P. M. SHRI KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA NO. 2 (AFS) ADAMPUR CHANDIGARH REGION

EK BHARAT SHRESTH BHARAT Report (2024-25)

Punjab paired with Andhra Pradesh

Celebration of unity of our nation —'unity in diversity' is done each year by conducting the Ek Bharat Shreshta Bharat programme. It is conducted to promote the spirit of national integration, to showcase the rich heritage and culture of different states of our nation ,to create an environment which promotes learning between different states and union territories, by sharing best practises. The "Ek Bharat Shreshta Bharat " programme has been conducted in P. M. Shri. Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 2 AFS ADAMPUR during the academic year 2024-25 with full zeal and enthusiasm.

The state paired with Punjab this year is Andhra Pradesh. All students and teachers of the Vidyalaya took part in various activities assigned for the academic year 2024-25 under Ek Bharat Shreshta Bharat programme . Students from classes I to XII were involved in various activities suggested by Kendriya Vidyalaya sangathan. All class teachers and subject teachers ensured that these activities were conducted online and off-line along with the regular teaching.

- 1) Talking hours-news on Andhra Pradesh: 850 students from classes 1 to 12 participated on every Monday in the news reading and listening programme on Andhra Pradesh
- 2) Bhasha Sangam: 732 students from classes 1 to 12th were exposed to the alphabet, proverbs, unique words, sentences in the language of Andhra Pradesh on every Wednesday.
- 3) Quiz/question answer: 526 students from classes 1 to 12 participated in quiz on language spoken, rivers, festivals, national parks, heritage, animal, bird etc activities on every Friday.
- 4) Pledge on Swachhata/single use of plastic/water saving/national unity in the language of Andhra Pradesh: 879 Students from classes 1 to 12 took pledge on the themes mentioned above.
- 5) Video conferencing with students of Andhra Pradesh: video conferencing with students of Kendriya Vidyalaya MALKAPURAM, Andhra Pradesh was held on 6 May 2024. 100 students of both Kendriya Vidyalaya participated in Various activities conducted in the video conferencing projecting the culture, costumes, folksong, folk dance, historical monuments, tourist places, flora and fauna of Punjab and Andhra Pradesh.

Students presented beautiful folk dances and folk songs, short PowerPoint presentation related to Andhra Pradesh and Punjab spoke to each other in Punjabi and Telugu and had a rich and vivid experience.

- 6) Community singing: 85 students from classes 1 to 12 participated in the community singing in the language of Andhra Pradesh every month.
- 7) Theme-based display board: 125 students participated from classes 6 to 12th in the theme-based display board depicting historical monuments, dressing styles, painting, dance, music, folk art, handicrafts, alphabet and basic sentences every month.
- 8) Screening of films in the language of Andhra Pradesh: 930 students from classes 3 to 12 were shown the films in the language of Andhra Pradesh in the month of June.
- 9) Essay competition among students: 187 students participated from classes 6 to 8 in writing essay on various topics related to Andhra Pradesh.
- 10) Cultural competition folk dance/songs: 45 students from classes 1 to 12th participated in various folk dance folk song cultural competition related to Andhra Pradesh in the month of August.
- 11) Integration of awareness and sensitivity to words environment: 875 students were sensitised from classes 1 to 12 on various themes such as Forest and wildlife protection, water conservation, physical fitness and health, gender sensitivity, ethics and values, resources conservation, self/pubic hygiene in the month of September.
- 12) Identification/translation of similar proverbs in the language of Andhra Pradesh: 635 students from classes 3rd to 12th participated in the month of September.

13) Talks by students and teachers on history, latest news, culture, national icons, social reformers, famous personalities: 464 students from classes 3 rd to 12 th participated in these activities once every fortnight.