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DPS - MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL

Doha-Qatar

*Celebrating 25 Years of Excellence in Education*



# NEWSLETTER

GRADES IX TO XII

MARCH- SEPTEMBER 2025

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Students,

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you back after the summer break. The school corridors are once again alive with energy, curiosity, and enthusiasm. A school truly comes into its own when its students return, ready to learn, lead, and inspire.

We concluded the previous term with the Cultural Rendezvous, which showcased the remarkable creativity and teamwork of our students. It was indeed a fitting way to end the academic stretch before the holidays. As we now begin this term, an equally engaging and purposeful calendar awaits us. The forthcoming months will see a host of events—our much-anticipated Rendezvous Techfest, a range of outdoor sports competitions, and above all, the Silver Jubilee Annual Day. This year marks a proud milestone in the journey of DPS-Modern Indian School, and together we will ensure that it is celebrated with distinction and dignity.

As we prepare for these opportunities, it is important to remember that achievements are built through sustained effort and commitment. Every assessment, practice session, and contribution you make adds value not only to your personal growth but also to the collective spirit of the school. I encourage each one of you to ask yourselves: how will I contribute to this special year? Will I strive for academic excellence, display leadership, or channel my talents into new initiatives?



**Together we celebrate,  
strive and achieve.**

REFLECTIONS

Challenges will undoubtedly arise along the way. Balancing academics, activities, and personal goals requires focus and discipline. Yet it is through such balance that true progress is achieved. Let us take pride not only in outcomes but also in the resilience and determination we demonstrate in the process.

As we celebrate this Silver Jubilee year, may we uphold the values that have guided our school for twenty-five years—excellence, integrity, and service. Together, let us create, prepare, achieve, and contribute meaningfully to this shared journey.  
With best wishes for the term ahead,

With warm regards  
Ms. ASNA NAFEES

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## MESSAGE FROM THE VICE PRINCIPAL'S SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL

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*"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." – Eleanor Roosevelt*



**Believing in the beauty of  
dreams: A year of glory**

The new academic session began with renewed ideas and vibrant energy, setting the tone for a year of excellence. From remarkable achievements in sports up to the CBSE Nationals, to a cultural rendezvous and enthusiastic indoor sports events, every occasion was celebrated with passion. Spark Fest, club competitions, and the War of Words interschool debate championship added further glory. Marking the Silver Jubilee year, the school continues to shine through national Olympiad achievements and proudly representing Qatar on global platforms. With preparations for the Class XII Board Examinations underway, we look forward to an equally successful Term II.

Warm regards,  
Ms. SOMA BHATTACHARJEE

## MESSAGE FROM THE VICE PRINCIPAL'S SENIOR SCHOOL

Dear Students, Parents, and Teachers,



**Silver Milestones, Golden Aspirations**

It is with great pride that I contribute to this edition of our Senior School Newsletter during the Silver Jubilee year of DPS-Modern Indian School. Though I joined this esteemed institution only recently, I have already witnessed the creativity, hard work, and enthusiasm of our teachers and students across a wide range of activities. Their efforts truly embody the spirit of excellence that defines our school.

As we move forward in an era shaped by rapid technological advancements, I encourage all our learners to stay curious, adaptable, and responsible. The future belongs to those who can embrace change, harness innovation wisely, and remain grounded in strong values. Together, let us prepare to thrive in this evolving educational landscape.

With kind regards,  
Mr. S B CHOUDHARY

## MESSAGE FROM THE ACADEMIC COORDINATOR'S SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL

The new academic session for Grades XI and XII began with renewed enthusiasm and a clear focus on achievement. To support informed stream selection in Grade XI, a Parent Orientation Program was conducted as part of the school's structured academic framework.

A remarkable update this year is the introduction of a sixth skill-based subject in Grade XI—a strategic step to enhance learning and improve overall board exam performance and aggregate scores.



**Building Futures with Purpose,  
Passion, and Performance.**

Academic support was further strengthened through stay-back sessions and Saturday classes. Orientation programs for students and parents of Grades XI and XII ensured clarity and alignment with academic goals. Following the Term-I Examinations, a Parent-Teacher Meeting was held to provide detailed feedback on student progress.

Our teachers continue to work with dedication and purpose, staying aligned with the school's mission of fostering academic excellence combined with holistic development.

Dr. RAKHI MISHRA

## MESSAGE FROM THE ACADEMIC COORDINATOR'S SENIOR SCHOOL

As the first term concludes, I am proud to acknowledge the remarkable journey we have shared. Our students have embraced new challenges and opportunities with enthusiasm and resilience, excelling not only academically but also through co-curricular activities that foster confidence, teamwork, and character. Special congratulations to our Grade X students for their outstanding success in the CBSE Board Examinations (2024-25). Ritesh Vardhan Reddy Kanjula secured the prestigious Gulf Topper position with an exceptional score of 99.6%,



Looking ahead, I encourage all students to maintain their spirit of diligence and integrity, recognizing that education is about growth, curiosity, and making a difference beyond grades. We deeply appreciate the continuous support of our parents, which strengthens this partnership and inspires our students to dream bigger. Together, let us nurture a joyful, purposeful learning environment and keep striving toward a brighter future.

**Celebrating Success,  
Embracing Possibilities.**

Ms.VIJAYASREE AJESH

## MESSAGE FROM THE ACTIVITY COORDINATOR'S GRADE IX TO XII



**Where Ideas Spark, Talents  
Shine, and Leaders Rise**

The first term of this academic year was marked by energy, creativity, and spirited participation. The Student Council elections set the tone, as our young leaders stepped forward with confidence, showcasing their vision and commitment to the school community. The much-anticipated Inter-House Senior School Cultural Rendezvous brought vibrancy to the campus, with students excelling in dance, drama, music, and art, reflecting the depth of their talent and teamwork. It was heartening to see the flood of creative ideas that students introduced across events—be it in innovative presentations, thought-provoking themes, or artistic expressions—that added a unique spark to every performance.

Sparkfest Term-I was a vibrant celebration of collaborative club activities, where students from diverse clubs joined hands to showcase talent, creativity, and teamwork. From innovative displays to engaging performances, the event highlighted the power of collaboration and enriched the school's cultural and intellectual spirit.

Another highlight was the War of Words Debating Championship, proudly hosted by our school, where sharp reasoning and eloquence illuminated the power of critical thinking. Term I truly celebrated the spirit of collaboration, innovation, and leadership, setting a promising benchmark for the year ahead.

Ms. PRITI MODI  
Activity Coordinator (IX-XII)





Wellness is recognized as the optimal state of health, and it was inspiring to see this theme embraced during our recent CPD program. The various departments of our school presented remarkable insights into the multifaceted dimensions of wellness, highlighting that it is not confined to physical health alone, but also includes intellectual, emotional, social, and nutritional well-being.

At the Physical Education Department, our constant endeavor is to emphasize the importance of physical fitness, wellness, and overall health. We aim not only to create awareness but also to empower our school community to evaluate their present health status and work towards a balanced lifestyle. Our initiatives are designed to promote productivity, reduce absenteeism, strengthen immunity, and enhance the quality of life.

The department organizes a variety of programs for both staff and students. For the staff, activities such as International Yoga Day celebrations and Annual Staff Matches encourage relaxation, rejuvenation, and camaraderie. For the students, events like Inter-House Competitions, Yoga Day celebrations, and Annual Sports Day provide a platform to nurture their physical and mental well-being while fostering team spirit and sportsmanship.

Through these initiatives, we reaffirm that wellness is not merely the absence of illness, but the presence of balance, vitality, and fulfillment in life.

Mr. BALAJI SRINIVASA  
MURUGESAN  
Head of Department  
(Physical Education)



**Sweat, Smile, Succeed**



# ACADEMICS 2025-26 (TERM I)

As years flow, each term becomes a new chapter for curiosity and growth. May this chapter bring fresh opportunities, meaningful challenges, and moments to treasure. Wishing everyone a term filled with success and enrichment!

## COMMENCEMENT OF NEW SESSIONS AND REVISED RAMADAN TIMING

The new academic session for Grade XI commenced on Tuesday, 8th April 2025, while classes for Grades X and XII began earlier on Sunday, 2nd March 2025. The revised Ramadan timings also came into effect from 2nd March 2025.

## SATURDAY CLASSES, REVISION AND REMEDIAL CLASSES

- Diagnostic tests were conducted for Grade IX and Grade X to understand the students' learning levels at the beginning of the academic year 2025-26.
- The syllabus for Annual Examination 2025-26 for both Grade IX and X was uploaded on the website.
- Monthly assignments for all subjects were uploaded to promote regular practice and encourage proper planning and scheduling.
- As a part of comprehensive evaluation, the first and second cycle of Weekly test completed for the academic year 2025-26.
- Saturday classes for Grade IX to Grade XII were conducted in the months of April and May 2025.
- Saturday classes were suspended on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2025 due to Educational conclave 2025 Silver spectrum.
- Saturday classes were cancelled from 17<sup>th</sup> May 2025 till further notice in view of First term examination.

## AFTERNOON STAY BACK CLASSES

- Grade XII – Afternoon stay-back classes commenced on 28th April 2025. Owing to the Investiture Ceremony, they were not conducted on 29th April. For the non-PW sections, the classes remained suspended from 8th May due to the First Term Examination. Classes resumed on 29th June 2025 for selected subjects.
- Grade XI – Afternoon stay back classes were conducted during the month of June 2025 for selected subjects.

## ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION

- The first cycle of weekly tests for Grades XI & XII was conducted from April to May 2025.
- The First Term Examination for Grade IX and X was conducted in the month of May and the progress report was uploaded on the school website.
- The First Term Examination (Theory) was conducted from 24th May to 2nd June 2025 for Grade XII, and from 25th May to 3rd June 2025 for Grade XI.
- The First Term Practical Examination was conducted from 17th to 25th June 2025 for Grade XII, and from 17th to 23rd June 2025 for Grade XI.
- The General Studies Exam (Term I) was scheduled on 17th June 2025.
- The evaluated answer scripts of the First Term Examination for Grades XI & XII were distributed on 16th June 2025.

## GRADE XI & XII REMEDIAL CLASS SCHEDULE (2025-26)

·23 Sept 2025, Tuesday

XI: 2:10–3:00 → Chem / B.St / Pol.Sc

3:10–4:00 → Math / Psychology

XII: 2:10–3:00 → Math / Psychology

3:10–4:00 → Chem / B.St / Pol.Sc

·24 Sept 2025, Wednesday

XI: No classes

XII: 2:10–3:00 → Physics / Accounts / History

3:10–4:00 → Optional Subject

·25 Sept 2025, Thursday

XI: 2:10–3:00 → Physics / Accounts / History

3:10–4:00 → Optional Subject

## THE PARENT-TEACHER MEETING

The Term I PTM for Grades IX & XI was held on June 18, 2025, and for Grades X & XII on June 22, 2025. These meetings allowed parents and teachers to review academic progress, discuss strengths and areas for improvement, and support overall student development. PTMs also fostered better home-school communication to enhance learning and well-being.

## DPS-MIS CONDUCTS ORIENTATION FOR GRADE IX TO XII TO FOSTER READINESS & RESPONSIBILITY 2025-26



DPS-Modern Indian School conducted an orientation for Grades IX–XII on April 22, 2025, marking the purposeful beginning of the new academic year. Students were oriented on academics, behaviour, CBSE guidelines, and co-curricular opportunities. The Principal and Vice Principal emphasized the values of responsibility, discipline, and focus, underscoring the school's commitment to holistic development.



# AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CLASSROOM DISCIPLINE

THE "WELL-DISCIPLINED CLASS" CERTIFICATE WAS AWARDED TO GRADE XI B AND GRADE XII E IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR EXEMPLARY CONDUCT, COMMITMENT TO MAINTAINING A RESPECTFUL AND ORDERLY ATMOSPHERE, AND THEIR CONSISTENT ADHERENCE TO HIGH STANDARDS OF DISCIPLINE, WHICH FOSTERED A POSITIVE AND FOCUSED LEARNING ENVIRONMENT.

**SEPTEMBER 2025**



*Grade XI-B*



*Grade XII-E*

## ACKNOWLEDGING WELL BEHAVED STUDENTS

THE GREEN AND YELLOW CARD ACKNOWLEDGES STUDENTS WHO DISPLAY COMMENDABLE RESPONSIBILITY AND INTEGRITY. BY UPHOLDING SCHOOL VALUES AND DEMONSTRATING POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR, THEY SET AN EXAMPLE FOR THEIR PEERS AND CONTRIBUTE TO CREATING A HARMONIOUS AND MOTIVATING SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT.

**GRADE XII- GREEN CARD**



*Kasam Naomika , XII-F*



*Rithik Akiladevi Ravi , XII-C*

## GRADE XII- YELLOW CARD



*Shamitha Anand, XII-A*

*Isha Jaleel, XII-E*



## GRADE XI- GREEN CARD



*Pavithra Anand, XI-C*



*Somya, XI-G*

## GRADE XI- YELLOW CARD



*Vyasti, XI-A*



# BULLETIN BOARDS: ENHANCING LEARNING AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

EVERY MONTH, BULLETIN BOARDS THAT EMPHASIZE CORE PRINCIPLES, INSPIRE THOUGHTFUL REFLECTION, INTEGRATE DIFFERENT DISCIPLINES, AND SHARE INSIGHTS ARE RECOGNIZED AS KEY TO NURTURING A SENSE OF UNITY AND ENGAGEMENT WITHIN THE SCHOOL COMMUNITY, AND THE BEST AMONG THEM ARE ACKNOWLEDGED FOR THEIR CREATIVITY AND IMPACT.

APRIL, 2025



Grade XI-A



Grade XII-J

MAY, 2025



Grade XI-A & XI-F



Grade XII-E & XII-H



Grade XI-H



Grade XII-J

## STUDENT'S ACHIEVEMENTS

**DPS-MIS STUDENT KRISHNAPRANAVAN RAMESH EXCELLED IN SEAMO BY SECURING THE SILVER MEDAL 2025-26**

Krishnapranavan Ramesh of Class XII C won a silver medal in the Southeast Asian Mathematical Olympiad (SEAMO), ranking among the top 20% of participants from 20 countries. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated him, commending his dedication and the pursuit of global excellence





## DPS-MIS HONOURS 110 SENIOR SCHOOL ACHIEVERS AS PART OF SILVER JUBILEE

As part of its Silver Jubilee celebrations, DPS Modern Indian School held an Award Ceremony on April 14, 2025, to honour 110 outstanding students.

Graced by distinguished guests, the event featured a prayer, cultural performances, and inspiring messages. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees urged students to use technology wisely and strive for excellence. The ceremony concluded with the distribution of awards to the achievers.



## DPS MIS CBSE BOARD TOPPERS HONoured WITH CASH AWARDS BY MOEHE QATAR

DPS-Modern Indian School proudly celebrates the success of its students in the CBSE Grade X and Grade XII Board Examinations (2023-24). Aishwarya Singaravelu and Manikandan Naveen from Grade-X Krish Nagrani (Commerce), Drishti Tibrewal (Commerce), and Shreyas Ghosh (Humanities) from Grade XII, achieved distinction. Their outstanding performance was recognized by the Ministry of Education and Higher Education, Qatar through the Education Excellence Awards.





**Krish Nagrani**  
(Comm. Stream)



**Drishti Tibrewal**  
(Comm. Stream)



**Shreyas Ghosh**  
(Humanities Stream)

This honour reflects the school's commitment to academic excellence and consistent 100% results.



## A LEGACY OF DISTINCTION: DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL HONOURED AT ICC ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARDS 2025

DPS Modern Indian School students were recognized among the top achievers in Qatar at the ICC Academic Excellence Awards 2025, for outstanding performance in the CBSE Grade XII exams.



### Grade X Star Performers:

- Ritesh Vardhan Reddy Kanjula – Gulf Region and Qatar Topper – 99.6%
- Izaan Ra ID – Second Rank – an impressive 98.6%
- Reemal Rafeeqe – Second Rank – an impressive 98.6%
- Devam Vikram Liya – Third Rank – a remarkable 98.4%



#### Grade XII Stream Toppers:

- Science: Nandhini Nachiappan, Arush Sharma, Kenil Gandhi – 97%
- Commerce: Aditya Jain – 95.6%
- Humanities: Rafa Anis Kazi – 92.4%

Principal Ms. Asna Nafees was also honoured for her visionary leadership. The event was held on 28th May at ICC Ashoka Hall in the presence of H.E. Mr. Vipul, Ambassador of India to Qatar.

### DPS-MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL SHINES IN CBSE CLASS XII RESULTS 2025 SCHOOL TOPPERS



DPS-Modern Indian School proudly announced its outstanding CBSE Class XII Board results for 2025. Out of 304 students, the school achieved an average of 81%, with top scores of 97% in Science, 95.6% in Commerce, and 92.4% in Humanities. Sixty-eight students scored above 90%, and 24 earned A1 in all subjects. One student under the special needs category also cleared the exam, reflecting the school's dedication to inclusive academic excellence.

## DPS-MIS HONOURS STUDENTS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE & 100% ATTENDANCE 2024-25



DPS-Modern Indian School held the Silver Spectrum Award Ceremony on May 8, 2025, honouring Grades IX–XI students for academic excellence and perfect attendance. Chief Guest Mr. Gopi Varadhan and Principal Ms. Asna Nafees felicitated achievers and MASET Olympiad winners. The event also celebrated the school's recognition by the Ministry of Education for its Islamic studies project. A prayer and choir performance added to the spirit of celebration.



## DPS-MIS CELEBRATES GRADE X AND XII STUDENTS' EXCEPTIONAL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE IN THE CBSE EXAMINATIONS 2024-25

DPS-Modern Indian School celebrated the achievers of Grade X & XII 2024-25 CBSE Board Exams at the Silver Spectrum Academic Award Ceremony on September 17, 2025. Sixty-three students, including international Olympiad winners, were honoured with trophies, medals, and certificates. Chief Guest Mr. Sonny Varghese inspired students to pursue holistic growth, while the event, led by Ms. Priti Ketanbhai Modi, reflected the school's commitment to excellence and all-round development.







DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL UNVEILS THE SILVER JUBILEE LOGO- 'SILVER SPECTRUM: A PROUD PAST, A PROMISING FUTURE.'

DPS Modern Indian School proudly marks 25 years of excellence in education with the unveiling of the Silver Jubilee Logo, symbolizing a legacy of achievement and a future of continued innovation.

The official unveiling ceremony, led by the President, Principal, and the Leadership Team, launched the Silver Spectrum – a year long celebration commemorating the school's journey, milestones, and vision ahead.

Here's to a glorious past and an even brighter future!



GUIDING, INSPIRING, LEADING: STUDENT COUNCIL OF DPS  
MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL 2025-26



**NIKKIL D CRUZ,**  
*Head Boy*



**SHAMITHA ANAND,**  
*Head Girl*



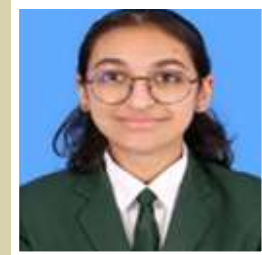
**VENKATA SAI SURYA KAUTHIK BASANGI,**  
*PRESIDENT STUDENT COUNCIL – Boy*



**DAINI GONG,**  
*PRESIDENT STUDENT COUNCIL – Girl*



**ARCHIT CHHIKARA,**  
*PRESIDENT ACTIVITIES – Boy*



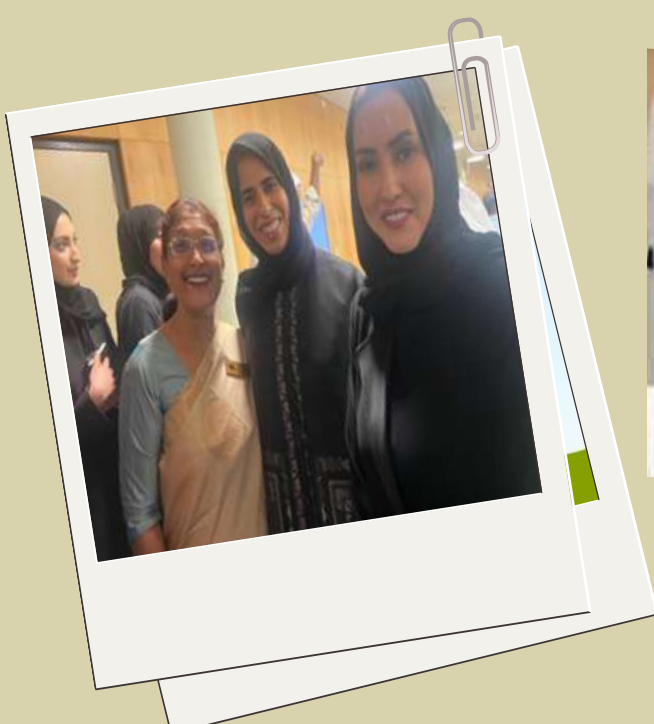
**KRITI HEMANT DHRUV,**  
*PRESIDENT ACTIVITIES – Girl*

EXCELLENCE IN FOCUS: ARABIC STUDIES & HOLISTIC  
LEARNING AT DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL



DPS-Modern Indian School earned high praise from H.E. Ms. Lolwah Al Khater, Minister of Education and Higher Education, Qatar, for its holistic excellence. Students and Principal Ms. Asna Nafees presented an innovative project linking planetary motion with Quranic references, highlighting the school's harmony of science and spirituality. H.E. Ms. Al Khater commended Ms. Nafees's leadership and the school's efforts to nurture academically strong, value-driven learners.





## FUTURE LEADERS IN ACTION DPS GIRLS VICTORIOUS AT QSDL LEAGUE 2 2025-26



DPS-Modern Indian School participated in the Qatar Secondary Schools Debate League for Girls – Second League on 8 February 2025. Team 2, comprising Pranavi Kothari, Sheza Kabeer, and Sharvi Patwardhan, won all four rounds and qualified for the national level, with Sharvi and Pranavi among the top 10 speakers. Guided by Mr. Somasundaram, both teams earned praise from Principal Ms. Asna Nafees for their dedication and excellence.



## REIGNITING BRILLIANCE DPS MIS DOMINATES WSC DOHA REGIONAL 2025-26

DPS-Modern Indian School excelled at the World Scholar's Cup Doha Regional Round 2025, winning 65 medals across Debate, Scholar's Bowl, Collaborative Writing, and Scholar's Challenge. All four teams ranked in the top five and qualified for the Global Round. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees and Vice Principal Ms. Soma Bhattacharjee congratulated the achievers.



## YOUNG ORATORS BIG TRIUMPHS: DPS MIS GIRLS EXCEL IN QPSDL LEAGUE 2 2025



DPS - Modern Indian School's junior girls excelled at QPSDL League-II held on February 15 at Edison International Academy. Teams AVS, SKS, and NRV secured 2nd, 3rd, and 5th places. Kayra Verma won Best Speaker, while Srinithi Vijay and Nuha Sajjad ranked among the Top 10. Qatar Debate recognized the school's adjudicators, led by Ms. Asha Kurian, and Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated all for their outstanding performance.



## POWER OF PERSUASION: DPS-MIS EXCELS AT QPSDL-2 2025-26



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## POWER OF PERSUASION: DPS-MIS EXCELS AT QPSDL-2 2025-26

DPS-Modern Indian School debate teams secured third place overall in the Qatar Preparatory Schools Debate League 2024-25, showcasing remarkable skill and teamwork. The season concluded with an award ceremony at Multaqa, where Principal Ms. Asna Nafees and Vice Principal Ms. Soma Bhattacharjee commended the teams for their excellence.



## WAR OF WORDS DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2025 CONCLUDES WITH GRAND FINALE



DPS-Modern Indian School hosted the three-day War of Words Debate Championship 2025, with over 200 participants showcasing their debating skills. Team Monarch AAA emerged as champions, while Team DPS Connoisseurs were runners-up. The Top 10 speakers were honoured. The championship was organized by the debate club students, guided by Ms. Asha Kurian, Mr. Dipin Joseph, Mr. Justin Joseph, Ms. Nida Farooq, Ms. Sheeba Mathew, and Ms. Anu Achamma. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees and Chief Guest Mr. George Thomas inspired students, highlighting the school's commitment to nurturing confident and articulate debaters.



## DPS-MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL HAS BECOME THE FIRST AND ONLY INDIAN SCHOOL IN QATAR TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FTC – INTO THE DEEP ROBOTICS COMPETITION 2025.

The event took place at Qatar National Library from March 5 & 6, 2025, featuring 14 school teams competing in intense 2-minute 30-second matches. The DPS-MIS team—Aarav Sharma, Aayan Khan, Aishwarya Singaravelu, Krishapranavan Ramesh, and Prayan Agarwal—advanced through the qualification rounds and reached the semi-finals. They earned an impressive third place overall, winning the bronze medal.





## DPSMUNERS SHINE AT 4TH INTERNATIONAL AMUN, NEW YORK 2025



Eleven DPS-MIS students from Grades 9&11 attended the 4th Altitude Model United Nations in New York from April 7–13, 2025, under the guidance of their mentor, Ms. Jolly Sabu. Vidhi Jadav and Saisha Varma won the Best Improvement Award, while Diya Varghese and Zaynab Salim Kutty earned the Best Diplomacy Award. The trip combined debates, leadership development, and cultural experiences, providing an unforgettable learning journey.



## DPS-MIS EXCELS AT SCIENCE INDIA FORUM GALA AWARDS 2024-25



DPS-MIS students and teachers attended the Annual Science Gala on April 18, 2025, at Birla Public School. Grade XII students Daini Gong and Aishwarya Singaravelu guided by Ms. Sterin Thomas, won First Runner-up in QCSC for their “Photocatalytic Air Purification System” project, selected for the IISF Camp in India. Students from Grades IX and XI also excelled in SPC and QCSC, with projects ranking among the Top 10.



## DPS-MIS SHINES AT QATAR ASTRONOMY OLYMPIAD EXHIBITION 2025-26

DPS Modern Indian School participated in the Qatar Astronomy Olympiad on April 22, 2025, presenting “Measurement of Sunspot Diameter.” Team members Aishwarya Singaravelu, Shamitha Anand, Praveen Manikandan, and Ishant Datta explained their research and faced a viva. Guided by Mr. Jayakrishnan V and Mr. Azeez Basha, they gained valuable scientific exposure. Results will be announced in May 2025.



## ANUJRAGHAVA THIRUKONDA SIVAKUMAR WINS BRONZE AT IPHO 2025

DPS-Modern Indian School proudly congratulates Grade XII student Anujraghava Thirukonda Sivakumar for winning bronze at the 55th International Physics Olympiad (IPhO 2025) held in Paris from July 18–24. Representing Team Qatar, he excelled through national screenings and intensive training under the Ministry of Education and Higher Education. His remarkable achievement brought pride to DPS-MIS and Qatar on the global stage.



## DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL CLINCHES THIRD PLACE AT JUNIOR GENIUS QATAR INTER SCHOOL QUIZ



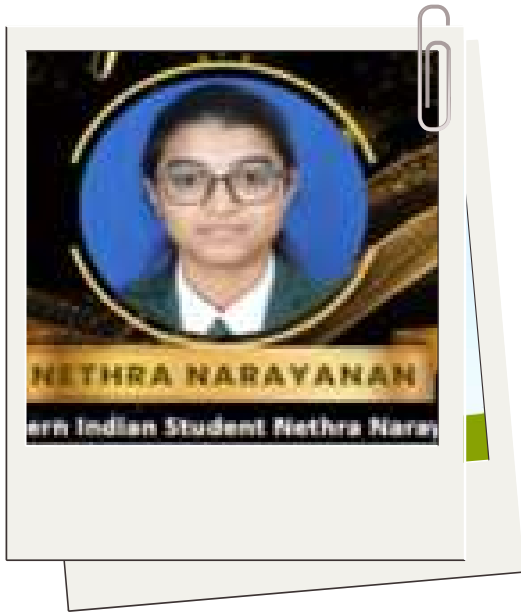
DPS Modern Indian School won Third Prize in the Junior Genius Qatar Inter-School Quiz held on June 13, 2025, at New Ideal Indian School, organized by Laza Events Qatar. Among 54 teams, Aleen Chakraborty and Makka Mohamed Syed Ali qualified for the finals and secured third place. Their achievement highlights the school's commitment to fostering knowledge and intellectual excellence.

## ARTIST OF THE MONTH - SEPTEMBER 2025 FATHIMA LATHEEF

DPS-Modern Indian School celebrated the Artist of the Month under the Silver Spectrum, showcasing remarkable architectural sketches. The works highlighted students' creativity, precision, and technical skill. Fathima Latheef was specially recognized for her outstanding artistic contributions.



## A MELODIOUS VICTORY FOR DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL



DPS-Modern Indian School proudly announces that Nethra Narayanan won Second Prize in the Middle East region of the International Hindi Song Competition on Music Day 2025. Organized by the Governments of India and Mauritius under the theme “Pyaari Hindi,” the event celebrated the beauty of the language through music. Nethra’s soulful performance earned high praise, bringing pride to the school’s tradition of artistic excellence.

## DPS-MIS EXCELS AT CBSE QATAR CLUSTER HANDBALL COMPETITION

DPS-Modern Indian School excelled at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Handball Competition held from April 26–28, 2024, at Galileo International School. The boys’ U-17 and U-14 teams won silver, the U-19 boys’ team secured bronze, and the girls’ U-19 team also clinched silver. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated the teams for their outstanding performance and sportsmanship.





## DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL DOMINATES CBSE QATAR CLUSTER TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP



DPS Modern Indian School excelled at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Table Tennis Tournament held at Birla Public School on June 25, 26, and 29, 2025. The school won Gold in U-14 Girls, U-17 Girls, and U-19 Boys, and Bronze in U-19 Girls and U-14 Boys. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated the players for their skill, teamwork, and dedication.



## NIYATI BAGS BRONZE MEDAL AT CBSE NATIONAL TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP



DPS-Modern Indian School is immensely proud of Niyati Krishna (U-19) for her outstanding achievement. Niyati showcased exceptional talent and determination by securing the Bronze Medal at the CBSE National Taekwondo Championship. Her dedication, focus, and hard work truly reflect the spirit of a champion. This remarkable success inspires her peers to strive for excellence in every field.

## ROPE, RHYTHM, AND VICTORY – DPS-MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL WINS BIG AT CBSE QATAR CLUSTER SKIPPING COMPETITION!



DPS-Modern Indian School excelled at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Skipping Rope Competition held at Podar Pearl School on June 4, 2025. The school won the overall team championship and three individual titles, displaying exceptional agility and teamwork. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated the students for their dedication and success.

## DPS-MIS CLINCHES CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE IN GIRLS UNDER 19 AT CBSE QATAR CLUSTER KHO KHO COMPETITION 2025



DPS-Modern Indian School teams showcased outstanding skill at the CBSE Qatar Cluster Kho Kho Tournament held at Loyola International School. The Girls' Under-19 team clinched the championship title, while the Girls' Under-14 and Boys' Under-17 teams won silver medals. Girls' Under-17 and Boys' Under-14 secured bronze. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated the teams for their dedication, teamwork, and sportsmanship.

## DPS-MIS ASSHWATH KANDAPRAKASH CLINCHES BRONZE AT SCHOOL OLYMPIC PROGRAM KARATE TOURNAMENT 2025

Congratulations to Asshwath Kandaprakash for winning the bronze medal in the first School Olympic Program Karate Tournament! His skill and sportsmanship brought pride to DPS-Modern Indian School, reflecting the school's commitment to nurturing excellence. The school congratulates him and wishes him continued success.



## DPS-MIS CLINCHED THE OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP IN BOTH THE BOYS' AND GIRLS' CBSE QATAR CLUSTERS SWIMMING COMPETITION FROM 2025-26.



DPS-Modern Indian School hosted the CBSE Qatar Cluster Swimming Competition 2025-26 from June 16-19 with 13 schools participating. The Boys' and Girls' Teams emerged overall champions, winning 62 gold, 56 silver, and 13 bronze medals across age categories. The school congratulated the swimmers, coaches, and staff for their outstanding performance.

## DPS-MIS WINS BRONZE AT QATAR ASTRONOMY OLYMPIAD 2024-25

DPS Modern Indian School won Bronze at the Qatar Astronomy Olympiad 2024-25, the only Indian school among 80 participants to do so. The team excelled in sunspot research under the guidance of Mr. Azeez Bhasha and Mr. Jayakrishnan V. Their achievement reflects the school's scientific excellence and teamwork.





## DPS-MIS STUDENTS SHINE AT CBSE QATAR CLUSTER ATHLETICS MEET 2025

DPS-Modern Indian School hosted the CBSE Qatar Cluster Swimming Competition 2025-26 from June 16-19 with 13 schools participating. The Boys' and Girls' Teams emerged overall champions, winning 62 gold, 56 silver, and 13 bronze medals across all age categories. The school congratulated the swimmers, coaches, and staff for their outstanding performance.

DPS-Modern Indian School congratulates Syeda Azah Sara (Grade X) and Akhilesh Samantaray (Grade XI) for receiving CBSE Merit Certificates in the Budding Author's Program 2024-25. Their exceptional writing skills earned them recognition as promising young authors.



## PENNING HIS WAY TO GLORY! DPS-MIS SHINES IN CBSE BUDDING AUTHOR'S PROGRAM 2024-25

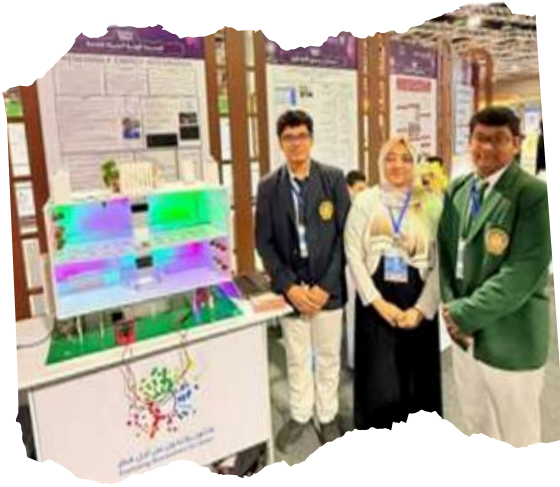


## DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL SHINES AT BK MOHAMMED KUNHI ELOCUTION COMPETITION 2025

DPS Modern Indian School shone at the BK Mohammed Kunhi Elocution Competition on May 2, 2025, with four students among the top winners. Harsh Thobani won 1st in Senior Table Topics, Nandini Pathak 2nd, and Sheza Kabear 1st in Senior Inspirational Speech and 3rd in Table Topics. Their eloquence and confidence brought pride to the school.



## YOUNG MINDS BIG IDEAS DPS MIS REACHES FINALS AT NATIONAL SCIENCE INNOVATION COMPETITION 2025



DPS Modern Indian School participated in the 17th National Scientific Research and Innovation Exhibition at QNCC, with two teams presenting projects on Renewable Energy Integration and an eco-friendly Air Purification System. The school was one of only two Indian schools to reach the finals in the Private Schools category. This achievement reflects DPS-MIS's commitment to fostering creativity, research, and innovation.

## DPS –MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL TRIUMPHS AT QCPC 2025-TOP 3 FINISH & ACPC QUALIFICATION!



DPS-Modern Indian School students excelled at the Qatar Collegiate Programming Contest 2025 at Carnegie Mellon University, Qatar, on September 26–27. Shri Adhithya Ganesu and Shaik Mohammad Siddiq secured 3rd place among 95 teams. Along with Senthuran Srimurugan and Anujraghava Thirukonda Sivakumar, they have been selected to represent Qatar at the Africa and Arab Collegiate Programming Contest in December 2025.



# CO - CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES



## DPS-MIS PARTICIPATES IN CISCO QATAR INTERNATIONAL GIRLS IN ICT DAY

On April 24, 2025, DPS-Modern Indian School students attended International Girls in ICT Day hosted by Cisco Qatar, themed "Harnessing the Power of AI for an Inclusive Education for All." Diya Anna George, Hayah Hisham, and Adilakshmi Prasannakumar, guided by Mr. Shaikh Abdul Kayum, showcased AI's benefits in personalized and accessible learning. The event inspired students to explore technology, challenge stereotypes, and pursue careers in ICT.



## GRADES XI & XII ASSEMBLY 2025-26: CELEBRATING CORE VALUES



Grades XI and XII conducted a well-organized assembly featuring skits and recitations that highlighted values like courage, resilience, and integrity, along with the thought of the Day and School Mission. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees encouraged students to uphold these values in daily life. The assembly concluded with a Vote of Thanks, appreciating participants and emphasizing the importance of character and purpose.

## INTERNATIONAL DANCE DAY ASSEMBLY



DPS Modern Indian School celebrated International Dance Day on May 7, 2025, with a special assembly led by the Dance Club under Ms. Manha and Ms. Ramya. Students performed three vibrant dance forms in colorful costumes, delighting the audience. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees and school leaders appreciated the event, highlighting dance as a universal expression of emotion and life.



## CULTURAL RENDEZVOUS 2025 (IX-XII): A CELEBRATION OF TALENT, TEAMWORK & CREATIVITY AT DPS MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL



DPS Modern Indian School came alive on June 28, 2025, during Cultural Rendezvous 2025, with students from Grades IX to XII showcasing their talents in vibrant on-stage and off-stage events. Participation from all four houses—Lily, Lotus, Rose, and Tulip—highlighted creativity, teamwork, and artistic brilliance, making it a memorable celebration.



In the final results of Rendezvous 2025-26, Tulip House finished 1st, Lily 2nd, Lotus 3rd, and Rose 4th. The event celebrated the arts while fostering unity and joy within the school community.



### DPS-MIS CELEBRATES OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN THE SOF NATIONAL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD 2024-25



DPS Modern Indian School proudly celebrates its students' success in the SOF National Science Olympiad 2024-25, showcasing their curiosity and problem-solving skills. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees congratulated them and encouraged continued exploration of science. The achievement reflects the combined efforts of students, teachers, and parents in fostering academic excellence.



### PODCAST SERIES: LEADING WITH VALUES – A VISIONARY DIALOGUE WITH MR. GEORGE THOMAS (VICE PRESIDENT, DPS-MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL)



In a podcast, DPS-MIS Publication Club students spoke with the Vice President Mr. George Thomas, who highlighted integrity, passion, and ethical leadership in a tech-driven world. Drawing from his experiences, he encouraged students to pursue their passions while fostering holistic growth.



## DPS-MIS STUDENTS EMBARK ON 5-DAY EDUCATIONAL TOUR TO JAPAN

DPS Modern Indian School students went on a 5-day educational trip to Japan, exploring its culture, history, and modern attractions. Group 1 visited Kyoto's iconic sites, including Arashiyama Bamboo Forest, Tenryu-ji Shrine, and the Samurai Ninja Museum, learning about Japan's ancient traditions.

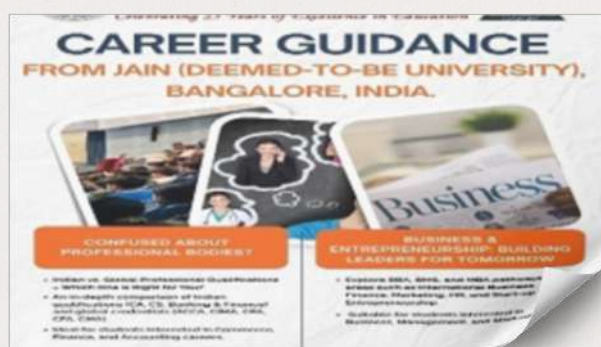
Students explored Japan's cultural and historical sites, including Kyoto, Hiroshima, and Tokyo, visiting landmarks like the Peace Memorial, Shinto Shrine, and Cup Noodles Museum. They enjoyed adventures at Universal Studios and Miyajima Island. The trip offered a blend of learning, culture, and memorable experiences.



## CAREER GUIDANCE SESSION BY JAIN (DEEMED-TO-BE UNIVERSITY), BANGALORE – 2025



On May 7, 2025, DPS-MIS held a career guidance session for Grade 12 Commerce students with Jain University, covering business, entrepreneurship, accounting, and finance opportunities. Mr. Vishal Arora explained Indian and global professional qualifications and showcased the university's programs and campus. The interactive session helped students explore career pathways and make informed decisions about their futures.





## GUIDING FUTURES : CAREER COUNSELLING SESSION FOR GRADE XII, 2025



DPS Modern Indian School hosted a career counselling session for Grade 12 on September 21, 2025, as part of its Silver Jubilee celebrations. Mr. Srikant Nandigam inspired students to plan, follow their passions, and prepare backup options. The session concluded with alumni success stories, offering valuable guidance for their futures.



## FUELING FUTURE INNOVATORS: A JOURNEY FROM THOUGHT TO THEORY 2025

As part of SparkFest 2025, DPS-MIS Science and Environmental Club held the workshop "From Idea to Inquiry" on May 14, guiding students to turn ideas into research projects. Club Directors demonstrated topic selection, planning, and presentation through interactive examples. The session aimed to foster curiosity, scientific thinking, and confidence in independent and team research. Students found it inspiring, reflecting the school's commitment to nurturing future innovators.



## DPS-MIS IMPLEMENTS ANTI-BULLYING AWARENESS INITIATIVE 2025

DPS-Modern Indian School organised an anti-bullying campaign from April 13 to May 8, 2025, under the slogan "Bullying is Weakness and Kindness is Strength", as part of the My Values Draw My Identity program. It promoted respect, tolerance, and empathy through activities like poster-making and story-based tasks. The campaign encouraged students to prevent bullying and embrace kindness.





## PLASTIC-FREE TOMORROW BEGINS TODAY – DPS-MODERN INDIAN SCHOOL CELEBRATES WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



The Science and Environment Club of DPS-MIS marked World Environment Day on June 5, 2025 with a special assembly themed “Ending Global Plastic Pollution.” The highlights included an eco-song and the pledge by students against single-use plastics. The jute bags were distributed to promote sustainability. The event reflected the school’s commitment to environmental responsibility and its motto, “Service Before Self.”

## INFINITY GAUNTLET: LOGIC, STRATEGY & MATH CHALLENGE BY THE MATH CLUB, DPS-MIS, DOHA, QATAR

The Math Club hosted the Infinity Gauntlet Challenge for Grades 9 – 12, testing mathematical thinking, logic, and teamwork. Teams competed in timed rounds on algebra, number theory, probability, and deduction. Team-B won, showcasing excellent problem-solving and collaboration, making math engaging and fun.



## SPARKFEST TERM-I 2025: CELEBRATING INDIAN CLASSICAL DANCE AND MUSIC



DPS Modern Indian School celebrated Indian classical dance and music as part of SparkFest 2025 on May 14. Students from Grades 6 to 12, under the Dance and Music Club, presented captivating performances, including a Kathak dance and a vocal recital. Principal Ms. Asna Nafees praised the students' dedication and emphasized the importance of preserving classical traditions.



## GRAPH WARS PLOTTING PRECISION SPEED AND STRATEGY WITH THE MATH CLUB OF DPS MIS DOHA QATAR 2025



The Math Club kicked off September with Graph Wars, a competition testing speed, accuracy, and creativity in graphing. Guided by Ms. Sakunthala, students from Grades 9–12 plotted and interpreted graphs under time pressure, reinforcing key concepts. The event enhanced teamwork, problem-solving, and confidence, leaving participants with sharper skills and renewed enthusiasm for mathematics.





## GRADE XI–XII CHARITY DRIVE 2025–26

DPS Modern Indian School conducted a Charity Drive for Grades XI and XII from April 20 to 22, 2025. Students of Grades XI and XII donated rice, dal, and detergent. The drive saw wholehearted participation, reflecting the spirit of “Service Before Self” and extending support to underprivileged communities.

### EDITOR’S NOTE

As the first term ends, we pause to reflect on our achievements and enriching activities. This newsletter captures our shared memories of unity and success. May these moments inspire continued passion and commitment as we move into the next term



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