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The Jungle Book: The Earth Belongs to All

A Celebration of Story, Songs and Childhood Wonder...



FESTARA '26, the Kindergarten Annual Day Celebration and one of the most eagerly anticipated events of the academic calendar, was held on January 23, 2026. The programme began with a warm welcome to the honoured guests, setting the tone for a joyful and meaningful celebration.

The function was presided over by Rev. Dr. Thomas Kalariparambil, the Provincial of the South West India Province and Dr. Thimappa Hegde, a Neurosurgeon and Director of Narayana Institute of Neurosciences, as the Chief Guest. The

event was further graced by the presence of the Guests of Honour, Rev. Fr. Benny Jacob, the Councillor in Charge of Education, SWIP and Rev. Fr. Dr. Santhosh Kumar, the Councillor in Charge of Formation, SWIP, along with dignitaries from the SFS Group of Institutions. A formal welcome and prize distribution ceremony marked the opening of the programme.

The highlight of the evening was the screening of the kindergarten movie, *The Jungle Book: The Earth Belongs to All*, specially created for the Annual Day. Inspired by Rudyard Kipling's timeless classic, the musical fantasy carried a contemporary message of empathy, unity and environmental responsibility. Featuring nearly 40 main characters and the participation of around 470 Pre-KG, LKG and UKG students, the 90-minute film, enriched with six soulful songs, beautifully conveyed that the earth is home to all and that even young hearts can inspire meaningful change. The film was showcased through a projector, leaving the audience captivated and deeply moved.

In the days leading up to the Annual Day, SFS Academy had created excitement among parents and well-wishers through a special unveiling ceremony of the film's poster, trailer and songs on January 20, 2026. The programme was blessed by the gracious presence of Rev. Fr. Joshy, the Manager, SFS Institutions; Rev. Dr. Santhosh, the Councillor in Charge of Formation; Rev. Dr. Binu, the Principal, SFS College; Rev. Fr. Johnson, the Principal, SFS Academy and Rev. Fr. Mijo, the Finance Administrator, SFS Institutions.

The official movie poster was unveiled by Rev. Fr. Joshy, symbolising the spirit of jungle and the heart of our children. The trailer was launched by Rev. Dr. Binu, offering a glimpse into a world where imagination meets responsibility, while the soulful songs were released by Rev. Dr. Santhosh, capturing emotions beyond words.

A special moment of honour was dedicated to Mr. Aji Ashok, the Director of Photography and Editor, whose creative vision transformed the children's dreams into moving visuals. Mr. Aji Udayakumar, the Assistant, was also acknowledged for his valuable behind-the-scenes contribution. Rev. Fr. Mijo felicitated Mr. Aji Ashok in appreciation of his artistry.

SFS Academy extends its heartfelt gratitude to the staff, parents and all those who worked tirelessly behind the scenes to bring this vision to life. Above all, we celebrate our wonderful children, the true stars of the evening, whose innocence, talent and joyful spirit illuminated the stage and left a lasting impression on every heart. The evening concluded with smiles and lasting memories.

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Where Arts and Sciences Speak Together...

The Art and Science Exhibition, 'MindSpark '25', was held on October 28, 2025, in the school premises. The event was graced by Dr. Srinivas R. Kadaba, the Head of the Data and AI Platform at the Central Brain Research, as the Chief Guest and Fr. Aji Cherian, the Spiritual Director at Suvidya College, as the Guest of Honour. The programme was presided over by Fr. Johnson, the Principal. The exhibition featured a wide array of innovative static and working models presented by the departments of English, Hindi, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, IT, Robotics and Arts. Each class contributed two group exhibits, reflecting creativity, collaboration and conceptual understanding. Special thematic setups such as Hospital, Bank, Festivals, Life of Pi and The Evolution of Life added variety and depth to the displays. The event served as an enriching platform for students to integrate art and science, showcasing their knowledge, imagination and teamwork in a meaningful way.



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Kannada Rajyotsava was celebrated with great spirit and enthusiasm on November 1, 2025. The celebration began with a warm welcome to the Chief Guest, Smt. Amrutheshwari M. Kattimani and Principal, Fr. Johnson. The Chief Guest hoisted the Karnataka State flag, followed by the rendition of the state anthem. The address to the gathering highlighted the significance of Kannada Rajyotsava, adding depth and meaning to the occasion.

The programme showcased the rich culture, language and heritage of Karnataka. Students presented a vibrant array of performances, including songs, dances and character portrayals depicting the lives and achievements of eminent personalities from the state.

Teachers and students together emphasised the importance of preserving and promoting the Kannada language. The event concluded with the national anthem, as joy and pride lit up every face, reflecting the true spirit of Kannada Rajyotsava.

HOD's Message

A Year of Learning and Becoming...

"The highest education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence." — Rabindranath Tagore

This year has been far more than a journey of academic achievement, it has been a meaningful phase of growth, discovery and transformation for our students. It has been my absolute privilege to witness their "becoming."

It is one thing to teach a child to read; it is quite another to watch a child discover his/her own voice. As we draw the curtains on this academic year, I am struck by how much "becoming" has taken place beyond the pages of textbooks and behind classroom desks.

We often find ourselves preoccupied with percentages, yet the true progress of a batch lies in the unwritten curriculum, the growth of the heart and the strengthening of the spirit.

School programmes such as exhibitions, debates and cultural events play a vital role in nurturing this holistic development.

Our school exhibition, MindSpark, stood as perhaps the most vivid testament to our students' journey of "becoming." I watched with immense pride as students, some of whom could barely whisper in class in June, stood confidently by their stalls, articulating complex literary themes and social issues. When a light failed or a model malfunctioned, they did not panic; instead, they collaborated, improvised and found solutions. In those moments, they demonstrated true emotional resilience.

Socially, they have built stronger bonds with peers and teachers, fostering a deep sense of belonging and mutual respect.

Creativity has flourished through art, writing, performances and innovative projects. By participating in and winning various inter-school competitions, students have explored their talents and discovered confidence in their abilities.

As we reflect on this year, it is clear that our students have not only learned, but they have also become. They have taken meaningful steps toward becoming thoughtful learners, responsible individuals and confident contributors to the world around them.

For these are the qualities that define a truly meaningful education.



Deepthi Sali, Dept. of English



Inter-School Sports Meet...

The Desalite Cup '25, the Interschool Football and Basketball Meet, was held at SFS Academy on November 4, 2025, bringing together teams from various schools who showcased energy, coordination and sportsmanship.

In Basketball (Boys, Grade VIII and below), DPS East emerged champions, followed by Amaatra Academy and Samhita Academy.

In Basketball (Boys, Grade X and below), Christ Academy lifted the trophy, with Samhita Academy and Sri Aurobindo Memorial School as runners-up.

In Basketball (Girls, Grade VIII and below), DPS East secured first place, while Hill Rock NPS and St. Francis, Koramangala took the runners-up positions.

In Football (Boys, Grade VIII and below), SFS Academy won the title, followed by SFS Public School and Samhita Academy.

In Football (Boys, Grade X and below), St. Joseph's Matriculation Higher Secondary School claimed the top spot, with Samhita Academy and GHS Bommasandra as runners-up.

In Football (Girls, Grade X and below), Advait International School triumphed, while St. Xavier's School and SFS Academy secured the next positions.

The meet concluded with a colourful closing ceremony, where Rev. Fr. Binoy and Rev. Fr. Majish presented trophies, medals and cash prizes. The event truly celebrated the spirit of teamwork and healthy competition.

Nurture Little Hearts, Shape Bright Future...



The Children's Day celebration at SFS Academy was conducted with great enthusiasm and joy. The programme began with an introduction, during which the guests were led to the venue by the marching band under the guidance of Tr. Sampath. This was followed by a graceful prayer dance that set a serene tone for the event.

A warm welcome speech and the ceremonial lighting of the lamp created an atmosphere of positivity. The Chief Guest, Rev. Fr. Paul Sagayam, addressed the gathering with an inspiring message, after which the cake-cutting ceremony by the Student Council added a cheerful touch to the celebration.

The kindergarten teachers presented a delightful programme that entertained the audience, followed by a melodious group song and an energetic dance performance by the talented teachers. The Principal shared an uplifting message and later captivated everyone with a beautiful musical concert. He, along with the Chief Guest, then extended their wishes to the Student Council and Cabinet Leaders. The skit and fashion show presented by the teachers showcased their creativity, confidence and dedication. The event concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks and the national anthem, marking a memorable and meaningful Children's Day celebration at SFS Academy.



Play Hard, Dream Big...

SFS Academy hosted its Annual Sports Meet, ESPERANTO '25, over two energetic and action-packed days, reflecting the spirit of its motto: 'Play Hard, Dream Big'. The meet brought together dignitaries, staff and students, in a vibrant celebration of athletic skill and sportsmanship.

The meet commenced on November 27, 2025, with a grand opening ceremony. The programme began with a prayer dance and a warm welcome address. The ceremonial flag hoisting was led by the Chief Guest, Mr. P. N. Prakash, an Arjuna Awardee and Olympian, known for representing India in the 10m Air Pistol and 50m Pistol events.

The school anthem was followed by the lighting of the sports torch by the Chief Guest, representing courage and determination. A disciplined march past by the four houses, led by the student council, added splendour to the ceremony. Students then took the Oath of Sportsmanship, pledging fair play and integrity. In his message, Mr. Prakash officially declared ESPERANTO '25 open.

A special recognition ceremony honoured Ms. Aarna Bhati, who secured the Best Administrator Award at the Young Indians Parliament 2025. The inaugural programme concluded with a vibrant dance performance, a vote of thanks and the national anthem. Sports events began immediately after, marking a thrilling day of inter-house competitions.

The meet formally concluded on November 28, 2025, with the closing ceremony. After the athletes assembled, a welcome address effectively set the tone for the day. The prize distribution ceremony was presided over by the Chief Guest, Rev. Fr. A. Nayaga Seelan, the Administrator of Suvidya College, who felicitated the achievers for their outstanding performances. The overall house results were then announced. Nifty Knights (Green House) emerged as the overall champions, while Invincible Samurais (Blue House) were declared runners-up. The event concluded with the formal flag retreat, the Chief Guest's declaration of closure, the final vote of thanks and the national anthem. In his closing remarks, Fr. Johnson praised the dedication, teamwork and enthusiasm of all participants, staff and organisers, marking ESPERANTO '25 a memorable success.



A LEADER WE CHERISH..

The Principal's birthday celebration began with a solemn procession, escorting the Chief Guest, Dr. Santhosh Kumar, the Director of De Sales Music and Language Academy and the Guest of Honour, Rev. Fr. Joshy Philip, the Manager of SFS Group of Institutions, along with the birthday celebrant, Fr. Johnson, to the venue. The programme opened with a soulful prayer song, followed by a warm and heartfelt welcome address. A key highlight of the event was the cake-cutting ceremony, where Fr. Johnson cut the birthday cake amidst cheerful singing and enthusiastic applause. The celebration continued with inspiring messages from Dr. Santhosh and Fr. Joshy, who shared cherished memories and conveyed their admiration for Fr. Johnson. Adding to the significance of the occasion, Dr. Santhosh offered a touching saxophone performance, creating a serene and heartfelt ambience. A vibrant dance performance by the students further enlivened the celebration, expressing their love and appreciation through their talent. As the event drew to a close, Fr. Johnson delivered a moving speech, expressing gratitude to the guests for their meaningful words and to everyone who contributed to making the celebration special. The programme concluded with a sincere vote of thanks, acknowledging the efforts of all who helped make the event memorable. Overall, the Principal's birthday celebration was a joyful, dignified and heart-warming occasion that beautifully reflected the unity, respect and affection within the SFS Academy family.



Unwrap the Joy of Giving...

The Christmas Celebration '25 was organised with great joy and reverence, following the theme 'Unwrap the Joy of Giving'. The programme began with an introduction, followed by a prayer dance that invoked God's blessings and set a divine tone for the celebration.

A welcome speech was delivered to greet the dignitaries and the gathering. The lighting of the lamp marked the formal inauguration of the programme, symbolising hope and positivity. The nativity enactment beautifully portrayed the birth of Jesus Christ and conveyed the message of love, humility and sharing.



The Chief Guest, Rev. Fr. Shibu Jacob, the Vice Principal of SFS College, addressed the gathering and inspired the students with his meaningful message on compassion and generosity. The Guest of Honour, Rev. Fr. Riju, the Parish Priest of Our Lady of Sorrows Church, graced the occasion and encouraged the students to live by the true values of Christmas.

The celebration continued with prize distribution for the Christmas Competition '25, a colourful group dance, cake cutting and melodious Christmas carols. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks and the national anthem, leaving everyone with joyful memories and the true spirit of Christmas.

From Stress to Strength, Guiding Students Forward...



A stress management workshop was conducted for the students of Grade X to help them understand and cope with academic and personal pressures. The workshop was led by Miss. Shreyasi Agarwal, a Counselling Psychologist from Inspiron.

The workshop focused on identifying sources of stress, understanding its overall impact on mental and physical well-being and learning practical effective coping strategies.

Students were introduced to practical techniques such as deep breathing, mindfulness and time management to handle stress in a healthy manner. The workshop was interactive and engaging, with students actively participating in discussions and activities. It provided them with valuable insights and tools to maintain emotional balance and enhance their overall well-being.

150 Years of Vande Mataram...

SFS Academy celebrated Republic Day on January 26, 2026. The programme began with the unfurling of the national flag by the Principal, Fr. Johnson, followed by the proud rendition of the national anthem by the gathering. The Principal then addressed the students and staff, inspiring them with words on patriotism and urging them to become responsible citizens and contribute positively to the progress and unity of the nation.



Endless Beginning...

SFS Academy organised a heartfelt farewell function to bid adieu to the outgoing Grade X students. The programme commenced with a graceful procession of the Grade X students, clad in graduation robes, symbolising the completion of an important milestone in their academic journey. This was followed by a serene prayer dance that set a calm and spiritual tone for the event.

The Chief Guest for the day was Rev. Dr. Philip Thomas Kizhakumpurath and the Guest of Honour was Rev. Fr. Joshy Philip. The programme continued with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the dignitaries along with the Grade X representatives, followed by

the soulful rendition of the school anthem. Students of Grade IX expressed their admiration and gratitude towards their seniors through heartfelt speeches, melodious songs and a vibrant group dance performance. A meaningful oath-taking ceremony served as a reminder to the outgoing students of the values, responsibilities and integrity they carry forward as ambassadors of SFS Academy. The Chief Guest, Rev. Dr. Philip and teachers inspired the students with words of wisdom, encouragement and guidance for their future endeavours. The distribution of mementoes, speeches by the Grade X students and a nostalgic video montage added emotional depth, evoking fond memories of their school life. The programme concluded with a sincere vote of thanks followed by the National Anthem, leaving behind cherished memories and heartfelt wishes for the bright and successful future of the outgoing batch.



Wellness Today for a Better Tomorrow...



A medical camp was organised for students of Grades I to VII in collaboration with a team of medical experts from Vimalalaya Hospital, Huskur Gate. Conducted as part of school's annual health initiative, the camp aimed to monitor students' health and promote awareness of hygiene and overall well-being. During the camp, students underwent general health examinations and basic screenings to assess their physical development and detect potential health issues at an early stage. The medical team also guided students on maintaining good hygiene, adopting healthy eating habits and leading an active lifestyle.

Kinder Joys



Celebrating Karnataka, One Smile at a Time...

The kindergarten students joyfully celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava on October 31, 2025. Dressed in vibrant shades of yellow and red, the young learners showcased their love and pride for Karnataka through a creative cultural activity. As part of the celebration, the students participated in Photo-Jam, a colourful collage presentation thoughtfully divided into three themes, Traditional Food, Famous Personalities and Historical Places.

The collage beautifully reflected the students' creativity, enthusiasm and teamwork while deepening their appreciation for Karnataka's cultural richness. It was indeed a colourful tribute to the state's unity, pride and heritage.

Igniting Young Minds...



Kindergarten hosted its Cultural and Literary Fest, AGNITO '25, on December 5 and 6, 2025. The two-day celebration commenced with a grand opening ceremony attended by the Chief Guest, Ms. Linda Jose, a Hindustani classical vocalist and the Guest of Honour, Rev. Fr. Riju. The Chief Guest inspired the audience with encouraging words and captivated everyone with a melodious song. A variety of competitions, dance, singing, storytelling, action song, elocution and creative attire added vibrancy and excitement to the event, making the fest dynamic, engaging and memorable for all participants. The celebration concluded with a colourful closing ceremony graced by the Chief Guest, Sr. Grace, the Kindergarten Coordinator of Carlo Cavina School and Guest of Honour, Rev. Fr. Majish. Legendary Spartans (Red House) emerged as the overall champions, while Invincible Samurais (Blue House) were declared runners-up. The Chief Guest felicitated the winners and officially declared the competitions closed. Agnito '25 truly reflected the kindergarten's commitment to holistic education by beautifully blending cultural richness with literary growth. The fest was a resounding success, leaving lasting memories for children, parents and educators alike.

Discovering Dignity in Every Duty...



The Helping Crew activity was conducted on February 19, 2026. The students arrived in wonderful costumes, proudly representing various community helpers and sharing insightful details about how these everyday heroes serve our society. The activity took place during the regular assembly time, where the teachers surprised the students by dressing up as a plumber, postman, doctor, nurse, carpenter, fashion designer, army officer, milkman, lab technician, chef, farmer, lawyer, air hostess, painter, florist, vegetable vendor and teacher. This hands-on experience was a fantastic way for our young learners to understand the importance of every profession and to develop a deep sense of gratitude for the people who help us every day. The event concluded with a cheerful round of applause as the students enthusiastically identified each teacher's character, making the learning process both interactive and memorable. Our young learners understood that every helping hand, no matter how big or small, plays a vital role in our community.



One Step Braver...

UKG Pass-Out Day, A Little Leap '26, was held on March 6, 2026, bringing joy and pride to the entire campus. The kindergarten teachers and little ones came together to celebrate this meaningful milestone, sharing laughter, heartfelt words and unforgettable moments.

The Chief Guest, Rev. Fr. Vijin Kottoor, addressed the gathering with inspiring and thoughtful words. He beautifully emphasized the importance of nurturing a child's emotional well-being alongside academic growth.

The little UKG Desalites, dressed in bright caps and gowns, walked onto the stage with confident smiles, filling the atmosphere with excitement and pride. The day marked the completion of their first learning journey and the beginning of a new chapter ahead. Teachers watched with pride as the children reflected the growth they had achieved academically, socially and emotionally. It was a heartwarming celebration of learning, friendship and achievement, making the day truly special for everyone present.

Play Free, Dream Limitless...



The much-awaited SPRINTO '26 was held on February 12, 2026. The sports meet commenced with a warm welcome of the Chief Guest, Miss. Bhoomika Srinivas, a State Volleyball Champion. The opening ceremony was a spectacular sight as the torchbearers mesmerised the audience and the Chief Guest with their spirited performance. Miss. Bhoomika officially declared the meet open and motivated the students to participate with enthusiasm and sportsmanship. The track events began soon after, featuring a variety of competitions such as running races, ball balancing on the cone, hurdle race, obstacle race, scoop ball and ball passing through soccer cones. The participants displayed remarkable energy, determination and team spirit throughout the events.

The prize distribution for the track events was conducted simultaneously during the day. The final closing ceremony was held on February 13, 2026. Sr. Puspha graced the occasion as the Chief Guest for the prize distribution.

The Ambitious Avengers deservingly clinched the overall championship title, while the Invincible Samurais secured the runner-up position. Sr. Puspha delivered an inspiring speech emphasising the importance of sports in students' lives and encouraged everyone to actively participate in physical activities.

Field Trips, Picnics and Excursions...



VISVESVARAYA INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL MUSEUM
OCTOBER 30, 2025
VI

NETTUR TECHNICAL TRAINING FOUNDATION
NOVEMBER 26, 2025
X



ST. JOHN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL
DECEMBER 11, 2025
IX

VISVESVARAYA INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL MUSEUM
DECEMBER 17, 2025
VIII





GRS FANTASY PARK
JANUARY 9, 2026
IV & V

WONDERLA AMUSEMENT PARK
FEBRUARY 5, 2026
VI & VII



FUN WORLD & WATER KINGDOM
FEBRUARY 20, 2026
LKG & UKG

AQUARIUM PARADISE, FUN WORLD & WATER KINGDOM
FEBRUARY 28, 2026
I, II & III



OOTY
MARCH 9 - 11, 2026
VIII AND IX



WONDERLA AMUSEMENT PARK
MARCH 18, 2026
X

BANDIPUR
JANUARY 24 - 26, 2026
STAFF



Give a 'Hear - Hear' Football



Grade 7 & 8 (U14) Boys Football Team secured the winner's position at the prestigious MANAA Sports Academy Interschool Football Tournament on October 14, 2025.

The participants were:

Top Row (L to R): Aashish R (VIII A), Thejas R (VIII D), Sam Prithesh (VIII C), Aryan V (VIII A), Mathew Thomas (VIII E) and Nevin Paul Mathew (VIII E)

Bottom Row (L to R): S Nevin Aurick (VII C), Rithik Binesh (VII C) D Sushant (VIII D) and Sanjay Sreeraj (VIII B)



Nevin Aurick of Grade VII C was awarded the Most Valuable Player at the Grand FC Madras Super Cup 2025 held in Chennai.

Sam Prithesh of Grade VIII C (Right) has been selected to represent India at the Asian Football 7s League in Thailand, organized by Yuva Games.

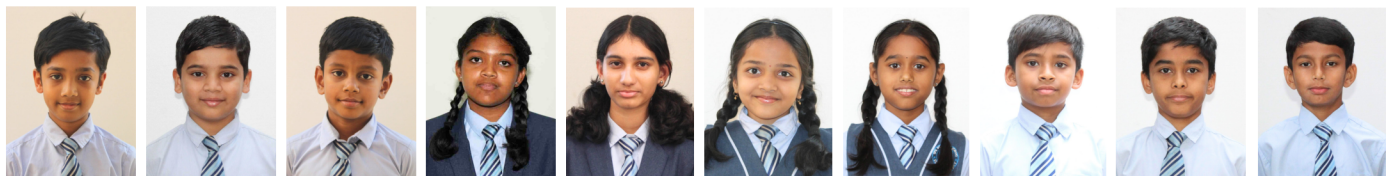


Taekwon-Do



Our students participated in the 20th South West Zone Taekwon-Do (ITF) Championship 2025, held in Chennai, Tamil Nadu, from August 29 to 31, 2025.

Aditi Manoj (IX B) won the gold medal in Individual Sparring Female (Under 15 years and 61-65 kg weight Category), Fabian Gilfred (VII C) won the gold medal in Individual Sparring Male (Under 13 years and above 61 kg weight Category) and Phoeian Anto Gilfred (IX B) had participated.



Competing with great determination and sportsmanship, our young champions won Gold, Silver and Bronze medals across various age and weight categories in individual sparring events at the 24th State Level Taekwon-Do (ITF) Games, held from January 22 to 24, 2026 at Koramangala Indoor Stadium, Bengaluru.

Gold Medal:

- Chirayu G R (III C) - Individual Sparring (Male, Under 9 years, Under 30 kg)

Silver Medals:

- Syed Mohammad Zubair (II D) - Individual Sparring (Male, Under 9 years, Under 40 kg)
- S. Rizvi (III B) - Individual Sparring (Male, Under 9 years, Under 25 kg)

Bronze Medals:

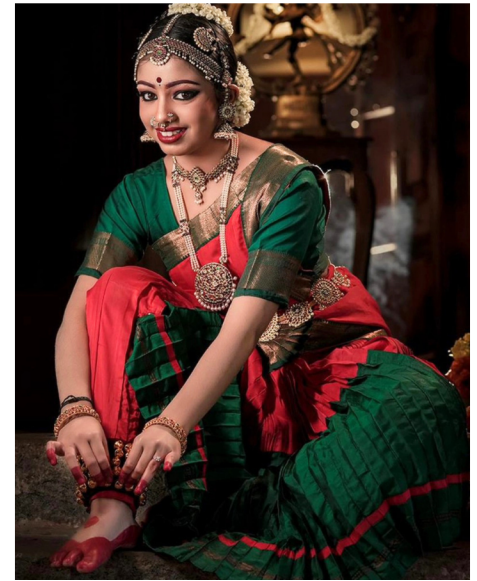
- Aditi Manoj (IX B) - Individual Sparring (Female, Under 15 years, Under 65 kg)
- Anvika Janesh (VIII C) - Individual Sparring (Female, Under 14 years, Under 45 kg)
- Mudasani Sri Varali Reddy (III C) - Individual Sparring (Female, Under 9 years, Under 30 kg)
- Ann Mary A (II B) - Individual Sparring (Female, Under 9 years, Under 25 kg)
- Advik Ranjan (II A) - Individual Sparring (Male, Under 9 years, Under 25 kg)
- Pranav S (IV D) - Individual Sparring (Male, Under 11 years, Under 30 kg)
- Manthan Saxena (IV A) - Individual Sparring (Male, Under 10 years, Under 25 kg)

*Students are presented in the same order as listed above.

Music and Arts

Sara Sooraj of Grade VIII A has been awarded the Highest Achiever Award in the Rockschool of London (RSL) Western Vocal Examination. She received this prestigious honor at an official RSL event held in Kochi.

Adding to this proud achievement, Sara also delivered a wonderful vocal performance at the ceremony, showcasing her exceptional talent, dedication and passion for music.



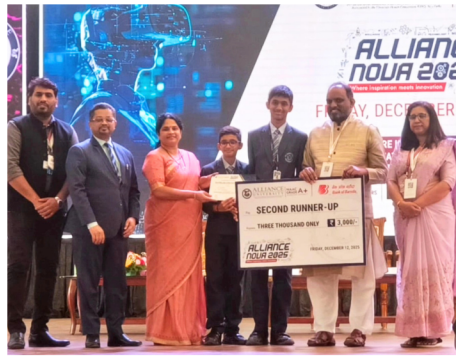
As part of the 10th Anniversary Celebration of SNDP Union, Electronics City, Rishika Sumesh of Grade IX B performed Bharatanatyam and Mohiniyattam on November 2, 2025, at Ayyappa Temple, Huskur Gate, Electronics City.



SFS Academy emerged as the Overall Champion at Fusion Fiesta 2K25, competing against 18 schools at Surana Vidyalaya PU College, Chandapura. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation and the students showcased exceptional talent across various categories.

- Fusion Dance – 1st place [Adyasha Samantaray (IX C), Ishita Chatterjee (IX D), K. Moumitha Varuni (IX A), Swara Sunil Pawar (IX A), S. Neha (IX B), Sanchia G (IX A), Anna Alphonsa P. N. (IX B), Thishya Ram K. R. (IX B), Rishika S (IX B), S. Madhumitha (IX A), Deekshitha V (IX D), Khushi Kiran Shetty C (IX D)]
- Mad Ads (Team 2) – 1st place [Valentina Patil (IX B), Shreyas Nair (IX C), Regidi Ashvika (IX C), Ansh Ginotra (IX C), Chris Lionel Crasta (IX D)]
- Mad Ads (Team 1) – 2nd place [Swetha D U (IX A), A. Pranay (IX A), Aarush Manojkumar Dhotre (IX A), Jahnavi (IX C), Nidharshan S L (IX C)]
- Eco Art – 2nd place [B. Jethin Sai Reddy (IX D)]
- Treasure Hunt – 2nd place [V. Venpa (IX C), Anvi Chourasia (IX A)]
- Debate (Team 2) – 1st place [Spoorthi Dhanyamrutha M (IX D), Anargha M S (IX B)]
- Fashion Show - 1st place [Khushi (IX A)]
- Fashion Show - 2nd place [Dhwani Nagar (IX B)]
- Photography - 1st place [Adon Abraham Ajeesh (IX A)]
- Photography - 2nd place [Rick Lukram (IX B)]
- Quiz - 2nd place [R. Sukhin (IX A), Karthik Ishwarappa Ganamukhi (IX C)]

*Photographs are presented in the same order as the events listed above.



SFS Academy proudly showcased outstanding talent at Nova '25 Inter-School Competition, held at Alliance University, competing against over 85 schools and colleges from across the country.

The students delivered an impressive performance, securing 2nd place in Quiz (Team 1) with Prमित Sahu (VIII E) and Karthik Ishwarappa Ganamukhi (IX C) and 3rd place (Team 2) with R Sukhin (IX A) and Alden Lionel DSouza (VII B). The Fusion Dance team also brought laurels to the school by winning 3rd place. Adding to the achievement, six teams from the school participated in the Science & Robotics Showcase, presenting innovative and future-ready projects.



Civic Participation

Parliamentary Activities



Aarna Bhati (X D) and Aditya Singh (X C) participated in the Young Indians Parliament – National Level, held on November 15 and 16, 2025, at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi. The event provided a valuable platform for them to engage in discussions, enhance leadership skills and gain insight into parliamentary procedures. Aarna Bhati was honoured with the Best Administrator Award, bringing laurels to the school through outstanding performance.



The SFS Academy Band students showcased exceptional talent and discipline through their remarkable performances at two prestigious events.

In January 2026, the band proudly participated in the 77th Republic Day Celebration held at Electronics City, Bengaluru, organised by the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF). Their performance reflected strong coordination, musical excellence and a deep sense of patriotism, contributing meaningfully to the national celebration.

Continuing their success, the Marching Band delivered a spectacular performance at the CISF Raising Day Celebration at the CISF Unit, Electronic City, Infosys Campus, Bengaluru. The students impressed the audience with their precision, teamwork and dedication.

These achievements highlight the commitment and hard work of the band students, who represented the school with pride and brought great honour to the institution.

Skating



Competing against eight schools, SFS Academy secured the 2nd runner-up position at the Akhada Skating Competition at White Academy, Electronic City.

The following students brought laurels to the school:

- Deekshith Suvarna (IV D) – Silver Medal (Recreational Inline)
- Pragathi A B (IV E) – Bronze Medal (Recreational Inline)
- Abinandh A S (VII D) – Bronze Medal (Recreational Inline)



Students of Grades II to VII participated in the inter-school skating competition held at MEGA International School, Chandapura, showcasing remarkable talent and enthusiasm.

The Grade VII students delivered an outstanding performance, securing top honours in various categories. Abhinandan won Gold in Boys Toy Inline, while Maanvi Ganapati and Janani Sri secured Gold and Silver respectively, in Girls Toy Inline. Snigdha added to the success by winning Gold in the Girls Tenacity category.

With these achievements, SFS Academy was awarded the overall runner-up trophy.

Cricket

The SFS Academy U16 Cricket Team delivered a stellar performance to clinch the championship after a series of impressive matches held on November 29, 2025 and December 6, 2025, at Florence Academy.

The team began their campaign with a 10-wicket victory in the first league match, followed by a dominant 69-run win in the second league match. Maintaining their momentum, they secured a thrilling 8-run victory in the semi-final. The finals proved to be a nail-biting encounter where the team held their nerve to win by a close margin of 3 runs, emerging as champions. Outstanding individual performances marked the tournament.



Match Highlights

First League Match – Won by 10 Wickets

Top Batting:

- Chirag Dhanuka (X B) – 35 runs (15 balls)
- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B) – 9 runs (4 balls)

Top Bowling:

- Akshan Mukesh Nakade (X C) – 2 overs, 2 wickets
- Siddarth S (IX D) – 2 overs, 1 wicket

Player of the Match:

- Chirag Dhanuka (X B)

Second League Match – Won by 69 Runs

Top Batting:

- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B) – 50 runs (28 balls)
- Aarush Manojkumar Dhotre (IX A) – 32 runs (21 balls)
- R Sukhin (IX A) – 12 runs (5 balls)

Top Bowling:

- A Pranay (IX A) – 3 wickets (maiden over)
- Aarush Manojkumar Dhotre (IX A) – 2 wickets (1 over)

Player of the Match:

- Aarush Manojkumar Dhotre (IX A)

Semi-Final (Round 1) – Won by 8 Runs

Top Batting:

- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B) – 16 runs (13 balls)
- R Sukhin (IX A) – 4 runs (7 balls)
- Shreyas Amit Kanade (VIII D) – 6 runs (11 balls)

Top Bowling:

- Shane Gowda (NIOS I A) – 3 wickets (2 overs)

- A Pranay (IX A) – 2 wickets (1 over)

- Aarush Manojkumar Dhotre (IX A) – 2 wickets (2 overs)

- Siddarth S (IX D) – 1 wicket (2 overs)

Player of the Match:

- Shane Gowda (NIOS I A)

Finals – Won by 3 Runs (A Nail-Biting Finish!)

Top Batting:

- Aarush Manojkumar Dhotre (IX A) – 28 runs (27 balls)
- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B) – 11 runs (8 balls)
- R Sukhin (IX A) – 8 runs (10 balls)

Top Bowling:

- Shane Gowda (NIOS I A) – 2 wickets (2 overs)
- A Pranay (IX A) – 1 wicket (2 overs)
- Siddarth S (IX D) – 1 wicket (2 overs)

Player of the Match:

- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B)

LEADERBOARD – Tournament Standouts

Top Batting:

- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B) – 86 runs (4 matches)

Top Bowling:

- A Pranay (IX A) – 6 wickets (3 matches)

Top Fielding:

- R Sukhin (IX A) – 6 dismissals (4 matches)

Tournament MVP – Most Valuable Player:

- Akshay Hanamant Immannavar (IX B)



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