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Proud Wonderites

Fostering Lifelong Learners, Building Character
and Igniting passion for knowledge.





From The PRINCIPAL'S DESK

“If you are working on something that you really care about, you don't have to be pushed. The vision pulls you.”

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all to STEM Odyssey, a celebration of curiosity, creativity, and innovation. This platform reflects our commitment to nurturing young minds through Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics subjects that shape the future and empower problem-solvers of tomorrow.

STEM Odyssey encourages our students to think critically, explore fearlessly, and transform ideas into meaningful solutions. Such initiatives help bridge classroom learning with real-world applications, fostering teamwork, logical thinking and a spirit of inquiry.

It's Fun! Turns learning into an adventure through play, experiments, and discovery.

Warm regards

Ruchika Sharma

Principal



Sports Achievements

Reaching new heights



Shaurya Singh of Smart Wonders school, class 6C shone brightly Gurukul Cricket Championship Cup, leading his team to victory!

He was named Man of the Match in both league matches and the finals, & took home the Man of the Series award and Best Bowler of the Tournament trophies! The team's stellar performance earned them the coveted Winner's Trophy! Well done, Shaurya and Congratulations to the Smart Wonders School team!

Tiana represented Punjab at the 63rd National Roller Skating Championship held in Visakhapatnam (5–15 December 2025) as a key member of the State Roller Hockey team. The Punjab team remained unbeaten throughout the tournament and clinched the Gold Medal.

Notably, Tiana was the only girl from Mohali in her age category and the youngest player on the team. Her dedication and discipline have brought immense pride to her family, school, and the city of Mohali.





Science Spark

Learning by Doing

A Fun with Experiment activity was conducted for Grade I students to encourage curiosity and hands-on learning. The children observed colour changes using turmeric water and other simple materials, helping them understand basic scientific concepts in an engaging way. The activity enhanced their observation skills and generated keen interest in learning through experimentation.





CBSE Workshop

Empowering educators, enriching learning

Smart Wonders School hosted a CBSE Capacity Building Programme on “Use of Artificial Intelligence in Classrooms”, bringing together educators for a day of professional learning, reflection and forward-looking dialogue on technology-enabled teaching. The workshop underscored CBSE’s continued focus on equipping teachers with future-ready pedagogical tools aligned with NEP 2020.

The session was led by an eminent educationist, global speaker and CBSE Resource Person, Mrs Sneh Lata and Mr Napoliyen Nelson.

Focusing on practical classroom applications, the workshop introduced teachers to the concept of Artificial Intelligence, its ethical use and its role in enhancing lesson planning, assessment, differentiation and student engagement. The sessions emphasised that AI, when guided by informed educators, can become a powerful ally in personalised and inclusive learning.

Thought-provoking discussions, multimedia inputs and reflective segments allowed participants to critically examine both the opportunities and responsibilities associated with AI integration in schools.





Educators shared insights on how AI tools could support creativity, reduce administrative load and strengthen conceptual understanding without undermining the central role of the teacher.

By hosting this workshop, Smart Wonders School reaffirmed its commitment to continuous professional development and innovation in education. The initiative marks another step towards empowering teachers to navigate emerging technologies thoughtfully, ensuring that technology remains a means to enrich learning rather than an end in itself.



Farewell

Memories made, lessons learned and friendships forged



Smart Wonders School bids a grand farewell to Class X with ‘Arabian Night’ celebration.

Smart Wonders School, Mohali, bid a warm and heartfelt farewell to its Class X students on Saturday, celebrating the outgoing batch in an elegant event themed “Arabian Night.” The day was a vibrant blend of tradition, glamour, and emotion, marking the culmination of the students’ memorable journey at the school.

The programme began with a ceremonial lamp lighting followed by a welcome address by the Vice Principal Ms Raina Chona, setting a dignified tone for the occasion. A melodious musical performance by Class IX students added charm to the opening, reflecting the strong bond shared between the batches.

The farewell was enlivened by a series of captivating performances including a ramp walk, dance, music, and interactive rounds, where Class X students showcased confidence, creativity, and grace. A nostalgic video presentation, “Down the Memory Lane – A Tribute to Class X,” evoked heartfelt emotions as it revisited cherished school memories. The prestigious titles of Mr. SWS 2026 and Ms. SWS 2026 were awarded Vardhan Narang and Bhavya Mahajan respectively.



Additional titles recognizing various talents and qualities were also conferred, making the event even more special and memorable.

The Principal Ms Ruchika Sharma addressed the gathering, encouraging students to step into the future with confidence, values, resilience and extended blessings and best wishes to the outgoing batch.

The programme concluded with a heartfelt Vote of Thanks by the Head Boy and Head Girl, expressing gratitude to the school management, teachers, and peers for their unwavering support. Tokens of love and appreciation were presented to the students, symbolising the strong bond they share with the institution.

Smart Wonders School wishes its Class X students every success as they embark on new journeys and continue to shine as proud Wonderites.



Pariksha Pe Charcha

Ace your exam with tips

Smart Wonders School, Mohali, organised an interactive Pariksha Pe Charcha session on 31 January 2026 for parents of Class X students with the objective of guiding them through effective examination preparation strategies and familiarising them with CBSE board examination protocols.

The session commenced with a warm welcome of parents by Academic Coordinator Ms. Navpreet Kaur, followed by a structured presentation outlining the objectives of the programme. The initial segment focused on setting the right academic approach, stress management and the importance of a supportive home environment during the examination phase.

This was followed by subject-wise instructions delivered by the respective Heads of Department for English, Science, Social Science, Mathematics, Punjabi, Hindi, French and AI/M&S/CA. Each HOD provided focused guidance on paper patterns, preparation strategies, answer-writing techniques and common areas of concern. A smooth transition between subjects was ensured as each HOD invited the next, maintaining continuity and engagement throughout the session.





The Vice Principal Ms Raina Chona addressed parents on examination guidelines, elaborating on CBSE norms, assessment patterns and key do's and don'ts for board examinations. An open question-and-answer session allowed parents to seek clarifications, making the interaction both informative and reassuring.

The programme concluded with an address by the Principal Ms Ruchika Sharma, who encouraged students to approach examinations with confidence, discipline, and a positive mindset, while urging parents to remain calm facilitators during this crucial phase.

The session reaffirmed the school's commitment to fostering transparent communication and holistic student support during the board examination journey.





Republic Day

Saluting the nation, celebrating freedom

The Republic Day assembly presented by the students of Classes VII and VIII beautifully depicted the journey of the making of the Indian Constitution and its core values. Patriotic poems and songs filled the atmosphere with pride and patriotism.



Principal, Ms. Ruchika Sharma, appreciated the presentation and encouraged everyone to uphold constitutional values, respect the nation and follow the rules and laws of the country with sincerity.



Tilak Ceremony

Blessings for a Bright Future



On 23 January 2026, Smart Wonders School, Mohali, organised a Tilak Ceremony to bless and motivate the Class X students on the occasion of the distribution of their CBSE board examination admit cards. The ceremony symbolised positivity, wisdom and success, instilling confidence and reassurance in students as they prepared to appear for this important academic milestone.

The event commenced with students seeking the blessings of Maa Saraswati, the goddess of wisdom and knowledge. A special prayer session was conducted, creating an atmosphere of serenity, devotion and hope. Addressing the students, the Vice Principal, Ms. Raina Chona, and the Principal, Ms. Ruchika Sharma, extended their heartfelt wishes, encouraging them to remain focused, disciplined, and confident while giving their best in the forthcoming examinations. Teachers also conveyed their blessings and words of motivation, reinforcing the importance of self-belief and perseverance.

As a symbolic gesture of good fortune and encouragement, students were ceremonially adorned with a tilak before receiving their admit cards, strengthening their confidence and readiness to face the examinations. The ceremony concluded with the distribution of prasad, marking the occasion with divine grace and positivity.



The event left the students feeling inspired, calm and empowered as they stepped forward towards a significant phase in their academic journey.

Smart Wonders School wishes all its students great success in their board examinations and in all future endeavours.



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