



# Kendriya Vidyalaya Chronicle

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## Editorial

### Journey of Excellence Continues KVS Achieves 99.57% in CBSE Class X Results

The recently declared Class X results of the Central Board of Secondary Education have once again highlighted the consistent excellence of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan.

With an impressive pass percentage of 99.57%, significantly higher than the overall CBSE average of 93.70%, KVS has emerged as the top-performing school system in the country. This achievement is not merely a statistic—it reflects a deeply rooted culture of academic commitment, holistic development, and collective effort.

At the heart of this success are the students, whose perseverance and discipline have translated into outstanding results. Equally commendable is the unwavering dedication of KV teachers, who continue to go beyond conventional classroom practices to ensure conceptual clarity and personal mentorship. The role of parents, too, remains pivotal,

as their constant encouragement and support create a nurturing environment for young learners. KVS has long been regarded as a model institution

system, uniform standards, and emphasis on inclusivity make it a benchmark for others to follow. Importantly, KVS has been at the forefront of

implementing the National Education Policy 2020. By promoting experiential learning, competency-based education, and skill development, it is preparing students not just for examinations, but for life beyond them. The Class X results are a testament to how policy, when effectively executed, can yield tangible outcomes. As KVS continues its journey of excellence, this milestone serves as both a celebration and a reminder—of the power of a strong educational ecosystem. Sustaining this momentum will be key, but if the current trajectory is



in India's school education landscape. Catering to over 13 lakh students across the nation, it has maintained a delicate balance between academic rigor and value-based education. Its structured

any indication, KVS is well on its way to shaping the future of education in India.

~Vikas Gupta, IAS

■ Commissioner, KVS

## A New Chapter in Nation Building 63 Kendriya Vidyalayas Opened Across India

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Every new school marks a meaningful stride in strengthening the nation's educational foundation. From its humble beginnings with just 20 schools in 1963, the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) has grown into an expansive network of 1325 schools across India (as on 30 April 2026), exemplifying a sustained commitment to accessible, equitable, and high-quality education.

In a significant development, 63 newly sanctioned Kendriya Vidyalayas have become operational across the country. This milestone follows the Union Cabinet's decision dated 6 December 2024 approving 85 new Kendriya Vidyalayas. Further accelerating this expansion, the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs, chaired by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, sanctioned 57 additional Kendriya Vidyalayas under the Civil Sector on 1 October 2025.

Kendriya Vidyalayas have consistently upheld high academic standards through

a uniform curriculum and a strong emphasis on holistic development. They play a vital role in ensuring continuity of education, particularly for children of transferable central government employees, while also serving the wider community with inclusivity and consistency.

Aligned with the National Education Policy 2020, KVS has embraced transformative educational practices, including competency-based learning, promotion of multilingual education, and integration of innovative pedagogical approaches. These initiatives reflect its steadfast commitment to fostering inclusivity, equity, and excellence in education.

The operationalization of these new Vidyalayas marks yet another milestone in India's educational journey. It underscores a forward-looking vision aimed at nurturing informed, capable, and responsible citizens, contributing meaningfully to the realization of Viksit Bharat 2047.



## Vidya Pravesh: A Joyful Start to Lifelong Learning

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Vidya Pravesh is a key initiative of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan to ensure a smooth and joyful transition of children into formal schooling. Designed for learners entering Balvatika and Class I, it focuses on school readiness by developing cognitive, social, emotional, and language skills through play-based learning.



### Building School Readiness through Play-Based

The programme follows a child-friendly approach and avoids the early pressure of formal academics. It creates a safe and engaging environment where children feel confident and ready to learn. It acts as a bridge for learners from diverse backgrounds and emphasizes foundational literacy, numeracy, and socio-emotional development through stories, rhymes, and games.

### Implementation Strategy

Vidya Pravesh is implemented through structured modules including storytelling, art, games, and hands-on activities. Teachers act as facilitators, guiding children through exploration. Continuous observation and informal assessments help in understanding individual learning needs.

### Impact on Learners

The initiative has led to improved communication skills, better peer interaction, and enhanced curiosity among students. Children are more confident and

expressive. Classrooms have become vibrant learning spaces, and teachers report higher engagement and improved understanding of each child.

### Inclusivity and Outreach

The programme promotes inclusivity by ensuring equal learning opportunities for all children, including those in remote areas such as Tawang and Tuting. It strengthens teacher-student bonding and fosters a sense of belonging.

Vidya Pravesh lays a strong foundation for lifelong learning. It nurtures confident and capable learners, setting the tone for a meaningful and engaging educational journey.



- ◆ Positive outcomes observed even in remote and challenging regions like Tawang and Tuting
- ◆ Building a strong foundation in literacy, numeracy, and socio-emotional growth
- ◆ Noticeable improvement in communication and language development among young learners.

## New Campus of KV Deogarh Inaugurated by Hon'ble Education Minister

**Odisha, April 25, 2026:** In a significant step toward enhancing educational infrastructure, Hon'ble Education Minister Shri Dharmendra Pradhan inaugurated the new campus of Kendriya Vidyalaya Deogarh in Odisha on April 25, 2026. The event marked an important milestone in strengthening school facilities and providing

improved learning environments for students.

Following the inauguration, the Hon'ble Minister interacted with students of Classes X and XII. During the interaction, he motivated the students, addressed their aspirations, and encouraged them in their academic journey.



Success Story



# CBSE CLASS X RESULT 2025-2026



KVS has once again demonstrated why it is regarded as a cornerstone of quality school education in India. With an outstanding 99.57% pass percentage in CBSE Class X examinations.

**KVS Class X Result 99.57%**

**A Result that Sparked Conversations of Pride and Inspiration !!**

KVS has recorded the **highest result among all institutions**, setting a new national benchmark in academic excellence.

**Vibhakar Singh**  
KVS always rocks..... Pioneer in Education.  
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**Harsha Jethi**  
Heartiest congratulations to students and kvs team.unique educational organisation.

**Digital Applause for a HISTORIC Academic Feat**

**Jayashree Dash**  
Way to go, Kvsians! Your achievement is truly inspiring. Keep pushing boundaries! Proud to be a Kv student as well as a teacher.Now retired 🍌🍌

**Des Raj Verma**  
Well done... KVS rocks as ever... Congratulations to all ...  
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**Arvind Singh**  
सराहनीय परिणाम।  
समग्र केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन परिवार को हार्दिक शुभकामनाएं।

**Banani Paul**  
As a retired Eng TGT of KVS ..a shining n glorious moment. of our KVS..we r so proud of this golden victory..keep it up..n having a better prospect of one's life..

**Sangita Mandal**  
Wow, 99.57% is an incredible achievement! The hard work and dedication of students, teachers, and parents have truly paid off. Heartfelt congratulations to the entire KVS Family! 🍌🍌🍌🍌🍌

**From Classrooms to Champions KVS Leads the Way.**

## Tarunotsava

### The Answer to "What Next After Class X?"

**Dharmendra Patle**

Deputy Commissioner, KVS RO Ahmedabad

Aligned with NEP 2020, Tarunotsava is a flagship initiative of KVS for Class X students, designed to transform the post-board examination phase into a meaningful period of growth and self-discovery. Rather than a passive wait, it becomes a purposeful transition, helping students move towards Class XI with clarity, confidence, and informed choices.



Organised across all Kendriya Vidyalayas, Tarunotsava acts as a 'Launchpad' where students explore their interests, aptitudes, and aspirations. Through structured career counselling, they are guided in selecting appropriate streams such as Science, Commerce, Humanities, and beyond, based on their strengths and free from peer or parental pressure.

The programme blends academic orientation with holistic development. It includes communication workshops, personality development, creative activities, sports, and wellness sessions. These build confidence, strengthen basics, and reduce post-exam stress. By

promoting self-awareness and informed decision-making, Tarunotsava prepares students to move ahead with clarity and purpose.

KVS Ahmedabad Region has 48 KVs with more than 40,000 students, out of these 3177 students appeared in Class X board examination 2026. Tarunotsava has been organised for these students by adopting a multifaceted approach to make this programme meaningful by means of the following initiatives:

- ♦ **Academic & Life Skill Development Programmes:** Teachers facilitate 'subject tasters' and sessions on Emotional Intelligence and Time Management, allowing students to experience the senior curriculum in advance. Introductory concepts for Class 11 subjects like Maths, Science, Humanities, Commerce, Computer, etc.
- ♦ **Creative & Experiential Learning:** Labs become innovation hubs for hands-on workshops in Robotics, Digital Arts, and AI tools. Field visits to Science City and universities help students explore career pathways.
- ♦ **Career Pathways & Alumni Connect:** We utilise our strong alumni network across Gujarat's industrial and academic hubs. Guest speakers from ISRO, IIM-A, or local entrepreneurs conduct interactive 'Ask Me Anything' sessions, giving students a realistic view of professional life and wings to their imagination.
- ♦ **Sports Camps & Community Participation:** Specialised sports coaching camps prepare students for participation at Vidyalaya, Regional, and National levels. Students also engage in community outreach

programmes, fostering social responsibility and civic leadership.

♦ **Wellness:** Integrated Yoga and Mindfulness sessions cultivate the emotional resilience necessary for the rigorous Higher Secondary cycle.

#### Impact of Tarunotsava

After the implementation of Tarunotsava, several noticeable improvements have been noticed:

**In students:**

- ♦ More clarity in stream and career choices
- ♦ Improved confidence, communication, and participation
- ♦ Increased interest in co-curricular activities
- ♦ Better preparedness for Class 11

**In schools:**

- ♦ Stronger student engagement even after exams
- ♦ More activity-based learning culture
- ♦ Improved teacher-student interaction

The success of Tarunotsava is evidenced by a marked reduction in stream-switching requests and a significant boost in student morale. Learners return for the new session not as 'vacationers,' but as confident, goal-oriented leaders ready to represent their Vidyalayas with pride.

*Not just a pause after exams, Tarunotsava is where potential finds direction.*

## Pustakopahar: A Step Towards Sustainable Learning

**PBS Usha**

Deputy Commissioner, KVS RO Raipur

Pustakopahar is an initiative of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan that encourages students to donate their used textbooks to younger students at the end of the academic session. The programme promotes generosity, sharing, and academic continuity. It also supports eco-friendly practices and conservation of resources.

The initiative develops the habit of caring for books so they can be reused. It inculcates values of responsibility and sustainability. It also helps reduce the financial burden on parents. Used books are not discarded but reused, promoting the spirit of sharing.

The programme has been effectively implemented across all KVs in Raipur Region. It is carried out through structured collection drives and redistribution through school libraries. With the active participation of over 4,000 students, a total of 19,714 books have been collected and gifted to the junior students. This reflects strong community involvement.

The initiative has led to improved access to learning resources. It has increased student awareness towards sustainability and strengthened a culture of sharing. Pustakopahar contributes significantly to both educational support and environmental conservation.





PM SHRI KV Ganeshkhind, Pune

# 53rd KVS Rajya Stariya Bal Vaigyanik Pradarshani 2025-26

## Shaping Innovators of Viksit Bharat

Avijit Panda

Principal, PM SHRI KV Ganeshkhind, Pune

The 53rd KVS Rajya Stariya Bal Vaigyanik Pradarshani 2025-26, was held from 08th to 10th April 2026 at PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalaya, Ganeshkhind, Pune. Bringing together 571 young participants, including 22 Children with Special Needs (CwSN) and representatives from all 25 regions. The exhibition stood as a vibrant celebration of scientific curiosity, inclusivity, and innovation.

### A Platform for Young Innovators

Aligned with the vision of a 'Viksit and Aatmanirbhar Bharat', the exhibition showcased projects across diverse themes, including green energy, water conservation, sustainable agriculture, waste management, health, emerging technologies, and mathematical modelling. Each exhibit reflected not just knowledge, but the ability of young minds to think critically and propose real-world solutions.

### From Classroom to National Stage

The event followed a rigorous multi-level selection process, ensuring merit-based and inclusive participation. Students progressed from school-level exhibitions to regional platforms, culminating in this national showcase. Evaluation was conducted on parameters such as creativity, scientific thinking, feasibility, and societal relevance, ensuring a comprehensive assessment of each project.

### Expert Insights and Real-World Exposure

A distinguished panel of scientists from premier institutions, including the National Chemical Laboratory and Inter-University Centre for Astronomy & Astrophysics, evaluated the exhibits. Interactive stalls and live demonstrations in fields like biotechnology, defence technology, astronomy, and robotics bridged the gap between theory and application.

Experiential activities such as liquid nitrogen demonstrations and sky-gazing sessions, in which students observed celestial bodies like Jupiter, added depth to learning by blending scientific inquiry with wonder and discovery.

### Inaugural Highlights

The inaugural session was graced by eminent scientist Sh. R. P. Pandey underscored the importance of curiosity, perseverance, and practice in scientific pursuits. Sh. Somit Shrivastava, Joint Commissioner (Acad), KVS (HQ), addressed the event virtually, appreciating innovation and focusing on clean energy and health. Sh. B. K. Behera, Deputy Commissioner (Mumbai Region), motivated students as nation-builders. The event was further enriched by the presence of senior officials, who inspired students to explore scientific innovation.



### A Celebration of Scientific Spirit

With 23 projects and one seminar presentation recognized for excellence, the exhibition emerged as a powerful platform for nurturing scientific temperament. More than a competition, it became a shared space of ideas, collaboration, and inspiration.

In essence, the event reaffirmed a simple yet powerful belief: when young minds are given the right platform, guidance, and encouragement, they don't just learn science, they begin to shape the future.



- Live demos in robotics, biotechnology, defence tech, and astronomy turned complex theories into tangible experiences.
- Students witnessed liquid nitrogen experiments and sky-gazing sessions, where they observed celestial bodies like Jupiter.
- Projects spanned diverse themes such as green energy, water conservation, health, AI, and sustainability.

## Sanskrit Corner

स हि भवति दरिद्रो यस्य तृष्णा विशाला ।  
मनसि च परितुष्टे कोऽर्थवान् को दरिद्राः ॥

### Meaning

The person with vast desires is definitely poor. For the one with satisfied mind, there is no distinction between rich and poor.



## Latest Publication



Scan the QR Code to read!  
**Shala Dhvani**  
KVS News  
(Jan- March 2026)

## KVS Takes Young Minds to Space



For the 2026 session, 73 students were selected from Kendriya Vidyalayas across the country for a two-week residential programme from May 11-22, 2026, at various centres of the Indian Space Research Organisation across India.

YUVIKA is a special programme by ISRO for Class IX students, aimed at promoting interest in space science and technology.

## Thought to Ponder

"Facts are many, but the truth is one."

~Rabindranath Tagore



Best Practices



# Action Research Initiative in KVS Guwahati Region

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NEP 2020 emphasizes holistic, multidisciplinary education and highlights continuous teacher professional development. It recognizes teachers as central to student learning and promotes action research as a key strategy enabling educators to reflect on and improve their classroom practices through real-world inquiry.

On 25.04.2025, KVS, RO Guwahati, launched an initiative encouraging teachers to become Self-Reflectors and Action-Researchers. It aimed to help teachers identify real classroom challenges, conduct systematic action research, and implement evidence-based solutions to improve teaching and learning outcomes by the end of the academic session.

The programme emphasized reflective teaching, where teachers analyze their own

practices, student responses, and learning gaps, emerging as active agents of change and innovation.



**Research Focus Areas**

- Improving reading skills among primary students
- Addressing learning gaps in Mathematics
- Enhancing student engagement in classrooms
- Use of innovative teaching aids for better concept clarity
- Strategies to improve classroom participation.

**Implementation**

Interested teachers across the region were invited, and three structured workshops guided them through action research, covering problem identification, research

design, data collection, analysis, and report writing.

By the end, 18 high-quality action research reports were submitted, showcasing innovative teaching practices, improved strategies, and better student engagement.

**Total teachers:** 36  
**Reports selected:** 18

**Workshops**

- Workshop 1: Introduction to Action Research and identification of problems
- Workshop 2: Data collection and analysis techniques
- Workshop 3: Report writing and presentation

**Duration of Each Stage**

- Problem Identification: 2–3 weeks
- Data Collection: 4–6 weeks
- Analysis & Interpretation: 2–3 weeks
- Report Preparation: 2 weeks

**Need for the Initiative**

This initiative was implemented to address multiple academic issues, such as:

- Classroom Challenges
- Low student engagement
- Learning gaps in core subjects
- Difficulty in concept understanding
- Limited participation of students

**The Impacts**

- Improved classroom practices
- Increased student engagement and performance
- Better learning outcomes
- Development of a culture of reflective teaching and innovation

**Way Forward**

The initiative will continue in 2026–27, expanding its reach and enabling more teachers to benefit from and build upon existing research.

## Highlights of April 2026

### Commissioner, KVS Visits Prerana Sankul



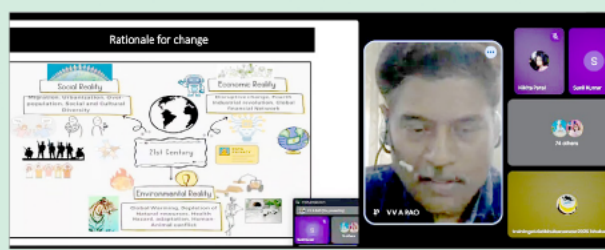
Shri Vikas Gupta, Commissioner, KVS, visited the Prerana Sankul in Vadnagar, Gujarat, and undertook a comprehensive tour of the campus, including a review of academic and residential arrangements. The programme is inspired by the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi.

During his visit, he interacted with participants of Batch 3–Cycle 2, engaging with them on their learning experiences, activities, and overall journey in the programme. Students shared insights into the initiative's unique features and its role in shaping their personality and outlook.

He commended the initiative for its strong emphasis on experiential and value-based learning. Addressing the participants, he encouraged them to internalise the knowledge, skills, and values gained and apply them meaningfully in their academic pursuits and personal lives, contributing positively to society.



### Mission Karmayogi Gains Momentum at KVS



Mission Karmayogi, the Government of India's flagship capacity-building programme, aims to develop a future-ready, citizen-centric workforce through continuous, competency-driven learning on the iGOT Karmayogi platform. Under this initiative, National Learning Week (NLW) – Sadhana Saptah 2026 was held from 2–8 April 2026 to promote focused, large-scale participation across Ministries and Departments.

In this context, S a n g a t h a n participation as a leading school education total of 50,823 o n b o a r d e d ,



Participation was observed across all cadres, especially teachers, with around 83% engagement in AI and emerging technologies. This reflects KVS's strong alignment with national priorities and its growing focus on continuous professional development.

Kendriya Vidyalaya recorded strong and emerged contributor among organizations. A employees were resulting in 74,559 course completions, including 62,676 AI-related courses.

### KVS Advisory Committee for ZIETs



The Annual Meeting of the KVS Advisory Committee for ZIETs was held on 16–17 April 2026 at ZIET Chandigarh under the chairpersonship of the Commissioner, KVS. Officials from KVS HQ, ZIETs, and ROs attended the meeting. They reviewed the KVS Training Programme and institutional functioning.

Key discussions focused on the annual training calendar, emerging needs, programme design, and institutional strengthening. Priority areas included revision of the Training Policy, Continuous Professional Development guidelines, Training & Development Week, and Student Support Material. Emphasis was placed on theme-based mass training and promoting school well-being.

The Committee also addressed multilingual education, capacity building of school leaders and non-teaching staff, and induction programmes for 2025 recruits. Strengthening training modules, manuals, and positioning ZIETs as Centres of Excellence were highlighted. The importance of impact assessment, along with promoting action research and surveys, was emphasized to enhance the effectiveness of capacity-building initiatives across KVS.

## Dhurandhars of KVS



### KV Teacher's exceptional performance in Thailand

Ms. Anu Singh, TGT (P&HE) of KV No. 1 Bokaro, made the nation proud by winning three silver medals at the World Sports Championship held at Pattana Sports Resort, Sriracha, Thailand (17–19 April 2026) in the 55+ age category. She secured medals in Long Jump, Triple Jump, and High Jump, showcasing remarkable excellence and sporting spirit on the international stage.



### KVian Wins Gold, Enters Asian Championship

Hanshika Attri of PM SHRI KV No. 3, Delhi Cantt clinched the Gold Medal in the 43–46 kg category at the Asian Boxing Selection Trials held at NSNIS Patiala, demonstrating remarkable determination, precision, and ring intelligence. With this stellar performance, she has secured her place at the upcoming Asian Boxing Championship in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, carrying forward the proud sporting legacy of KVS.



### From KV to Taiwan: A Medal-Winning Journey

Advika Muthar and K. Abhishek Babu, students of PM SHRI KV Picket, brought laurels to KVS through their achievements at international roller skating events. Advika won 2 silver and 1 bronze medal at the Taiwan Artistic Roller Skating Open Championship, while Abhishek secured 2 silver and 1 bronze medal at the TARSO Taiwan Artistic Roller Skating International Championship 2026. Their performances reflect excellence and dedication on the global stage.