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CBSE Middle School



August Edition

Message from the Head of the School

Dear Parents,

Over the past few weeks, our school held a series of assemblies exploring an important theme: how love for one's own country can coexist with a genuine, open-minded outlook toward the wider world.

Students took part in structured debates, presenting reasoned arguments on both sides of questions like "Can national pride and global cooperation go hand in hand?" The discussions were moderated to keep them respectful and balanced, ensuring students learned to think critically rather than simply take sides.

Our aim wasn't to tell students what to believe, but to help them listen well, argue fairly, and hold complex ideas with maturity – skills that will serve them well beyond the classroom.

In the month of August, as we celebrated our 80th Independence Day with national pride and patriotic fervour, we deliberated that core values such as gratitude, respect, integrity, perseverance and empathy do not stop at political borders between nations. Students very cogently argued that the problems of Climate change, worldwide pandemics, pollution and other global issues had to be resolved with a global mindset.



However, they weighed the importance of national identity and cultural dignity as the first step towards 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'.

The two day TGSMUN further added to sustained deliberations on negotiated peace as a critical need for the present and the future.

We encourage you to keep the conversations going at home. Let us together nurture open-minded, caring and balanced citizens.

Thank you

Sudeshna Chatterjee
Head of School



Message from the Coordinator – CBSE MS

A Month of Celebration, Achievement and Preparation

August has truly been a month of celebration, achievement, reflection and preparation. From the spirit of Independence and the excitement of sports to assessments, festivals, TGSMUN and the steady completion of the syllabus, our school has been buzzing with energy, enthusiasm and purpose.

The spirit of freedom came alive well before Independence Day. Our Grade 6 students participated in a vibrant **Freedom March**, bringing history to life as they dressed up as inspiring figures from India's freedom struggle, including Mahatma Gandhi, Rani Lakshmibai, Jawaharlal Nehru, Bhagat Singh and many others. With patriotic slogans ringing through the school corridors, our young students marched with pride, reminding us that freedom is not merely a chapter in a textbook—it is a legacy that must be understood, valued and carried forward.

Our **Independence Day celebration** was a grand expression of patriotism and talent. Students presented beautiful patriotic songs, dances and performances that filled the campus with pride and joy. Their confidence, preparation and enthusiasm made the celebration truly memorable. The month also witnessed meaningful conversations around global citizenship and peace.



During **TGSMUN**, our students had the privilege of interacting with **Major General N. D. Prasad**, a decorated officer of the Indian Army.

His reflections on **World Peace in uncertain times** encouraged our young delegates to look beyond borders and understand the importance of dialogue, responsibility and peaceful coexistence. The spirit of determination and excellence was equally visible on **National Sports Day**, as we celebrated sporting talent and honoured the perseverance and inspiring journeys of our young athletes.

We were privileged to have **Shri Shabbir Ali**, legendary footballer, former captain and coach of India's football team and recipient of the 2011 Dhyan Chand Award, grace the occasion.



Message from the Coordinator – CBSE MS

The recognition received by our athletes and coaches was a fitting celebration of the hard work, discipline and dedication that lie behind every sporting achievement. With confidence rather than fear. Most importantly, let us remind our children that **marks are only one measure of achievement; effort, growth, consistency and the willingness to learn are equally important.**

This year, we are also conducting assessments in **Performing Arts, Visual Arts and Sports during the examination period.** These areas are an integral part of our students' education. They provide opportunities to explore creativity, develop new skills, build confidence and discover talents beyond the traditional classroom.

As August draws to a close, we look back at a month that celebrated our **freedom, talent, sporting spirit, intellectual curiosity and perseverance.** And as we step into September, we carry these values with us—ready to learn, prepare, face challenges and give our very best.

Let us celebrate not just the achievements, but the effort behind them.

Amidst all the celebrations, academics continued to remain an important focus. Our students completed **PT2 assessments**, with the papers carrying 40 marks and covering concepts taught during the period.

These assessments are not merely about marks; they provide students with an opportunity to revisit concepts, identify areas that need greater attention and gradually build confidence for the **Term 1 examinations.**

As we approach the completion of the syllabus, the focus now shifts towards **thorough revision and preparation.** Term 1 examinations are around the corner, and this is an important time for students to practise the habits that will serve them well far beyond school—setting realistic targets, making schedules, managing time, revising consistently, asking for help when needed and, above all, persevering when something feels difficult. **Preparation is itself an exercise for life.** It teaches children that challenges become manageable when we approach them with planning, discipline and determination. It also teaches perhaps the most important lesson of all: **never give up.**

We would like to encourage parents to stand alongside their children during this period. Help them create manageable schedules, encourage them to follow those schedules and remind them that examinations are challenges to be approached

Ms. Anita Sreejith

CBSE MS coordinator



Holistic Excellence

Space Competition

Our students enthusiastically showcased their creativity in the Space Competition, exploring the wonders of the universe through painting, essay writing, and slogan-making. Each entry reflected curiosity, imagination, and a deep fascination with space. From vibrant artwork to thought-provoking essays and catchy slogans, the event highlighted how young minds can dream beyond the stars. It was truly inspiring to see their passion for discovery shine through every piece.



SPACE ON WHEELS (05-08-2026)

The Space on Wheels bus brought the magic of the universe right to our school gates. Students stepped inside with wide eyes, exploring models of rockets, satellites, and planets that made space feel closer than ever. The interactive exhibits turned learning into an adventure, sparking curiosity and excitement among young minds. It was a day when science rolled in on wheels and left everyone inspired to dream beyond the skies.



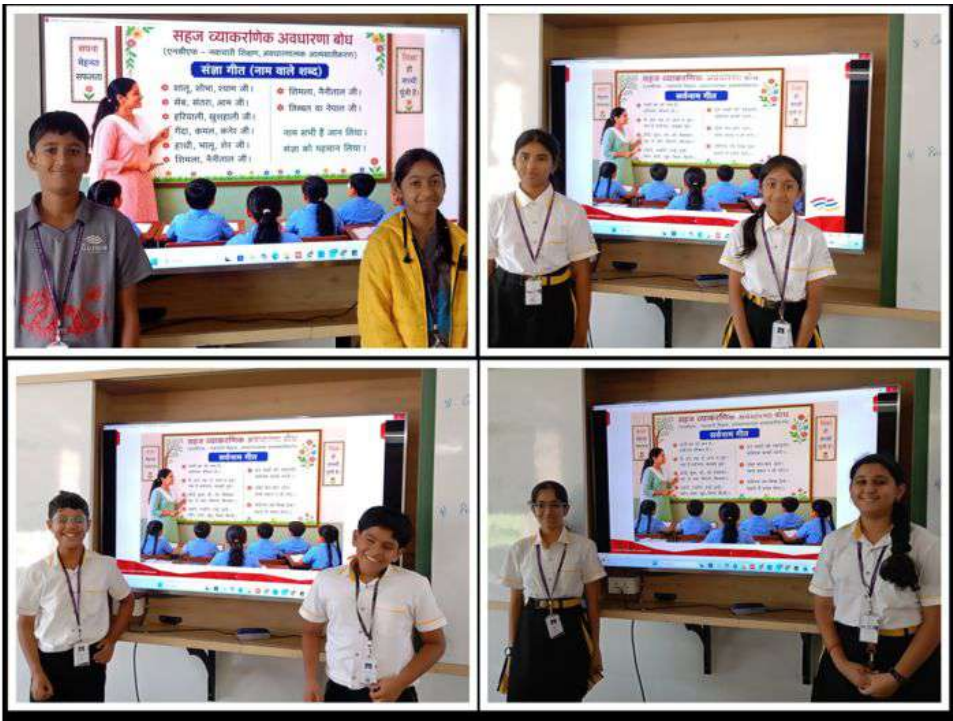
Holistic Excellence

Hindi – Grade 7

Learning Through Activity – Grade 8 L3 Hindi

An engaging activity was conducted in **Grade 8 L3 Hindi**, where students enthusiastically arranged the **Hindi Varnmala** according to their respective **Vargs (वर्ग)**, **Vyanjan (व्यंजन)**, and **Swar (स्वर)**.

The activity encouraged active participation and helped students strengthen their understanding of the **structure and classification of the Hindi Varnmala** in a fun and interactive way.



Holistic Excellence

Our Grade VIII students recently took the stage to present their learning on cyclones, turning science into a story of nature’s power. With clear explanations and engaging visuals, they described how cyclones form, their impact, and the importance of preparedness. The session reflected not just knowledge, but genuine curiosity and confidence in sharing ideas. It was inspiring to see young learners connect classroom science with real-world phenomena in such a lively way.



Science – Grade VII: Flipped Classroom Learning

Flipped Classroom Learning is an innovative teaching approach where students learn the basic concepts of a topic **before coming to the classroom** through videos, presentations, reading materials, or other digital resources. Classroom time is then used for **discussion, experiments, problem-solving, activities, and collaborative learning**.



Holistic Excellence

Grade 7 Field trip:

Grade 7 students embarked on an exciting field trip to the Telangana forest, where learning came alive amidst nature. Walking through the lush greenery, they observed diverse plants, birds, and wildlife, gaining firsthand experience of the ecosystem. The trip was not only educational but also a refreshing break that sparked curiosity and respect for the environment. It was a day filled with discovery, bonding, and a deeper appreciation for the natural world.



Holistic Excellence

VIII field trip

Grade VIII students enjoyed a refreshing field trip to the Botanical Garden, where science blended beautifully with nature. Surrounded by vibrant greenery, they explored diverse plant species and learned about conservation in a hands-on way. The experience sparked curiosity and gave them a deeper appreciation for the environment. It was a day of discovery, bonding, and inspiration, reminding everyone of the importance of protecting our natural world.



Holistic Excellence

Visual Arts

Every day, our students bring creativity to life through Visual Arts. From quick sketches to detailed paintings, they express their thoughts, emotions, and imagination in vibrant ways. The daily practice not only nurtures artistic skills but also gives them a joyful outlet for self-expression. It's inspiring to see how art has become a part of their everyday journey, adding color and meaning to school life.



Live Interaction with ISRO Scientist

This is a wonderful opportunity for students to learn directly from an ISRO scientist and connect the recent eclipse with the fascinating world of the Sun, Space Weather and India's space missions.



Core Values

Freedom March (6-8-2026)

Our students proudly brought history to life through a Freedom March, dressing up as freedom fighters and walking with spirit and conviction. The event was filled with energy as they echoed the voices of those who fought for our nation's independence. Their portrayal reminded everyone of the sacrifices made and the values we continue to uphold. It was a moving experience that blended learning with patriotism, leaving the audience inspired.



Core Values

15th August (Independence Day)

Our school celebrated **Independence Day** with great pride and enthusiasm. The day began with the flag hoisting, followed by inspiring speeches and patriotic songs that filled the campus with energy. Students showcased their talents through cultural performances, reminding us of the values of freedom and unity. It was a heartfelt celebration that honored our nation's spirit and left everyone with a sense of pride and belonging.



Core Values

GRADE 7 CBSE ASSEMBLY (18-08-2026)

Grade 7 students led a thought-provoking assembly on global citizenship, presenting their ideas through a lively debate. They discussed what it means for young people to see themselves as part of a larger world, beyond borders and cultures. The arguments reflected awareness, empathy, and a sense of responsibility toward global issues. It was inspiring to watch them engage with such meaningful themes, showing how today's youth are ready to shape a better tomorrow.



GRADE 8 CBSE ASSEMBLY (20-08-2026)

Grade 8 students conducted a powerful assembly debate on whether international agreements on climate, trade, and human rights should take precedence over national sovereignty when the two conflict. Their arguments reflected maturity and awareness of global challenges, as they weighed the balance between national interests and collective responsibility. The debate was lively, insightful, and showcased how young minds are already engaging with complex issues that shape our world. It was an inspiring reminder of their potential as future leaders and global citizens.



Core Values

Space Day Celebration

The Space Day Celebration was conducted with great enthusiasm, offering an insightful exploration into the fascinating world of space and satellites. Srinivas Sir delivered an engaging session, sharing valuable knowledge and inspiring curiosity among the students. The celebration was an enriching learning experience filled with interactive discussions and memorable moments.



On August 3rd, our school celebrated Friendship Day with joyful activities that brought students together. Through engaging storytelling sessions, children shared heartfelt tales about the value of friendship. They also expressed their creativity in poster-making, designing colorful artworks that captured the spirit of togetherness. The celebration was a warm reminder of how friendships enrich our lives and make school days brighter.



Mindfulness and Wellbeing

Coping with Change: Building Resilience

On 7th August, the Inclusive and Learning Diversity Team conducted an engaging session on “Coping with Change” to help students understand and manage change with confidence. Through meaningful discussions and interactive activities, students explored their emotions and responses to change while learning practical strategies to adapt positively. The session encouraged students to embrace new experiences, develop emotional awareness, and view change as an opportunity for learning and personal growth.



International Self-Care Day: Celebrating Well-Being

International Self-Care Day was observed with creativity and reflection as students explored the importance of caring for their physical, emotional, and mental well-being. They expressed their thoughts through vibrant posters, meaningful artwork, and inspiring self-care quotes. These creative expressions were displayed outside their classrooms, transforming the corridors into colourful reminders to pause, reflect, and prioritise well-being. The activity encouraged students to embrace healthy habits and cultivate a positive mindset.



Mindfulness and Wellbeing

Menstrual Hygiene Awareness Session

On 7th August, the school organised an informative session on Menstrual Hygiene for the girls. The session focused on helping students understand menstruation as a natural biological process and emphasised the importance of personal hygiene, healthy habits, and self-care. Through an engaging and age-appropriate discussion, students were encouraged to ask questions, clear misconceptions, and approach menstruation with confidence, awareness, and a positive mindset.



Global Leadership

CBSE Tournament Winners

Our students brought immense pride to the school by showcasing remarkable talent and determination at the CBSE Tournament. Their outstanding performances, disciplined approach, and unwavering team spirit led them to achieve top honours in their respective events. These victories reflect their dedication, perseverance, and commitment to excellence. We congratulate our young champions and their coaches for their commendable achievements and wish them continued success as they strive for greater milestones in the future.



GymQuinn 2026

GYMQUINN 2026, the third edition of India's largest level-wise grassroots gymnastics competition, was held from August 8-10 at The Gaudium School, Hyderabad. The three-day sporting extravaganza showcased remarkable talent, discipline, and determination in artistic and rhythmic gymnastics. With participants competing across multiple levels, the event provided a vibrant platform for young gymnasts to demonstrate their skills, embrace healthy competition, and celebrate sporting excellence, perseverance, and the spirit of sportsmanship



Global Leadership

Investiture Ceremony

The Investiture Ceremony was a momentous occasion that celebrated leadership, responsibility, and commitment. The newly appointed student leaders were formally entrusted with their roles and responsibilities, marking the beginning of their leadership journey. The ceremony inspired students to lead with integrity, empathy, and confidence while serving as role models for their peers. Through this significant event, the school reaffirmed its commitment to nurturing responsible, compassionate, and visionary young leaders.



Global Leadership

Celebrating Sporting Excellence

We are delighted to celebrate the remarkable achievement of Nishka Agrawal, who has recently returned after participating in the Glasgow Commonwealth Games 2026. Her participation on this prestigious international platform is a testament to her dedication, perseverance, and sporting spirit. Representing her school and nation with pride, Nishka has gained invaluable experience and inspired fellow students to pursue their dreams with determination, discipline, and confidence. We applaud her outstanding achievement!



Celebrating Excellence at Birla Open Minds

Our students brought laurels to the school by showcasing their creativity and talent at the competitions held at Birla Open Minds. Divij Kaura (Grade 7B, CBSE) secured 1st Prize in Fragments and Fiction: Story Weaving, while Abhignya Nandury (Grade 12C) and Hasini Kodupaka (Grade 12D) won 3rd Prize in Creative Catalyst: Ad Creation. Congratulations to our talented winners, and heartfelt appreciation to their teachers and mentors for their invaluable guidance and encouragement!



Global Leadership

Launch Lab – App Design & 3D Modelling | Grade VIII

Grade VIII students showcased their creativity and innovation through an exciting App Design and 3D Modelling competition. Students enthusiastically designed interactive apps and created engaging 3D models, demonstrating creativity, logical thinking, problem-solving, technical skills, and innovation while transforming their ideas into meaningful digital creations.



Global LeaderShip

Guinness Taekwondo

Our students and coaches have etched their names into history! Participating at Gachibowli Stadium, Gaudium athletes helped set the Guinness World Record for the Largest Taekwondo Lesson alongside 533 participants. Led by Jayanth Reddy Academy, this monumental milestone showcases our dedication to elite sports and discipline. Huge congratulations to our phenomenal martial artists and trainers for bringing global pride to the Gaudium family!



Global Leadership

Launch Lab – Graphic Design | Grade VI

Grade VI students showcased their creativity and graphic design skills through an exciting Inter-House Graphic Design Competition. Students demonstrated their understanding of colours, typography, shapes, and visual elements while creating innovative designs, reflecting their creativity, imagination, and digital skills.



Launch Lab – Game Design | Grade VII

Grade VII students showcased their creativity and game design skills through an exciting Inter-House Game Design Competition. Students worked enthusiastically to design engaging games, demonstrating creativity, logical thinking, problem-solving, and teamwork while bringing their innovative ideas to life.



Stakeholder Engagement

The **Three-Way Conference** was conducted on 1st August 2026. Parents, students, and teachers discussed the students' academic progress, strengths, and areas requiring improvement. Constructive feedback and strategies for supporting each student's overall development were also shared.



Boarding students enthusiastically participated in a gardening activity, learning the importance of caring for plants and nature.



Coming Up Next

Date	Day	Event	Grade
5 th Sep	Saturday	Teachers Day - Holiday	Whole School
8 th Sep to 10 th Sep	Tuesday to Thursday	ICT practical exams	VI to VIII
14 th Sep	Monday	Ganesh Chathurti - Holiday	Whole School
16 th Sep	Wednesday	Term 1 Exams - begin	VI to XII
25 th Sep	Friday	Ganesh Immersion - Holiday	Whole School
28 th Sep	Monday	Term 1 Exams - ends	VI to XII



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