Excursion Report: National Craft Museum, Delhi

*Date: 5th August 2025 *Number of Students:* 46 *Escort Teachers : Mr. Pawan Kumar (Excursion Incharge) Mr. Avnish kr. Tripathi Mrs. Sarika Bhatnagar Mrs. Neha

Objective: To provide students with a comprehensive understanding and appreciation of Indian crafts, art, and culture.

Itinerary:

1. ***Pottery Art and Naga Craft***: Students explored the art of pottery and Naga craft, observing the intricate designs and techniques used.

2. Cow Dung and Clay Art : Students learned about the unique use of cow dung and clay in creating art pieces.

3. Hands on training: An engaging session on weave, postcard writing and natural printings on clothes have been arranged by the experts of Craft museum.

4.Audio-Visual Art: An engaging audio-visual presentation introduced students to various aspects of Indian crafts.

5.Lecture by Host Personnel : A knowledgeable host delivered a lecture on:

- Handcraft and handloom
- Different fibers and their origin
- Various types of wood and their uses
- Toy making and the hard work of artisans

6. Printing Method on Clothes: Students witnessed the traditional printing methods used on clothes.

7. Court Art Gallery*: Students admired the diverse paintings and art pieces on display.

8. Folk Music and Dance*: Students enjoyed traditional Rajasthani folk music and some even participated in dancing.

9.Stalls of Clothes and Decor Items: Students browsed through various stalls selling clothes, decor items, and handicrafts.

10.Refreshment: Students received refreshments, providing a welcome break.

Outcomes:

- Students gained a deeper understanding of Indian crafts, art, and culture.

- They developed an appreciation for the hard work and dedication of artisans.

- Students learned about various traditional techniques and methods used in crafting.

- The excursion provided a unique opportunity for students to engage with art and culture in a hands-on manner.

Conclusion:

The excursion to the National Craft Museum, Delhi, was an enriching and educational experience for the students. It provided a platform for them to explore and appreciate the rich cultural heritage of India. The students returned with newfound knowledge, skills, and memories that will last a lifetime.
