

## **M.K. DAV Public School Daltonganj Marks Teachers' Day with Reverence and Appreciation**

Today, the Institution observed Teachers' Day commemorating the 138th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, the eminent philosopher, scholar and former President of India. The occasion was marked by a special assembly as well as a lively celebration organised by the students for their teachers.

The special assembly commenced with a warm welcome to all present, followed by a floral tribute to Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan. The Honourable Principal MRS. INDRANI CHATTERJEE and Supervisory Head of the Senior Wing, Mr. Alok Kumar , offered flowers on behalf of the teaching staff, Mr. Pradeep Kumar Sahu, the OS represented the non-teaching staff while the Head Boy and Head Girl paid homage on behalf of the students.

Akansha and Akshita of Class XII subsequently delivered a thoughtful speech giving articulate expression to the admiration and affection felt by students towards their teachers. The musical segment brought a gentle warmth to the assembly, with Ruchita and Purvi of Class XII presenting a melodious song. Their performance was followed by an address from the Honourable Principal who spoke on the evolving role of teachers in an age increasingly shaped by Artificial Intelligence. She emphasised that although technology can provide information with remarkable speed and reach, a teacher's human presence remains vital in nurturing discernment, ethical awareness and the ability to think beyond what machines can offer. She observed that the real strength of education lies in helping young minds develop judgement rather than merely accumulate information. She urged students to approach technology with intelligence and responsibility while retaining the human values that give knowledge its worth. She further noted that teachers remain essential in recognising individual

potential and guiding students towards becoming thoughtful and responsible individuals. Her words offered a contemporary perspective on an age-old relationship between the teacher and the learner.

The celebrations then continued with a special programme presented by the students for their teachers. The celebration began with Tilak Ceremony, followed by Guru Vandana, a graceful dance presented by Anandita and Haya of Class XI. Akansha and Akshita of Class XII also delivered a heartfelt speech expressing the students' admiration for their teachers.

The latter part of the programme brought an element of cheerful spontaneity through a series of games designed especially for the teaching staff. Teachers participated in a quick cartoon-drawing challenge, a task-based chit picking game and a lively Male versus Female fun quiz. The merriment continued with engaging rounds of Guess the Actor and Pass the Object creating plenty of laughter and relaxed interaction among the participants.

The cultural presentations added further colour to the celebration. Purvi and Ruchita of Class XII presented a vibrant mashup while Anika Mittal of Class XI captivated the audience with a solo dance performance.

The celebration offered the students an opportunity to express their affection and appreciation for their teachers through music, dance and moments of light-hearted camaraderie. The Honourable Principal expressed her appreciation for the thoughtful celebration arranged in the honour of the architects of the Nation. Moving beyond the formality of a ceremonial observance, the occasion became a heartfelt student-led tribute to the educators whose presence lends direction to young lives leaving behind the warmth of a bond that lies at the heart of the journey of Education.















