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## NEW DAWN A JOURNEY BEGINS

APRIL TO JUNE 2026 - 2027

SENIOR SCHOOL  
GRADES IX & X



## NEWSLETTER



**STRONG  
FOUNDATIONS**  
for a brighter  
future



**BIGGER  
DREAMS**  
for greater  
possibilities



**SMARTER  
LEARNERS**  
for a kinder  
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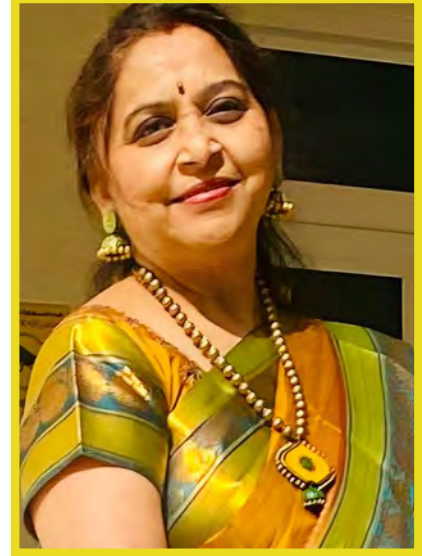


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We Build  
Tomorrow*



## Editor's note



At DPS Modern Indian School , Doha Qatar, every new academic year begins with a sense of renewal with the first light of a dawn breaking gently over new possibilities. The months from April to June 2026 mark the beginning of the academic journey for Grades IX and X, a short yet significant term that sets the tone for the year ahead.

As classrooms reopened with fresh aspirations and familiar enthusiasm, students stepped into a phase of reorientation, readiness, and renewed commitment. These early months became a space where learning routines were re-established, ideas began to take shape, and the energy of a new beginning filled the school corridors.

Though brief in duration, this term has been rich with engagement and activity. From academic initiation and classroom interactions to co-scholastic experiences that encouraged curiosity and participation, every moment contributed to laying a strong foundation for the journey ahead.

This newsletter captures the essence of these early months; moments that may appear introductory, yet hold great significance in shaping the path forward. It reflects how Grades IX and X have embraced this new dawn, stepping forward with steady purpose, preparing themselves for the learning, challenges, and achievements that lie ahead.

Class Teacher - X-A



## Principal's Message



**"The most meaningful learning often begins where the lesson ends."**

Every academic year is a journey of discovery—of knowledge, experiences, relationships and, most importantly, of the self. While the classroom provides the foundation for learning, the experiences beyond it often help children discover their strengths, develop their perspectives and understand their place in a changing world.

At our school, we believe that true education must go beyond academic achievement. It must nurture curiosity, creativity, confidence, empathy and resilience, enabling our students to grow into well-rounded individuals prepared to engage meaningfully with the world around them.

The first term has been a vibrant journey of learning and participation, with our students engaging enthusiastically in academics as well as a range of co-curricular activities and experiences. Each opportunity has encouraged them to explore, collaborate, express themselves and grow with confidence.

Our teachers have been instrumental in making this journey meaningful, going beyond the curriculum to inspire, guide and encourage every learner. Equally valuable is the partnership of our parents, whose trust, encouragement and continued support strengthen the bridge between home and school.

As we step into the new term, may we continue to create opportunities that inspire our students to learn with purpose, participate with enthusiasm and grow with confidence. With the collective efforts of our students, teachers and parents, may the months ahead bring new ideas, meaningful experiences and many milestones to celebrate.

Wishing our entire school community a productive, fulfilling and enriching term ahead



## Vice Principal's Message



**“The way we speak to our children becomes the voice they carry within themselves.”**

Every child enters the world with a unique voice, a curious mind and an immense capacity to learn and grow. As educators and parents, we have the privilege—and the responsibility—of being part of that journey. What we say, how we listen and the way we respond to their successes and struggles can leave impressions that remain long after the moment has passed.

In the rush of everyday life, it is easy to focus on results—marks, achievements, competitions and milestones. Yet there is another kind of growth that deserves our attention: the growth that happens quietly. A child learning to believe in themselves, finding the courage to try again after failure, learning to express emotions, or simply knowing that there is someone who will listen without judgement.

Parenting is not about having all the answers or protecting children from every difficulty. It is about providing a secure foundation from which they can explore, make mistakes, learn and gradually find their own way. Sometimes, the most meaningful parenting moments are found in the simplest things—a conversation at the end of a long day, a patient response, an encouraging word or the willingness to simply be present.

As a school, we deeply value the partnership we share with our parents. When home and school work together with understanding and trust, we create a stronger environment in which children can flourish—not only as learners, but as individuals.

As we begin a new term, may we pause to consider not only “what” we want our children to achieve, but also “how we want them to feel as they grow” - heard, valued, encouraged and confident in who they are becoming.

Wishing our students and families a meaningful, joyful, and fulfilling term ahead.



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## Academic Coordinator



Dear Parents and Students,

As we conclude Term 1, I would like to appreciate our students for their sincere efforts, our parents for their unwavering support, and our teachers for their dedication and commitment. The exemplary results of last year's Grade X have filled us with pride and inspired us to aim even higher. Let us continue this journey with renewed enthusiasm, discipline, and determination. Dear students, remember that every effort counts, every challenge is an opportunity to learn, and every day is a chance to improve. With the continued partnership of parents and teachers, I am confident that we will achieve greater success together.



## Activity Coordinator



### Nurturing Talent, Inspiring Excellence: A Vibrant Journey in Grades IX-X

“The true purpose of education is to transform potential into performance and opportunities into achievements.”

The academic journey of Grades IX and X has been enriched by a vibrant spectrum of co-curricular activities that nurture creativity, leadership, teamwork and holistic development. Students have demonstrated enthusiastic participation and active involvement in SPARKFEST TERM-I various collaborative club activities, exploring their interests, discovering talents and developing essential life skills beyond the classroom.

The much-awaited Cultural Rendezvous provided a dynamic platform for students to showcase their artistic flair, confidence, collaborative spirit and competitive excellence. The creatively curated class bulletin boards reflected their imagination, awareness and commitment to presenting meaningful themes. Equally enriching were the class assemblies, which offered students opportunities to express ideas, address relevant issues, celebrate values and strengthen their communication and presentation skills.

Through these diverse initiatives, students have embraced responsibility, demonstrated initiative and fostered a spirit of unity and healthy competition. Their active engagement reflects the school's commitment to nurturing confident, responsible and well-rounded individuals, empowered to excel in every sphere of life.

Priti Modi

Activity Coordinator (IX-XII)



## Grade X Orientation: Setting the Stage for Success

DPS Modern Indian School inaugurated the academic journey of Grade X students with an orientation programme on 6 April 2026, equipping them with the guidance and confidence needed for the year ahead. The session highlighted the importance of disciplined planning, focused learning, and self-belief, while familiarizing students with CBSE assessment updates, internal evaluation, school policies, and registration procedures. Students also received an overview of the exciting co-curricular activities planned for the year, making the programme an inspiring and informative start to their Grade X journey.

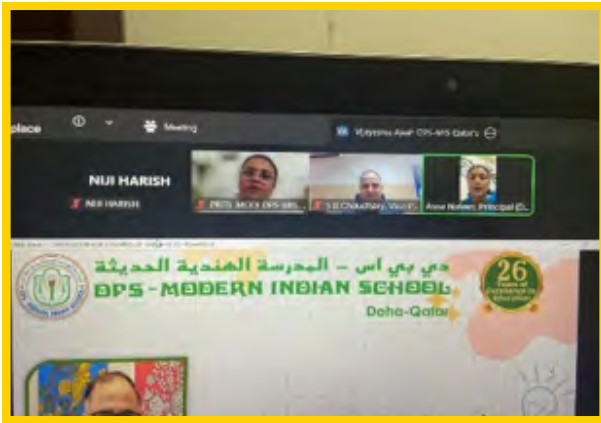




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## Grade IX Parent Orientation: Preparing for the Academic Journey Ahead



DPS Modern Indian School conducted an online orientation session for the parents of Grade IX students on 23 April 2026 to familiarize them with the latest CBSE academic reforms for the 2026-27 session. The school leadership provided valuable insights into the revised assessment structure, internal evaluation, promotion criteria, registration process, and optional advanced subjects. An interactive question-and-answer session enabled parents to seek clarification and gain confidence, reinforcing the school's commitment to fostering a strong partnership between home and school for student success.



## Celebrating Dedication: 100% Attendance Honours

DPS Modern Indian School celebrated the exemplary commitment and discipline of students from Grades VII, VIII, and X who achieved 100% attendance during the academic year 2025-26 at a felicitation ceremony held on 5 May 2026. Grade X students were among the recipients of this recognition, applauded for their punctuality, consistency, and dedication. The ceremony highlighted the importance of regular attendance as a key value in shaping responsible and disciplined learners, inspiring students to continue striving for excellence.





## Sampriya Speaks Her Way to Success

April 2026 marked a proud moment for DPS-Modern Indian School as Sampriya Sanjay won the Best Speaker award at the Qatar Preparatory Schools' Debate League 2 (Girls), standing out among over 185 participants. We applaud her remarkable achievement and wish her continued success as she inspires others through the power of words.



## Yashvvii's Voice of Excellence



Yashvvii Jain brought pride to DPS-Modern Indian School in April 2026 by securing the 7th Best Speaker position at the Qatar Secondary Schools' Debate League 2 (Girls), among over 185 competitors. We warmly congratulate her on this commendable achievement and wish her many more milestones as she continues to make her voice count.



## Literary Milestone: Grade X Student Publishes Her Book

DPS Modern Indian School proudly congratulates Shikha Rajesh of Grade X on the publication of her book *Queen to Bishop*. This remarkable achievement reflects her creativity, dedication, and passion for writing at a young age. Her accomplishment stands as an inspiration to her peers and a proud moment for the school community.

The publication of *Queen to Bishop* highlights her talent and perseverance in transforming ideas into a published work. The school applauds her success and wishes her continued growth and many more milestones in her literary journey.





## Rang Tarang 2026: Celebrating Creativity Across Grades

DPS Modern Indian School hosted its flagship art event, Rang Tarang 2026 – Every Stroke Tells a Story, on 14 May 2026, bringing together students from Kindergarten to Grade XII in a vibrant celebration of creativity and expression. The campus came alive with colour and imagination as students participated in a joyful, immersive art experience across varied themes and mediums.

For Grades IX and X, students explored the themes “Traditions of India” and “Traditions of Qatar”, expressing cultural understanding through detailed poster-making and mixed media work.

The event highlighted the school’s commitment to nurturing creativity, imagination, and holistic development through experiential learning.





## Grade X Achievers Raise the Bar

DPS-Modern Indian School celebrated outstanding CBSE Grade X results for 2025-26, with a school average of 90%. Of the 344 students who appeared, 327 earned distinctions and 216 scored 90% or above, while 49 perfect subject scores added to the success. School topper Amir Nawaz Razvi Syed achieved an exceptional 600/600. We congratulate our students, teachers, and proud parents on this memorable achievement and wish our young achievers continued success.



## Amir's Perfect Score, DPS's Proud Moment



Celebrated in April 2026, Amir Nawaz's outstanding score of 500 out of 500 in the CBSE Board examinations marked a historic first for DPS-Modern Indian School. His achievement added lustre to the school's Silver Jubilee celebrations. We warmly congratulate Amir on this exceptional milestone and wish him continued success in all his future endeavours.



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## DPS Achievers Honoured by Indian Ambassador



DPS-Modern Indian School's board examination achievers were felicitated by India's Ambassador to Qatar, Mr. Vipul, at an Indian Cultural Centre ceremony under the aegis of the Embassy of India on 18 May 2026. Honourees included Grade X Qatar topper Amir Nawaz Razvi Syed (100%), school second-rank holders Lakshmi Bhargavi Tota and Boshika Srinidhi Kannan, and Grade XII stream toppers Naveen Manikandan (Science), Neha Susan Denny (Commerce), and Sharvi Patwardhan (Humanities). We congratulate these outstanding students and their proud families on this distinguished recognition.



*Congratulations*





## QPSDL 2026 Victory: Girls' Team Clinches League Championship

DPS Modern Indian School's girls' team, including participants from Grades IX and X, secured the League Championship title at the Qatar Primary Schools Debate League (QPSDL) Tournament 2026. The team delivered a consistently strong performance throughout the rounds, achieving 11 wins and high speaker points to finish at the top of the league table. The achievement reflects the students' confidence, critical thinking, and teamwork, supported by dedicated coaching and mentorship. The victory marks a proud milestone for the school's debating programme and highlights its commitment to nurturing communication and analytical skills.



## QPSDL 2026: Boys' Team Secures Third Place in Debate League



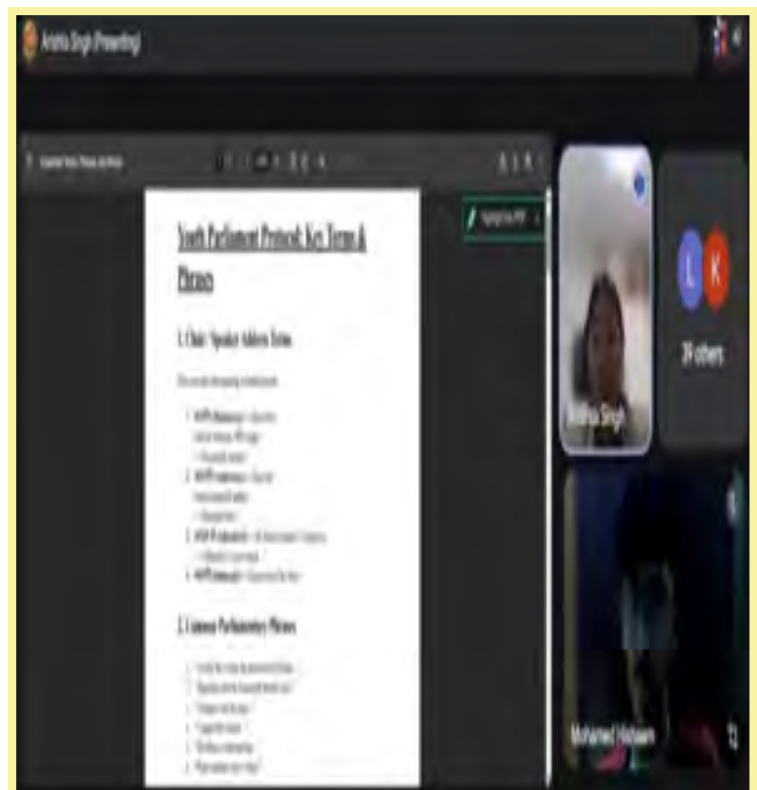
Team DPS Modern Indian School, including participants from Grades IX and X, secured third place in the Qatar Preparatory School Debate League (QPSDL) 2026 for Boys, organised by Qatar Debate. The team delivered a commendable performance throughout the competition, earning recognition as one of the top-performing teams in the preparatory category. The achievement reflects the students' debating skills, teamwork, and perseverance. The school leadership congratulated the team and appreciated their dedication and commitment, marking another proud milestone for DPS Modern Indian School.



## Youth Parliament Training: Preparing Tomorrow's Leaders

The MUN, Democratic and Electoral Club conducted an online Youth Parliament Training Session for selected students of Grades IX and X on 1 June 2026. The interactive session introduced students to the functioning of the Indian parliamentary system while strengthening their skills in critical thinking, leadership, public speaking, and democratic decision-making.

Serving as a preparatory session for the upcoming Youth Parliament event, the programme equipped participants with the confidence and knowledge to engage effectively in parliamentary discussions and responsible civic participation.





## Eco Vision 2030: DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL Wins First Prize in Sustainability Innovation

DPS Modern Indian School participated in Eco Vision 2030, an inter-school sustainability innovation competition hosted by Shantiniketan Indian School on 13 June 2026, with entries across multiple categories. In the Classes IX–XII category, Sanjiv Gudan Venkatesh (X A) and Pritul Girdhar (IX F) secured First Prize for their innovative project, Eco Revive, which showcased a solar-powered drip irrigation system, an AI-based waste segregation system, and an AI-powered oil spill detection system to promote sustainable environmental solutions.

The achievement reflects the students' creativity, scientific thinking, and commitment to environmental sustainability, bringing laurels to DPS–Modern Indian School.





## Youth Parliament 2026: Empowering Future Leaders



DPS Modern Indian School successfully hosted its inaugural Youth Parliament 2026 on 20 June 2026, organised by the MUN Democratic and Electoral Club. The event brought together selected students of Grades IX and X, who demonstrated impressive leadership, critical thinking, public speaking, and a sound understanding of parliamentary procedures through engaging and well-structured deliberations.

The programme was graced by the presence of Ms. Asna Nafees, Group Academic Advisor to the Group of Institutions, along with coordinators, teachers, and students. Guided by the MUN Club coordinators, the event provided students with a valuable platform to strengthen their democratic values, civic awareness, and leadership skills, marking a significant milestone in the school's commitment to nurturing responsible future leaders.





## Parent-Teacher Meeting – Grades IX and X

A Parent-Teacher Meeting was conducted for Grade IX on 4th June 2026 and for Grade X on 8th June 2026. The meetings provided a meaningful platform for teachers and parents to discuss students' academic progress, classroom performance, discipline, attendance and areas requiring further improvement.

Teachers shared valuable feedback regarding the students' learning habits, participation and overall development, while parents actively interacted with the teachers to understand the progress of their wards. The sessions helped strengthen the partnership between the school and parents, ensuring continued support for the students' academic growth and holistic development.





## Values in Action: Grade X Assemblies Inspire Learning Beyond the Classroom

The students of Grades X-A to X-H conducted a series of inspiring class assemblies during June 2026, each centred on values that shape responsible and compassionate individuals. Classes X-A & X-B presented "Perseverance: Never Giving Up", Classes X-C & X-D highlighted "Environmental Responsibility: Our Duty Towards Nature", Classes X-E & X-F showcased "Integrity: Doing the Right Thing Even When No One Is Watching", and Classes X-G & X-H presented "Small Steps to Wellness through Yoga and Healthy Habits for Students."

The assemblies were graced by Ms. Asna Nafees, Group Academic Advisor, Ms. Soma Bhattacharjee, Principal, Ms. Shifa Shaikh, Vice Principal, along with coordinators and guest speakers, whose inspiring messages enriched each programme. Beyond instilling values and life skills, the assemblies provided students with an excellent platform to showcase their talents, creativity, confidence, and teamwork, while offering many their first opportunity to perform before an audience and develop essential communication skills.

### X- A& B





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# Assemblies

X C & D



X E & F



X G & H





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## BULLETIN BOARD WINNERS APRIL

### IX G



### X F





## BULLETIN BOARD WINNERS MAY

### IX G



### X A & B





## BULLETIN BOARD WINNERS JUNE

### IX C & I



### X B





## Rendezvous 2026-27: Talent Meets Tradition

DPS-Modern Indian School's annual cultural event, Rendezvous 2026-27, brought together students of Grades IX-XII under the theme 'Route to Roots'. A week of competitions culminated in onstage events on 23 June 2026, with Rose, Lily, Tulip, and Lotus houses showcasing their talents across arts, literature, and STEM. Ms. Asna Nafees, Group Academic Adviser, DPS Group of Schools, encouraged integrity and fair competition. The celebration honoured cultural roots while inspiring creativity, teamwork, and pride in every participant.



## Kabir Shines on the Global Stage



Kabir Khanna brought laurels to DPS-Modern Indian School by securing International Rank 6 in the NOF English Champions League 2025-26. His outstanding A++ performance placed him among the top 2% worldwide. We warmly congratulate Kabir on this remarkable achievement and wish him continued success in his pursuit of excellence.



## Young Scientific Minds Reach New Heights

DPS-Modern Indian School celebrated the selection of Prayan Agarwal, Ashwin Yadav, Afnan Muhammed, Henil Bhavinkumar Patel, Bharathi Hariharan, and Khushi Vishal Talreja for the Qatar Junior Science Olympiad 2026-27 screening process. Prayan was exempted from the first-round test owing to his previous representation of Qatar and continued age eligibility. Building on the school's past silver and bronze successes, we congratulate these budding scientists and their teachers and wish them success in the rounds ahead.



## Golden Glory in the Pool



DPS-Modern Indian School won 32 gold medals and the Boys' Under-19 overall championship at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Swimming Competition 2026-27. Hosted at the school's Olympic-size indoor pool from 14-17 June 2026, the event brought together swimmers from 14 Indian schools across Qatar. We warmly congratulate our swimmers and coaches on this outstanding achievement, celebrating the discipline, determination, and sportsmanship behind every successful finish.



## Young Innovators Triumph at Monarch Tech Fest

DPS-Modern Indian School students brought laurels to the school at Monarch Tech Fest 2026, earning accolades across six competitions:

**Sensor Sphere – First Position:** Omar Ibrahim Imam Sheikh (VI-E) and Aarit (VI-G).

**PyQuest Challenge – First Position:** Dhruv Mathummal Panambail (IX-G), Sanjeev Sundararaj (X-F), Prajwal Raghunatha (X-H), and Kamaleshwer Purushothaman (X-G).

**Algorithmix Challenge – First Position:** Shaik Mohammad Siddiq (XII-A), Mohammed Fawwaz Hanif (XI-A), Muhammad Abdul Rahman (XI-E), and Taha Yameen Salim (XI-E).

**Innovation Hunt – Second Position:** Vihaan Roy (VIII-A), Avyukth Sujith (VIII-I), Darsh Binu (VIII-I), and Munsif Kasif Kurdi (VII-C).

**Craft Conquerors – Second Position:** Veer Chintan Sutaria (V-F) and Rudraansh Tak (VI-H).

**Digital Story Builders – Third Position:** Aarav Nadar (V-I) and Amritya Lalit Pandey (VI-C).

We warmly congratulate all our winners on their creativity, technical skills, and teamwork, and wish them many more achievements!





## Young Innovators Triumph at Monarch Tech Fest

DPS-Modern Indian School students had plenty to celebrate at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Competitions 2026-27. Across 12 sports, they won 506 medals—182 gold, 131 silver and 193 bronze, bringing home an impressive collection of medals and championship titles.

Our Chess and Rope Skipping teams were crowned Overall Champions in both the boys' and girls' categories. Chess players earned 12 gold, eight silver and four bronze medals, while the Rope Skipping teams collected 11 gold, 12 silver and two bronze medals. In Basketball, the boys secured the Overall Championship, with the school winning 24 gold and 12 silver medals.

The girls' Football and Volleyball teams also finished as Overall Champions. The school's Football tally stood at 18 gold and 18 bronze medals, while Volleyball brought in 36 gold and 36 bronze medals.

Our swimmers made a strong contribution with 32 gold, 61 silver and 41 bronze medals, finishing second overall in both the boys' and girls' categories. The girls secured second place overall in Badminton, with a tally of four gold and 16 bronze medals. In Handball, the boys finished second overall, while the school collected 12 gold, 12 silver and 24 bronze medals.

There was more to celebrate in Athletics, with three gold and five bronze medals; Kho Kho, with 12 gold, 12 silver and 36 bronze medals; Table Tennis, with eight gold and four bronze medals; and Taekwondo, with 10 gold, 14 silver and seven bronze medals.

Behind these results are hours of practice, determination and teamwork. Congratulations to our students and their coaches for a memorable sporting season and for making the school proud!





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## Coding Success at Alice 2026

DPS-Modern Indian School celebrated a double achievement at the Alice Programming Competition 2026, held at Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar. DPS Team #3 secured second position in the Beginners category, while Team Mambo earned first runner-up in the Advanced category. We warmly congratulate our young programmers and their teachers on this proud accomplishment and wish them continued success in the world of technology.





## Young Scientists Earn QJSO Selection

Grade X students Aswin Yadav and Afnan Muhammed brought laurels to DPS-Modern Indian School through their selection for the Qatar Junior Science Olympiad (QJSO) 2026, conducted by Qatar's Ministry of Education. We warmly applaud this milestone in their scientific journey and wish them success as they explore new challenges and pursue their passion for discovery.



## A Double Crown for DPS Chess Teams

DPS-Modern Indian School won the overall championships in both Boys' and Girls' categories at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Chess Tournament. The boys earned gold in Under-17 and Under-19 and silver in Under-11, while the girls secured gold in Under-19, silver in Under-14, and bronze in Under-17. We warmly congratulate our chess teams on their strategic skill, determination, and sportsmanship, which brought this proud double triumph to the school.

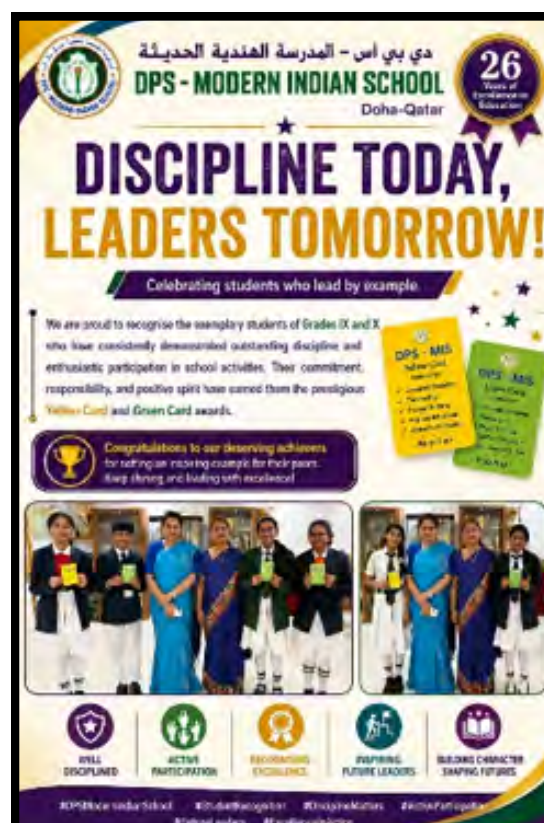




## Leading by Example: Honouring Student Excellence

DPS Modern Indian School proudly recognized the exemplary students of Grades IX and X who consistently demonstrated outstanding discipline, punctuality, responsible behaviour, and active participation in school life. Students were honoured with the Yellow Card and Green Card awards in recognition of their commitment to upholding the school's core values.

The initiative celebrates not only academic excellence but also character, responsibility, and leadership, inspiring students to lead by example and contribute positively to the school community.





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