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Monthly Newsletter - January 2026

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## From the School Desk

Dear Parents,

The month of January holds a very special place at Smrti Academy. It is the time when we celebrate our Annual Day one of the most meaningful occasions for our school community. This event is not just a celebration; it is a moment where our entire school comes together as one family students, teachers, parents, and management.

During such important events, children learn lessons that go far beyond the stage. They learn how to adjust, cooperate, and work as a team. They experience what it means to handle situations when things do not go as planned, and they slowly understand that not being selected or facing rejection is also a part of life.

At the same time, children learn the joy of being appreciated the happiness that comes with recognition and the pride of standing confidently before an audience. They understand the value of supporting their teachers, lending helping hands, and following instructions with discipline. Through this journey, they see how discipline, consistency, and effort lead to success.

The overwhelming response and encouragement from parents added a special meaning to this celebration. Seeing parents cheer, appreciate, and celebrate their children's performances together made the event a huge success. Your presence, trust, and constant support gave our children confidence and made them feel truly valued.

Most importantly, our children learned that freedom is beautiful when it comes with guidance and the right direction. They discovered that structure does not limit creativity instead, it helps them grow stronger, more confident, and more responsible.

With every such celebration, Smrti Academy moves one step ahead each year growing stronger as a community and deeper in purpose. January reminded us that when school and parents walk together, children flourish.

**With Gratitude**  
**The Smrti School Team**

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## Golden Strikes: Abhishith's Karate Triumph

Congratulations to Abhishik N. of Grade 2 for his outstanding performance at the 12th Invitational Karate Championship, where he secured 1st Place in both Kata and Kumite in the Under-12 category. He was awarded gold medals and a trophy for his exceptional skill and discipline, bringing great pride to Smrti Academy.



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## Melodies and Discipline

### Melodies and Discipline: Ruhani Triumphs at Campus Connect

Hearty congratulations to Ruhani Prem Singh of Grade VI for her remarkable performance at the inter-school event “Campus Connect”, where she secured 1st Place in Music and 2nd Place in Yoga. Her exceptional talent, unwavering dedication, and disciplined approach bring immense pride to SMRTI Academy.



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## IEO Stars of Distinction and Excellence

A celebration of eloquence and excellence, our students made us proud at the International English Olympiad. Aditya Kapoor, Vivaan Hemanth, and Anika Hemanth earned the Gold Medal of Distinction, while Ksharvil Sahoo, Rudransh Pandey, V. S. Charanvelan, Diya Akela, Pranav Attupakkam, Reyansh Sharma, Samyuktha Siddharth, Himank M., Hitarth Jain, Deeshani Joshi, and Nysha Mahesh secured the Gold Medal of Excellence. Congratulations to all our achievers for bringing laurels to the school.



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## Unlocking Excellence: IGKO Achievers

Heartiest Congratulations to V. S. Charanvelan, Abhiansh Roy, Pranav Attupakkam, Reyansh Sharma, Sriyan Arush, Agastya Kushtagi, and Kiaan Kundu for their outstanding performance in the IGKO. Their achievement reflects their curiosity, dedication, and commitment to learning. We wish them continued success.



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## A Festival of Gratitude and Light

Grade 5A conducted an impressive class assembly to commemorate Makar Sankranti, presenting the cultural and seasonal significance of the harvest festival with grace and clarity. Through thoughtful speeches and engaging performances, the students conveyed themes of gratitude, renewal, and community spirit. The programme reflected their confidence, creativity, and collaborative effort, making it a memorable and enriching experience for the audience.



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## Harvest Hues: Montessori Celebrates Pongal

Montessori children celebrated Pongal (Makara Sankranthi) with great joy and reverence, learning about the significance of the Sun, harvest, and livestock. Dressed in colourful attire, they engaged in creative craft activities and witnessed the traditional preparation of Pongal cooked over firewood, gaining an enriching cultural experience. The celebration fostered gratitude, unity, and festive cheer across the SMRTI campus.



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## February 2026 Monthly Updates

### February 2026 - Events and Holidays

- **Final Exams for Grade XI** - Monday, 02<sup>nd</sup> February
- **Math Marathon 1st Round Grade 1-VII** - Friday, 06<sup>th</sup> February
- **Valedictory Function for Grade X** - Saturday, 07<sup>th</sup> January
- **Math Marathon 2<sup>nd</sup> Round Grade I-VII (Selected Student)** - Monday & Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> February
- **Math Marathon Final Round I-VII** - Thursday & Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> February
- **Holiday (2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday)** - Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> February
- **Final Examinations Begin for Grades VIII & IX** - Monday, 16<sup>th</sup> February

### February - Working Saturdays

7<sup>th</sup> February 2026 - Working for Grades VI-XI, remedial for I-V

14<sup>th</sup> February- Working for Staff Only

28<sup>th</sup> February- Working for Grades IX -XI

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