

## **Bridges of Friendship: 'Bhasha Mitra' Fosters Cross-Language Companionship among the students of M.K DAV Public School, Daltonganj**

As part of the ongoing celebration of Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav 2025 , the initiative “ Bhasha Mitra ” served as a meaningful platform where students became language buddies exchanging greetings, idioms and simple conversational lines from diverse Indian tongues. This peer-learning activity helped them appreciate not just vocabulary but also cultural nuances, accents and gestures unique to various linguistic traditions. The participants warmly engaged with one another creating an atmosphere of curiosity and mutual respect as they taught and learned expressions that carried cultural warmth and everyday relevance. The activity succeeded in demonstrating that language is not merely a tool for communication but a bridge of connection and friendship.

The Honourable Principal, Mrs. INDRANI CHATTERJEE highlighted that such interactions develop inclusivity, strengthen social confidence and instil in learners a heartfelt appreciation for India's linguistic mosaic. She further reflected that when students learn from one another, they develop empathy, humility and an openness that enriches their character. She affirmed that initiative like Bhasha Mitra prepares young minds to become sensitive communicators who value diversity and contribute meaningfully to a harmonious society.



