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Our Trustee's Corner: Insights and Inspiration



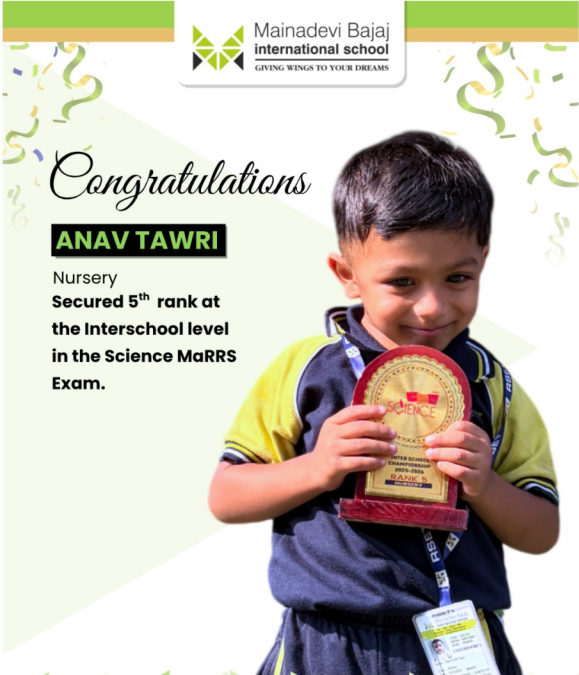
Gratitude is not a 'thank you' at the end.
It is the habit of seeing people,
not just outcomes.



EXCELLENCE SPOTLIGHT

★ PRE PRIMARY

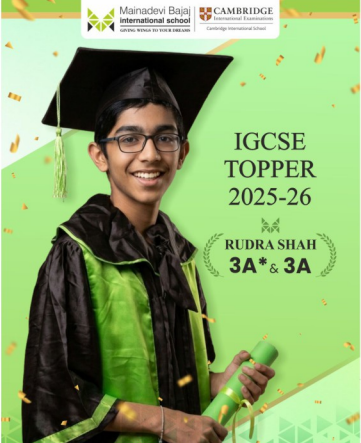
Heartiest congratulations to our young achiever! Anav Tawri of Nursery secured Rank 5 Science in Interschool MaRRs Exam.



★ PRIMARY

Congratulations to our talented young achiever on his remarkable accomplishments!

Rudhran Halwai Grade 2 secured 1st place in the Grounded to Grow Level-wise Gymnastics Tournament. He has also set a world record for the Maximum World Records made by a Kid.



★ SECONDARY

Heartiest congratulations to our IGCSE batch for securing 100% results.

We congratulate our A Level students for successfully achieving the first milestone in their career after High School.

EXCELLENCE SPOTLIGHT

★ PRE PRIMARY, PRIMARY and SECONDARY

Rangotsav International Art Competition 2026

Heartiest congratulations to all the winners and participants of the International Art Competition organized by Rangotsav Celebrations, a vibrant global platform that provided young artists with an opportunity to showcase their creativity, imagination, and artistic excellence. Students of our school from Pre-Primary to A Levels participated enthusiastically in this prestigious competition, which attracted entries from 13 countries across a wide range of creative categories, including Handwriting, Colouring, Collage Making, Greeting Card Making, Cartoon & Caricature, Sketching, Mask Making, Tattoo Design, Finger & Thumb Painting, and many more. The event was a grand celebration of art and innovation, where participants were recognized with exciting surprise gifts, mementoes, trophies, international medals, and consolation prizes.

Rangotsav International Winners List Grades Pre- Primary to 12 AY 2025-26

| Grade.1 | Name | Category | Award | Grade.1 |
|---------|-------------------------|----------------|--|---------|
| Nursery | Reeva Kejriwal | Colouring | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| Nursery | Anav Tawri | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Nursery | Miraya Parmar | Colouring | International Medal | B+ |
| Nursery | Virti Jain | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Nursery | Kiyara Rathod | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Jr Kg | Dhvani Daglia | Collage | Consolation prize Surprise Gift | B |
| Jr Kg | Ekansh Maurya | H/W | Consolation prize Surprise Gift | B |
| Jr Kg | Khiansh Bajaj | Colouring | International Medal | B+ |
| Jr Kg | Shivaan Shah | Collage | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| Jr Kg | Kavish Talekar | Finger & thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Jr Kg | Dityaa Dhanuka | Colouring | International Medal | B+ |
| Jr Kg | Saurish Chingale | Colouring | International Medal | B+ |
| Jr Kg | Hayan Tanna | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Sr Kg | Kaihan Trivedi | Colouring | 4th prize with Inflatable Swimming Pool Kit & Trophy | A |
| Sr Kg | Kaashvi Bohra | H/W | International Medal | B+ |
| Sr Kg | Aarya Mehta | Colouring | International Medal | B+ |
| Sr Kg | Tiana Shinde | H/W | International Medal | B+ |
| Sr Kg | Shanaya Dhanaki | H/W | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| Sr Kg | Shanaya Dhanaki | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Sr Kg | Aditi Baheti | Colouring | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| Sr Kg | Mitakshi Shenoy | Finger & Thumb | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| Sr Kg | Jianshi Bhanushali | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| Sr Kg | Kiaan Shetty | Finger & Thumb | International Medal | B+ |
| 1 | Saatvik Gada | Finger & Thumb | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 1 | Nyra Jhaveri | H/W | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 1 | Mehan shah | Colouring | 2nd Prize -Small Cricket Kit with Trophy | A+ |
| 1 | Ayaan Hingora | Colouring | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 1 | Rachit Maurya | Colouring | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 1 | Umme Hani | Colouring | 4th prize with Inflatable Swimming Pool Kit & Trophy | |
| 2 | Dev Goenka | Mask Making | International Medal | B+ |
| 2 | Jia Keswani | Greeting Card | International Medal | B+ |
| 2 | Haanvika Kumpawat Singh | Colouring | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 2 | Siddhi Vajawat | Colouring | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 2 | Kush Nathani | Finger & Thumb | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 2 | Krishav Nathani | Cartoon Making | International Medal | B+ |

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| 3 | Advika Rane | Colouring | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 3 | Lisha Motiramani | Greeting Card | International Medal | B+ |
| 3 | Advika Prabhakar | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 3 | Jeisha Soningra | Cartoon Making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 3 | Rutvi Rathore | Greeting card | Art Maestro Award | B++ |
| 4 | Navisha Muleva | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 4 | Jiya Gaur | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 4 | Jiaan Hingoo | Colouring | 3rd Prize- Zebronic Headphone with Trophy | A+ |
| 4 | Janaisha Hingoo | Finger & Thumb | Art Maestro award Trophy | B++ |
| 4 | Aarna Bhageria | Colouring | Art Maestro award Trophy | B++ |
| 4 | Sanavi Mhatre | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Hridaya Baid | Greeting Card | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 5 | Hridaya Baid | Finger &Thumb | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Kaavish Agrawaal | Cartoon Making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Saranya Iyer | Cartoon Making | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 5 | Krishang Gawankar | Colouring | Art Maestro award Trophy | B++ |
| 5 | Aadhya Vijay Narayanan | Cartoon Making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Saisha Killa | Collage | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 5 | Devansh Gaikwad | Cartoon Making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Reya Shah | H/W | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Taksh Atal | Cartoon Making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Yuvraj Bagga | Sketching | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 5 | Praneel Lath | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 5 | Ifra Maknojia | Colouring | 2nd Prize Small Cricket Kit Wih Trophy | A+ |
| 6 | Hazel D'cruz | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 6 | Zaira Momin | Tattoo Making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 6 | Vikram Sidhu | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 6 | Urja Shah | Greeting Card | Art Maestro Award Trophy | B++ |
| 6 | Ahaan Bagul | Greeting Card | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 6 | Vivaansh Roy | Colouring | Art Maestro Trophy | B++ |
| 6 | Mahi Kothari | Collage | Art Maestro Trophy | B++ |
| 6 | Zaira Shetty | Colouring | 3rd Prize-Zebronic Headphone with Trophy | A+ |
| 6 | Ahaan Bagul | Caricature | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 6 | Drishti Gaikwad | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 6 | Viaan Patel | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 6 | Diyara Goenka | Colouring | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 7 | Darshit Maurya | Cartoon Making | Art Maestro Award Trophy | B++ |
| 7 | Devika Venkatachalam | H/W | Art Maestro Award Trophy | B++ |
| 7 | Darshit Maurya | Tattoo making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 8 | Aniya Vadsaria | Colouring | 3rd Prize- Zebronic Headphone with Trophy | A+ |
| 8 | Aniya Vadsaria | Greeting Card | Consolation Prize Surprise Gift | B |
| 8 | Thea Harsora | Tattoo making | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 8 | Diya Agarwal | Colouring | 2nd Prize-Big Cricket Kit with Trophy | A+ |
| 8 | Aishi Thakur | H/W | International Medal Award | B+ |
| 9 | Sana Salunke | Sketching | 1st prize Mini Prjector with Trophy | A++ |
| 9 | Devashri Gunaseelan | Cartoon Making | Art Maestro award Trophy | B++ |
| 9 | Aanya Shah | Colouring | 2nd Prize-Big Cricket Kit with Trophy | A+ |
| 9 | Sayee Patwardhan | H/W | The Eccentric Performer award Football & Trophy | A |
| 11 | Freya Bagga | Sketching | International Medal Award | B+ |



EDUCATION INSIGHTS



Nursery

Numeracy: Learning 'More and Less' Through Fun & Play!

Students joyfully explored the concept of 'more and less' through exciting hands-on counting activities. They counted objects, compared groups, and identified which set had more or less. The interactive hula hoop game added an element of fun as children enthusiastically placed the hoop around the correct group. The engaging activity made learning meaningful, enjoyable, and memorable for our little learners.

Jr KG

Literacy: Little Readers, Big Dreams!

Students are developing their literacy skills by learning to read short sentences and simple storybooks. Reading short sentences helps children recognize words, improve comprehension, and build confidence in reading. Simple books with colourful illustrations and easy vocabulary make the learning process enjoyable and engaging, encouraging young learners to develop a love for reading and storytelling.



★ AS Level: EGP. Battle of the Wits

AS Level learners enhanced their debate and critical thinking skills through Battle of the Wits, where they explored the topic, "Should cultural artefacts be returned to their home countries?" Through engaging discussions and persuasive arguments as both proposition and opposition, learners gained valuable insights into argumentative essay writing and confident public speaking.



EDUCATION INSIGHTS

★ Grade 9: ESL: Fun with ESL- Where Words, Confidence, and Creativity Meet

Grade 9 learners engaged in fun and interactive ESL activities aimed at enhancing their reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills. Through vocabulary challenges like Build the Word Pyramid and speaking tasks such as Two Truths and a Lie and Just a Minute, students built confidence, improved communication skills, and gained an effective introduction to the IGCSE ESL programme.



EXPANDING HORIZONS

★ PRE PRIMARY

Tiny graduates, big dreams, and beautiful memories for a lifetime!



The Sr Kg Graduation ceremony was a joyful and memorable occasion, marking an important milestone in the children's journey towards a new phase of school life. The students were felicitated with certificates, making the event special for both the children and their parents. The young graduates delighted everyone with their cheerful songs, confident stage presence, and heartfelt expressions on topics like I Am a Big Kid, My Best Friend, and My Best Day at School. Their innocence, confidence, and enthusiasm

reflected the wonderful growth they achieved throughout the year. The ceremony beautifully showcased the children's communication skills, confidence, and joyful spirit, leaving parents and teachers proud and emotional as they celebrated this special moment together.

★ PRIMARY

Melody Magic – The Sound of Joy

Melody Magic: The Sound of Joy was a delightful music fest presented by the students of the Primary Section. We were honoured to have the Head of NSMA, Mr Pintu Mukherjee, as a part of the celebration. The students captivated the audience with their melodious performances, confidence, and cheerful energy. Their coordination, teamwork, and stage presence made every presentation special, while the compères conducted the programme smoothly and confidently. Parents were mesmerized by the talent displayed by the young performers, and the event concluded with an electrifying grand finale filled with joy and applause. Beyond music, the fest also encouraged values such as discipline, cooperation, teamwork, and self-expression, making it a truly memorable celebration for all.



EXPANDING HORIZONS

Celebrating milestones, cherishing memories, and stepping confidently towards new beginnings!

With hearts full of pride and joy, we celebrated the Graduation Day of our Grade 5 students as they completed an important phase of their school journey and prepared to step into a new chapter. The celebration was filled with smiles, memories, performances, and aspirations, reflecting the students' confidence, enthusiasm, and wonderful growth over the years. It was a proud and emotional moment for parents and teachers to witness the children move forward with confidence and excitement for the future. We wish our young graduates endless happiness, success, and bright achievements in all their future endeavours.



Zero Period Campaign with Pee Safe and Smriti Mandhana.

MBIS collaborated with Pee Safe for the Zero Period Campaign, aimed at creating awareness about menstrual hygiene and encouraging girls to participate in sports with confidence and comfort. A special press event was held in the presence of Smriti Mandhana, Vice-Captain of the Indian Women's Cricket Team, and Rithish Kumar. Eight of our students were felicitated for their achievements in sports and also had the exciting opportunity to interact and play box cricket with Ms. Smriti Mandhana, making it a memorable and inspiring experience for all. The initiative encouraged students to understand the importance of menstrual hygiene, confidence and equal participation in sports.



EXPANDING HORIZONS

★ AS Level: Career counselling session with Ms. Diksha Nath:
Making the Most of Your Summer Break

AS Level students attended an insightful career counselling session by Ms. Dixha on Making the Most of Your Summer Break. The session focused on skill development, summer programmes, course selection and profile building for university admissions. Students were also introduced to the Five Cs of Profile Building to help them create strong and well-rounded profiles for future opportunities.



ENERGISING ECOSYSTEM

★ PRE PRIMARY, PRIMARY, LOWER SECONDARY, IGCSE, A Levels

★ Teacher Enrichment Programme

Beyond Inspiration: Turning Great Teaching into Everyday Practice

From Belief to Impact – Every Classroom Can Change a Life, the Teacher Enrichment Program conducted by Jeevan D Cunha from Max Edusol was inspired by the movie The Ron Clark Story. The program was conducted in three sessions. The first session featured a screening of the movie, followed by reflection on key classroom scenarios. The second session, The Teacher Variable, focused on how teachers' beliefs and attitudes shape classroom culture and student learning through interactive discussions and the activity The Judgement Line. The final session, Creating Impactful Classrooms, explored ways to build student self-worth, reframe expectations, and use effective questioning to support diverse learners. The program concluded with the reminder that every student matters and every lesson is an opportunity to create meaningful impact through belief and support.



ENERGISING ECOSYSTEM

Empowering educators through creativity, collaboration, and meaningful learning!

Ms. Rakhee Chhabria, educator, edupreneur, leadership coach, and founder of TeachersHelpTeachers (THT), conducted an engaging workshop on 'The Art of Teaching.' focusing on effective strategies, classroom management and creating a positive learning environment. The session included creative activities like doodling with music, games, and scavenger hunts to highlight emotional understanding, teamwork, and collaboration. Teachers reflected on their practices, explored effective teaching qualities, and emphasized a process-oriented, learner-friendly approach. Overall, the session was interactive, insightful and enriching, offering practical strategies for impactful teaching.



MY THOUGHTS, YOUR SUCCESS: NAVIGATING EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

3Ls: Doing the right thing



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Lessons learnt from school and our experiences as a child shape our values & behaviour.

Doing the right thing generally means making decisions that are not based on your own personal needs, that don't expand your popularity, or enforce your personal beliefs.

It means doing what is best for the greater or common good.

Doing the right thing is often the hard thing to do, because you have to do it in the face of criticism, at the cost of being ridiculed, which is why it can be an uncommon outcome.

I recently read this story, about a teacher who while conducting the class, took a fish out of its bowl and left a classroom of children as it flopped around.

The teacher told the students that if anyone left their seat and put the fish back in the bowl, they would be punished and may be suspended.

All the children sat and watched as the fish flopped, gasping for air. They did not get up from their seat in order to avoid getting into trouble.

Finally, a girl sprang up from her seat and ran to the fish and placed it back in the bowl.

She was the one who refused to watch the fish die and took action.

When the teacher returned, she found out who had put the fish back in the bowl and rewarded her and told the class, that this was a life lesson.

The fear of getting into trouble and being punished, should never stop you from doing what's right.

That sometimes you may have to oppose authority and group think, simply because it's the right thing to do.

We all face so many situations in our daily life where we end up taking the easy way out and avoid doing the right thing.

We may do the right thing when in a crowd or in a public place but what really counts is maintaining your character when no one is watching.

Do the right thing and Stay blessed forever!!!

With Affection for all my Learners :

HAVE THE HAPPIEST SUMMER HOLIDAYS: CARRY THE MBIS SPIRIT WHEREVER YOU GO!!!

Dearest tiny tots of MBIS,

This summer, play a lot. Help Mummy/Daddy water the plants. Draw the sun, the moon and your family. Spot the birds and learn their names. Listen to lots of stories. Dance when you feel happy.

Stay safe, drink water and don't forget to say 'thank you' and 'please'.

I am missing your little footsteps in the school corridors.

Come back ready for new rhymes and new stories!!!

Dearest Primary Stars of MBIS,

Summer is here-your time to pause, play and wonder. Read stories that take you to new worlds. Help at home without being asked. Build something, fix something that is broken.

Learn to make lemonade for Mom and Dad. Rest your minds, but keep your curiosity awake. Don't forget to say 'please' and 'thank you'. Come back taller in heart, not just in height. I am missing your smiles and your "Good Morning Padmajaa Ma'am!"

Wishing you a meaningful and safe summer!!!

Come back happy, come back bright!!!

Hello to my dearest Young Thinkers of the Lower Secondary,

Holidays are not empty days-they are full days, just in a new way.

Be grateful for this break, many children don't get one.

Use your time to grow, not just to scroll.

Spend time with people, not just devices.

Learn one new task to help your family.

Finish one book you choose yourself and continue with more if you have the time.

Remember no screen can replace a real sunset, a real friend of time spent with family.

You have been such good learners this year! Now it's time to learn from the World!

Come back having learnt something no textbook could teach you, maybe patience, maybe a skill, maybe how to make the perfect lemonade for your family.

Go make memories that will make you proud!!!

Dearest IGCSE and A Level learners: Disconnect to Reconnect,

You are at an age where summers shape you. Use these weeks with intention.

This summer give yourself a real break-not just from school, but from screens.

Read a book made of paper, play a sport where you actually sweat.

Have real time conversations, not the ones that are typed.

Log out of the scroll, Log into your Life. Look up more than you look down.

Your brain deserves silence. Your eyes deserve Nature and the Sky.

Your life is happening outside that 6-inch rectangle. Use your time to build you, and not just your feed.

Disconnect to reconnect. With yourself, with people, with the world.

Help someone without expecting credit. That's how leaders are built.

The world needs more thinkers, more doers, more good humans. Be that.

Stay safe, stay present and come back stronger!!!

Sunshine, Smiles & Summer Wishes from Your Principal
