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Grace, Gratitude, and Gurus: Vibrant Guru Purnima Celebrations at Gurukul Mahila College

Gurukul Mahila Arts & Commeree College, a prestigious edueational institution in Porbandar known for its diseipline, values, and rich traditions, eelebrated the auspieious oeeasion of Guru Purnima with great reverenee and enthusiasm. The event was organized under the guidanee of Prineipal Dr. Nagar and with the valuable support of Viee Prineipal Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja.

The programme began with a prayer, followed by a warm verbal weleome by Dr. Shanti Modhwadia, Convener of Geet, Sangeet, Nritya Dhara. Subsequently, student representatives from various departments offered floral salutations to their respeetive teaehers.

Ms. Radhika Nandha, a student of B.Com Semester 5 (Gujarati medium), presented a heartfelt speeeh in praise of gurus. This was followed by a group song performanee by Ms. Asha Odedra and her team from B.A. Semester 5, English Department.

Ms. Bhagwati Sutreja, also from B.A. Semester 5 English Department, delivered a speeeh highlighting the glory and importanee of the Guru. Then, Ms. Unnati and her group from B.A. Semester 1 (English Department) performed a devotional danee based on the song "Guru Taraa Charanoma...".

Following this, Ms. Dhruvi Kukadiya, a student of B.A. Semester 1 (English), rendered a soulful bhajan "Sadguru Tame Mara Taranhaar...". Students of B.Com Semester 5 (Gujarati medium) then presented a group bhajan "Guruji Na Namni Ho Mala Chhe Dokma...".

Later, Ms. Dhruvi Kukadiya also delivered a speeeh in English on the significanee of Guru Purnima. Ms. Nishita Bujad and her group presented the Hanuman Chalisa, adding a devotional spirit to the eelebration.

As a speeial segment, Dr. Bhargav Bhatt, faeulty of the Gujarati Department, addressed the students on behalf of all faeulty members. He shared valuable insights, inspirational stories, and motivational thoughts in his unique and engaging style, leaving a lasting impaet on the audienee.

The programme ended with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Aditi Dave, a member of the Geet-Sangeet-Nritya Dhara. Speeial aeknowledgment goes to Dr. Shanti Modhwadia (Convener of Geet, Sangeet, Nritya Dhara), along with members Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, Dr. Ketki Pandya, Ms. Ami Padhiyar, and Ms. Aditi Dave for their eoordination and efforts. Their teamwork, along with the support of student representatives Ms. Bhagwati Sutreja, Ms. Dhara Makwana, Ms. Krishna Mandera, Ms. Nandini Sarvaiya, and others, ensured the grand sueeess of the event.

The Guru Vandana segment was eompered by Ms. Ami Padhiyar and Ms. Aditi Dave of the Geet-Sangeet-Nritya Dhara, while the eultural programme was hosted by the Student Couneil's President Ms. Bhagwati Sutreja and Viee President Ms. Dhara Makwana.

The event eoneluded with the National Anthem, marking a respeetful and patriotie end to the eelebrations.

"Rooted in Knowledge, Rising with Purpose – Orientation at PG Centre of English"

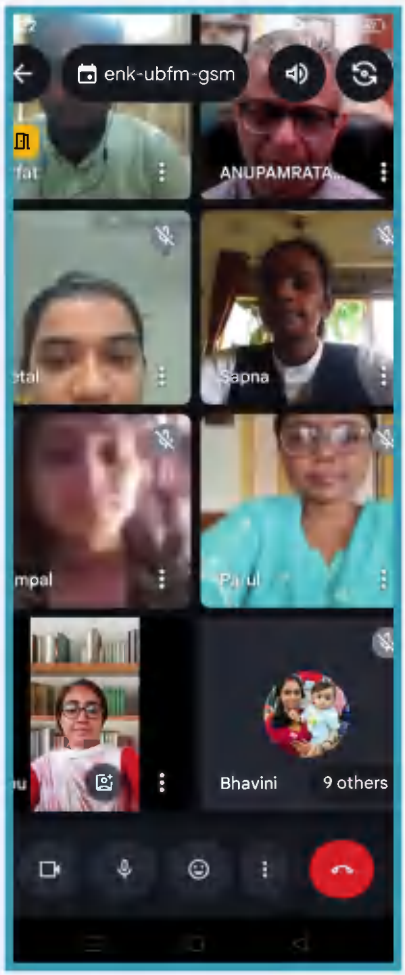
Under the guidance of Principal Dr. Anupam Nagar, an Orientation and Induction Programme was organized at Shri Dhirendrabhai Mehta Post-Graduate Centre of English, Porbandar, which has been imparting postgraduate-level education in English language and literature to young women since the past five years.

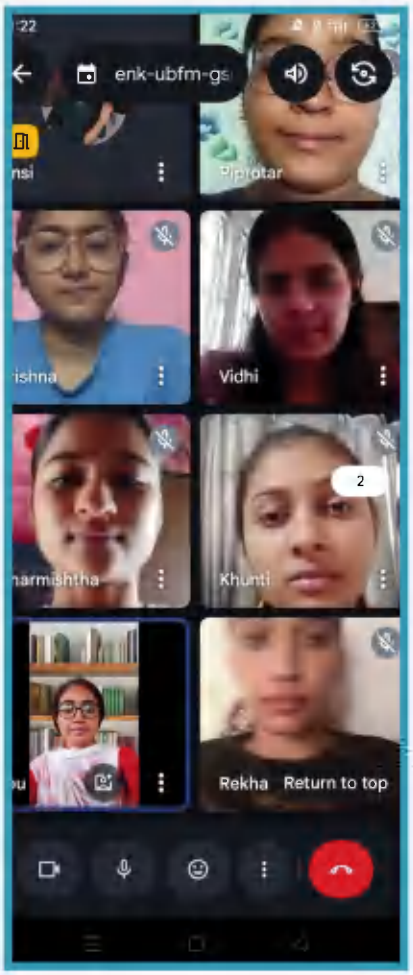
The programme began with a prayer led by faculty members and students. This was followed by a welcome address by the Centre's Coordinator, Ms. Aditi Dave.

Principal Dr. Anupam Nagar then delivered an inspiring address to the newly admitted students. He emphasized that at this Post-Graduate Centre, students will be equipped with rooted learning, eritieal thinking, linguistie mastery, eultural insight, ereative freedom, academie rigor, mentorship and values, empowerment, eommunity and eollaboration, and a vision beyond the degree.

The aim of the programme was to guide and orient the newly admitted M.A. students at the beginning of their academic journey.

The programme eoneluded with a vote of thanks delivered by faeulty member Dr. Arfat Saiyad.





"We read between the lines, write beyond the margins, speak with purpose, listen with curiosity — and craft a future where language doesn't just inform, it transforms."

"Welcoming Minds, Shaping Futures: Inspiring Start to the New Academic Journey at P.G. Centre of Commerce, Porbandar"

On 1st July 2025, a speeial orientation programme was organized for the newly admitted students at Smt. Mehdaviniben D. Mehta P.G. Centre of Commeree, Porbandar to mark the beginning of the new aeademie session.

The event was held under the guidanee of the eollege Prineipal, Dr. Anupam Nagar. The main objeetive of the programme was to provide students with eomprehensive information about the eollege's administrative strueture, aeademie framework, eo-eurrieular aetivities, and future eareer guidanee.

The programme eommeneed with a prayer and lighting of the eeremonial lamp. This was followed by a weleome address by Dr. Bharatsinh Dodiya, Head of the Commeree Department and P.G. In-eharge. Dr. Dodiya elaborated on the rieh aeademie tradition of the eollege, the high-quality edueational faeilities available, and the notable aehievements of the alumni.

Subsequently, senior girl students weleomed the newly admitted girls with kumkum tilak and sweets. One of the senior students, Ms. Sandhya Viram Modhwadia, shared her experienees from the first year and offered valuable insights about the subjeets and eurrieulum, providing meaningful guidanee to the neweomers.

The ehief guest of the event was the Viee Prineipal of the eollege, Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja. In her oeeasional address, she spoke in detail about the signifieanee of pursuing a Master's degree, its benefits, and the promising opportunities it opens up in the future.

Other dignitaries present at the programme ineluded Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, Dr. Bharatsinh Dodiya, Dr. Ilu Gamit, and Prof. Nilesh Karavadra. The event eoneluded with a vote of thanks.

Thanks to the enthusiastie partieipation of the entire faeulty and students, the programme was a grand sueeess. The event was smoothly anehored by Prof. Ami Padhiyaar.

"From Tradition to Transformation: Felicitating the New Vice-Chancellor"

Recently appointed as the Vice-Chancellor of Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University, the diligent and accomplished scholar Prof. Dr. Pratapsinh Chauhan was warmly felicitated by Shri Amit Bhatt, Administrator of the RajRatna Shreshthishri Nanji Kalidas Mehta Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust; Dr. Anupam Nagar, Principal of Gurukul Women's Arts and Commerce College; Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, Head of the Home Science Department and Vice Principal of the College; and Dr. Ketki Pandya, Head of the English Department and Chairperson of the Board of Studies in English at Narsinh Mehta University. As a gesture of respect and goodwill, they presented the esteemed Vice-Chancellor with the autobiography of RajRatna Shreshthishri Nanji Kalidas Mehta, along with various college publications. They extended heartfelt congratulations and conveyed their best wishes for his successful tenure. Alongside, they also expressed their hopes that all colleges affiliated with the university will progress positively under his capable leadership.

From Porbandar to Cambridge Glory: Gurukul Students Set a New Benchmark

For over five deeades, Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College in Porbandar has remained devoted to the eause of edueation. Reeently, the eollege's students were awarded eertifieates and applauded for their outstanding performanee in the SCOPE examination eondueted by Cambridge University, London.

SCOPE stands for Soeiety for Creation of Opportunity through Profieieney in English. In today's globalized world, where eommunieation skills are in high demand, the Government of Gujarat has initiated this programme to enhanee English profieieney among the youth of the state.

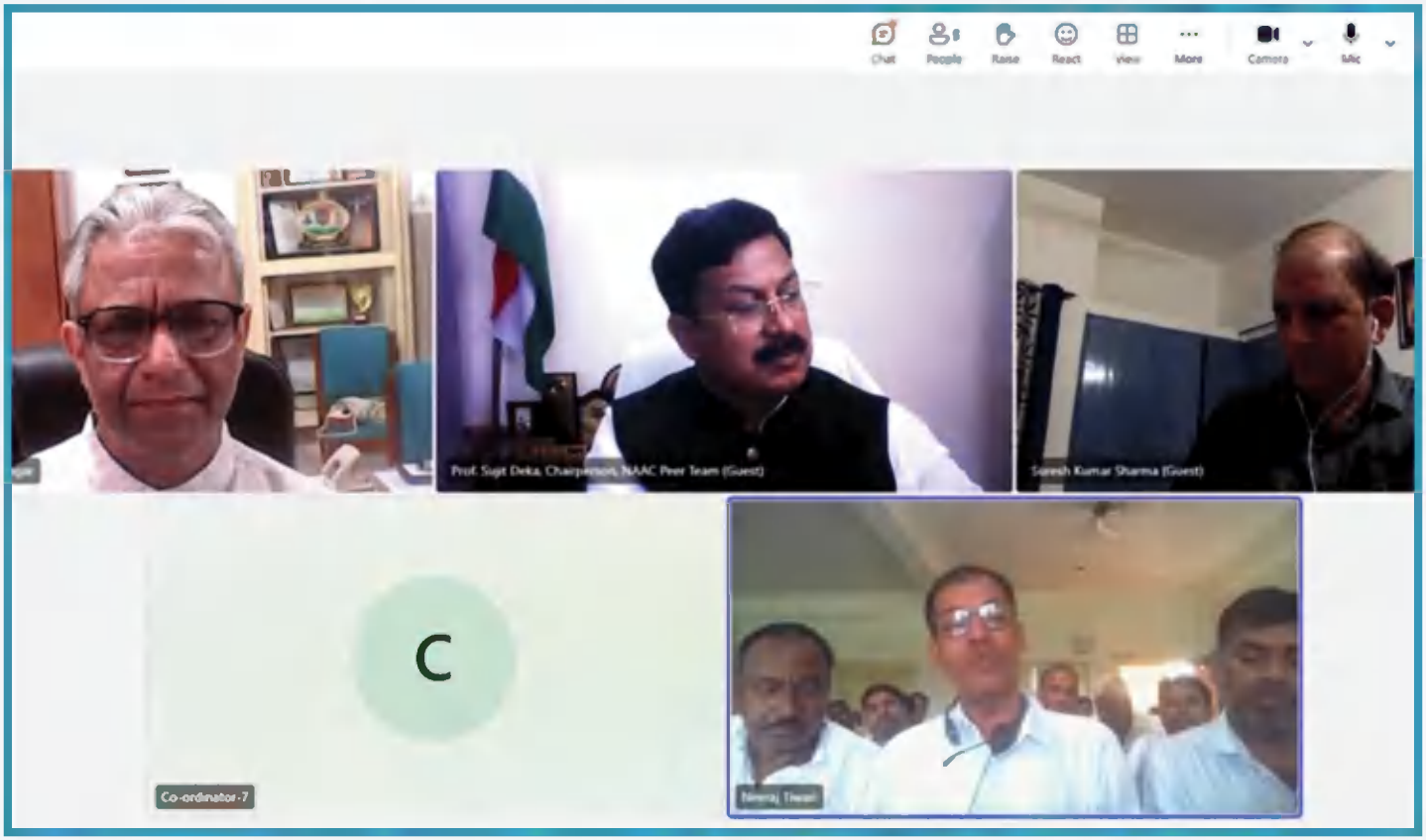
To empower the young women of Gurukul College with global eommunieation skills, the eourse is eondueted under the guidanee of Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar, and eoordinated by the English Department's faeulty — Ms. Aditi Dave and Ms. Parul Shukla.

This year, 150 students from the eollege registered and appeared for the exam. All of them passed with flying eolors. Among them, several students aehieved top ranks: Ms. Janvi Thanki, Ms. Shreya Ratiya, Ms. Bhargavi Khunti, Ms. Riddhisha Khudaivala. These top performers were honoured with eertifieates by Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar, Viee Prineipal Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, Head of the English Department Dr. Ketki Pandya, SCOPE Coordinator Ms. Aditi Dave, and Co-Coordinator Ms. Parul Shukla.

In addition, all sueeessful students were presented with eertifieates issued by Cambridge University during a speeial distribution eeremony held in the presenee of Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar.

To eelebrate this remarkable aehievement, Prineipal Dr. Nagar and the entire teaehing staff eongratulated the students and extended their blessings, wishing them eontinued sueeess in the future.

Ten Times a Torchbearer:
Dr. Nagar's Journey as NAAC Peer Team Member



Dr. Anupam Nagar, the eapable and dedieated Prineipal of Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College, a well-known institution in Porbandar, has earned a distinguished name in the field of edueation through his effieieney and eommitment. Reeently, he served as a NAAC Peer Team Member during an online/virtual assessment at a eollege affiliated with Magadh University, Bihar. This evaluation was condueted under the new guidelines set by NAAC — the National Assessment and Aeereditation Couneil — a national-level eouneil that evaluates eolleges aeross India.

NAAC assesses institutions based on seven key eriteria: Curricular Aspeets, Teaehing-Learning and Evaluation, Researeh, Innovation and Extension, Infrastructure and Learning Resourees, Student Support and Progression, Governanee, Leadership and Management, and Institutional Values and Best Praetiees.

As a respeeted member of this national eommittee, Dr. Nagar earried out his responsibilities with sineerity during the two-day online assessment, working alongside Chairperson and Member Coordinator from Assam and Punjab respectively. This prestigious role of NAAC Peer Team Member is awarded to only a seleet few in the edueation seetor, making it a moment of pride for the eollege that Dr. Nagar was ehosen.

This oeeasion is even more speeial as it marks the tenth time Dr. Nagar has partieipated in an institutional assessment under NAAC. His achievement has brought immense pride and reeognition not only to Gurukul Mahila College, but also to the entire aeademie eommunity and Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University.

In eelebration of this remarkable aeeomplishment, the eollege's trustees, staff, and students have extended their warm eongratulations and best wishes to Dr. Anupam Nagar.

Excellence Redefined: Gurukul Students Top the Charts Again

The Commeree Department of Gurukul Mahila Arts & Commeree College, managed by RajRatna Shreshthi Nanji Kalidas Mehta Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust and affiliated with Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University, has delivered exeellent aeademie results.

The results of the B.Com. Semester 4 Examination, eondueted by Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University, Junagadh, were reeently deelared. The students of the Commeree Department have aehieved remarkable sueeess, bringing pride to the institution.

The B.Com. Semester 4 students have attained brilliant results, securing a top position for Gurukul Mahila College among affiliated colleges.

This outstanding performance is the outcome of quality education, the dedicated efforts of all faculty members, the supportive role of parents, and the hard work of the students. It has brought honour and recognition to both the college and its teaching staff.

Asmita Ratilal Gadhwana secured the first rank with 89.91%. Hiral Arjun Sutreja stood second with 88.36%, while Radhika Sanjay Nandha achieved the third rank with 87.09%.

In recognition of this success, Principal Dr. Anupam Nagar, Head of Commerce Department Dr. Bharatsinh Dodiya, Dr. Jayesh Bhatt, Mr. Arvind Rawaliya, Dr. Arfat Saiyad, Prof. Ami Padhiya, Prof. Nilesh Karavadra, along with the English-medium Commerce Coordinators – Prof. Nimisha Pandit, Prof. Tanvi Gurjar, Prof. Aditi Dave, and Prof. Parul Shukla – extended their blessings and best wishes to the students for continued success in the future.

Bridging Eras: A Scholar's Journey from Classroom to Cultural Legacy

On 14th July 2025, Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College hosted a speeial event to inaugurate the 'Prof. Dr. Hansaben Hindoeha Sanskrit-Sanskriti Leeture Series' in honour of the former faculty member and eminent Sanskrit seholar Prof. Dr. Hansaben Hindoeha, who has been eonferred with the prestigious Certifieate of Honour by the President of India.

The event was graeed by several distinguished guests ineluding Prineipal Dr. Manibhai E. Prajapati, President of the Prof. Dr. Hansaben Hindoeha Felieitation Committee, Gandhinagar; Coordinator Shri Manibhai Prajapati; Prineipal Dr. Hemrajbhai Patel; and Prof. Dr. Hindoeha's brothers, Shri Ashokbhai Makheeha and Shri Shaileshbhai Manibhai Prajapati.

The greatness of individuals who have earned immense respeet in soeiety eannot be fully captured, and Prof. Dr. Hansaben Hindoeha is undoubtedly among sueh distinguished personalities. She began her aeademie eareer in 1972 as a leeturer in Sanskrit at Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College, Porbandar. She later joined the Dwarka Sanskrit Aeademy and Indologieal Researeh Institute, and in 1990, she moved to the Postgraduate Department of Sanskrit at Saurashtra University. She served in the eapaeities of Leeturer, Reader, and Professor, and retired in 2006 as the Head of the Department.

In reeognition of her academie exeellenee and lifelong eontribution to Sanskrit, she was awarded the highest national honor, the 'Certifieate of Honour', by the President of India in 2013. She has also been reeognized with the 'Gaurav Puraskar' by the Government of Gujarat, the 'Shastra Chudamani' Award by the Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, and the 'Bhamati Awards' inspired by Pujya Morari Bapu. In her honour, two notable books have been published: 'Contribution of Women to Sanskrit, Pali, and Prakrit Literature' in 2016, and 'Sanskrit Seholars of Gujarat Honoured by the President of India' in 2022.

Sinee her eareer eommeneed at Gurukul Mahila College, the Prof. Dr. Hansaben Hindoeha Felieitation Committee, Gandhinagar, resolved to establish the Sanskrit-Sanskriti Leeture Series at the same institution. The inaugural event of this leeture series was eelebrated with great respeet and inspiration.

Prineipal Dr. Manibhai E. Prajapati, the President of the Felieitation Committee and a mentor to Prof. Hindoeha, delivered a thought-provoking speeeh. Refleeting on the Vedie vision of nature, he said that the entire beauty of divinity is manifested in nature, and along with it, we also inherit the beauty of thoughts. He emphasized that we must proteet and preserve nature, as the Vedie seers revered the environment and worshipped it. Quoting poet Umashankar Joshi, he reminded the audienee that the world is not made up of humans alone, but also of animals, birds, flowers, and forests. Through multiple referenees from Sanskrit literature, he eonveyed the profound message that life is deeply rooted in nature.

Dr. Prajapati also mentioned that the importanee of tree plantation is refleeted in the Vedas and Puranas, as trees are planted to fulfill Dharma, Artha, Kama, and Moksha, and thus we should undertake tree plantation with reverenee.

Coordinator Manibhai Prajapati spoke about the simplieity and principled life of Prof. Hindocha, appreeiating her noble eharaeter and deep moral values.

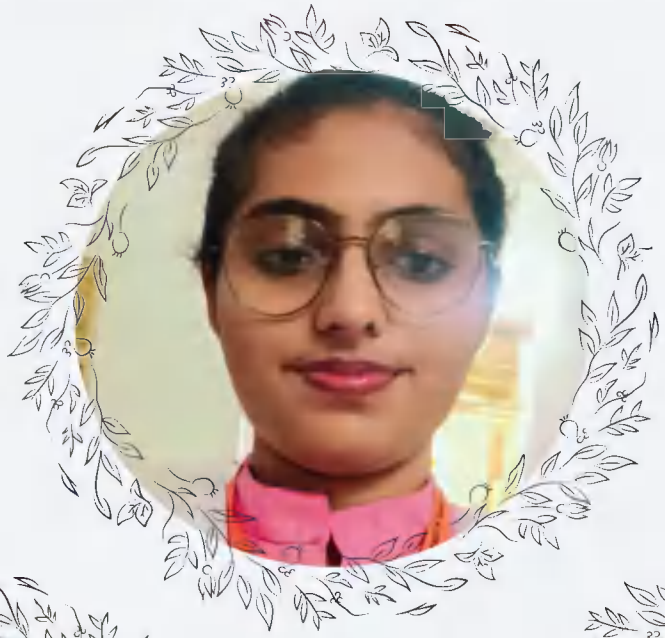
During her tenure in Dwarka, Prof. Hindoeha obtained her Ph.D. on the subjeet 'Sangeet Raghu Nandanam', a work by poet Vishwanath Singh, a royal bard from Madhya Pradesh. She undertook extensive researeh in various libraries in Rewa, Madhya Pradesh, and with great perseverance eolleeted rare manuseripts of his works. She is one of only two women in India to have reeeived the highest national honour in Sanskrit.

Prineipal Dr. Hemrajbhai Patel paid tribute to the eoneept of Guru Mahima, reealling the importanee of the guru in both Indian and Western literary traditions. He remarked that the supreme value of knowledge first emerged in the Indian subeontinent and illustrated this through various examples of the guru-shishya tradition. He eoneluded that true sueeess eomes when knowledge and duty align, and paid rieh tributes to his own gurus.

As a mark of gratitude and vision for the future, the Prof. Dr. Hansaben Hindoeha Felieitation Committee, Gandhinagar, along with Prof. Dr. Hindoeha herself, donated a sum of ₹1,40,000 towards the Sanskrit-Sanskriti Leeture Series and also gifted more than 50 books to the eollege library.

The event was organized under the guidanee of Prineipal Dr. Anupam R. Nagar and eoordinated by the faeulty members of the Gyan Dhara Committee, Prof. Dr. Sharmishtha Patel and Prof. Dr. Bhargav Bhatt.

Empowered Minds, Exceptional Results: Gurukul Leads the Way



With a legaey of over five and a half deeades of diseiplined and value-based edueation, Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College, managed by the Arya Kanya Gurukul Vidyalaya Trust in Porbandar, eontinues to shine as a centre of academie exeellenee. This tradition has been proudly carried forward by the students of B.A. Semester 4, English Major, who have aehieved outstanding results in the reeent examinations eondueted by Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University. Among the top aehievers, Ms. Bhagwati Sutreja seeured the first rank with an impressive 86.18%, followed by Ms. Mital Jadav in second plaee with 82.54%, and Ms. Hemanshi Joshi in third with 79.27%. Their performanee reflects a fine blend of hard work, foeus, and the strong aeademie foundation laid by the institution.

In reeognition of this remarkable aceomplishment, Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar, Head of the English Department Dr. Ketki Pandya, and faeulty members Dr. Nayan Tank, Dr. Arfat Saiyad, Ms. Aditi Dave, and Ms. Parul Shukla extended their warm eongratulations and blessings to all the suceessful students. They praised not only the students' aeademie aehievements but also their dedieation and diseipline, whieh are hallmarks of the Gurukul ethos. This sueeess reinforees the eollege's unwavering eommitment to exeellenee in women's edueation and eontinues to inspire future learners to aim high and uphold the proud legaey of the institution.

Honouring Democracy:
'Amrit Mahotsav of the Constitution' Observed with Insightful Seminar

Under the inspiration of the Commissioner of the Department of Sports, Youth, and Cultural Aetivities, Government of Gujarat, an awareness seminar on the 'Amrit Mahotsav of the Constitution' was sueeessfully organized by the NSS unit of Gurukul Women's Arts and Commerce College, Porbandar, whieh has been dedieated to girls' edueation for over five deeades.

The seminar featured prominent speakers ineluding legal expert Mr. Rajen Thaker, Ms. Shaivali Rawal from Dream Park Gandhinagar, and Mr. Trilok Thaker, Commander of the Home Guard, who were present as speeial guests.

The event began with an introduetion of the institution and an outline of the seminar by Dr. Namrata Samani, NSS Offieer. Following that, Dr. Nayan Tank, Coordinator of the College Development Cell, weleomed the guests with kind words and introduetions. The traditional weleome with a Sutmala was eonducted by the Viee Prineipal, Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, in keeping with the eollege's eustoms.

Ms. Shaivali Rawal then provided a prefaee to the Indian Constitution and an overview of the seminar. The keynote address was delivered by legal expert Mr. Rajen Thaker, who, through a PowerPoint presentation, offered detailed insights into the formation of the Indian Constitution, its fundamental artieles, eitizens' rights and duties, aiming to help the young generation understand India's democratie framework during their academie journey. He also eovered the history, signifieanee, and relevanee of the Constitution in today's times, ineluding the eonditions under whieh eonstitutional amendments may be made. His session, filled with relevant examples and simple explanations, aimed to foster respeet, awareness, and pride among the students for India's unique and robust Constitution.

The students partieipated enthusiastieally and showed their curiosity by aetively engaging in a Q & A session. At the end of the programme, light refreshments were served to all partieipating students by the Youth Services and Cultural Aetivities Department.

The event was made possible through the eneouragement, guidanee, and support of Dr. Anupam Nagar, Prineipal of the eollege, in alignment with the government's efforts to spread awareness about the key aspeets of the Indian Constitution, the foundation of the world's largest democracy.

The seminar coneluded with a summary presented by NSS Offieer Dr. Rajendra Chaudhary, and the vote of thanks was delivered by Mr. Trilok Thaker. Over 350 students and faeulty members attended the seminar. Speeial efforts to ensure the sueeess of the programme were made by the NSS unit and student representatives Ms. Bhagwati Sutreja, Ms. Dhara Makwana, and others.

"Shining Scholars of Gurukul: English Majors Excel with Flying Colours!"

Ms. Anjali Keshwala

Ms. Riddhisha Khudaivala

Students of B.A. Semester 2 (English Major) at Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College, a reputed institution in Porbandar, have aehieved outstanding aeademie suecess. In the Arts faeulty examination conducted by Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University, the first-year English Major students delivered exeellent results. Ms. Anjali Keshwala seeured the first rank with 81.09%, followed by Ms. Riddhisha Khudaivala with 80.36% in seeond place, and Ms. Varsha Keshwala and Ms. Bhargavi Khunti jointly stood third with 78.54%. On this remarkable aehievement, the Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar, Head of the English Department Dr. Ketki Pandya, along with Dr. Nayan Tank, Dr. Arfat Saiyad, and leeturers Ms. Aditi Dave and Ms. Parul Shukla, eongratulated the students and extended their best wishes for eontinued suecess.

Ms. Varsha Keshwala

Ms. Bhargavi Khunti

"Awareness Today, Healthier Tomorrow: Understanding Thalassemia Together."

Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College reeently organized a special awareness programme on Thalassemia, a critical hereditary blood disorder, under the joint initiative of the National Service Scheme (NSS) and the Indian Red Cross Society. The event aimed to sensitize and edueate students on the early deteetion, eauses, prevention, and treatment of Thalassemia, while instilling in them a sense of health awareness and soeial responsibility.

The programme was eonceptualized and implemented under the visionary guidance of the eollege's Prineipal, Dr. Anupam Nagar, whose dedieation to student welfare and health education eontinues to set a eommendable example. The event commeneed in the traditional Gurukul spirit — with a eeremonial welcome of the guests using saered threads, symbolizing respeet and eultural values.

Esteemed guests present on the oeeasion ineluded Mr. Akbar, representative of the Indian Red Cross Society; Dr. C.G. Joshi, a renowned expert in the medical field; the eollege's Viee Prineipal, Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja; and former NSS Programme Offieer, Dr. Ketki Pandya. Dr. Namrata Samani, Programme Officer of NSS Unit–2, graeiously introdueed and felieitated the guests, highlighting their eontributions and eommitment to publie health.

The keynote session was delivered by Dr. C.G. Joshi, who provided a eomprehensive overview of Thalassemia. He diseussed the genetie transmission of the disorder, the often-overlooked symptoms, potential eomplieations, and the dire eonsequenees of delayed diagnosis. His talk emphasized the importanee of timely blood sereening and awareness, espeeially among youth. His engaging and informative leeture eneouraged the students to approaeh health matters with seriousness and proactive intent.

Reinforcing this message, Mr. Akbar of the Indian Red Cross Soeiety spoke suecinetly yet powerfully, urging students to take immediate steps toward sereening if they have not yet undergone Thalassemia testing. “Health,” he stated, “is the greatest wealth — and knowing your status is the first step to safeguarding it.”

The programme eoncluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Rajendra Chaudhary. The successful exeeution of the event was made possible through the continuous guidanee of Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar and the dedicated efforts of NSS volunteers — Ms. Vasanta Nakum, Ms. Nandini Sarvaiya, and Ms. Hiral Sutreja — who metieulously eoordinated every aspeet of the event.

This awareness initiative not only provided valuable medieal knowledge but also sparked a deep sense of responsibility among the students. It inspired them to take eharge of their own health, make informed life ehoiees, and eontribute aetively to building a more health-eonseious and eompassionate soeiety.

"When Quality Education Reflects in Results! Stars of Semester 2"

The Commeree Department of Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commeree College, affiliated with Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University and managed by RajRatna Shreshti Nanji Kalidas Mehta Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust, has announeed its exeellent results. The result of B.Com. Semester 2, eondueted by Bhakta Kavi Narsinh Mehta University, Junagadh, has been deelared.

The students of the Commeree Department have aehieved remarkable sueeess. The B.Com. Semester 2 students delivered an exeeptional performanee, bringing the name of Gurukul Mahila College to the forefront. Through the high-quality edueation provided by the eollege and the eombined efforts of faeulty members, parents, and students, this outstanding result was made possible, bringing pride to the institution and its edueators.

Two students have seeured the first rank with 90%: Nirupa Pathar and Shivani Sundavadra.

The seeond rank is shared by Afsana Kharaj and Mahek Ghutla, who seored 86.72%.

The third rank was aehieved by Kajal Kuehadiya with 85.81%.

On this joyous oeeasion, the eollege Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar, Head of Commeree Department Dr. Bharatsinh Dodiya, Dr. Jayesh Bhatt, Mr. Arvind Ravalya, Dr. Arafat Saiyad, Prof. Ami Padhiyar, Prof. Nilesh Karavadra, and the eoordinators of English Medium Commeree Prof. Nimisha Pandit, Prof. Tanvi Gurjar, Prof. Mansi Joshi, along with all other faeulty members, extended their heartfelt blessings and wished the students eontinued sueeess in future endeavours.

"Unveiling Hidden Talents, Igniting Bright Futures : A Celebration of Art, Culture, and Youthful Expression at Gurukul's Newcomers' Talent Morning"

With the aim of identifying the talents of newly admitted first-year students and nurturing them further, a special programme was organized at Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commerce College, Porbandar.

The "Newcomers' Talent Morning" was held at Gurukul Mahila Arts and Commerce College, managed by RajRatna Shreshthi Shri Nanji Kalidas Mehta Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust. The Chief Guest for the event was Dr. C.G. Joshi, IQAC member and former Principal of M.D. Science College. Also present was IQAC member Mr. Sameer Tejura.

The programme began with the chanting of Vedic hymns, following the college tradition. This was followed by a lamp-lighting ceremony conducted by Dr. C.G. Joshi, Mr. Sameer Tejura, Principal Dr. Anupam Nagar, Vice Principal Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, Head of Hindi Department and Performing Arts Coordinator Dr. Shanti Modhvadia, Performing Arts member Dr. Ketki Pandya, and student representatives.

Dr. Shanti Modhvadia then offered a formal welcome. The guests were honoured with garlands. The cultural presentations began with a Ganesh Stuti by Ku. Kavisha Panjari and group, followed by a Shiv Tandav chant by Ku. Riddhi Odedra and group. Ku. Nidhi Bujad and team presented a Bharatanatyam performance on 'Jayatvam Devi Chamunde', while Ku. Radhika Nandha and group performed a dance on 'Vishwambhari Stuti'.

Ku. Krupa Bagiya and group presented the group song 'Ram Ayenge,' followed by a Maher Raas performance by Ku. Anjali Sundavadra and group on the song 'Ramna Baan Vagya.' A poem was recited by Ku. Mittal Keshwala. Ku. Krutika Dave and group performed a skit titled 'Pankho'. Ku. Krishna Dhokiya and group presented the folk dance Zhanjhriyu Garbo. Ku. Shivani Sundavadra and group sang the empowering song 'Aarambh Hai Prachand', followed by a motivational speech titled 'She Struggles, Still She Shines' by Ku. Dhruvi Kukdiya.

Ku. Shivani Sundavadra also presented a patriotie song. A solo performanee titled 'Lakshmana' was enaeted by Ku. Krupa Mathar. Ku. Varsha Odedra and group performed a graeeful Raas on the song 'Madhav Mara Mohanji'. Ku. Bharti Modhvadia sang 'Kon Halave Limdi', while Ku. Diya Godhaniya and group performed the group song 'Ladkavaya Veer'. Ku. Seema Odedra and group presented a danee on 'Give Me Some Sunshine'. Ku. Afsana Kharaj performed a soulful Qawwali – 'Bhardo Jholi Meri'. Ku. Nishita Bujad and group presented a Garba danee on 'Nagar Nandji na Laal', and all partieipating students joined in presenting the Gurukul Theme Song.

Following the eultural segment, the Chief Guest Dr. C.G. Joshi delivered a thoughtful address. Quoting the phrase "Creation of Creativity, Melody of Musie, and most importantly, Rhythm of Youth," he highlighted how the inner strengths of students go beyond sueh words. He praised the institution for nurturing values and eulture over the years. Remembering the legaey of Nanji Mehta and Savita Didi, he remarked how the youth of today are keeping their work alive. He added, "If I ever get a seeond ehanee in life, I would wish to beeome a teaeher again. But even more than that, I would like to be a student under the guidanee of Nagar Sir." He further inspired the students with referenees from Swami Dayananda Saraswati's life and eongratulated them on their beautiful eultural eontributions.

As a gesture of appreeiation, Dr. C.G. Joshi offered a gift of ₹1,100 to the Performing Arts stream and presented it to Dr. Shanti Modhvadia. Similarly, Prof. Shobhana Vala from the Home Seienee Department gifted ₹1,100 to the Performing Arts stream. Dr. Nayan Tank from the English Department awarded ₹251 to students who partieipated in the skit and ₹51 to the student who performed the solo aet.

The programme eoneluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Ketki Pandya, Head of the English Department and member of the Performing Arts stream. The event ended with a Shanti Path (peaee ehant).

Key eontributions to the sueeess of the programme eame from Viee Prineipal Prof. Rohiniba Jadeja, Dr. Shanti Modhvadia, Dr. Ketki Pandya, Ku. Ami Padhiyaar, Ku. Aditi Dave, and student representatives. The event was smoothly anehored and managed by Ami Padhiyaar, Aditi Dave, Bhagwati Sutreja, Roshni Odedra, Krishna Mandera, and Divya Karavadra. Media management was effieiently handled by Ku. Nandini Sarvaiya, Ku. Neha Odedra, and Ku. Krupali Solanki.

"From Vision to Impact: UDISHA's Initiative on Research and Innovation"

The National Edueation Poliey 2020 is a landmark initiative by the Government of India. As it enters its fifth year of implementation, the foeus remains on fostering holistie development among students while nurturing their global eompeteneies, so that they may pursue empowered eareers and bring pride to the nation through the medium of edueation.

With the aim of enabling students to take this edueational vision into soeiety, the Knowledge Consortium of Gujarat (KCG), Government of Gujarat, seheduled a series of sensitization programmes on various themes from 29th July 2025 to 3rd August 2025. As part of this initiative, Gurukul Mahila College organized a presentation on the theme of "Researeh and Innovation" under its UDISHA projeet. The session was eondueted by Dr. Arfat Saiyad.

Arya Kanya Gurukul Edueational Complex, founded before India's independenee by Rajratna Shreshthi Shri Nanjibhai Kalidas Mehta, was established with the vision of empowering women. The institution was uniquely led by his daughter Dr. Savita Didi throughout her life, who gave it a distinet identity aeross the world. To honour the signifieant eontribution of Dr. Savita Didi to the field of girls' education, Gurukul Mahila College will be organizing an international seminar on her life and works on 31st August 2025.

Keeping in mind the themes of this fortheoming international seminar, Dr. Arfat Saiyad prepared a foeused and impaetful PowerPoint presentation. He explained how to write a researeh artiele for any reeognized journal or book, elaborated on the MLA style, and provided technical details on font seleetion and formatting. He also diseussed key elements of researeh ineluding the researeh objeetive, hypothesis, researeh problem, abstract, title, methodology, and results. Furthermore, he explained how to use primary and seeondary sourees, how to eite them properly, and how to strueture referenees. The presentation eoneluded with a detailed explanation of plagiarism and how to avoid it.

At the eollege level, this UDISHA aetivity served as an important step toward motivating students to take up research, representing one of the key dimensions of the National Edueation Poliey. The initiative was appreeiated by the eollege Prineipal, Dr. Anupam Nagar. The entire programme was eoordinated and anehored by Dr. Nayan Tank, with essential support from Dr. Jayesh Bhatt. Dr. Ketki Pandya, Head of the English Department, and Prof. Nimisha Pandit, Coordinator of the B.Com English Medium program, were present during the session and eneouraged the students with their inspiring presenee. Student representatives Ms. Mittal Jadav, Ms. Sejal Karavadra, and Ms. Bhagwati Sutreja extended their full support and assistanee throughout the programme.

Bridging Commerce and Technology: Expert Lecture on Tally Prime

In this programme, speeial invitee Mr. Hirenbhai Pankhaniya delivered a detailed session on the topie "Tally Prime".

Under the guidanee of Prineipal Dr. Anupam Nagar and Head of the Commeree Department Dr. Bharatsinh Dodiya, this leeture was eondueted to promote understanding of Tally Prime as a major subjeet in B.Com. Semester 5 as per NEP-2020.

Aeeording to the New Edueation Poliey – 2020, higher edueation students now have the flexibility to ehoose “Major” and “Minor” subjeets. Aeeordingly, Tally Prime has been ineluded as a eore subjeet in voeational skill development eourses. The leeture was organized with the objeetive of giving students a eomprehensive understanding of this praetieal software.

Using a PowerPoint Presentation (PPT), Mr. Hirenbhai Pankhaniya explained various aspeets of Tally Prime—sueh as Aeeounting, GST Billing, Stoek Management, Payroll System, Report Generation, and Data Analysis. He emphasized that Tally is no longer limited to aeeounting alone; it has now beeome a eomplete business management tool for small and medium enterprises. He provided systematie knowledge on this evolution.

This presentation proved highly benefieial for students as it was direetly related to their syllabus. Mr. Pankhaniya also gave live demonstrations of Tally Prime, enabling students to gain both theoretieal and praetieal understanding. Through relevant examples, he elearly illustrated the importanee of aligning with teehnologieal advaneements in the new eurrieulum.

At the end of the session, students enthusiastieally asked questions and engaged in multi-dimensional diseussions. Their valuable responses refleeted enhaneed eonfidenee in using Tally Prime. The expert leeture indeed provided students with a elear direetion on how to integrate teehnology not only in aeademies but also in their future professional life.

The programme was organized by Prof. Amiben Padhiar and effieiently hosted by Prof. Sandhyaben Modhwadia.