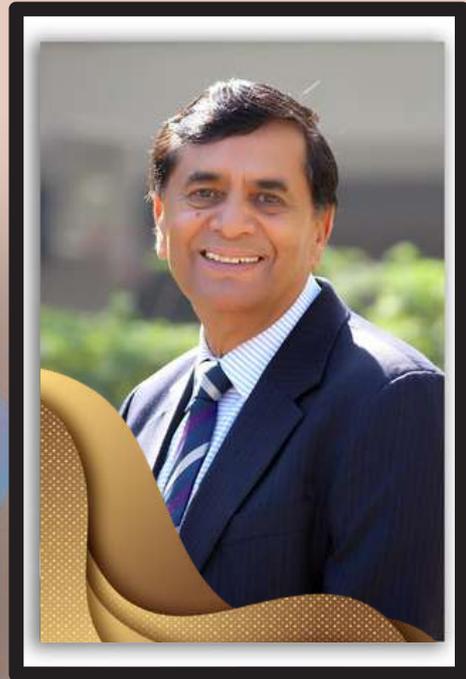
We extend our heartfelt gratitude to you-our valued stakeholders - for your unwavering support and for placing your trust in the Ashoka Group of Schools.

The world has recently weathered an unprecedented storm, and like many other sectors, education too was deeply impacted. While the challenges were undeniable, what emerged from this period was a remarkable transformation-a gentle push from time itself, nudging us into a new era .

An era of technology. An era of fresh beginnings. An era of boundless possibilities and transformative learning. No one could have foreseen the trials of the past two years. Yet, I am incredibly proud and deeply thankful for what we've accomplished during this extraordinary time. Despite the obstacles, we remained steadfast in our mission-ensuring that the process of education remained uninterrupted and effective. We not only adapted but continued to excel.

This journey strengthens my belief that we will continue to evolve, grow, and emerge stronger. Together, we are shaping a resilient and dynamic foundation-one that will continue to serve our students, our communities, and our nation with pride and purpose.

With sincere appreciation,



Warm Regards,

**Mr. Ashok Katariya**

Chairman

Ashoka Group of Schools

We have learned many lessons during the pandemic, but perhaps the most important is this: a renewed belief in our ability to adapt, reform, and revive. We've realized that academic performance in the classroom is only one piece of the puzzle. Skill development has now taken center stage.



Today's education is no longer just about absorbing content—it's about collaboration, confidence, critical thinking, innovation, self-reflection, and engagement. It's about shaping students into responsible global citizens.

As we reopen our campuses, we are committed to nurturing experiences that build adaptability, open-mindedness, and resilience—developing radical thinkers with a growth mindset who can turn challenges into opportunities.

Through a range of thoughtfully designed activities and experiences, we are redefining education beyond the limitations of content and marks. Our curriculum is evolving into a holistic framework that emphasizes overall personality development, equipping our students to thrive in the 21st century.

But this transformation cannot be achieved alone. It calls for collective effort—from parents, teachers, institutions, and society at large. Together, we can prepare our children to navigate the VUCA world (Volatile, Uncertain, Complex, and Ambiguous) with confidence, courage, and clarity.

Let us join hands to turn our young Ashokites into true Globalites.

Warm Regards,  
**Ms. Astha Katariya**  
Trustee  
Ashoka Group of Schools

**"Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you'll land among the stars."**

At Ashoka Universal School, we leave no stone unturned in ensuring that our students not only dare to dream-but dream big. We believe that every child must be encouraged to set meaningful goals and work passionately toward achieving them. After all, it is our goals that give purpose to our journey and direction to our efforts.



While the path to success is never without challenges, we instill in our students the power of focus, perseverance, hard work, and dedication. These values are at the core of our institution's ethos and are essential tools that guide our children through life's ups and downs.

At Ashoka, we strive to build not only achievers but also compassionate human beings. We educate our children to respect cultures, genders, faiths, and differences, helping them grow into empathetic individuals who uphold universal values such as tolerance, justice, and respect.

Our students are made aware of a world beyond their own and are guided to understand their responsibilities as global citizens. We believe in inspiring them to contribute to a sustainable future, one where every action matters in protecting our beautiful planet.

Creativity is the soul of progress, and at Ashoka, we nurture it deeply. We encourage our students to express themselves through writing, poetry, drama, sports, and a wide range of co-curricular activities. By stimulating them to think beyond boundaries, we create an environment where their imagination blossoms and innovation thrives.

Mimansa serves as a mirror to the creative spirit of our students. It is a celebration of their thoughts, their voices, and their dreams.

**Happy Reading!**

Warm Regards,

**Mr. Shrikant Shukla**

Secretary

Ashoka Group of Schools

"We are committed to providing a challenging and enriching educational experience that fosters critical thinking, creativity, and a lifelong love for learning."



Dear Students, Teachers, Parents, and Well-Wishers,

Ashoka has always stood for excellence in education, and it continues to be our primary goal. We believe that education is not just about academic achievements but also about holistic development. We are committed to providing a challenging and enriching educational experience that fosters critical thinking, creativity, and a lifelong love for learning. Our dedicated teachers work tirelessly to impart knowledge and skills that go beyond textbooks and exams. We encourage every student to explore their potential, ask questions, and seek solutions.

We understand that a student's education extends beyond the classroom. We are dedicated to nurturing well-rounded individuals who excel not only academically but also in co-curricular activities. Our school offers a wide range of extracurricular programs, including sports, arts, music, and community service, to ensure that our students develop into confident and compassionate citizens of tomorrow.

Character education is at the heart of our school's mission. We believe that academic success is incomplete without moral and ethical growth. Our students are taught the values of honesty, integrity, empathy, and respect. We encourage them to be responsible, compassionate, and socially aware individuals who contribute positively to society.

We recognize the importance of a strong partnership between parents and teachers. Open communication and collaboration between the school and parents are vital for a student's success. We encourage parents to actively engage in their child's education and support their growth both academically and personally.

As a school, we are not isolated from the world around us. We actively engage with our local community through various initiatives. This instills in our students a sense of responsibility and the importance of giving back to society.

Ashoka is committed to providing a nurturing environment that encourages excellence, fosters character development, and prepares our students to face the challenges of the future with confidence and resilience. Together, as a united school community, we can achieve these goals and continue to shine as a beacon of educational excellence.

I look forward to another year of growth, learning, and success at Ashoka.

Best Regards,

**Mr. Pramod Tripathi**

Vice-Principal



"Education is about empowerment, about cultivating a human being to the highest possible potential - a tool for fulfilling the immensity of being"

-Sadguru

Dear Ashoka Family,

At Ashoka, we believe in the transformative power of education that goes beyond the confines of a traditional curriculum. Learning should ignite minds, encouraging critical thinking and a pursuit of betterment. It's about nurturing character, enriching minds, and creating lasting experiences.

Our approach to education is holistic, focusing on amalgamating essential skills, mindsets, and values. We guide, mentor, and facilitate our students to cultivate strong values alongside vital life skills, providing them with the wings to soar and explore the world.

Our educators are authors of character. They instill in young minds the fundamentals of ideas, ideals, principles, aspirations, compassion, empathy, and love.

We take pride in our parents, who entrust their children to us and actively participate in shaping their characters. They are our greatest supporters. At Ashoka, education is a shared commitment among our dedicated educators, motivated students, and supportive parents.

I encourage each one of you to embrace the pages of this magazine with enthusiasm and pride. Let us celebrate the richness of our school experience and honor the incredible talents that reside within these walls.

I extend my heartfelt appreciation to the Editorial team for their hard work in creating this beautiful edition of Mimansa, which unfolds our remarkable journey throughout 2023-24

Together, we shall continue to inspire, learn, and create a brighter future for all.

God Bless

Best Regards,

**Dr. Priya D'souza**

Vice-Principal

Before their birth, children are connected to family, community, culture and places. Their most early development takes place through all these relationships and places. Then comes a time when children are exposed to a larger community- their school, where they develop interest construct and form their own identities and understand the world around them. As it is very rightly said that - It takes someone special to be an Educator.



A person who cares for others and aims to help students grow to their fullest potential. Teaching, according to me is "Not short of Heaven on Earth." Just imagine walking down an empty corridor, and you suddenly hear the sound of children's voices singing sweetly or even talking to each other, isn't this such a heavenly feeling? This feeling always inspires me to come to School each day and fulfill all my duties as a Cluster Head of the Pre Primary Section at this esteemed institution of Ashoka Global Pre School.

My self-driven attitude and the motivation of my entire teaching staff, the parents and all my loving children enable me to strive for better, each day.

I believe I was destined to be here.

Best Regards,

**Ms. Aparna Mathkari**

Cluster Head (Early Childhood)

# INVESTITURE CEREMONY

An Investiture ceremony signifies the reliance and confidence that the school consigns in the newly invested office bearers. Donning the mantle of accountability, students pledge to bestow their duties to the best of their abilities.

Ashoka Universal School held its annual Investiture Ceremony at its Arjun Nagar campus.

Students adorned their Board of Honor uniforms and looked proud, all set to take forward the mission statement of School and take over all school responsibilities .

Col (Retd.) Yash Bali, chaired the event as the guest of honor in presence of school management, school heads, parents and students.



## INVESTITURE CEREMONY



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## SCHOOL REOPENING



The classrooms are buzzing with excitement, laughter, and the joyful reunions of our little learners ONCE AGAIN! We are thrilled to announce that Ashoka Global Preschool has reopened its doors after a refreshing summer break!

Our dedicated teachers have been hard at work preparing engaging and fun-filled activities to kickstart the new term.

Parents, we are just as excited to welcome you back. Thank you for entrusting us with your child's early education and development. Together, we will continue to nurture a love for learning and create a vibrant community where every child thrives.

Here's to a fantastic new term filled with growth, discovery, and countless memorable moments!



# EVENTS

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## International Yoga Day and World Music Day



The Kindergarteners of Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, celebrated International Yoga Day and World Music Day with boundless enthusiasm and joy.

The day began with a vibrant Yoga Session, including Pranayama, Asanas, and Om Chanting.

Our little yogis showcased their skills with remarkable precision and confidence in the presence of Garima Kumat a yoga expert and wellness coach. As the celebrations continued, laughter and music filled the air with World Music Day festivities. Watching our young stars sing and dance to the lively tunes performed by their teachers was sheer delight.

An unforgettable day brimming with joy and excitement for our young learners!



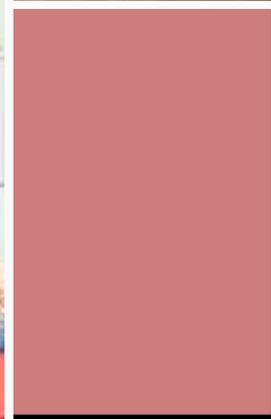
## PARENT ORIENTATION



The new academic journey for 2023-24 began with smiles and excitement as Ashoka Global Preschool hosted its Annual Parent Orientation.

It was a delightful morning where parents were warmly welcomed into their child's learning world. They had the chance to meet our loving teachers, understand the playful teaching-learning methods, and explore the thoughtfully designed year-long plan crafted especially for their little ones.

From nurturing curiosity to building strong foundations, the orientation set the tone for a joyful and enriching year ahead. Here's to a year full of giggles, growth, and great beginnings!

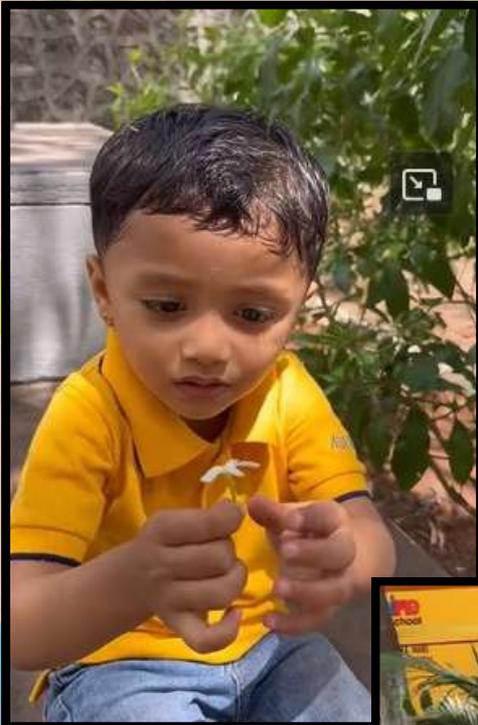


## OUTDOOR PLAY



At Ashoka Global Preschool, our little explorers are discovering the wonders of nature, learning through hands-on adventures, and building lifelong memories in the great outdoors.

Over the course of 100 dedicated hours, they've engaged in meaningful experiences that spark curiosity, nurture creativity, and foster a deep love for the environment — all while having loads of fun along the way!



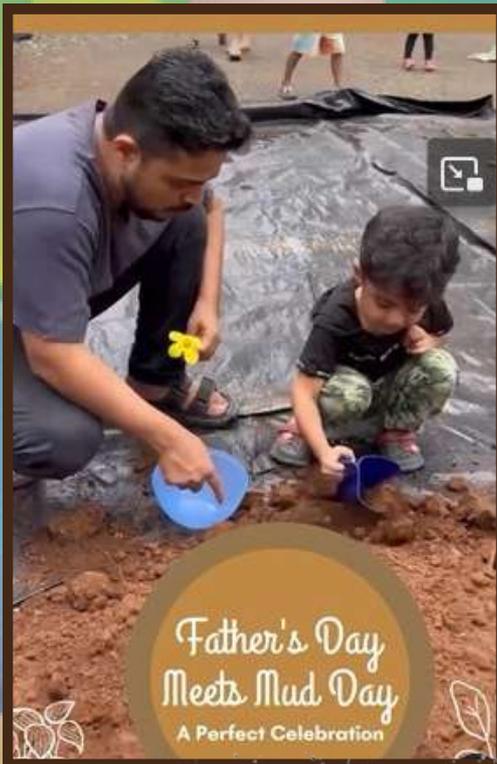
## INTERNATIONAL MUD DAY



Double the Fun at Ashoka Global Preschool

We had an incredible time celebrating Father's Day and Mud Day together! Watch our amazing dads and their little ones as they dive into the mud, laugh, and create unforgettable memories.

Thank you to all the fathers who joined us for this unique celebration. Happy Father's Day and Mud Day!



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## MUD DAY

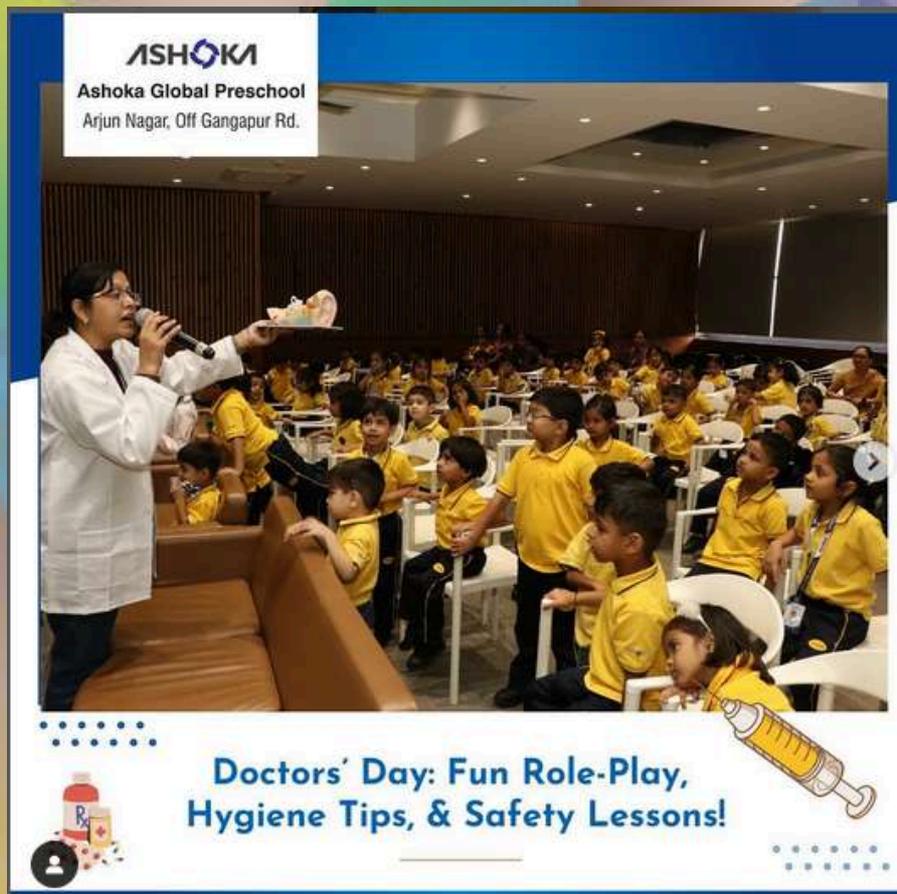


## DOCTORS DAY



Doctors' Day at Ashoka Global Preschool was filled with excitement as our little ones immersed themselves in role-play activities to learn about different doctors and their tools.

From stethoscopes to thermometers, they explored the world of healthcare while discovering the importance of personal hygiene. Safety was a top priority as we discussed the risks of sharp objects. It was a day of fun, learning, and creating lasting memories for everyone!

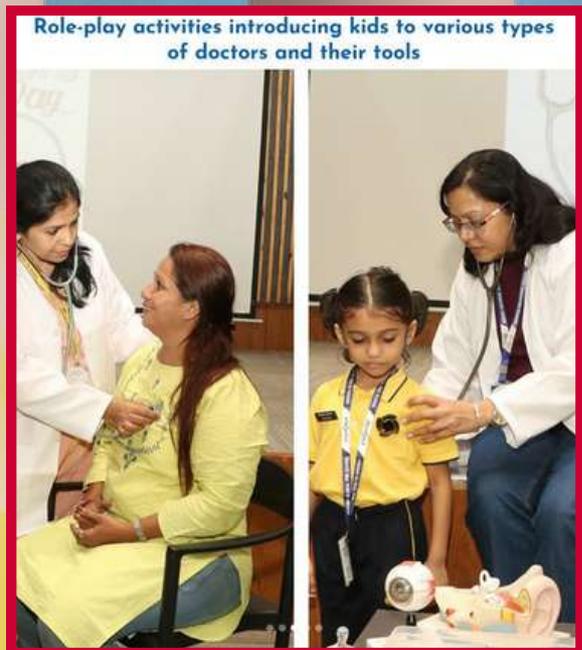




## Doctors Day



Empowering kids with dental hygiene awareness & overall health



## RAINY DAY



Monsoon Magic at Ashoka Global Preschool!

Our little ones had a splash-tastic time celebrating Monsoon Day! From dressing up as rainy season creatures to dancing in the rain and playing with friends, the joy was infectious.

Witnessing their smiles and enthusiasm reminds us of the simple joys that come with the rainy season. Here's to more fun-filled days and magical moments!



## Rainy Day



## Sensory Development Activities



At Ashoka Global Preschool, we nurture our kid's pincer grip through engaging activities and diverse textures, enhancing their sensory development.”



Encouraging kids to enhance their pincer grip while exploring their senses.



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## 100 LANGUAGES OF CHILDREN



Connect before you correct .

Ashoka global preschool organised a session on 100 languages of Children where the parents unlocked their creativity and understood how important it is to connect with the child and what are the different ways in which the child can connect at the end of the session we had such creative artworks made by the parents.

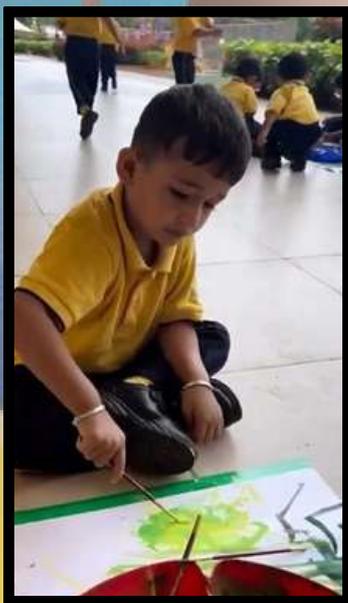
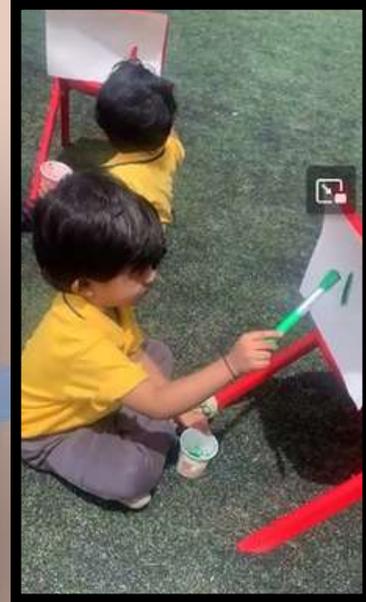
Watch as our kids beautifully express their feelings through art, embracing the 100 languages of children method by Reggio Emilia which is an integral part of our eclectic curriculum

Their creativity knows no bounds!"





## 100 Languages of Children



## ASHADI EKADASHI



अशोका ग्लोबल प्रीस्कूलचे विद्यार्थी आनंदाने आषाढी एकादशी साजरी करत आहेत, रुक्मिणी आणि विठ्ठलाच्या वेशभूषेत, दिंडीत सहभागी होण्यासाठी आणि 'विठ्ठला, विठ्ठला, विठ्ठला' गाण्यासाठी सज्ज आहेत



## Ashadi Ekadashi



## GURU PURNIMA



॥ गुरुपौर्णिमा ॥

### Honoring Our First Gurus

Ashoka Global Preschool warmly welcomed grandparents for a special Guru Purnima celebration. Grandparents, with their life experiences and wisdom, have been our guiding lights from birth, enriching our lives with delightful stories and songs. We were thrilled to have them narrate stories from their time, bringing joy and happiness to our students.



## Guru Purnima



# COFFEE WITH DAD

*A Heart-warming Morning at Ashoka Global Preschool*



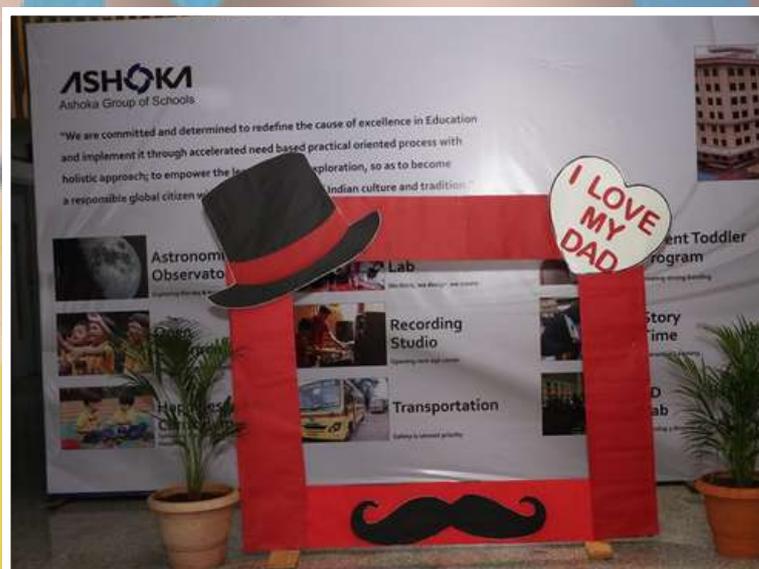
The vibrant campus of Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar, came alive with laughter, love, and memorable moments during the much-anticipated “Coffee with Dad” event. Designed to celebrate the special bond between fathers and their little ones, the event was a delightful blend of fun, connection, and reflection.

Fathers were invited to step into their child’s world — a world of imagination, joy, and unfiltered love. The morning began with a warm welcome, followed by a series of engaging activities that brought smiles to every face. From playful games and interactive sessions to music and dance, the campus echoed with pure happiness as daddies and their little stars made memories together.

One of the event’s highlights was the fashion walk, where dads and their children confidently strutted down the runway, twinning in style and enjoying the spotlight. It was not just about appearances, but about pride, joy, and the joy of simply being together.

The most touching moments came when fathers shared heartfelt reflections about their parenting journey, the lessons they’ve learned from their children, and the deep emotional bonds they cherish.

“Coffee with Dad” was not just an event—it was an experience that celebrated fatherhood in its most beautiful form. We thank all the wonderful dads for their enthusiastic participation and for making the day truly special.



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## Coffee with Dad



## CRAZY HAIR DAY



Crazy Hair Day at Ashoka Global Preschool was a whirlwind of creativity and fun! Our students showcased incredible hairstyles, from World Cup hair and Save Nature hair to Nest hair and Barbie hair. The campus was buzzing with amazing craziness and vibrant themes.



## STORY TELLING



Students at Ashoka Global Preschool had an amazing time during our Friday storytelling session with the classic tale of the Capseller and the Monkeys! This weekly tradition sparks creativity and excitement, setting the stage for an adventurous weekend.

Friday storytime at Ashoka Global Preschool was a roaring success!

🐼 For Friendship Day, our teacher dressed as a tiger and students as forest friends, bringing 'Tiger and the Forest Friends' to life!



## Story Telling



# FRIENDSHIP DAY



At Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, Friendship Day was nothing short of magical! From the moment the little learners stepped into school, it was clear the day would be extra special — a time to celebrate their best buddies, share favorite toys, and spread the brightest smiles.

The classrooms were filled with colorful balloons and cheerful decorations as teachers shared heartwarming stories about what it means to be a good friend. The kindergarteners learned that friendship is all about sharing, caring, helping, and always being kind.

The young ones got creative with handmade friendship bands, using glitter, stickers, and tiny heart-shaped beads. Then came the sweetest moment — tying those bands onto their friends' wrists with proud smiles and warm hugs, whispering, "You're my best friend forever!"

Throughout the day, the preschoolers danced, sang songs about friendship, and enjoyed special treats. Holding hands in joyful circles, the children laughed and played, creating memories that will stay in their hearts for a long time.

At Ashoka Global Preschool, the little learners are discovering that friendship isn't just for a day — it's something they build every single day with love, laughter, and kindness



## Friendship Day



## BRINGING HOME TO SCHOOL



At Ashoka Global Preschool, learning goes beyond the classroom!

As part of our special home school partnership initiative, our dedicated teachers had the joy of visiting our little learners in the comfort of their homes. The excitement and twinkle in their eyes as they welcomed their teachers into their world was truly priceless.

These visits were filled with giggles, heartwarming conversations, storytelling, and special moments that deepened the beautiful bond between teacher and child. It was a chance to connect more personally, understand each child's unique space, and strengthen the bridge between home and school.

Moments like these remind us that learning is everywhere — and love, trust, and connection are the best foundations we can build.



## SHARING DAYS

### Celebrating India's Cultural Tapestry: Sharing Days at Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus

At Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, every Sharing Day is a vibrant celebration of India's rich cultural diversity. These special days are filled with excitement, curiosity, and discovery, offering young learners a unique opportunity to explore and experience the essence of a different Indian state each month.

From colorful traditional attire and regional cuisines to cultural values and local art forms, students immerse themselves in the beauty and uniqueness of each state. What makes these days even more special is the enthusiastic participation of parents, who contribute wholeheartedly — from preparing authentic dishes to dressing their little ones and sharing interesting facts about the state being celebrated.

Sharing Days not only create joyful memories but also serve a deeper purpose — helping children stay rooted in their own culture while developing an appreciation for the traditions of others. This initiative nurtures a sense of unity in diversity, fostering early awareness and respect for India's incredible cultural heritage.

Through fun, hands-on experiences and strong parent-school collaboration, children grow into more aware, empathetic, and inclusive individuals — one state at a time!



## Sharing Days



## INDEPENDENCE DAY



Little Patriots, Big Dreams!

Our little stars at Ashoka Global Preschool joyfully celebrated India's Independence Day, their hearts brimming with pride and patriotism!

Draped in the vibrant hues of the tricolour, they marched with confidence, sang patriotic songs, and shared inspiring stories of our national heroes — embracing the true spirit of freedom.

Let's continue to nurture these young minds with a deep love for their country and empower them to shine bright as the future of our nation!



# EVENTS

## Independence Day



## A Celebration of Growth: Culmination at Ashoka Global Preschool

Ashoka Global Preschool's culmination event was a heartwarming showcase of our kindergartners radiating determination, clarity, and joy.

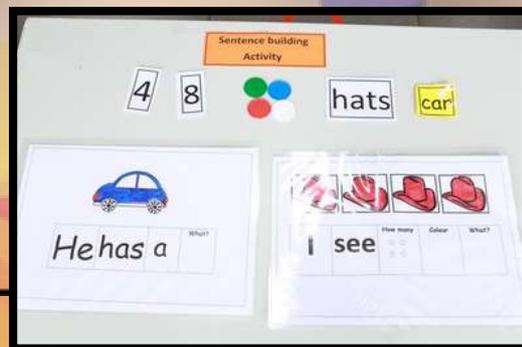
Held at the end of every term, culmination is a thoughtfully designed event that offers parents a holistic glimpse into their child's progress — both academic and co-curricular. It serves as a meaningful platform where learning journeys come to life through performances, presentations, and interactive moments.

Parents proudly witnessed their little ones demonstrate their growth, confidence, and creativity. From language skills and number concepts to dance, music, and art — every aspect of their development was joyfully displayed, leaving families beaming with pride.

It was not just an event, but a significant milestone that celebrated the hard work, dedication, and happiness of each child — while strengthening the bond between parents and the school.



## Culmination at Ashoka Global Preschool



## Partnering for Progress: Phonics Session for Parents at Ashoka Global Preschool



At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe that every child is unique — each one learns at their own pace and develops distinct skills and strengths. While we honour and nurture these individual learning journeys, we also recognize the vital role that parents, teachers, and schools play together in shaping a child's growth.

With this in mind, we recently organized an interactive Phonics Session for Parents, aimed at strengthening the home-school connection in early literacy development. The session provided insights into the phonics approach used in our classrooms, helping parents understand how children begin to decode sounds, build words, and develop a love for reading.

Through engaging demonstrations and practical tips, our educators shared ways parents can support phonics learning at home — making reading a fun, stress-free experience for their little ones.

This collaborative initiative not only empowered parents with tools to reinforce learning but also reaffirmed our belief that when home and school work hand-in-hand, every child thrives.



## Learning through Play: Exploring Community Helpers at Ashoka Global Preschool



At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe that pretend play is a powerful tool for early childhood development. It nurtures creativity, encourages independent thinking, and allows children to explore the world around them in a fun and engaging way.

Our little learners recently took part in an exciting role-play activity to understand the concept of community helpers. Dressed as doctors, fire fighters, teachers, police officers, and more — the children stepped into their roles with enthusiasm and curiosity.

Through this immersive experience, students were not only able to identify various community helpers but also gained a deeper appreciation for the important roles they play in our society. The activity fostered imagination, self-expression, and meaningful learning — all while having a great time!

At Ashoka, we create spaces where children are free to express, explore, ideate, and most importantly — enjoy the journey of learning.



## Rakshabandhan with a Purpose: A Heartfelt Tribute by Ashoka Global Preschool



Rakshabandhan — a festival that celebrates warmth, bonding, love, and respect — was celebrated in a truly meaningful way this year by the students and teachers of Ashoka Global Preschool.

In a thoughtful gesture aimed at honouring our real-life heroes, our little kindergarteners, along with their teachers, visited the Artillery Centre in Nashik to celebrate the festival with the brave Indian Army jawans.

The main aim of this visit was to make our soldiers feel special and express heartfelt gratitude for their selfless service to the nation. The children tied rakhis, shared smiles, and created cherished memories with the jawans, turning a traditional festival into a moment of connection, gratitude, and pride.

It was a memorable day for both our students and the soldiers — one filled with joy, innocence, and emotional warmth, leaving behind a lasting impression of love and respect.



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## Rakshabandhan



## Joyful Janmashtami Celebrations at Ashoka Global Preschool



The spirit of devotion and festivity filled the air as Ashoka Global Preschool celebrated Janmashtami, marking the birth of Lord Krishna, with great enthusiasm and joy.

The campus was beautifully decorated with flowers, flutes, and colorful matkis, creating a vibrant atmosphere that reflected the essence of Krishna's playful charm. Our tiny tots came dressed as little Krishnas and Radhas, adding a delightful spark to the celebration.

The day was filled with engaging activities — from singing bhajans and performing graceful dances to listening to the stories of Krishna's childhood. The highlight of the event was the adorable "Dahi Handi" ceremony, where children enthusiastically participated, enjoying the tradition in a safe and joyful way.

Through these activities, children not only celebrated a beloved festival but also learned about the values of love, friendship, and kindness that Lord Krishna stood for.

At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe in blending culture with learning, helping children connect with their roots while celebrating festivals with fun, meaning, and joy. Janmashtami was not just a celebration — it was an experience full of smiles, devotion, and cherished memories.



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## Learning the Rules of the Road: Road Safety Week at Ashoka Global Preschool



At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe that learning essential life skills should begin early — and understanding road safety is one of them. In a fun, interactive, and age-appropriate way, our little learners were introduced to the basics of road safety, helping them become more aware and responsible, even at a young age.

The session covered a variety of topics, starting with the different types of vehicles — from cars, buses, and bicycles to emergency vehicles like ambulances and fire trucks. Children learned to identify each type and understand their roles on the road.

Teachers introduced the concept of zebra crossings, explaining their importance and how pedestrians should use them safely. Using visual aids, models, and role play, students practiced crossing the road while following the “look right, look left, then right again” rule.

The basics of traffic rules were also shared in a child-friendly manner — like recognizing traffic light colors, the importance of wearing a seatbelt, using helmets while riding two-wheelers, and always walking on footpaths.

The session was not only educational but also engaging, with activities, songs, and real-life simulations that made learning about road safety both fun and impactful.

At Ashoka Global Preschool, we aim to empower our children with knowledge that goes beyond books — and road safety is a step toward raising smart, aware, and responsible citizens of tomorrow.



## The Rules of the Road



## Little Flyers Take Off: Airport Role Play at Ashoka Global Preschool



At Ashoka Global Preschool, learning goes beyond the classroom — it's all about learning by doing and learning through play. In one such engaging initiative, the campus was transformed into a miniature airport, giving our young learners an exciting opportunity to explore the world of air travel firsthand!

From check-in counters and boarding passes to security checks and in-flight announcements, every aspect of the airport experience was thoughtfully recreated. The children eagerly took on roles as pilots, passengers, cabin crew, and ground staff, immersing themselves in a joyful and imaginative journey.

This hands-on activity not only sparked curiosity but also helped develop important life skills — such as communication, cooperation, sequencing, and understanding real-world processes. Concepts like travel, safety, and community helpers were introduced in a playful and age-appropriate manner.

Through such creative experiences, Ashoka Global Preschool encourages children to learn, explore, and understand the world around them — one imaginative adventure at a time.



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## Airport Role Play



## Exploring the Wonders of Nature: Volcano Activity at Ashoka Global Preschool



At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe that the best learning happens when children see, touch, and experience the world around them. In line with our learning through play philosophy, our young explorers recently delved into the fascinating world of volcanoes through an exciting hands-on activity.

To make this natural phenomenon come alive, a visual representation of a volcano was created right in the classroom. The children watched in awe as the model “erupted,” giving them a memorable and fun introduction to basic science concepts.

This activity sparked curiosity, encouraged questioning, and helped students understand how volcanoes work — all in an age-appropriate and engaging way. It also supported key developmental skills like observation, communication, and critical thinking.

By blending visual learning with play-based methods, Ashoka Global Preschool ensures that even complex concepts become accessible, exciting, and meaningful for our little learners.



## Volcano Activity



## A Heartwarming Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ganesh Chaturthi at Ashoka Global Preschool is always a vibrant and joyous occasion — a perfect blend of celebration and learning. This year, the festival was made even more meaningful with a thoughtfully curated skit presented by the teachers for our little learners. The skit beautifully depicted a popular tale from the life of Lord Ganesha, showcasing his deep devotion and love for his parents, Lord Shiva and Goddess Parvati. In the story, when asked by his father, Lord Shiva, to circle the universe as an act of reverence, young Ganesha chose instead to walk around his parents seven times, declaring that they meant the world to him. This heartfelt gesture highlighted the timeless Indian value of respect and gratitude towards one's parents.

The children were not only captivated by the performance but also imbibed the underlying message of love, reverence, and family bonds in a way that was both age-appropriate and emotionally resonant.

At Ashoka Global Preschool, festivals are more than just celebrations — they are powerful teaching moments, where values are instilled through storytelling, play, and creative expression. This Ganesh Chaturthi, our young learners not only celebrated the birth of Lord Ganesha but also walked away with a deeper appreciation for the people who love and guide them the most — their parents.



## Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration



## Gandhi Jayanti Celebrated with Patriotic Fervour at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool came alive with patriotic spirit as our young learners celebrated Gandhi Jayanti, honouring the birth anniversary of the Father of the Nation — Mahatma Gandhi. Through engaging activities and meaningful experiences, children were introduced to the life, values, and contributions of Bapu in a way that resonated with their age and understanding.

One of the highlights of the day was a creative re-enactment of the historic Dandi March, where the children, dressed in traditional attire, marched together symbolically to represent India's non-violent protest against the British salt tax. With handmade placards and slogans echoing freedom, the young ones proudly walked in unity, learning about peaceful resistance and courage.

To add to the patriotic atmosphere, the children enthusiastically chanted Indian freedom slogans like "Inquilab Zindabad" and "Vande Mataram", infusing the environment with energy and pride.

At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe in nurturing not just knowledge but also values, history, and love for the nation. The Gandhi Jayanti celebration was a beautiful blend of education and emotion — planting seeds of patriotism and respect in the hearts of our little ones.



## Gandhi Jayanti



## A Special Visit to the General Post Office!



Our little learners from Ashoka Global Preschool had a wonderful opportunity to visit the General Post Office, where they explored how letters and parcels travel across the country! With curious eyes and excited hearts, the children observed how stamps are used, how letters are sorted, and how the post reaches our homes. They even got to drop postcards into the red letterbox — a truly delightful experience!

This visit helped them understand the importance of community helpers and the postal system, all through hands-on learning and real-world exploration.

At Ashoka, every outing is a step toward making learning meaningful and memorable!



## General Post Office!



## Cooking Without Fire at Ashoka Global Preschool



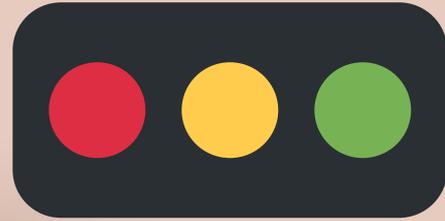
Our tiny tots turned into little chefs during the fun-filled 'Cooking Without Fire' activity at Ashoka Global Preschool!

With no flames involved, children prepared simple, healthy snacks while learning about hygiene, teamwork, and healthy eating habits. This hands-on experience also helped build independence and confidence, making learning both fun and meaningful.

At Ashoka, we believe in nurturing life skills early — one delicious bite at a time!



## Learning on the Go: Traffic Signal Visit by Ashoka Global Preschool



As part of their road safety learning, the students of Ashoka Global Preschool visited a live traffic signal for a fun and interactive experience.

They observed real-time traffic lights, learned the meaning of each color, the use of zebra crossings, and how to cross the road safely.

In addition, our little safety ambassadors also took a moment to spread awareness among travelers — reminding them to wear helmets, avoid speeding, and follow traffic rules to ensure everyone's safety on the roads.

Through this engaging activity, our young learners gained valuable lessons in responsible behaviour, both as pedestrians and future citizens.



## Traffic Signal



## Navratri Celebrated with Joy at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, celebrated Navratri with great enthusiasm, capturing the true spirit of the festival. Dressed in vibrant traditional attire, the tiny tots enjoyed dancing to the beats of Garba and Dandiya, filling the campus with joy and energy.

Through stories and festive activities, children learned about the significance of Navratri — the triumph of good over evil and the strength and grace of Goddess Durga. The celebration beautifully blended fun with cultural learning, nurturing values and traditions in young hearts.



## Navratri Celebrated



## Diwali Celebrations with Parent-Toddler Program at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, lit up with joy as the Parent-Toddler Program celebrated the Festival of Lights – Diwali. The festivities began with a vibrant drum circle, setting a cheerful tone for the celebration.

The toddlers and their parents took part in delightful hands-on activities like laddoo making, lighting diyas, and capturing special moments in a festive photo corner. The event beautifully brought together culture, creativity, and togetherness, creating cherished memories for our little ones and their families.



## Diwali Celebrated with Ramayana Enactment at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, celebrated Diwali with its kindergarteners through a special enactment of Sita Haran from the Ramayana by the teachers. The children were captivated as the story unfolded, helping them understand the deeper meaning of Diwali — the triumph of good over evil. The celebration beautifully blended festivity with learning, instilling cultural values in a fun and engaging way.



## Diwali Celebrated with Ramayana Enactment



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## Spooktacular Fun at Ashoka Global Preschool's Halloween Party!



Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, came alive with spooky fun as children celebrated Halloween in their cutest and creepiest costumes. The little ones enjoyed a lively costume parade, pumpkin crafts, trick-or-treat activities, and spooky storytelling sessions. The celebration blended fun with learning, encouraging creativity, confidence, and cultural exploration. It was a memorable day filled with laughter, excitement, and festive spirit!



## Thanksgiving Day Celebrated with Gratitude at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, marked Thanksgiving Day with a heartwarming gesture of appreciation. The young learners expressed their gratitude to the school's support staff by presenting them with handmade cards and flowers, thanking them for their constant care and help.

This thoughtful activity helped instill the value of gratitude and respect in children from an early age, teaching them to acknowledge the silent heroes who contribute to their daily comfort and safety. It was a simple yet powerful celebration that highlighted the importance of kindness and appreciation in building a caring school community.



## Learning by Doing at Ashoka Global Preschool



At Ashoka Global Preschool, we believe in hands-on learning experiences. Our little learners recently visited Jagirdar Bakery, where they observed the cake-making process live — from mixing and baking to decorating and packaging. The visit was a delightful way to connect classroom learning with the real world, sparking curiosity and joy!



## Winter Day Celebrated with Warmth and Cheer at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, embraced the winter chill with a joyful Winter Day Celebration! The little ones arrived in their snug winter wear, all set for a day full of seasonal fun.

Highlights of the day included a cozy bonfire, where children gathered to warm up and enjoy the winter vibe. A playful twist was added with make-do snow, giving kids a chance to experience snow play and spark their imagination. The celebration was made even sweeter with a serving of yummy sweet corn, adding warmth and delight to the day.

Through stories, crafts, and hands-on activities, our young learners explored the essence of winter in the most engaging way. It was a perfect blend of learning, laughter, and seasonal joy!



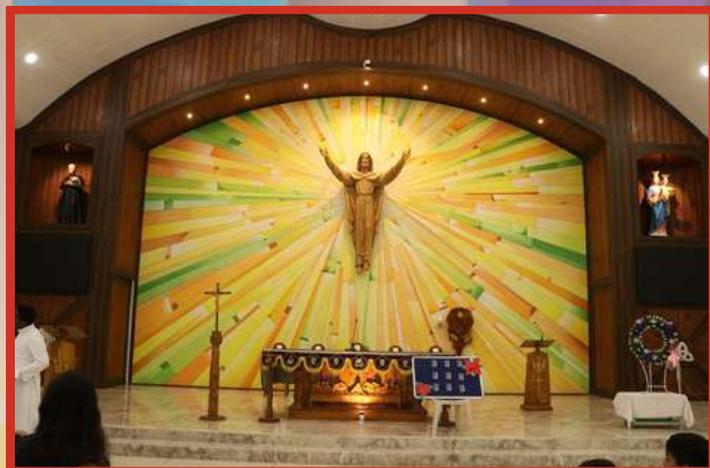
## Spreading Christmas Cheer at Ashoka Global Preschool



In the true spirit of Christmas, the students of Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, visited Don Bosco Church in December. The children were warmly welcomed and had the wonderful opportunity to meet Father, who shared the story of Jesus Christ and the significance of Christmas in a simple and meaningful way.

The little ones listened to soulful carols, joined in prayers, and soaked in the festive spirit with joy and reverence.

Back at school, they were greeted with a delightful surprise — Santa Claus himself arrived, spreading cheer and handing out Christmas goodies to the excited children! The day was a perfect blend of reflection, celebration, and festive fun, leaving the children with warm hearts and bright smiles.



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## Christmas



## Sports Day at Ashoka Global Preschool: A Celebration of Joy and Togetherness



Ashoka Global Preschool's Sports Day was a vibrant celebration of energy, coordination, and the beautiful bond between parents and children. The campus buzzed with excitement as parents enthusiastically joined their little ones in fun races and playful activities, turning the day into a carnival of laughter and love.

The atmosphere was filled with cheers, giggles, and heart-warming moments that reflected trust, teamwork, and pure joy. The event concluded on a high note with a delightful kite-flying session, where colourful kites danced in the sky—symbolizing the free spirit and soaring bond of our Ashoka family.



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## Sports Day



## An Astronomical Playdate Under the Stars at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool hosted a magical evening that combined the wonder of the cosmos with the warmth of family fun—a unique astronomical playdate under the starlit sky.

Our little learners, accompanied by their parents, gathered on campus to witness celestial marvels through a digital telescope. Their wide-eyed wonder and innocent gasps as they explored the night sky were truly heart-melting. The experience was elevated with a “movie under the stars” that captivated both young and old alike.

The evening unfolded into a joyful play date filled with exciting games, art activities, parachute play, and a cozy bonfire to beat the evening chill. The air was filled with laughter, music, and the aroma of sweet corn fresh off the barbecue.

It was a night of discovery, bonding, and unforgettable memories—where science met play and starlight met smiles.



## An Astronomical Playdate



## A Day of Nature and Fun: Picnic at Peruchi Wadi



Students of Ashoka Global Preschool enjoyed a delightful day at Peruchi Wadi, soaking in the sights, sounds, and flavors of nature. The picnic was a perfect blend of exploration and enjoyment, as children spotted birds in their natural habitat and walked through lush greenery filled with guava plants—plucking and tasting the fresh fruits right off the trees! The highlight of the day was a delicious serving of misal that added a spicy twist to the countryside experience. From nature walks to flavorful treats, it was a refreshing day filled with learning, laughter, and lasting memories



## Picnic at Peruchi Wadi



## A Splash of Joy: Eco-Friendly Holi Celebration at Ashoka Global Preschool



Ashoka Global Preschool celebrated the vibrant festival of Holi with a beautiful blend of fun, festivity, and awareness. The little ones immersed themselves in colour—safely and responsibly. Using only eco-friendly, natural colours, children were guided on playing a safe Holi without wasting water and being mindful of not applying colour near the eyes or mouth. The celebration was not just about colour but also about culture and care. The day ended on a sweet note with delicious festive treats served at school, filling hearts and tummies with joy.

It was a celebration of colours, consciousness, and lots of cheerful giggles—just the Ashoka way!



# PAJAMA PARTY



At Ashoka Global Preschool, Arjun Nagar Campus, we hosted a pajama party aimed at fostering independence, self-care skills, and social bonding among our kindergarten students. The event blended play with learning, helping children develop essential life skills.

The day began with students arriving in night suits, followed by bedtime stories to enhance language and literacy. After a brief nap, students practiced hygiene routines like brushing teeth and washing faces. Breakfast provided a moment for socialization.

The day ended with a morning assembly, promoting teamwork and school spirit.

This engaging event nurtured independence, social skills, and healthy habits.



## Pajama Party



# KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS



Grade 6 and 7 students of Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, reverberated with immense pride and gratitude as they commemorated Kargil Diwas - a day that holds a special place in the heart of every Indian.

Kargil Vijay Diwas marks the gallant victory of our brave soldiers in the Kargil War, reminding us of their unparalleled sacrifice and unwavering dedication to protecting our beloved nation.

Our talented students took center stage and showcased their patriotism and unity through mesmerizing performances. Through soul-stirring songs, captivating dances, and heartfelt skits, they brought to life the heroic tales of our soldiers, leaving everyone present deeply moved and inspired.

Let us continue to instill these values in our children, nurturing a sense of pride in our nation and a profound appreciation for our defenders.



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## PSYCHOLOGIST AVISHKAR GANGURDE TALKS ON PSYCHOLOGICAL NEEDS OF CHILDREN

Avishkar Gangurde, our skilled School Psychologist, recently led an enlightening session at Ashoka Universal School.

Focusing on kids in grades 1 to 5, he guided parents through relationship building by exploring needs and values.

The parents discovered how...

1. Rational dialogue
2. Letting go of anger ...are key to building stronger parent-child connections.

The session wasn't just a talk, but a vibrant exchange of wisdom. Parents actively engaged, showcasing their thirst for knowledge and a desire for healthier relationships



## CHANDRAYAAN 3 LAUNCH

We're over the moon with joy as we celebrate the successful landing of Chandrayaan 3, India's next leap in lunar exploration! The students and staff of Ashoka Group of Schools came together to witness this historic event, igniting their passion for science and space exploration.

The sky wasn't the limit today – it was just the beginning! Our young minds were filled with wonder as they learned about the incredible journey of Chandrayaan 3, aimed at uncovering the mysteries of the lunar surface.

Guided by the spirit of curiosity and innovation, we believe that such milestones inspire us all to reach for the stars. Our students were encouraged to dream big and pursue their aspirations, just like the brilliant scientists and engineers behind Chandrayaan 3.

Let's continue to explore, discover, and push the boundaries of knowledge!  
Congratulations to the entire team of Chandrayaan 3 for their dedication and hard work.  
Here's to many more celestial achievements in the future!



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## CHANDRAYAAN 3 LAUNCH



## Exciting Learning Session on Fire Safety with Mr. Gajendra Japtap

Mr. Japtap, our expert resource person and a leading fire and safety consultant, led an enlightening session on fire safety for all the students and staff of Ashoka.

We delved into the realm of fire with insights on different types of fires and the effective methods to extinguish them.

Ever wondered how to tackle a kitchen fire? We got you covered! Mr. Japtap demonstrated and explained the art of safely putting out kitchen fires.

Did you know CO2 gas cylinders are a powerful tool to combat small fires? We discovered the secrets of their usage in our informative session.



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*It is not how much we do, but how much love we put in the doing. It is not how much we give, but how much love is put in the giving."*

*— Mother Teresa*

Students of Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, exemplify this spirit by donating a computer to the Zilla Parishad School at Mhasruli.

The funds for this computer were collected by our students through the Student Enterprise Challenge fund.

This fund was raised by setting up food stalls during various in-house events at school, showcasing their dedication to making a positive impact in our community. Small acts of kindness can lead to significant changes. Thank you to our students for their

heartfelt generosity!



## GANPATI MAKING WORKSHOP



Our recent Ganpati Making Workshop brought together students and parents from grades 1 to 12 for a day filled with artistry, love, and devotion to the God of Prosperity

The workshop was a vibrant hub of creativity, where parents and students alike unleashed their artistic flair to craft unique and imaginative Bappa idols. 🌈🎨

As the air buzzed with laughter and shared memories, parents reminisced about their own youthful days, noting how such activities were dearly missed back then.

At Ashoka, we're not just about academics; we're about creating lasting connections and fostering creativity! Stay tuned for more exciting events that bring our school community closer.



## GANESH STHAPANA

वक्रतुंड महाकाय सूर्यकोटी समप्रभः।  
त्रिविध्नं कुरु मे देवः सर्व कार्येषु सर्वदा॥

This Sanskrit verse, often associated with Lord Ganesha, beautifully captures the essence of this auspicious day. Let's decode its profound meaning:

"Vakratunda" - Twisted trunk (referring to Lord Ganesha's unique appearance)

"Mahakaya" - Large-bodied

"Suryakoti" - Radiant as a million suns

"Samaprabha" - With an effulgent aura

"Nirvighnam" - Without any obstacles or hindrances

"me" - My

"Deva" - God (referring to Lord Ganesha)

"Sarvakaryeshu" - In all endeavors or tasks

"Sarvada" - Always



In essence, it means, "O Lord Ganesha, with a large and radiant form, possessing a twisted trunk and an effulgent aura, always remove obstacles from all our endeavors."

Today, Ashoka Group of Schools, Arjun Nagar Campus, welcomed the Lord of Wisdom and Peace with utmost fervor. The entire campus echoed with the presence of the Vighnaharta, creating an atmosphere filled with piety and sacredness.

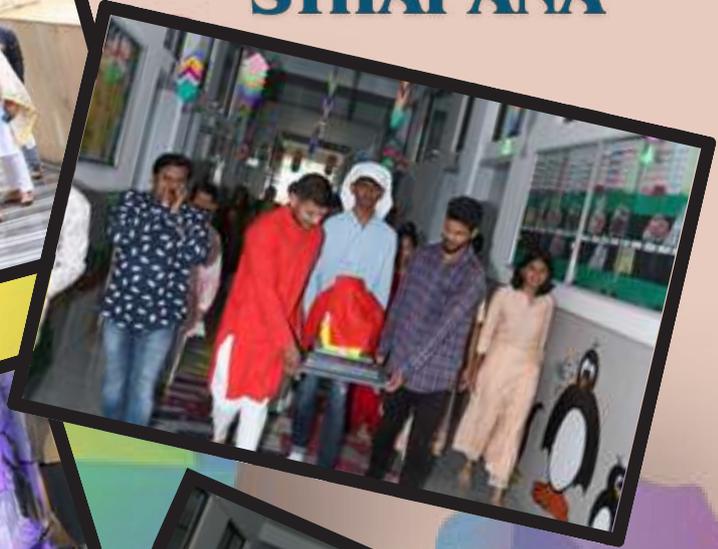
Our very own Board of Honour students performed the traditional Aagaman of Ganesha, offering Aarti and Prasad. May the Lord of Prosperity bless our School and all of us with wisdom, good health, peace, and happiness.

On this auspicious occasion, we extend our warmest wishes to each one of you for a very happy Ganesh Chaturthi!

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## GANESH STHAPANA



# FIRE FIGHTING WORKSHOP

Fire destruction is not one man's job, Fire prevention is everyone's job."

Safety starts with you, and Ashoka Group of Schools Arjun Nagar Campus is committed to keeping its community safe. Recently, we organized a comprehensive Fire Safety and Management workshop for our entire staff.

Rajendra Waje, a certified in-house Fire Fighting Professional, led an engaging session, educating our admin and support staff on essential aspects of fire safety:

- ✓ Proper handling of various fire fighting equipment.
- ✓ Materials and techniques for effective safety management.
- ✓ First aid techniques crucial in fire emergencies.

The workshop was both informative and interactive, empowering our team to be proactive in ensuring the safety of our school environment. Together, we can prevent fire incidents and protect our community.



## FIRE FIGHTING WORKSHOP



## GANPATI VISARJAN

The air was filled with the sweet sounds of devotion and joy as we bid farewell to our beloved Bappa during the Ganpati Visarjan and celebrated the auspicious Satyanarayan Pooja at our Arjun Nagar Campus.

As Lord Ganesha embarks on his journey back to his heavenly abode, our hearts are filled with gratitude for the blessings and love he brought into our lives.

Let us cherish these beautiful moments of faith, love, and togetherness that make our traditions so special.



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## GANPATI VISARJAN



## TEAM BUILDING SESSION



Teamwork is the cornerstone of success, both personally and professionally. At Ashoka Group of Schools, Arjun Nagar Campus, we understand the power of collaboration.

Our admin team recently embarked on a journey to explore the significance of teamwork, guided by School Psychologist Avishkar Gangurde.

During the session, members engaged in activities that demonstrated the power of non-verbal communication to express apologies and seek forgiveness simultaneously. They also learned how one team member can make another feel valued and dependable during challenging times.

As the session concluded, our team carried with them invaluable lessons: the importance of forgiveness, the significance of trust, and the ability to convey emotions without words. Together, we grow stronger!



## FIRST AID SESSION FOR SUPPORT STAFF



At Ashoka Group of Schools, Arjun Nagar Campus, we take safety seriously. To equip our staff with the knowledge and skills they need, we organized intensive first aid training.

Our resource team included experts from Saifee Ambulance Corps, masters of first aid and paramedic care. 🙌

Remember, first aid doesn't always require special equipment or a trained expert. Anyone can make a difference by using their surroundings and resources wisely.

The three key aims of first aid are summed up in the three P's:

1. Preserve life
2. Prevent further harm
3. Promote recovery



Let's stay prepared, stay safe, and remember that "First Aid... The Best Aid!"



## First Aid Session for Support Staff



## GRAND SUCCESS OF WORLD SPACE WEEK 2023!

In partnership with the United Nations Association, we hosted a week-long astronomy festival in Nashik City in our Ashoka Group of School Campuses.

World Space Week 2023 was all about celebrating the incredible contributions of science and technology to humanity's progress. This event was open to all Nashik students.

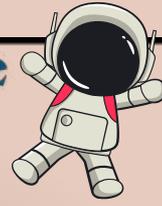
During the valedictory event, it was time to honor the brilliant minds who participated in the week-long journey of creativity and knowledge.

Join us as we distribute prizes to the champions of Poster Making, Reel Making, Astronomical Quiz, and more!

Congratulations to all our winners for reaching for the stars .



## Grand Success of World Space Week 2023!



JUNIOR SCHOOL  
ASTRONOMY QUIZ CONTEST



Niranjan Ram Petare

Class 8

Horizon International Acad



# RETORICA

Season-3

An exclusive competition for Grade I-V students, based on speaking skills. Thank you participants for your active participation. Each one of you gave a superb performance!



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## RETORICA *Season-3*



**MIMANSA**  
*The spirit of free thinking*

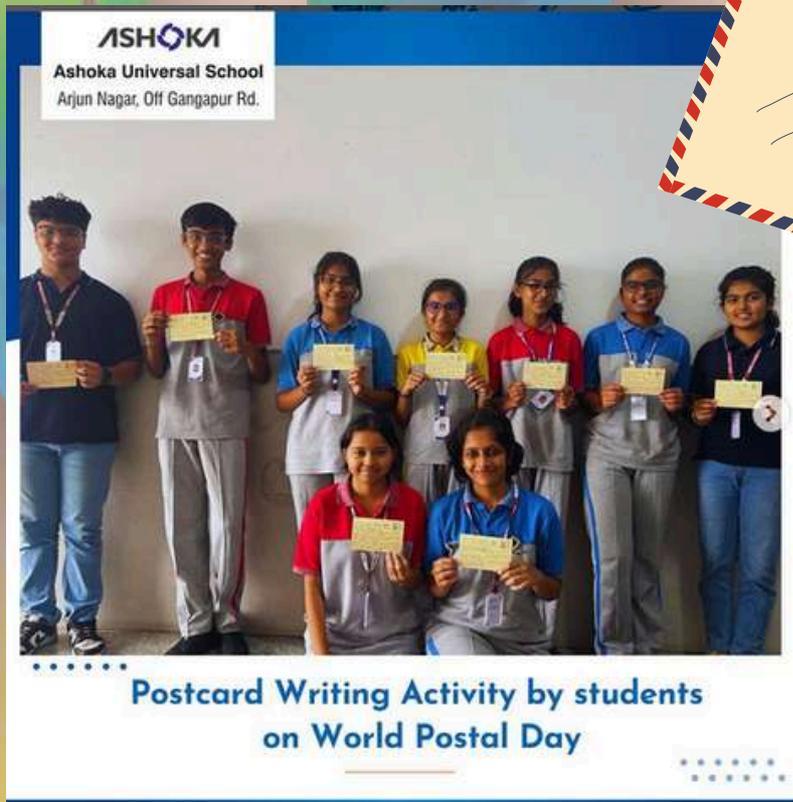
## CELEBRATING WORLD POST DAY!

Today, we commemorate the anniversary of the Universal Postal Union (UPU) and the vital role postal services play in connecting our world.

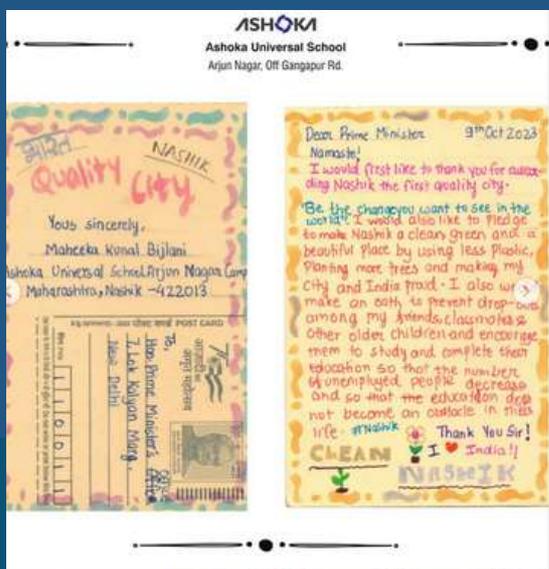
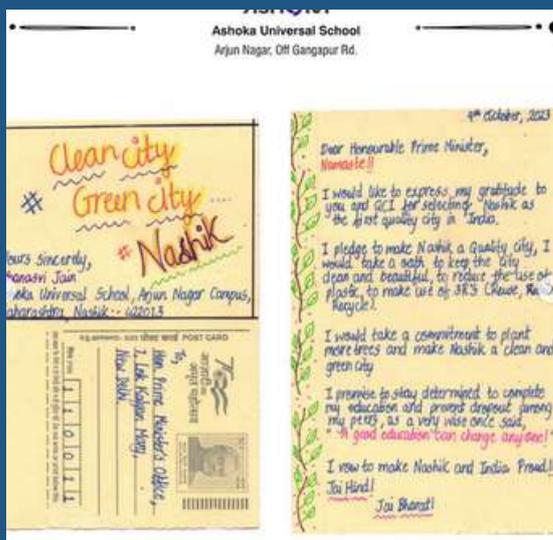
At Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar, our students engaged in a heartwarming postcard-writing activity in partnership with the Quality Council of India, Quality City Nashik, and Rootskills.

They penned heartfelt messages to our Honourable Prime Minister, sharing their hopes and dreams for our beloved Nashik, aligning with this year's theme, "Together for trust: Collaborating for a safe and connected future."

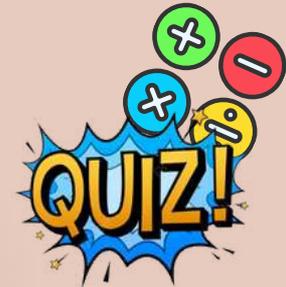
Let's celebrate the power of communication and collaboration!



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## MATHEMATICS QUIZ



Knowledge, excitement, and quick thinking took the spotlight as our Grade 6 to 8 students gathered for an epic Mathematics Quiz!

Young math enthusiasts from different houses put their problem-solving skills to the test, tackling challenging equations, mind-bending puzzles, and tricky word problems with determination.

The Champions: Creativity House in Grade 6 and Benevolence House in Grade 7!

But it's not just about winning; it's about the joy of learning and celebrating the beauty of mathematics.

At Ashoka Group of Schools, education meets fun, and learning knows no bounds



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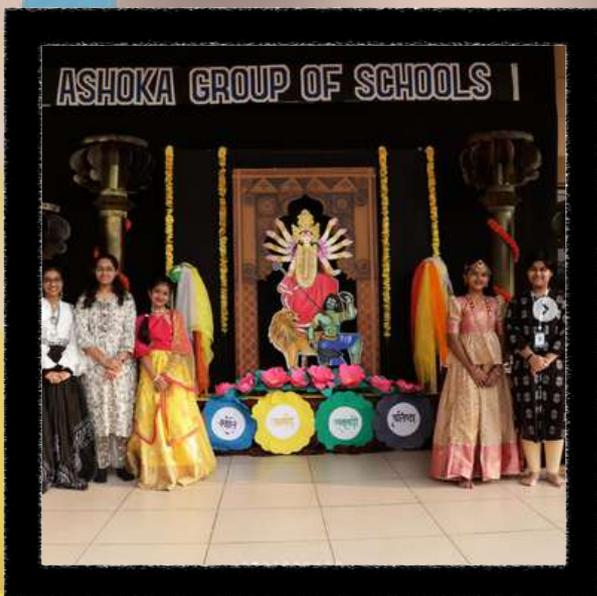
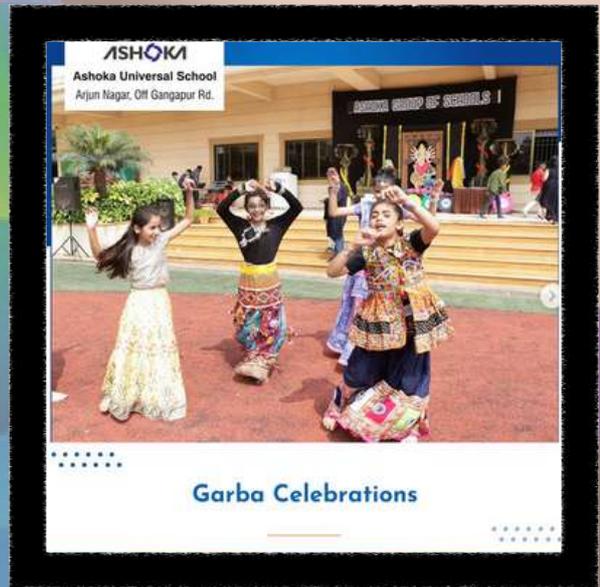


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## NAVRATRI

Immersed in the vibrant beats of the dhol and the enchanting colour of traditional attire, our students from grades 1 to 12 came together at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, to create a magical Navratri celebration!

The school resonated with powerful chants, filling the air with divine energy and devotion. The students loved celebrating the joy of Garba and the beauty of our culture



## DUSHERRA POOJAN

Happy Dusherra from entire Ashoka Family!

Embracing the spirit of Dussehra with a special puja at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar campus.

Today, we offered our blessings to our tools of knowledge and creativity, including sports equipment, art supplies, and musical instruments.

Let's celebrate the triumph of good over evil and the power of learning!



# INTER HOUSE STREET PLAY COMPETITION

“From Campus to Community: Street Plays for Empathy and Awareness.

Grades 6 to 8 students showcased their incredible talent and commitment to social change in our recent Inter House Street Play Competition.

These young change-makers tackled vital social issues such as environmental conservation, anti-corruption, constitutional rights, and social media awareness with an impressive depth of understanding. Their dedication to making a difference is truly inspiring.

Huge congratulations to Creativity House for securing the First Prize, and well done to Benevolence House for claiming Second Place. Your commitment to social change and creativity is commendable!

Remember, change starts with us. Let's carry the lessons of empathy and awareness forward, working together to create a better world for all.



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## Inter House Street Play Competition



## 5TH ASHOKA MODEL UNITED NATIONS 2023

AMUN was a remarkable journey into the world of diplomacy and international relations!

With 365 delegates from schools across Nashik, 9 committees, 20 executive board members, and even international delegates from the African Youth Union Commission, Ashoka MUN sets a new standard as the first MUN in Nashik to host such a diverse assembly of minds.

This year, our theme is all about “DIPLOMACY BEYOND BORDERS,” highlighting the importance of global cooperation in our interconnected world. Let’s promote dialogue, build trust, and work together for solutions to global challenges!



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## 5th Ashoka Model United Nations 2023



# PERFORMANCE DAY 2023

Our Performance Day 2023 was an incredible celebration of music and dance!

This year, we delved into the magical Influence of South Indian artists in Hindi Cinema.

Chief Guest: Mr. Somesh Narvekar, a renowned singer, vocalist, and composer mesmerized us with his rendition of Hariharan's timeless track - "TU HI RE."

Guest of Honor: Nashik Collector Shri Jalaj Sharma graced us with his presence and was thrilled by the students' performances, comparing them to professional singers!

We were honored to have stalwarts of the music fraternity, Pt. Nitin Ware and Pr. Dr. Aviraj Tayade, grace the event with their presence.

Special thanks to our Management and School Heads for their unwavering support. Thank you to all who made Performance Day 2023 a truly unforgettable experience!



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Performance Day  
2023



**MIMANSA**  
*The spirit of free thinking*

# BUILDING VALUES THROUGH CHARACTER TALK

At Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, nurturing young minds goes beyond textbooks. This week, the school hosted a "Character Talk" session focused on integrity and empathy. Students from Grades 1 to 5 came together to share real-life stories, thoughts, and reflections on how these values shape their daily actions.

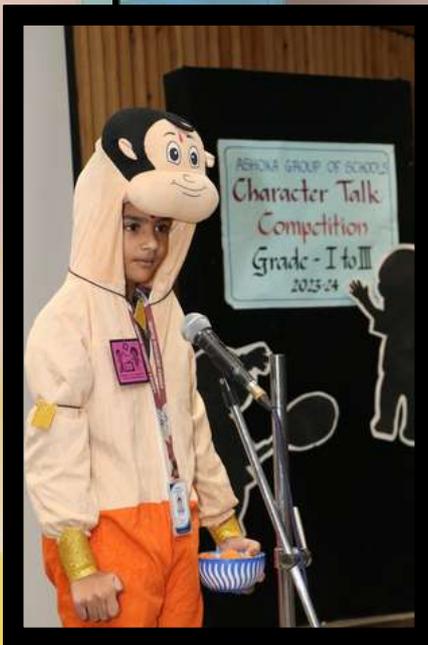
Teachers guided interactive discussions where students explored how small acts of kindness and being truthful make a big difference. From sharing lunch with a friend to admitting a mistake, the examples were heartfelt and inspiring.

Such sessions are part of the school's ongoing effort to build responsible, compassionate citizens. As one student put it, "Being honest may not always be easy, but it always feels right."

The event concluded with students creating "Character Pledges" — simple promises to practice integrity and empathy in their everyday lives.



## Building Values Through Character Talk



## SUPPORT STAFF DAY

Celebrating our Unsung Heroes! Support Staff Day at Ashoka Group of Schools, Arjun Nagar Campus

“Gratitude turns routine jobs into joys and ordinary opportunities into blessings.”

Swipe left to relive the heartwarming celebration on Nov 9, 2023, where we showered our incredible support staff with love and appreciation! 🎉

Scripted and hosted by the Admin department, the day kicked off with a grand welcome and spectacular performances by our dedicated support staff.

Fun games and a fabulous ramp walk showcased the talents and spirit of our unsung heroes. Breakfast at Grape Embassy featured Nashik’s famous Misal, making the celebration even more special

Tokens of love were handed out by the admin teams at Arjun Nagar and Ashoka Marg, expressing our deep gratitude.

A heartfelt thank you to our pillars of support—the Support Staff at Ashoka Group of Schools—for their unwavering dedication and hard work.



# EVENTS

## Support Staff Day



## JOY GIVING - DIWALI

Empower, Inspire, Impact: Joy of Giving Back ✨

At Ashoka Group of Schools in Nashik, we're driven by the belief that giving back transforms lives. Led by Dr. Dinesh Sabnis, our students and teachers recently shared the 'Joy of Giving', touching hearts and making a difference.

Venturing into villages like Mhasrul, Mukhane, and Satapalli, our Ashoka family spread joy with essentials like clothes, toys, and books, enriching the lives of kids, elders, and women in need.

The best part? Our students had meaningful interactions with village leaders, expanding their horizons on community bonds and social responsibility.

Dr. Sabnis rightly said, "Happiness doubles when shared."

Join us in spreading happiness and shaping a brighter future. Let's build a community where giving creates ripples of positivity.



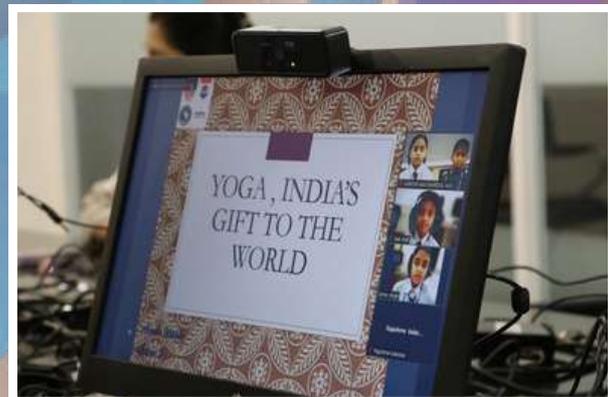
## CELEBRATING UNITED NATIONS DAY!

In a specially organized exchange event, Ashokites engaged in a captivating dialogue with the French Delegation, delving into the United Nations Charter, Peace & Security, and SDG Climate Change—all in French!

The Indian Guest of Honor was Raviraj Panchakshari, HM of ISC Commerce, Ashoka Group of Schools, Ashoka Marg Campus, Nashik, India.

The French Delegation Guests of Honor were Prof. Aubin Verilhac, Professor of Economic and Social Sciences, and Laurent Attar-Bayrou, International President of AISP SPIA.

Heartfelt thanks to Dr. Sabnis, AGM-Sports & Activities, Ashoka Group of Schools, for the gratitude-filled closing remarks!



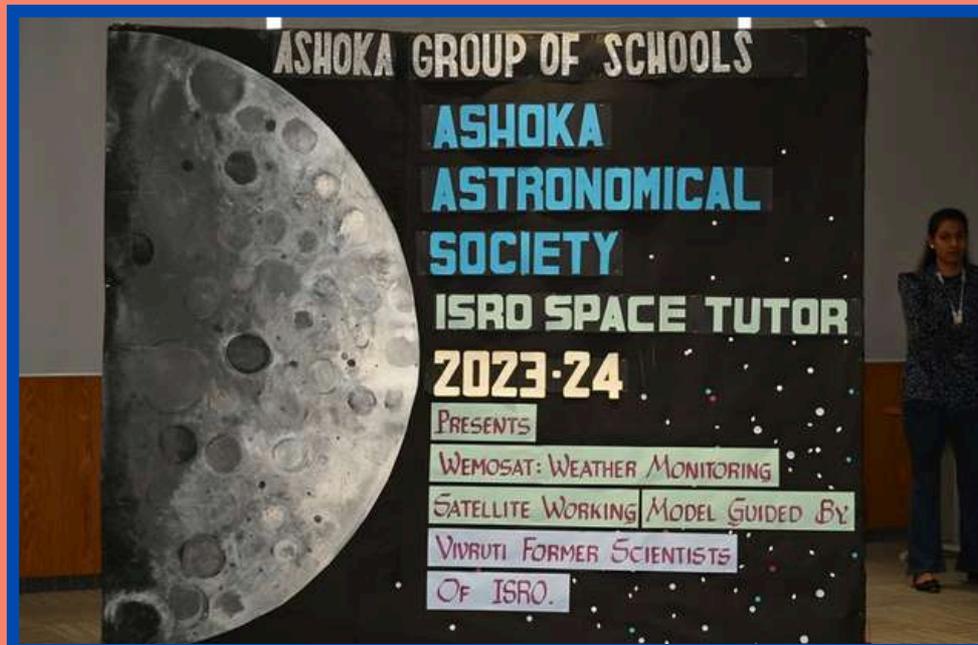
## Weather Monitoring Satellite (working model making) Workshop

Junior scientists from Ashoka and local schools collaborated with Vivruti, ISRO's Former Scientists group, for a Weather Monitoring Satellite (working model making) Workshop, proudly organized by ISRO Space Tutor Ashoka Astronomical Society.

Students built the WemoSat to gather vital Earth atmosphere data. The workshop highlighted STEM's importance, with kids configuring software, assembling components, and creating their own launch pad.

Proudly, our junior scientists unveiled weather forecast readings at different altitudes, showcasing their analytical prowess.

Ashoka believes in shaping the next generation for global challenges, fostering curiosity and exploration. Our young scientists played diverse roles – from engineers to data analysts. Cheers to their achievements and the bright future of space exploration!



## Weather Monitoring Satellite (working model making) Workshop



# WINTER JAMBOREE

The Ashoka Group of Schools proudly marked the triumphant culmination of Winter Jamboree Season 2, held on December 23rd and 24th, right in the heart of Nashik. Over two vibrant days, the city came alive with an electrifying blend of entertainment, community spirit, and festive cheer.

The event transformed the grounds into a wonderland of experiences — from immersive 3D movie screenings and soulful karaoke sessions to energetic live performances and delectable food stalls, every corner buzzed with excitement.

Signature attractions such as Literati, Drum Circle, and Kidotopia added their own charm to the celebration. Among them, the Healthy Baby Contest emerged as a true highlight, celebrating the innocence and vitality of our youngest participants, while bringing families closer together.

With a warm and enthusiastic turnout from Nashikites, the Jamboree truly lived up to its promise of fun, connection, and shared memories.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to all attendees, participants, sponsors, and supporters — your presence and encouragement made Winter Jamboree Season 2 an overwhelming success. Here's to many more celebrations of community and joy!



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**WINTER  
JAMBOREE**



**MIMANSA**  
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# VISIT TO NASHIK ROAD RAILWAY STATION

Embarking on an exciting adventure, students from Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus visited Nashik Road Railway Station to unravel the fascinating world of railways!

Ashokites took a mesmerizing journey through its bustling environment! From platforms to control rooms, they witnessed the intricate working patterns that keep the trains on track.

In a lesson on integrated learning they dived into transportation history via Social Studies and English literature.

Students also had the opportunity to rediscover cultural values and importance of ethical travel through Marathi teachings. They delved into the world of time and its conversion, they applied Mathematical concepts.

Stay tuned for more exciting adventures as our Ashoka Explorers continue their quest for knowledge!



## Visit to Nashik Road Railway Station



# Art Fest



The Ashoka Group of Schools proudly hosted the 7th Season of the Ashoka Art Fest, a vibrant tribute to artistic expression and social responsibility. Held at City Centre Mall, Nashik, the event brought together the city's most talented young artists, enthusiastic visitors, and compassionate hearts over two memorable days.

This year's theme, "Incredible India," served as a beautiful canvas for students to explore and express their love for the nation's culture, diversity, and heritage. The fest showcased a wide range of creative disciplines including Sculpture, Pottery, Wood Art, Sand Art, Drawing & Painting, Calligraphy, and Hobby Ideas — each piece brimming with imagination and individuality.

What truly sets Ashoka Art Fest apart is its commitment to philanthropy through art. Students not only exhibit their talents but also give back to society, as proceeds from the art sales go to support local NGOs. This season, the festival extended its heartfelt support to Samata Pratishthan, an organization that works tirelessly towards uplifting the underprivileged through education and vocational training. A dedicated space at the fest gave visitors a closer look at the impactful work Samata Pratishthan is doing, reinforcing the message of empathy and community engagement.

The event was graced by inspirational personalities from Nashik, appreciative parents, and passionate art lovers, whose feedback and encouragement reaffirmed the purpose behind the fest. From engaging art workshops to awe-inspiring displays, every moment was infused with energy, colour, and purpose.

Ashoka Art Fest Season 7 wasn't just an exhibition — it was a movement. A celebration of young talent, a platform for voices to be heard through creativity, and a reminder that art has the power to change lives.

Thank you, Nashik, for making Ashoka Art Fest 2024 a grand success. Here's to nurturing young minds and building a brighter, more beautiful world through art.

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## Art Fest



## REPUBLIC DAY

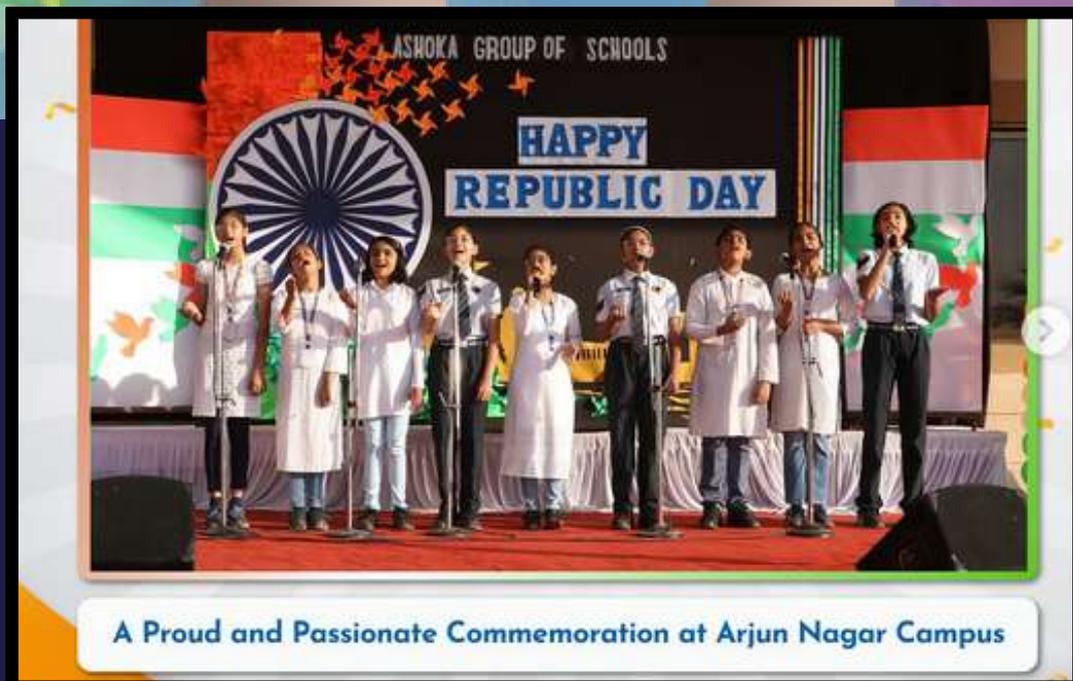
Celebrating the 75th Republic Day at Ashoka Group of Schools, Arjun Nagar Campus with sheer passion and pride

The tricolour unfurled by Chief Guest Lt Col Nigel Pinto, alongside Managing Trustee Ms Astha Kataria, Heads of School, Teachers, Staff, and Students, set the stage for a day filled with echoes of JAI HIND, JAI BHARAT.

Students took center stage with mesmerizing dance & song performances, while the School Band and March Past drill added to the patriotic fervor. The corridors echoed with praises of Mother India, making every soul proud to be an INDIAN.

A special prize distribution ceremony honored students excelling in competitive exams, music, dance, and academics. Chief Guest LT Col Nigel Pinto and Heads of School presented the well-deserved awards. The chief guest inspired the students with his special speech focusing on striving for excellence and embracing discipline as a way of life.

Happy Republic Day to all proud Indians from Ashoka Group of Schools!



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## IC3 REGIONAL FORUM HOSTED BY ASHOKA GROUP OF SCHOOLS

At Ashoka, we're proud to lead the charge in transformative education, and our recent hosting of the IC3 Regional Forums underscores our commitment to empowering students worldwide!

The IC3 Regional Forums, organized by the esteemed International Career and College Counseling (IC3) Movement, are shaping the future of education by establishing comprehensive career and college counselling services in schools globally.

The event showcased tailored sessions for diverse stakeholders, including a specially curated Boot Camp for Ashoka school students and parents, targeted sessions for high school and university delegates, and thought-provoking discussions on shaping the future of education.

We were honoured to welcome esteemed guests including Ganesh Kohli, Founder of IC3 Movement, Diana Quadros, Sanjay Padode, President of Vijaybhoomi University, Dhvani Dodeja, Academic Manager at IC3 Institute, and Shalaka Kadam, Program Manager at IC3 Institute.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to making this event a success! Stay tuned for more exciting updates and opportunities at Ashoka Group of Schools.



## IC3 REGIONAL FORUM HOSTED BY ASHOKA GROUP OF SCHOOLS

ENGAGING LEARNING AND NETWORKING ACTIVITIES



CHART YOUR COURSE: UNIVERSITY FAIR 2024



EMPOWERING DISCUSSION ON HOW BEST TO SUPPORT STUDENTS



COMMENDING THE OUTSTANDING IC3 TEAM



TRANSFORMING SCHOOLS THROUGH COUNSELING



## CHHTRAPATI SHIVAJI MAHARAJ JAYANTI CELEBRATION

*“Freedom is always worth fighting for.”*

Ashoka Universal School Arjun Nagar students celebrated Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti with full of zeal and enthusiasm.

Where they inculcated his teachings such as RESPECT, LEADERSHIP, COURAGE, JUSTICE and TOGETHERNESS.



## NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

National Science Day Celebration at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus!

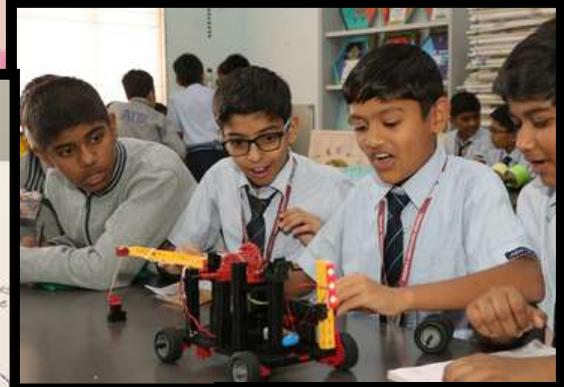
In a global ode to innovation, students at Ashoka Universal School commemorated National Science Day with zeal and enthusiasm. The event, inaugurated by School Heads and academic staff, showcased the incredible world of inventions and experiments.

Grades 1 to 8 students took centre stage at the fair, presenting a diverse range of projects covering air, water, light, math, geography, and various sciences. The vibrant displays captivated the attention of an audience comprising School Heads, academic staff, and fellow students.

The school campus buzzed with excitement and joy throughout the day as young minds delved into the wonders of science. Students beamed with pride as they presented their projects, fostering a spirit of curiosity and exploration.



## National Science Day



## MARATHI DIVAS CELEBRATION

Ashoka Universal School embraces the rich tapestry of our cultural heritage as we celebrate Marathi Diwas with utmost zeal and fervor! Recognizing the global significance of the Marathi language, we are dedicated to preserving and nurturing linguistic diversity.

The day unfolded with a special assembly, enlightening students about the historical and cultural importance of Marathi. From soulful Marathi songs to captivating skits and rhythmic powadas, the celebrations were a vibrant showcase of our cultural pride.

Students took on the personas of eminent Marathi personalities, delivering speeches that echoed the essence of the language. Adding to the spectacle were lively dances and a kaleidoscope of colour displayed through traditional and vibrant costumes.

Marathi Diwas at Ashoka was not just an event; it was a journey into the heart of Maharashtra's culture.



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## HYDROPONICS AT ASHOKA

Our Grade 11 students have embarked on a groundbreaking hydroponics project, growing tomatoes, cucumbers, and chillies right here on campus! 🍅 🥒 🌶️ What's even more amazing? These fresh veggies will be used by our student-led canteen!

At Ashoka, we're all about bringing practical education and real-world experience to the forefront. This innovative initiative not only teaches valuable agricultural skills but also promotes sustainability and healthy eating habits among our students.

Stay tuned as we watch our hydroponic garden flourish and enjoy the fruits (and veggies!) of our students' labour!



# TEDx Youth@AUS.

## Reflecting on an Unforgettable Event: TEDxYouth@AUS 2024

From captivating talks to engaging discussions, TEDxYouth@AUS 2024 was a day filled with inspiration and empowerment!

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our incredible speakers who shared their wisdom and insights on diverse topics, igniting a spark of curiosity and innovation among attendees. Each talk was a testament to the power of ideas and the transformative impact they can have on our lives and society.

But TEDxYouth@AUS was more than just a series of talks—it was a platform for meaningful connections and dialogue. We witnessed young minds engaging in thought-provoking discussions, exchanging ideas, and reflecting on the potential for positive change.

As the event concluded, we were reminded of the importance of nurturing creativity, fostering critical thinking, and empowering the next generation to shape a better tomorrow. Thank you to everyone who contributed to making TEDxYouth@AUS 2024 a resounding success!



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## FAREWELL CELEBRATION GRADE 12TH



GRADE 12TH

## FAREWELL

Farewell Celebration at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus!

It was a day of joy and nostalgia as the Grade 12 students bid adieu to their beloved alma mater. Dressed to the nines, they gathered at the school campus for a memorable farewell.

From soulful music to mesmerizing dances, and from showcasing talents to heartfelt expressions, the event was a perfect blend of emotions and entertainment.

Amidst reminiscing about cherished memories and sharing anecdotes, there were traces of both sadness and excitement in the air. But one thing was certain - the bonds forged here will last a lifetime.

As they embark on new journeys, the students vowed to stay connected and uphold the legacy of Ashoka Universal School. Here's to the bright futures ahead and the wonderful memories left behind!



Class of 2023 Farewell Gala



## GRADE 12TH FAREWELL



## SWAMI NARAYAN MUSIC ACHIEVEMENT

Our talented students have won the 2nd prize at the Swami Narayan singing competition!  
Their enchanting music brought joy, peace, and tranquillity to all.  
Let's celebrate their achievement together and spread the magic of music!



*Congrats!*

## BASKETBALL ACHIEVEMENT

### Shravani Patil

We are thrilled to share that Ashokite Shravani Patil's relentless commitment recently earned her a place in the Maharashtra Girls Team, where she soared to victory, clinching the third prize.

Her journey echoes the spirit of hard work and perseverance that sets champions apart.

We're ecstatic to announce that Shravani has been selected to represent at the Basketball Sub Junior (U/13) National Level Championship in Pondicherry.

From August 3rd to August 9th, she'll be showcasing her prowess and carrying the hopes of our school on her shoulders.

A heartfelt shout out to her coach and mentor, Ms. Gayatri Dhakne, whose guidance has been instrumental in shaping Shravani's journey. Your dedication is truly commendable.



Congrats!



## CHAMPIONING KICKBOXING EXCELLENCE

### Coach Jitendra Shardul

We're thrilled to share a remarkable accomplishment! Our Self-Defence Coach Jitendra Shardul has successfully completed an intensive 6-week Sports Coaching for Boxing program at the esteemed Netaji Subhas National Institute of Sports Patiala, in collaboration with the Sports Authority of India.

Join us in applauding him for his dedication and hard work in reaching this milestone. Your commitment is truly inspiring, and we wish you all the best for your exciting journey ahead!



## BHARAT VIKAS SINGING COMPETITION WINNERS

Double Bonanza for students of Ashoka Universal School , Arjun Nagar Campus.

We're thrilled to share some fantastic news, students of Ashoka Universal School , Arjun Nagar Campus were declared winners at the recently held Bharat Vikas Singing Competition under the Hindi Song Category and the Sanskrit Group Song category.

To add on to the celebrations, Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar, has further been selected for the State Level Singing Competition to be held in Pune on October 8

Congratulations to all our students for their remarkable achievement and cheers to their Mentors !!!



**CONGRATULATIONS**

## **GUNNING GLORY FOR ASHOKA UNIVERSAL SCHOOL**

We are thrilled to announce that our talented students have clinched numerous awards at the Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE) State Level Competition held in Mumbai on August 25, 2023. Their exceptional skills have secured them spots for the upcoming national competition in Bangalore next month!

**Ms. Ira Kulkarni - Grade 10**

**Gold Medal - U19 Girls Peep Sight Rifle Shooting Competition**

**Ms. Shreenidhi Mundada - Grade 10**

**Gold Medal - U19 Girls Open Sight Air Rifle Shooting Competition**

**Mast Vaibhav Gaikwad - Grade 11**

**Gold Medal - U19 Boys Open Sight Air Rifle Shooting Competition**

**Ms. Ruhee Deore - Grade 11**

**Silver Medal - U19 Girls Open Sight Rifle Shooting Competition**

**Mast Anas Sayed - Grade 10**

**Silver Medal - U19 Boys Open Sight Rifle Shooting Competition**

**Mast Tejas Thakur - Grade 10**

**Silver Medal - U19 Boys Air Pistol Shooting Competition**

**Mast Palaksh Mantri - Grade 7**

**Bronze Medal - U14 Boys Open Sight Shooting Competition**

**Ms. Nandini Magar - Grade 8**

**Bronze Medal - U19 Girls Open Sight Rifle Shooting Competition**

**Ms. Krishi Shinde - Grade 7**

**Bronze Medal - U14 Girls Open Sight Rifle Shooting Competition**

## GUNNING GLORY FOR ASHOKA UNIVERSAL SCHOOL

These outstanding achievers have been selected to represent Ashoka Universal School at the prestigious CISCE National Competitions in Bangalore. But that's not all! All our star performers have also been chosen to participate in the School Games Federation of India (SGFI) National Games.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to our remarkable students and express our gratitude to their dedicated coach and mentor, Mr. Sandeep Pawar.



## Sandeep Pawar appointed Maharashtra & Goa Team Coach for CISCE National Shooting!

Ashoka Group of Schools is thrilled to announce our shooting coach Sandeep L. Pawar has been selected as the Maharashtra and Goa Team Coach for the CISCE National Shooting Competition 2023! This is a testament to his exceptional skills and unwavering dedication to the sport of shooting.

Join us in congratulating him on this incredible achievement.  
We wish him the very best for his upcoming tenure during the Bengaluru competitions.  
Let's all support him and the team as they aim for victory!



## 35th Maharashtra State level Kickboxing Champions

Students of Ashoka Universal Schools Arjun Nagar Campus, have once again displayed their incredible talents at the 35th Maharashtra State level Kickboxing Championship held at N.B. Navale Sinhgad College Kegan, Solapur.

1. Asmi Rokade clinched the Gold Medal in the Light Kick Boxing Event. 🏆

2. Palaksh Mantri displayed outstanding prowess with a spectacular triple win! He secured a Gold Medal in the Musical Forms Kick Boxing Event, a Silver Medal in the Light Contact Kick Boxing Event, and a Bronze Medal in the Point Fight Kick Boxing Event.

3. Saina Bothe showcased her skills by winning a Silver Medal in the Musical Forms Kick Boxing Event.

But the celebrations don't end there! Our students also proudly brought home the 2nd Championship Trophy for the Nashik District. Their next challenge awaits at the Nationals, scheduled for October 2023 in Dehradun.

A heartfelt congratulations to our incredible achievers, and a big shout out to their dedicated coach and mentor, Mr. Jitendra Shardul.

Your hard work and dedication inspire us all! Let's continue to shine in the upcoming Nationals!



## NASHIK DISTRICT ATHLETICS JUNIOR CHAMPIONS

Our talented students have soared to new heights at the Nashik District Athletics Junior Championship, hosted at the Meena Tai Thakare Stadium, Panchvati, Nashik.

Meet our phenomenal athletes:

**Aishwarya Walunj:**

Gold Medal in the 60 meters sprint

Gold Medal in Long Jump

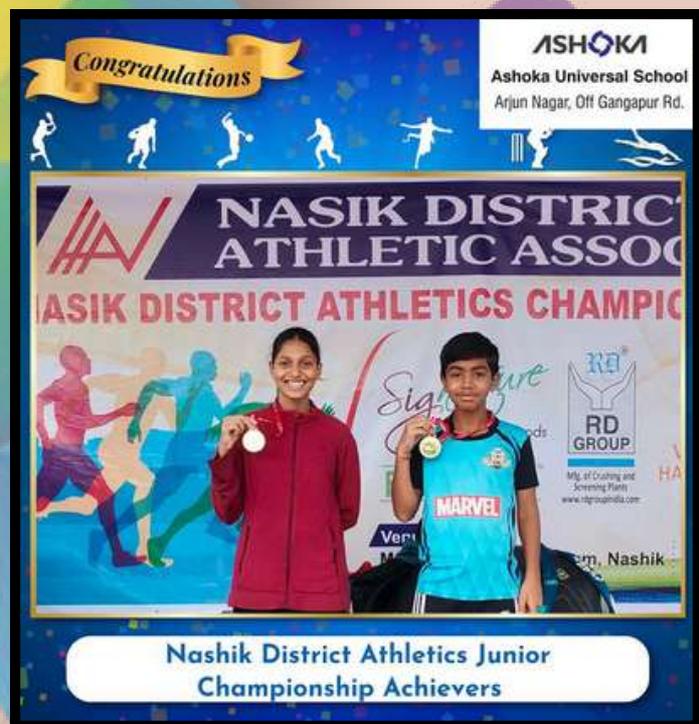
Best Athlete Award in the 14-year-old category

**Disha Devgire:**

Gold Medal in Long Jump

Silver Medal in the 80 meters Hurdle Race

Gold Medal in the 1000 meters Medley Relay



These star achievers have not only made us proud but have also secured their spots in the upcoming State Competitions in Ratnagiri from September 30 to October 1, 2023.

Let's shower our hearty congratulations on our remarkable athletes and extend our gratitude to their mentor, Balasaheb Shirfule Sir, for nurturing such incredible talent!



## ROTARY INTERACT BOARD MEMBER INITIATION

Congratulations to Board Members of Interact Club !!

Rotary Interact Club students are ready to embark their dedicated journey towards leadership, social service, community engagement among young individuals.

Rotary Interact Club is a school and college community that works on each unique concerns and needs. Interactors work on the following 7 focussed areas such as...

Peace and conflict prevention/resolution

Disease prevention and treatment

Water and sanitation

Maternal and child health

Basic education and literacy

Economic and community development

Financial Literacy

Congratulations to the new board of honours who bring with them passion, commitment and a vision to make a positive impact of our community.



## ATHLETICS CISCE ZONAL 2 CHAMPIONSHIP 2023 ACHIEVERS

Incredible Achievements at Athletics CISCE Zonal 2 Championship 2023 in Pune, Maharashtra!

Our young athletes have shown remarkable determination and skill. Keep up the excellent work!

Boys who have qualified for the State Championships in Mumbai on October 9 and 10, 2023

Archit Mankar - Secured Silver Medals in 400 meters and 600 meters.

Aishwarya Walunj - Silver Medal in Long Jump.

Girls in the 14, 17, and 19 years category have also qualified for the State Championships in Mumbai on October 9 and 10, 2023.

Girls under 12:

Ishwari Khaire - Grabbed the 3rd place in Long Jump.

Devanshi Kale - Outstanding performance with Gold Medals in 100 meters and 300 meters, and a Silver Medal in Long Jump. She's the Best Athlete for the Under 12 Girls Category.

Girls under 14:

Gautami Pustake - Earned a Silver Medal in 400 meters and a Bronze Medal in 600 meters.

Girls under 17:

Disha Devgire - Dominated with Gold Medals in 100-meter Hurdle Race, 400-meter Hurdle Race, and Long Jump. She's the Best Athlete for the Under 17 Girls Category.

Ovi Nikam - Secured Gold Medals in 100 meters and 200 meters, and a Silver Medal in Long Jump.

## ***Athletics CISCE Zonal 2 Championship 2023 Achievers***

Girls under 19:

Tanishka Mahale - A triple Gold Medalist in 800 meters, 1500 meters, and 3000 meters. She's the Best Athlete for the Under 19 Girls Category.

Huge congratulations to our talented athletes and a big shout out to their mentor, Balasaheb Shirfule Sir. Keep pushing your limits because, as the saying goes, "Just keep going, everyone gets better when they Keep at It



## ASSOCIATION OF NASHIK SCHOOLS AWARD CEREMONY

Ashoka Group of Schools is thrilled to share a proud and heartfelt moment from the Association of Nashik Schools Award Ceremony. The event was a memorable evening dedicated to honouring educators for serving the Longest Tenure. We are especially proud of our incredible Edu-Idols — Aparna Matkari, Anupama Argade,, Mona Kajale and Geeta Kshirsagar—who were honored for their unwavering dedication to shaping young minds.

A big congratulations to all the deserving awardees!



*Congratulation*

## Education Today Award for Maharashtra's Top 5 Day Cum Boarding School

*Drum Rolls-!!!*

We are absolutely elated to announce that Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, has clinched the prestigious Education Today Award for Maharashtra's Top 5 Day Cum Boarding School!

This award stands as a testament to our unwavering dedication, relentless efforts, and unwavering passion for education and learning.

Heartfelt congratulations to our incredible team, our supportive parents, our talented students, and the entire staff of Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus.

A special thank you goes to Dr. Priya D'souza, Vice Principal of Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, for graciously accepting this award on our behalf.

We are committed to continuing our journey towards even greater success and achieving many more laurels in the near future. Stay tuned for more remarkable achievements!



*Congratulation*

# ACHIEVEMENTS



*Congratulation*



## Numero Uno for the Girls Team at Ashoka Universal School at the U 14 DSO Competition

Numero Uno for the Girls Team at Ashoka Universal School !!!!!

Our Under-14 Girls Basketball Team from Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar, has soared to victory as 1st position champions at the prestigious DSO Basketball Competition held at Meenatai Thakare Stadium, Panchvati Nashik! 🏆👏

Join us in celebrating their incredible journey and remarkable achievement. Let's show our support for these basketball heroes!

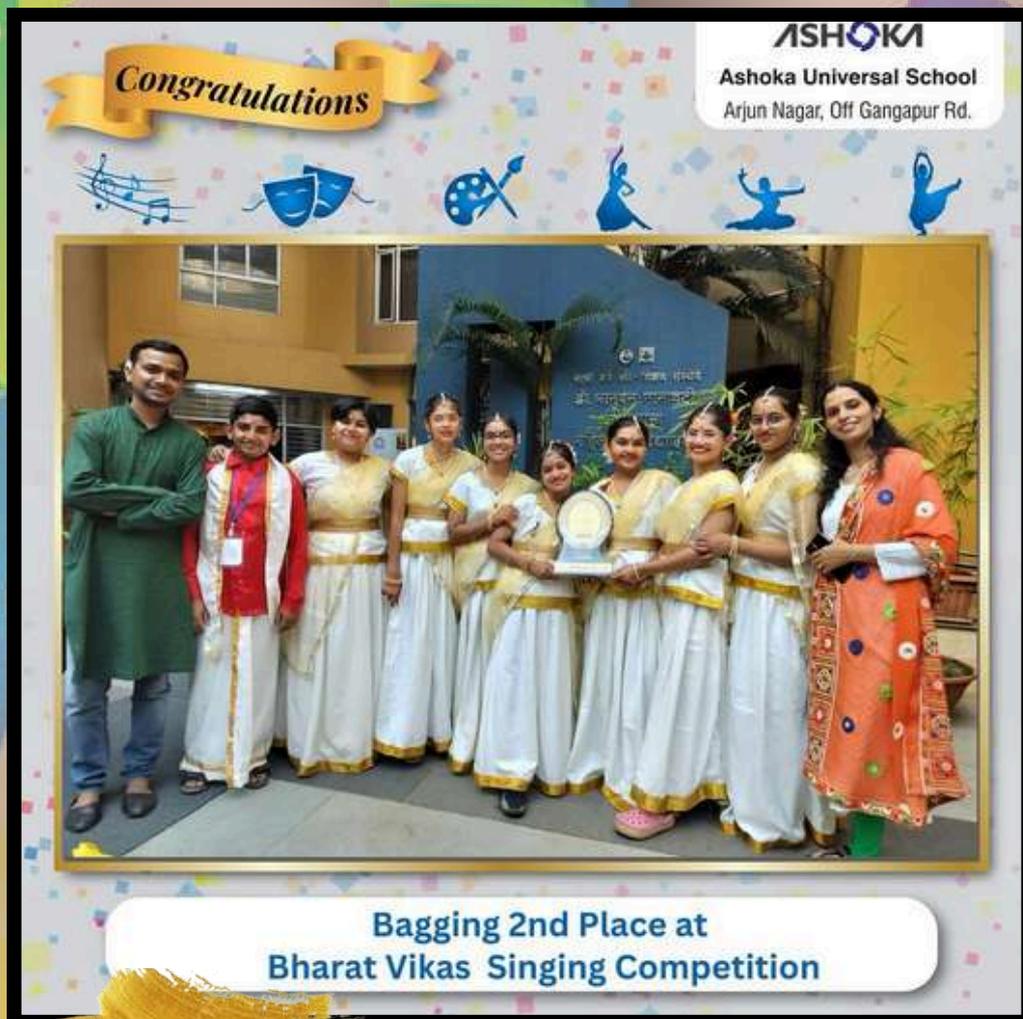


*Congratulation*

## BHARAT VIKAS MUSIC COMPETITION ACHIEVEMENT

We're proud to announce that it's raining awards at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus! Our talented singers have emerged victorious at the recently held Bharat Vikas Music Competition in Pune, bagging the 2nd prize.

Congratulations to our incredible students and a big round of applause to their dedicated mentors for making this magical achievement possible!



*Congratulation*

## CISCE GYMNASTICS COMPETITION ACHIEVERS

We are thrilled to announce the incredible success of our gymnasts from Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar, at the recent CISCE Gymnastics Competition held in Airoli, Navi Mumbai!

Rudra Somawanshi (with the medal) stole the show with TWO medals including Gold and Silver. He has been selected to represent our school at the CISCE National Level Gymnastics Competition!

But that's not all! Several of our talented gymnasts also received participation certificates, showcasing their dedication and hard work:

- Shyam Pagar
- Laksh Bora
- Aditya Korde
- Ananya Paithane
- Vrunda Sharma
- Mrudula Chavan

Massive congratulations to all our gymnasts for their outstanding performances and a big round of applause to their mentor, Kaustubh Sonawane, for guiding them to victory!



## EDUCATION TODAY- INDIA MERIT AWARD

Honored and proud to announce that Ashoka Group of Schools has achieved incredible recognition at the Education Today's India School Merit Awards 2023!

Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar is Ranked No. 10 in India and No. 2 in Maharashtra under the Category – Top 20 Day-Cum-Boarding Schools - National Curriculum.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the esteemed jury members and the Education Today team for acknowledging our commitment to excellence in education. Astha Kataria, Managing Trustee, graciously accepted these awards on behalf of our schools at the prestigious ceremony held at The Taj, Bangalore, on December 11th.

This recognition motivates us to continue pushing boundaries, working diligently, and nurturing our students to excel in every aspect of their journey.



Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar ranked No. 2 in Maharashtra and No. 10 in India among Top 20 Day-Cum-Boarding Schools: National Curriculum by **Education Today**

**No. 2 in MAHARASHTRA**

**ASHOKA**  
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## 67th National School Games (SGFI) Rifle Shooting Achievers

Ashokites shine at the 67th National School Games (SGFI) Rifle Shooting Competitions 2023-24 in Bhopal, MP!

Shrinidhi Mundada dominates the U19 Girls Category, clinching the coveted Gold Medal!  
Vaibhav Gaiwad stands strong in the U19 Boys Category, securing a well-deserved Silver Medal!

Applauding the dedication and hard work of our students, we extend heartfelt congratulations to their coach and mentor Sandeep Pawar.



*Congratulation*

## Shravani Patil- honoured by Maharashtra State Sports Minister, Shri Sanjay Bansode Sir

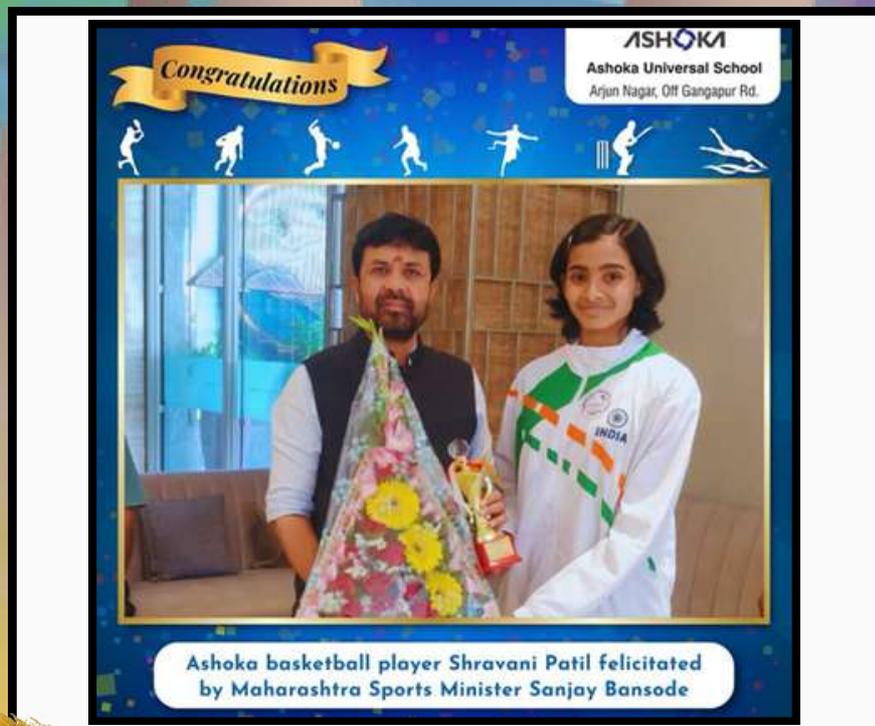
***"Proud Moment Alert!"***

Exciting news as Shravani Patil, a stellar Grade 9 student at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus, was honoured by Maharashtra State Sports Minister, Shri Sanjay Bansode Sir, for her outstanding performance in Basketball at the Inter-School National Competition.

Shravani received a well-deserved trophy, and Mr. Bansode extended his best wishes for her future competitions.

Let's give a big shoutout to Shravani! Your dedication shines bright, and we're extremely proud of you!

Kudos to her coach and mentor, Gayatri Dhakne, for nurturing this incredible talent.



***Congratulation***

## RANGOUTSAV ACHIEVEMENT

Celebrating Art Success at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus!

Another remarkable triumph for our talented students at Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus at the Rangoutsav District Level Success!

Our students showcased their exceptional skills and creativity at the recent district-level Rangoutsav competition, leaving an indelible mark across various categories.

From vibrant colouring to intricate collage making, from heart-warming greeting card creations to expressive finger and thumb painting, and the finesse of sketching, tattoo making, and exceptional handwriting – our students excelled in a myriad of artistic endeavors.

Heartfelt congratulations to Bhavik Shinde, Sai Gavli, Vaishnavi Mahajan, Devanshi Kale, Ananya Bhanuvanshi, Swapnanshu Hire, Maheeka Bijlani and Shreya Dhande for securing noteworthy positions in their respective categories! Your passion, dedication, and artistic flair have truly shone through.

A big shout out to our dedicated mentors who have nurtured and guided these talents to flourish. Your unwavering support has played a pivotal role in our students' success.



*Congratulation*

## Gold Award Level from the School Enterprise Challenge 2023

Team Ashoka Universal School & Junior College, Arjun Nagar Campus has clinched the Gold Award Level from the School Enterprise Challenge 2023!

Our students' relentless enthusiasm in crafting delicious eateries has earned them this prestigious honor. We commend their entrepreneurial spirit and dedication to excellence.

A heartfelt shout out to our incredible students for creating their entrepreneurial niche through the Student Enterprise Challenge. Your hard work and creativity truly shine!

Wishing our talented team all the best for their future endeavors!

Kudos to our mentors for guiding and inspiring these young minds.



## Achieves International FIDE Chess Rapid Rating! Rudra Madhav Chavan

Ashokite Rudra Madhav Chavan Achieves International FIDE Chess Rapid Rating!

In a stunning feat that has captivated the chess world, Rudra from our Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar Campus has soared to an international FIDE (World Chess Federation) Rapid rating of ELO 1435, establishing himself as a rising star in the global chess arena!

As Rudra embarks on his continuing chess odyssey, we extend our heartfelt wishes for continued success and extend our deepest appreciation to his coach and mentor, Madhav Chavan.



*Congratulation*

## Triumphs at Mission Olympic Maharashtra Fencing Competition!

### Aarohi Ghugare

In an exhilarating display of skill and determination, Aarohi Ghugare clinched the Silver Medal at the 6th Mission Olympic Maharashtra Fencing State level competition! Under the Under 12 age category, Aarohi showcased remarkable talent in the Saber event, outshining 225 participants from across Maharashtra!

Let's give a thunderous round of applause to Aarohi for her incredible achievement! And a special tip of the hat to her coach and mentor, Raju Shinde Sir, for guiding her to glory



**Congratulation**

## 7TH OPEN STATE LEVEL TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

SHINES BRIGHT WITH A SILVER MEDAL IN THE GIRLS UNDER 17 CATEGORY  
**Saina Bothe**

Grade 10 student Saina Bothe shines bright with a Silver Medal in the Girls Under 17 category at the 7th Open State Level Taekwondo Championship in Mumbai!

Outshining 200 participants, Saina's victory is truly commendable!

Congratulations, Saina, on this well-deserved achievement! Your hard work and dedication have paid off! Special thanks to her coach and mentor, Jitendra Shardul, for guiding her along this remarkable journey!



*Congratulation*

## 2ND TRACKNIGHTS ATHLETICS MEET ACHIEVERS

Ashokites dazzle at the 2nd TRACKNIGHTS Athletics Meet held recently in Nashik!

Girls Under 16 Long Jump: Ovi Nikam

Secured Gold Medal with a remarkable jump of 5.23 mts, setting a new personal best record among all her competitions!

Girls Under 16 60m Hurdles - Disha Devgire - Bronze Medal

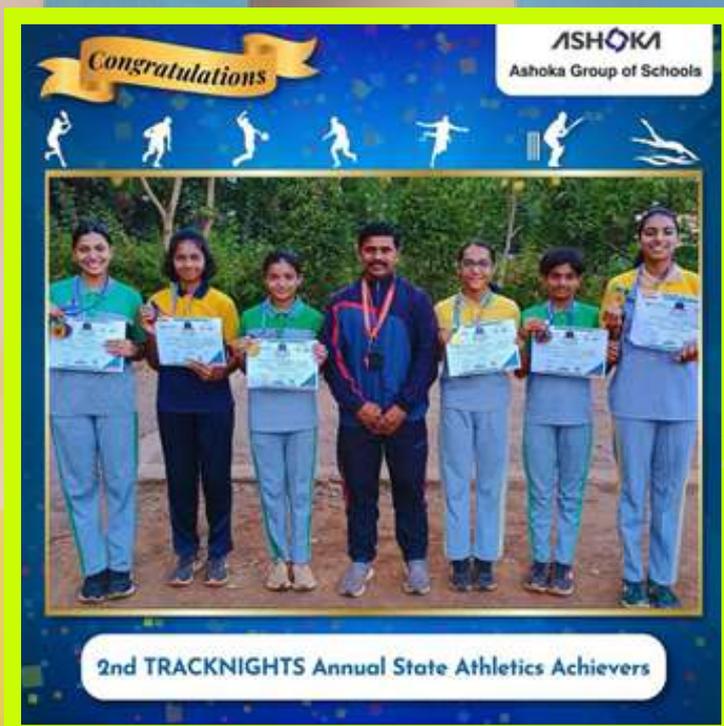
Girls Under 12 120m Running - Saroj Kale - Bronze Medal  
Girls Under 12 70m Running - Devanshi Kale - Bronze Medal

Boys Under 10 4x50m Relay Race - Viraj Thorat, Daksh Tile, Shlok Pradhan - Gold Medal

4x100m Mix Relay Race Under 14 - Leher Valecha, Ishwari Khaire, Aishwary Walunj - Gold Medal

4x100m Mix Relay Women - Ovi Nikam, Disha Devgire - Gold Medal

Congratulations to all the athletes and their coach and mentor Balaji Shirfule for their exceptional performance and dedication



*Congratulation*

## ICSE GRADE X BOARD EXAMINATION 2024 RESULTS

Ashoka Group of Schools is thrilled to share that our students have once again made us proud! In the ICSE Grade X Board Examination 2024 results, OUR ARJUN NAGAR BRANCH SHINES BRIGHTLY WITH TANISHQ KAURANI SECURING THE TOP SPOT IN NASHIK CITY with a remarkable score of 99.20%!

Not just Tanishq, but our other stellar achievers include Anaya Bhanuwanshe, Smruti Jhikre, Narayani Patil, and Kewal Bora, who have all excelled with flying colour. At Ashoka Universal School, we're committed to fostering overall excellence. The remarkable outcomes achieved by our Class X students in the ICSE board examinations for the 2023-24 session.

**ASHOKA ACHIEVERS**  
CONGRATULATIONS FOR GRADE X I.C.S.E BOARD RESULTS 2023-24

**Nashik City Topper**

 TANISHQ KAURANI 99.20%	 ANAYA BHANUWANSHE 99%	
 SMRUTI JHIKRE 98.60%	 NARAYANI PATIL 98.40%	 KEWAL BORA 96.80%

A total of 40% students secured 90% and above  
 A total of 73% students secured 80% and above

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The above result is calculated on the basis of Best of 5

are a testament to this dedication. This year has been marked by exceptional achievements, with our students demonstrating relentless commitment and diligence in their academic pursuits.

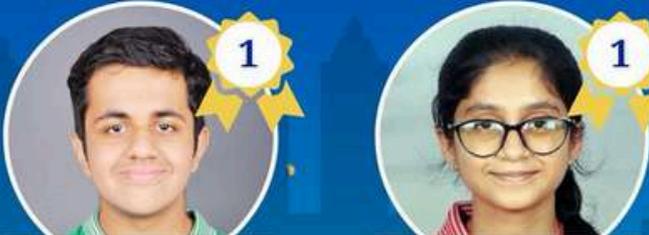
A huge round of applause to our brilliant students and heartfelt congratulations from the entire Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar family!

*Congratulation*

# ACHIEVEMENTS

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*Congratulations*  
to our ICSE Nashik City Toppers!



**TANISHQ KAURANI 99.20%**      **VIBHA SONAWANE 99.20%**



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**ASHOKITES LEAD NASHIK IN ICSE & ISC 2024 RESULTS!**

**Class 10 ICSE Nashik City Toppers!**



**TANISHQ KAURANI 99.20%**      **VIBHA SONAWANE 99.20%**

**Class 12 ISC Nashik City Toppers!**

**SCIENCE TOPPER**



**RUDRA DIVEY 95.75%**

**COMMERCE TOPPER**



**MANAV AGRAWAL 94.25%**

**Grade 10 ICSE Board results:**  
80% students are above 85%

**Grade 12 ISC Board results:**  
ISC Commerce: 70% students are above 85%  
ISC Science: 35% students are above 80%

## HSC BOARD EXAM TOPPERS!

Ashoka Universal School, Arjun Nagar, is proud to announce and celebrate the exceptional achievements of our HSC Commerce and Science students. Your hard work and dedication have truly paid off, and we couldn't be prouder!

We congratulate all our toppers on their outstanding performance. Your achievements are a testament to your hard work, determination, and perseverance.

A big thank you to our dedicated teachers and supportive parents for their unwavering support and guidance. Together, we have created a nurturing environment that fosters academic excellence.

Let's continue to strive for greatness and set new standards of success!

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*Congratulations*

### HSC Board Exam **COMMERCE** Toppers

Rank	Student Name	Percentage
1	ANSHUN PATIL	92.33%
2	YASHIKA PATIL	89.50%
3	PRANAV VALECHA	88.33%

100% students secured **FIRST CLASS**  
81% students secured **DISTINCTION**

## CELEBRATING SUCCESS: OUR 2023-24 CLASS SHINES BRIGHT

It's a wrap on another incredible academic year! 🎉 Today, we're filled with immense pride as we share the memorable moments of our graduating class of 2023-24.

From day one to this triumphant day, these students have shown dedication, resilience, and an unwavering spirit. Each face in these photos tells a story of hard work, growth, and achievement.

We're thrilled to announce that they've not only passed with flying colour but are also being promoted to the next academic year!

To our graduates, as you embark on this new chapter, remember the lessons learned, the friendships forged, and the dreams that await. Your journey doesn't end here; it's just beginning. 🌟 And to our entire school community, thank you for your support, encouragement, and belief in these incredible individuals. Together, we've made memories to last a lifetime. Here's to the bright futures ahead!



# CLASS PHOTOS

## Nursery



A group photograph of the Nursery 2023-24 class. The photo is framed with a yellow border featuring cartoon stars and a giraffe. At the top center is the Ashoka logo with the text "ASHOKA Ashoka Global Pre-School". The photo shows approximately 20 children in yellow uniforms sitting on red chairs, with four adults (three women and one man) seated in the front row. The background is a lush green outdoor area.

**Nursery 2023-24**  
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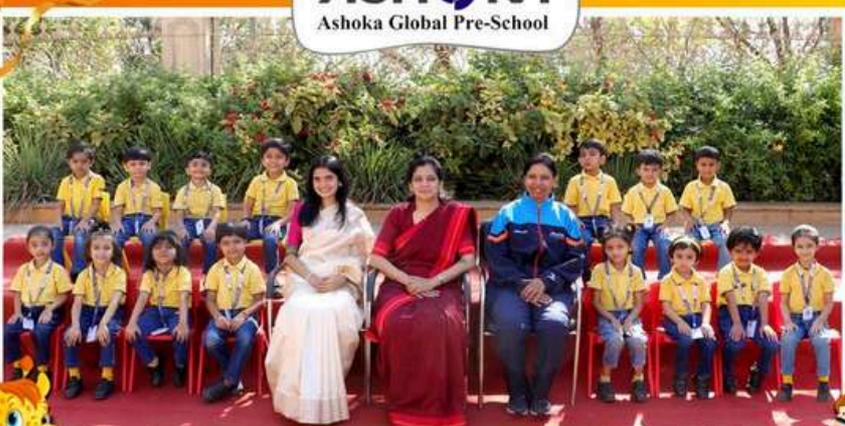
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## Jr. KG.



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## Sr. KG.

**Sr.KG. 2023-24**  
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**Sr.KG. 2023-24**  
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# CLASS PHOTOS

GRADE  
I - A



GRADE  
I - B

# CLASS PHOTOS

**GRADE  
II - A**



**GRADE  
II - B**

# CLASS PHOTOS

**GRADE  
III - A**



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III - B**

# CLASS PHOTOS



**GRADE  
IV-A**



**GRADE  
IV-B**



**GRADE  
IV-C**

# CLASS PHOTOS



**GRADE  
V-A**



**GRADE  
V-B**



**GRADE  
V-C**

# CLASS PHOTOS



**GRADE  
VI - A**



**GRADE  
VI - B**



**GRADE  
VI - C**

# CLASS PHOTOS



**GRADE  
VII - A**



**GRADE  
VII - B**



**GRADE  
VII - C**

# CLASS PHOTOS



**GRADE IX - A**



**GRADE IX - B**



**GRADE IX - C**



**GRADE IX - D**

# CLASS PHOTOS

**GRADE X-A**



**GRADE X-B**



**GRADE X-C**



**GRADE X-D**



# CLASS PHOTOS

**GRADE  
XI-COM & SCI**



**GRADE  
XII-COM**



**GRADE  
XII-SCI**



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