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NEWSLETTER

Session 2025-26

A Message from Our Principal

Dear Students, Parents, and Members of the G.D. Goenka Family,

It is with immense pride that I present this edition of our newsletter — a reflection of the growth, achievements, and vibrant spirit that define our school community. Each day, I am inspired by our students' curiosity, resilience, and commitment to excellence, which breathe life into every corner of our campus.

This issue captures significant milestones — from immersive classroom experiences to inspiring co-curricular triumphs — each reinforcing our vision of holistic education. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to our parents and staff for their unwavering support and partnership in nurturing this environment of learning and innovation.

Together, let us continue to build a community where knowledge empowers, values guide, and aspirations take flight.

With warm regards,

(Dr. Anubhav Lodhi)

Principal

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April Newsletter - A Month Of New Beginnings

➤ 5 April 2025 – Sensory Start

Our NC Kindergarten learners began their journey with a "Taste & Touch" activity, exploring textures and flavors that made early learning both engaging and experiential.

➤ 17 April 2025 – Taekwondo Training Commences

The introduction of Taekwondo classes fostered not only physical agility but also discipline, confidence, and perseverance, enriching our co-curricular framework.

➤ 19 April 2025 – Inter-House Badminton Tournament

The campus resonated with energy as students demonstrated remarkable skill, teamwork, and sportsmanship during the Inter-House Badminton Competition.

➤ 22 April 2025 – World Earth Day

With skits, poems, and pledges, our students delivered a powerful message of environmental stewardship, reaffirming their commitment to safeguarding our planet.



May Newsletter

A Look Back at May

The month of May was filled with a wonderful blend of reflection, celebration, and new beginnings. From honoring our community to kicking off the start of summer, our students and staff were engaged in a variety of meaningful activities.

Celebrating Our Community

- **Labour Day Celebration (May 1, 2025):** We honored the dedication and hard work of our support staff. Students and teachers expressed their gratitude with heartfelt gifts and garlands, making the day a special tribute to their tireless efforts.
- **Mother's Day Celebration (May 11, 2025):** Our school was filled with joy as students celebrated their mothers with heartfelt dances, songs, and humorous skits. It was a day of fun and laughter, reminding everyone of the invaluable role mothers play in our lives.
- **Buddha Purnima (May 12, 2025):** On this sacred occasion, we reflected on the teachings of Lord Buddha, wishing everyone a journey filled with harmony, joy, and success.
- **Punya Tithi of Shri Rajendra Singh Ji (May 9, 2025):** We gathered to pay tribute to the revered memory of Shri Rajendra Singh Ji. The ceremony was a reminder of his legacy and his dedication to public welfare and rural development.

Academic and Parent Engagement

Successful PTM (May 21, 2025): Our Parent-Teacher Meeting was a great success. Parents and teachers had a meaningful dialogue with a shared commitment to the academic and personal growth of our students. The meeting reinforced the essential partnership between home and school.

Summer Camp Fun!

- **Summer Camp 2025 (May 22-30, 2025):** Students dove into a world of fun and learning with activities like music, dance, T-shirt painting, martial arts, and more!
- **Highlights from Summer Camp:**
 - **Day of Sports, Flavors, & Dance:** Campers enjoyed a thrilling cricket match and a fun, fireless cooking activity where they learned to make delicious Bhel Puri and pizzas.
 - **A Blend of Fun, Learning, & Fitness:** A day of peaceful yoga and creative painting was followed by a session on cursive writing, helping students express their creativity and hone their skills.
- **It's a Wrap! (May 29, 2025):** The camp ended with a final celebration and a certificate distribution ceremony for our talented campers. Thank you to all the participants, mentors, and parents for making Summer Camp 2025 a magical and memorable experience!



June Newsletter

A Look Back at June

The month of June was filled with a wonderful blend of reflection, celebration, and new beginnings. From honoring our community to kicking off the start of summer, our students and staff were engaged in a variety of meaningful activities.

Promoting Global Awareness & Well-being

- **World Environment Day (June 5, 2025):** We joined hands globally to protect our planet! Our students participated in various activities emphasizing the importance of taking care of nature and making sustainable choices. Every small step counts towards a greener future.
- **World Food Safety Day (June 7, 2025):** GD Goenka Public School emphasized the significance of food safety. We learned that ensuring our food is safe is everyone's business and discussed ways to build a culture of food safety. Stay informed, stay healthy!
- **Sant Kabir Das Jayanti (June 11, 2025):** We honored the life and teachings of Sant Kabir Das, a beacon of spiritual awakening and the timeless essence of love

and devotion. His wisdom continues to guide us in our daily lives.

- **World Day Against Child Labour (June 12, 2025):** Our school stood in solidarity to advocate for every child's right to a childhood free from labour. We reinforced the message: Say NO to child labour and YES to education. Let's work together to protect the rights of children.
- **International Yoga Day (June 21, 2025):** GD Goenka Aligarh embraced the power of yoga, recognizing that Yoga is for EVERY Body, Every Mind, Every Soul. Our students and teachers came together to celebrate the spirit of Yoga for "One Earth, One Health," experiencing the balance it brings to our minds and bodies.

Community Reflection

Ahmedabad Crash (June 13, 2025): In a moment of tragedy, our hearts went out to the families who lost their loved ones in the devastating crash in Ahmedabad. The entire GD Goenka family offered prayers for peace and healing during this heartbreaking time.



July Newsletter – A Warm Welcome Back!

July marked our highly anticipated return to school after the summer holidays, and we were so excited to welcome our students back to campus! The new academic year promises a world of learning, growth, and exciting opportunities.

A Look Back at July

The month of July was filled with the energy of new beginnings and a beautiful focus on celebrating our connection to nature and rich traditions. Students and staff returned with a renewed sense of purpose, ready to embark on a new term of discovery and collaboration.

- **School Re-Opening (July 10, 2025):** Our campus was buzzing with excitement as students reconnected with their friends and teachers. Classrooms were filled with the sound of cheerful conversations as everyone settled into their new routines and prepared for the term ahead.
- **Academic Kick-off:** Teachers introduced new topics and projects, encouraging students to set ambitious goals for the year. This period was crucial for laying the groundwork for a successful and productive term.

Celebrating Nature and Tradition

We also took time to observe and honor cultural festivals, reminding us of the importance of tradition

and our connection to the environment.

- **Hariyali Amavasya (July 24, 2025):** We honored this day of greenery, which marks a deep connection with nature. Hariyali Amavasya is a time for reflection and renewal, reminding us to appreciate the blessings of a lush and thriving environment. This sacred occasion brought with it a message of peace, prosperity, and endless growth, values we cherish within our school community.
- **Hariyali Teej (July 27, 2025):** Our school community celebrated the beautiful festival of Hariyali Teej with joy and devotion. This festival celebrates the monsoon season and the vitality it brings to the earth. It is a wonderful reminder to embrace the natural beauty of our surroundings and to be grateful for the gifts of nature. We celebrated the festival with a deep connection to tradition, sharing in the joy and cultural significance of this special day.

Looking Ahead

As we move into August, we look forward to more academic and extracurricular activities. We encourage everyone to stay engaged and make the most of the opportunities ahead. Let's make this a fantastic term together!



August Newsletter

A Month of Learning, Celebration, and Pride

August has been a month that truly reflected the vibrant spirit of GD Goenka School. From cultural festivities to moments of pride and achievement, each event added a special chapter to our journey of growth and excellence.

Highlights of the Month

➤ 1st August – Special Assembly

The month began on an inspiring note with a Special Motivational Assembly. Students learned the importance of discipline, leadership, and teamwork, which set a positive tone for the rest of the month. Teachers shared motivational stories of great leaders, encouraging students to set personal goals and embrace challenges with confidence.

➤ 8th August – Raksha Bandhan Celebration

On 8th August, the school came alive with the joy of Raksha Bandhan. Students participated in rakhi-making activities, crafting beautiful rakhis with eco-friendly materials. The event was filled with heartfelt performances, songs, and skits that highlighted the importance of love, care, and unity in relationships.

The celebration served as a reminder of the timeless values of respect and togetherness.

➤ 15th August – Independence Day & Janmashtami

The 79th Independence Day was celebrated with immense patriotic fervor. The day started with the flag hoisting ceremony, followed by the soulful rendition of the National Anthem. Students

delivered inspiring speeches and performed patriotic dances, celebrating the spirit of freedom and unity.

The day also marked the celebration of Janmashtami, where students beautifully enacted scenes from the life of Lord Krishna. Dressed as Radha and Krishna, they performed dances and skits that brought the stories of devotion and love to life. The double celebration filled the campus with an atmosphere of pride, joy, and devotion.

➤ 21st August – Principal of the Year Award (2025)

The most memorable highlight of the month came on 21st August. Our respected Principal, Dr. Anubhav Lodhi, was honored with the prestigious "Principal of the Year Award". This recognition celebrates his visionary leadership, commitment to quality education, and dedication to the holistic development of students.

This achievement brought immense pride to the entire GD Goenka School community and inspired students and staff alike to continue aiming for excellence.

Closing Note

August 2025 will be remembered as a month of inspiration, celebration, and achievement. As we step into September, we look forward to more opportunities for learning, growth, and making GD Goenka School shine even brighter. Together, let us continue to uphold the values of dedication, respect, and excellence that make our school community truly special.

