



# ANNUAL REPORT 2024-25

## Welcome To Exuberance, Theme – Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam

It is my esteemed privilege to warmly welcome our Chief Guest, Guests of Honour, CEO Sir, Esteemed SMC Members, and our valued parents to Exuberance, our cultural cum Prize distribution function.

Today, we celebrate the spirit of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam-the world as one family. This special occasion celebrates five elements of nature, unity and diversity embodying the timeless principle of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam.

As we reflect on the 15 years journey, we draw inspiration from Charles Darwin's profound words: "It is not the strongest of the species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the one responsive to change." This quote resonates deeply with our educational philosophy, embracing the dynamic landscape of modern education.

Before I proceed with the Annual Report, I extend gratitude to all the parents, staff and students for imposing faith in us and as we complete 15 years of accolades and achievements, we experience an unparalleled sense of pride.

The mission of our school's existence is that through our rigorous academic programs and extracurricular activities, students develop essential skills like entrepreneurship, creativity, critical thinking, collaboration, and communication.

In the school's Annual Report, we proudly share our School's achievements and progress in nurturing well-rounded individuals.

Dear parents, we feel delighted to share that DCM Presidency is the proud recipient of SKOCH Smart Education Award.

It's a moment of great pride that the school has been awarded with a coveted ET Tech X School Excellence Award in the Categories: Excellence in Innovative Practices, Excellence in Career Guidance and Best Green Building school.

We are proud to share that the school has been ranked among the Top 5 Schools in the city and Top 10 in Punjab by Education World School Ranking.

Microsoft has recognized our impact on the future of education by giving DCM Presidency School the title of being a Microsoft Showcase School for consecutively sixth time including the current Academic session.

As a testament to the school's commitment to financial literacy, our school has been recognized as a Money Smart School by the National Center for Financial Education.

Generation Global is a Global Educational Programme offered to Middle and Secondary School Students run by the 'Tony Blair Foundation'. It connects students worldwide via a secure website where they interact and discuss global. Dialogue is at the heart of the programme.

## **A GLIMPSE OF THE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

The school's students have achieved outstanding results in the CBSE Class XII and X exams, with:

Priyanshi Jain (Class XII) scoring an impressive 97.6% and Abhinav Goel (Class X) topping with 98.2%. The school's average scores:

-Class XII: 84.5% (one of the highest among top-rated schools in India)

- Class X: 87.7% (a testament to our commitment to academic excellence)

Kudos to our students who cracked JEE Mains and NEET. Their perseverance and dedication have turned aspirations into accomplishments.

Our students excelled at the prestigious Vidhyarthi Vigyan Manthan National Camp.

Three students from our school were selected among 12 from Punjab.

- Arnav (XII) and Aarush (X) in the Senior Category and Vihaan (VIII) - Junior Category

Out of 1,00,000+ participants, they joined the brightest young minds nationwide.

The students who qualified VVM for the state Level Camp are Anaahat Singh, Grade VI; Saatvik Bhatia Grade VIII, Aniket Goel, Grade VIII; Aarush Bansal Grade X and Mehul Grade XI.

DCM Presidency School has restructured its curriculum in line with the holistic and multidisciplinary approach advocated by NEP. For example, the school offers integrated project-based learning modules where students explore real-world issues from multiple perspectives, integrating concepts from various subjects. This approach not only fosters critical thinking and creativity but also promotes a deeper understanding of the interconnectedness of knowledge domains.

We are delighted to share that our students have made us proud with their outstanding achievements in Olympiads and competitions. In the Olympiads, our students have excelled, demonstrating exceptional problem-solving and mathematical skills. Additionally, they shone in the National Astronomy Challenge, showcasing their curiosity and knowledge of the

cosmos. Notably, our young wordsmiths secured impressive cash prizes in the Spelling Bee competition.

The remarkable performance of students in the National Automobile Olympiad has made us proud. Congratulations to our talented students on their well-deserved success.

Today, we proudly showcase the students' exceptional achievements in the field of entrepreneurship surpassing all the regional benchmarks. Unmatched in the region, students have their prototypes, start-ups that have the potential to shape the future. The school is providing all the resources, support and handholding to students to make them future tycoons. Divyam Aneja of Grade 8, Ekam Kaur, Grade 9, Harshil Singh, Grade 9, Gurman Kaur grade 10, Vidhi Gupta grade 10, Saugauri Sharma grade 9, Gursimran Kaur 10 are the notable achievers.

Dear parents give them a big round of applause and motivate them as they have amazed us by their innovative and entrepreneurial spirit.

Ladies and gentlemen, I am delighted to highlight our students' pioneering achievements in emerging technologies. Unparalleled in our region, our school has made significant strides in AI, Robotics, Information technology and Data Science. Our young innovators have developed cutting-edge solutions, fostering scientific skills and creativity. Their ground breaking work has set a new benchmark for educational institutions.

ATL's innovative spirit shines bright, as our students' start up projects earn accolades nationwide. Their impressive skills are a testament to India's future problem-solvers.

Our students have showcased exceptional talent and creativity in various art forms, making the school's name and parent's name proud. Jaivik Arora of Grade VI is making strides in Dancing. Rudra Sharma of Class 8 won cash prize of Rs 3100 in inter school drawing competition. We proudly celebrate their achievements.

Sargun of Grade III secured 3<sup>rd</sup> Position in Bhangra in Kalakar. Nazleen Kaur won first position in Poem Recitation Competition organised by Ludhiana school Sahodaya.

Dancing Choir comprising of Siya Khurana, Sidheshwari, Ragini Singh, Dhriti Malhotra, Manasi, Himanshi Arora, Inayat Arora, Faguni Pahwa, Amrit Kaur, Nimisha Garg made us proud by winning First Position with cash prize of Rs. 30000 in TURF organised by PCTE.

Dakshita Singh of Grade VIII made it to Voice of Punjab, Chhota Champ clearing all the rounds including mega round and it was telecasted on PTC Punjabi.

In sports, our students participated in various inter school, state level, national and international level events and championships this year.

Our students have excelled and secured impressive wins in cricket, swimming, basketball, Badminton, Chess, volleyball, roller skating, swimming, Taekwondo and table tennis.

Vansh Kwatra of Grade X has been selected by Ludhiana District Cricket Association in U\_16 age Category.

At zonal level, 20 medals in Badminton, 22 medals in Table tennis, and 03 medals in Taekwondo.

In Punjab school Education Board Sports- won 14 medals in Taekwondo

In school district, 30 medals in basketball. A top performer NCC Cadet and a Taekwondo champion Mehul Bajaj of Class IX clinched Bronze medal in School Games Federation of India, Bronze medal in 66<sup>th</sup> National School Games and Gold medal in Punjab school Education Board District Taekwondo Championship.

Kritagaya Singh of Grade VII and Tegfateh Singh of Class VI are the chess champions and have medals, trophies and cash prizes to their credit in various state, National and International level tournaments.

Harshita Vats of Grade X bagged bronze medal in Junior National Taekwondo Championship, Bronze medal in Final Champion of Champion Series, Gold medal in District school Games, Silver medal in State Championship and Bronze in CBSE North Zone Championship.

Kyna a student of Grade V won Gold medal in District Roller Skating.

We congratulate all our achievers. I believe that education should appeal to the heart, feel the mind and also empower the hands. In thanksgiving, I would like to reiterate that education is not mere filling of the pail but lighting of a candle. I thank all of those who have helped in nurturing the thought that education should appeal to the heart, feel the mind and also empower the hands.

Thank you

Jai Hind.