

Good Evening distinguished Chief Guest, Esteemed Dignitaries, and Respected Parents,

With profound gratitude and an overwhelming sense of accomplishment, we extend a warm and splendid welcome to each one of you to the Annual Report Presentation for the academic session 2024-2025. I am here to present not just scholastic achievements of our school, but an entire spectrum of holistic growth and unceasing aspirations.

Founded in 1993 by Dr. Shrikant Jichkar, Sāndipani School has consistently upheld the tenets of integrity, honesty, and service, imbuing ancient Indian values into every facet of our educational journey. As a sanctum of learning, our institution places the student at the heart of our endeavours, where the teacher and the parent are unified partners in nurturing brilliance.

At the helm of this remarkable journey of 32 years is our President, Mrs. Rajashri Shrikant Jichkar, our mentor and strong support, an Architect, leader and Renaissance woman excelling in agriculture, social work, art & management with a heart for the needy & a passion for making a difference. Her tireless commitment, fortified by the support of Vice Presidents, Trustees, and the collective aspiration of our school community, illuminates the path for quality education and community service.

The Shree Shree Parva, the annual event of the school, serves as a heartfelt tribute to the esteemed Founder, Dr. Shrikant Jichkar, and holds a special place in the hearts of all Sandipanians. This cherished occasion is a dual celebration of Lord Krishna and his devoted disciple, Dr. Shrikant Jichkar, which aptly gives it the name Shree Shree Parva.

Each Shree Shree Parva unveils a fresh dimension of Lord Krishna's life. This year's theme is “ मधुरस्मृतीगंधः ”

Last session commenced with the Investiture Ceremony, where Adwait Choudhary and Vaibhavi Kolhe assumed the mantle of Head Boy and Head Girl, representing the ideals of leadership and responsibility. Yathartha Shukla and Sidhiksha Shiv Kumar succeeded them as the torchbearers for the session 2025 - 2026.

Witness the future leaders of tomorrow in action! Our students experienced the thrill of democratic elections with our inhouse handmade EVMs.

We firmly believe that education goes beyond the classroom, forging skills such as leadership, discipline, and self-confidence. Our co-curricular activities, embraced within eight active clubs -G.K, Heritage , Green , Health & Wellness, Literary, Photography, Arts and Tourism Club fostered the 'Art of Living' in unison.

In accordance with National Education Policy: 2020, CBSE has proposed various skill modules to give emphasis for the development of skills of students to face future challenges and their holistic development in various fields of life. In the session 2024-2025, our school has introduced 10 skill based subjects to achieve the same.

In association with the Ministry of Education Innovation Cell, our School Innovation Council (SIC) flourished, catalyzing ideation, innovation, and entrepreneurial thinking. Bridging academia, industry, and experts.

Echoing our legacy, our students accomplished extraordinary success in the board examinations. Out of 265 AISSE candidates, 88 secured an exceptional 90% and above. KAMYA VIKRAM GANGWANI achieved brilliance with 99 %, closely followed by ATHARV LOKHANDE, NISHKA GIRISH SINGH, SANIKA SUNIL INGOLE with 97.60%.

In the AISSCE 2025, both Standard XII, Science and Commerce unfurled a 100% success history. SANSKRUTI MULE topped the Commerce stream with 96.80%, followed by YUVRAJ SINGH CHOUHAN with 94.20%, SUNAINA KAPIL KAPURIA with 90.60%. KAIRAVI PRAVESH SHEWALE led the Science stream with 93.20%

The students of Std. XII of Maharashtra Board showcased remarkable achievements in their respective streams. Doa Imran achieved an impressive score of 94.67% followed by Shreshtha Athikari with 93.80%, Lucky Ghodeswar with 93.50% and Kajal Yadav with 90.50 % in the Commerce Stream.

Sāndipani proudly cultivates a reading culture with the distinctive Read 'N' Grow contest.

In the session 2024-2025, the contest centered around the theme 'TIMELESS TALES' with participation of 9000 plus students hailing from 75 plus schools in and around Nagpur. This remarkable engagement highlights the contest's effectiveness in nurturing a love for reading. As we step into the year 2025-2026, the theme 'VISUAL VOYAGES' promises yet another enriching journey through the domain of literature.

Going beyond exceptional performance in the Board exams, Sandipani students extended their achievements by enthusiastically participating in various intra and inter-school activities, securing victories, and winning recognition.

The NCC unit earned a perfect score in the A-Certification exam, with Air Wing cadets excelling at the Annual Training Camp. Cadet Sergeant Adwait Choudhari and Cadet Sergeant Vaibhavi Kolhe were awarded Best JD and JW Cadet, respectively. The troop won 1st place in the Cultural Program, 2nd in the Drill Competition, and secured top positions in Debate, Drawing, and Rifle Shooting events. Cadets also actively participated in various Community Service initiatives.

Satyam Rade and Shubham Taiwade participated in the National Level NCC Camp organized under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat 2024. In recognition of their outstanding performance, they were awarded the rank of Corporal.

Students were selected for the prestigious Rajya Puraskar Scout and Guide Award, along with the National Golden Arrow Award. They also took part in the Diamond Jubilee Jamboree Camp held in Trichy, Tamil Nadu, where they earned laurels in various events.

Impressive displays of skill and talent were evident in contests organized by a variety of institutions and CBSE. These events include , World Robotics Olympiad, Scipotech –Science Model, Drawing Competition, Collage making , Patriotic Song and Carol Singing Competitions, Cenfest,

MODQUEST- Quiz Competition, PISMUN, National Spell Bee, Katha National Writers Conference, Word Express Quiz Competition,

Elocution Competition, Mathematics Model Making Competition , Ignited Lab Mathematics, Aryabhata Ganit Challenge and various competitions organised by RTMNU.

Our students also showed outstanding performances in various competitions organized by Baljagat, bringing the overall trophy.

Shantanu Gudadhe, Sidhiksha Shivkumar, Indrita Sengupta, Aneshka Elamgurgu, Shivam Gupta, Sumedh Hinglaspurkar, and Ayush Mange showcased outstanding talent at various inter-school competitions hosted by St. Vincent Pallotti College of Engineering, securing multiple top honours across events.

In the prestigious Olympiad Exams, our students achieved outstanding success, securing medals and certificates of excellence.

At AURORA 3.0, organized by DPS Mihan, Sumedh Hinglaspurkar, Ayush Mange, and Siddhant Singh delivered exceptional performances, earning high praise for their efforts.

Taniskha Landge (Class I) and Ayush Sinha (Class V) were named city toppers in the National Level Science Talent Search Examination while Sierra Peter (Class I) also delivered a remarkable performance.

In the INNOVISION Science Working Model Competition at St. Francis De Sales College, our students won a trophy.

At the Vidarbha Vigyan Utsav hosted by Vijnan Bharti and R.T.M.N.U. at LAD College, Navya Singh secured 1st place in Poster Making, and Gargi Gaikwad achieved 2nd place in Rangoli Making.

Aayush Mange and Sumedh Hinglaspurkar have been selected for the National Level CBSE Science Exhibition 2024-2025 under the theme 'Resource Management'

The school showcased exceptional accomplishments across a wide spectrum of sports competitions, spanning disciplines such as Badminton, Handball, Athletics, SQAY Martial Arts, Taekwondo, Karate, Kudo, Malkham, Swimming, Yoga and Gymnastics.

Hridan Singh selected for Nationals – Badminton Championship and got Gold Medal for team.

On the occasion of NEERI's 83rd Foundation Day, the Jigyasa team organized various competitions, in which our State Board students secured the 2nd Prize in Science Exhibition.

Additionally, at the Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Science Festival 2024-2025, organized by Mohota Science College, our students were awarded the 3rd Prize .

The Bhasha Bharati Parishad, Delhi, organized a competition for teachers on creative writing and innovative expression. Under this initiative, three Hindi teachers from Sandipani School, Nagpur - Mrs. Sonia Bhoyar, Mrs. Kanta Sahu, and Mrs. Jayshree Jaiswal - were honored with the "Bhasha Bharati Samman".

Diverse talents and dedication of our students can be seen in various cultural events like Twist & Twirls, Fledgeling Fiesta and Grandparents Day Celebrations held at school.

During the academic year 2024-2025, the school embarked on the project titled ‘Kindness and Compassion’. This endeavour aimed to cultivate values among students, enabling them to grasp the feelings and emotions of others while also fostering an appreciation for often overlooked aspects of life.

This year the Annual Project is ‘Care for the Environment’.

Subject Enrichment activities that highlight innovative learning are conducted regularly each year, with 100% student participation and strong appreciation from all stakeholders.

Workshops and training sessions were conducted during the academic session to enhance skills on various topics for teachers, students and parents.

To make the teaching-learning process more engaging, impactful and impressive, the school organizes a variety of educational visits to sites of historical, scientific, and social significance.

As we turn the page on the remarkable year 2024-2025, we embark on a new chapter of limitless possibilities, fuelled by the visionary spirit of our founder and led by our dynamic School President. With the unwavering support of our parents, we promise to thrive, cultivating holistic growth and academic distinction.

Our state-of-the-art campus, cutting-edge labs, and treasure trove of libraries will remain the bedrock of intellectual exploration and excellence. Our campus provides a modern swimming pool, a sprawling playground, a dynamic play zone, and a sustainable Green Gym — all designed to nurture physical fitness and overall student well-being. We proudly pioneer eco-friendly initiatives, harnessing solar power and rainwater harvesting system, reflecting our commitment to education and environmental stewardship.

A testament to our innovative spirit is the Creche, a brainchild of our School President, catering to the needs of our staff, making us the only school in Nagpur to pioneer this remarkable concept.

As we celebrate the tapestry of success woven this year, I extend heartfelt gratitude to all stakeholders who have contributed to this remarkable journey. Together, we have crafted a legacy of excellence, unity, and growth that will illuminate the path for generations to come. Let us march forward, united in our pursuit of knowledge, compassion, and unwavering excellence.

Thank you.

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Knowledge is that which liberates.