

Pushpanjali to Pujya KulBhrata

Shri Dhirendrabhai Mehta

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The serene campus of Arya Kanya Gurukul stood wrapped in solemn silence on the occasion of the Death Anniversary of Pujya Shri Dhirendrabhai Mehta, the revered *Kulbhrataashri* of Arya Kanya Gurukul. To commemorate the life and legacy of this visionary guide, a Pushpanjali Programme was organised by the Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust at the *Prarthana Mandir* at 8.30 a.m.

The programme was marked by the respectful participation of the staff and students of Gurukul Mahila Arts & Commerce College, who assembled under the leadership of Dr. Anupamratanshanker Nagar, Principal. In an atmosphere of deep contemplation and spiritual calm, the gathering offered floral tributes in silence—allowing remembrance to speak louder than words.

Pujya Shri Dhirendrabhai Mehta's life remains a luminous chapter in the history of Arya Kanya Gurukul. As *Kulbhrataashri*, he embodied simplicity, discipline, and unwavering dedication to value-based education. His vision shaped the Gurukul not merely as an academic institution, but as a sacred space where education nurtures character, culture, and conscience. His contribution to the empowerment of women through education continues to inspire generations.

The silent Pushpanjali became a collective meditation—each flower laid gently in homage symbolising gratitude for a life lived in service. The *Prarthana Mandir* resonated with an unspoken unity, as faculty members and students alike bowed their heads in reflection. The absence of speeches lent the programme a profound dignity, allowing every participant to connect personally with the ideals and values upheld by Pujya Shri Dhirendrabhai Mehta.

The presence of students alongside teachers reflected the continuity of his legacy, bridging generations through shared reverence. For the students, the moment served as a living lesson—that true leadership does not demand applause, and that lasting influence flows quietly through integrity, humility, and steadfast commitment to higher ideals.

Under the guidance of Dr. Anupamratanshanker Nagar, the staff and students maintained the contemplative spirit of the observance, reaffirming their collective resolve to uphold the principles cherished by the revered *Kulbhrataashri*. The programme stood as a reminder that remembrance is not confined to ritual, but finds meaning in daily practice of values he stood for.

As the Pushpanjali Programme concluded, the silence lingered—calm, composed, and deeply meaningful. It carried within it a shared promise to keep alive the lamp of wisdom lit by Pujya Shri Dhirendrabhai Mehta, ensuring that his ideals continue to guide the educational journey of Arya Kanya Gurukul.

Through this dignified and silent observance, the Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust once again paid heartfelt tribute to its revered *Kulbhrataashri*, reaffirming its commitment to an educational vision where learning is sacred, service is natural, and values are eternal.

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