

CBSE-mandated 25 hr In-house Teachers' Training programme Series Every teacher must be groomed as a potential Resource person: Principal JKPS Kunjwani



Glimpses of Capacity Building Program for English faculty members of JK Public School Kunjwani

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: CBSE aims to strengthen the capacity of schools to deliver high-quality competency-based lessons, particularly in Science, Mathematics and English. Under this initiative of CBSE as well as to fulfill the demand of CBSE for 25 hour mandatory In-house Teachers' Training programme for every teacher, a Capacity Building

Program for English faculty members of JKPS Kunjwani was conducted on Monday. The purpose of the capacity building program was to fortify teachers with effective teaching methodologies needed for the millennial generation of students. To begin with Principal JKPS Kunjwani, Rajesh Rathore shared his vision on Competency Based Education

(CBE). In his address, he stated "The students of JKPS Kunjwani ought to be given a well-thought out and equipping platform to experience competency-based learning in the classroom at all levels where they can acquire the skills they need to succeed in the future and showcase their capability through effective assessment that allows them to demonstrate their skills, as

English language has become one of the bare-necessities in today's extremely competitive world." The program started with an interactive discussion by Arti Tickoo, PGT English at JKPS, Kunjwani. In her session, she acquainted the participants with competency education in English language, differences between assessment and evaluation,

rules of framing good questions including multiple choice questions (MCQs) and free response questions (FRQs). Enlightening the attendees further; Shivani Sambyal, TGT English at JKPS Kunjwani conducted a thorough discussion on intensive and extensive framing of questions both MCQs and FRQs based on cognitive levels of Blooms Taxonomy and

Understanding by Design by CBSE. The teachers got a hand-on experience of framing the questions. A short and precise explanation was made by Cherry Gupta, HOD English at JKPS Kunjwani regarding the latest scoring rubrics and marking scheme to be followed while evaluating the answer sheets of the child. It was an effective session

which was aimed at enhancing the understanding of the curriculum of English and giving fruitful guidance to teachers of English to update their pedagogical skills. While attending the Workshop on Competency-based assessment, Principal JKPS Kunjwani Rajesh Rathore appreciated teachers for making an effective pres-

entation and highlighting the salient features of the topic. Concluding his remarks he stated, "Every teacher on the rolls of JK Public School Kunjwani, the premier progressive & futuristic school of J&K, must groom herself/himself as a potential Resource person to ensure the optimum learning transaction in the classrooms with students".

KC College of Education celebrates Gandhi Jayanti

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: In commemoration of Gandhi Jayanti, the birthday of Father of Nation, K.C. College of Education organized a cleanliness drive (Swachhta Abhiyan) in Arya Public School, Kachi Chowki, Jammu. On this occasion lot of students and the staff participated in the drive. The entire school campus was rendered squeaky-clean by the participants, by using brooms & mops. The students and the staff



KC College of Education and Arya Public School students carrying out cleanliness drive.

showed utmost enthusiasm in making the occasion a remarkable one. The material used for cleanliness drive

was procured by the college in advance to facilitate the successful completion of the drive. The drive was held

under the aegis of NSS unit, along with Ms. Rita Janwal, the another faculty member made it possible by pulling their efforts in organizing the drive Dr. Sanjay Tickoo, the worthy principal of the college lauded the role of the said staff members & other participants in making the mission a success, he further elaborated the need of cleanliness for health & hygiene & stressed on the need to organize such drives regularly in future.

Heritage Shreya Gupta wins gold at Inter-District UT Level Badminton Championship



Heritage School faculty felicitating a winner student.

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Shreya Gupta, a student of Class 11D at Heritage

School, has secured the Gold Medal in the Under-17 Girls category at the Inter-District

Union Territory (UT) Level Badminton Championship, held in Srinagar on September 22 & 23, 2024. This prestigious event featured skilled athletes from across the UT, and Shreya's impressive performance stood out among the competition. Heritage fraternity extends heartiest congratulations to Shreya Gupta for her phenomenal achievement and wish her continued success in her future endeavours.

Adv Meenu Padha felicitates Jammu's Taekwondo players heading for National Championship



Advocate Meenu Padha felicitating players.

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Advocate Meenu Padha, a prominent social figure, felicitated the Taekwondo athletes of Jammu who are set to represent the region in the prestigious 4th Gurugram Taekwondo and Karate National Championship. Under the guidance of Coach Sunil Kumar, three talented players - Raghav, Aman, and

Shruti - have been selected to compete in the national event. Their hard work, discipline, and dedication have brought them this far, and they are now ready to showcase their skills on a bigger stage. Advocate Meenu Padha praised the players for their commitment to the sport and expressed confidence in their ability to bring laurels to Jammu. She emphasized the importance of sports in fostering discipline, teamwork, and personal growth, and wished the team the best for their upcoming challenge. Coach Sunil Kumar also expressed pride in his students, stating, "These young athletes have shown immense determination and skill. I am confident they will perform well at the Gurugram Nationals and make Jammu proud." The championship promises to be an exciting event, with competitors from across the country participating in what is expected to be a highly competitive tournament.

HPS celebrates birth anniversaries of Gandhi, Shastri

STATE TIMES NEWS
SAMBHA: The students of Humanity Public School (HPS) Bassi Kalan, celebrated Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti and Lal Bahadur Shastri Jayanti to honour and respect the legacy they left behind. The aim of this special gathering was to remember Gandhi Ji's and Shastri Ji's invaluable contribution to India's freedom struggle and how their principal of truth and non-violence are still remembered today. The programme started with paying tribute to both the personalities by the Principal of the School, Gaurav Charak, Vice-Principal, Anku Charak,



Akashdeep Raina (Senior Incharge), Ravinder Sadhu (Administration Officer), Parsidh Singh (Incharge, Higher Secondary Wing), Namrata Sharma (Incharge, Senior Wing), Vandana Sharma (Incharge, Primary Wing), Aparna Billowria (Incharge, Pre-Primary Wing), Er. Varinder Kumar (IT Incharge) and Mahaan Singh (Sports Incharge). Special speeches with Gandhian quotes & messages brought the gathering to understand more about the iconic leader. Neha (9th), Jagriti (9th) and Prachi (8th) accentuated the need to inculcate morals of Ahimsa and truth in our lives and to strive for positive behaviour.

Clad in dresses depicting Mahatma Gandhi & Lal Bahadur Shastri, students from the primary wing recited beautiful poems which were liked by all. Girls of class 9th presented melodious song with full exuberance under the guidance of their music teacher Kumar Abhilash and Rajan Kumar. Principal of the School, Gaurav Charak said "Gandhi Jayanti is the right time to take an oath to follow Gandhian Principles and

make life free from the chains of hatred & violence." He also presented his views on Lal Bahadur Shastri Ji's life and his principles of loyalty & honesty towards his own country and also motivated the students by giving a famous slogan of "Jai Bahadur Shastri Ji i.e. 'Jai Jawan, Jai Kisaan.'" All our pupils were imbued with Gandhian values and thoughts and vowed to become responsible citizens of India and this World.

SCW Crime Branch Jammu presents charge-sheet against father-son duo in fraud, impersonation, cheating case

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Special Crime Wing (SCW), Crime Branch Jammu presented 142 pages charge-sheet against accused persons namely Navdeep Singh and his father and Nirmal Singh, son of Gian Singh, both resident of Sehora near Ravi Dass Ji Mandir Kunjwani Jammu in case FIR No. 26/2022 under



section 419, 420, 465, 467, 120-B RPC of Police Station Special Crime Wing Jammu being investigated by Inspector Deepak Thakur I/O of Special Crime Wing, Crime Branch Jammu under overall supervision of Sandeep Kumar Mehta (JKPS) SSP, Spl Crime Wing Crime Branch Jammu in the Court of Sub-Judge 13 FC Jammu after their involvement in cheating, impersonation and duping the complainant hard earned money. "A written complaint was lodged by the complainant namely Jarnail Singh, son of Dharam Singh, resident of H.No.15 Sector No.4 Sanjay Nagar, Jammu against the Navdeep Singh and Nirmal Singh, Prop. NAS Enterprise Malik Market Channi Himmat Jammu for cheating and duping the complainant of his hard earned money of Rs. 4.05 lakh on pretext of utilizing his services for installation of 13 numbers of HVDS Electrical Poles at DT 56 Sector-4 Channi Himmat Jammu and also installation of 32 HVDS Electrical Poles at RC Feeder-1 Gandhi Nagar Jammu," CB official said. On this, official added, a Preliminary

Verification was got conducted and finally, upon this complaint, a case FIR No. 26/2022 U/S 419,420, 465,467,120-B RPC has been registered by Police Station Special Crime Wing Jammu. During the course of investigation, official said, it was found that the accused persons have received the service of the complainant for supervision of work of pole installation and material and labour was to be provided by the accused persons for the purposes of installation of poles and they will pay Rs. 3000 (Per pole installation charges) for supervision to the complainant. "It was further told to the complainant that actual cost of each pole is Rs.9000 which accused have to pay to said Nirmal Singh for taking over the said poles from Nirmal Singh and after installation and total amount of Rs.12000 will be paid by the accused to the complainant as the accused has to pay Rs.9000 per pole to Nirmal Singh before lifting the poles," official said adding that the accused persons in connivance with each other having dishonest intention have induced the complainant to deliver a sum of Rs. 4.05 lakhs advance money thereby causing wrongful loss to the complainant and consequential wrongful gain to the themselves. Therefore, after a thorough investigation the offence U/S 419,420, 465,467,120-B RPC are fully established and proved against the two accused persons and charge-sheet has been filed before the Court of Law for Judicial determination, official said.

India wins SAFF Championship U17 trophy two times in a row



Indian National Football Team in jubilant mood after winning the SAFF Championship U17 trophy.

STATE TIMES NEWS
THIMPHU: In today's SAFF Championship U17 final match, played at Chamglithang Stadium in Thimphu, Bhutan, the Indian National Football

Team U17 defeated Bangladesh 2-0 to win the trophy for the second consecutive year. Muhammad Arbash and Muhammad Kaif scored both goals in the second half.

After overcoming Nepal in the semifinal and Bangladesh and Maldives in the group stage, the Indian team was remained undefeated in the competition. For the past two months,

the Indian Team trained in Srinagar for the SAFF Championship, with all facilities provided by the J&K Government. The National Team's continued success has been facilitated by the J&K

Sports Council's sports facilities, which also include boarding and lodging. With the intention of acclimating players to Bhutan's high altitude and climate, the AIFF selected Srinagar as the location for the coaching camp. All of the team's members and officials, especially Ishfaq Ahmad (Head Coach), Majid Yousuf (Team Manager) and player Abdul Salah, were congratulated by Secretary YSS Sarmad Hafeez and Secretary JKSC Nuzhat Gul for making J&K proud. The Indian team is heading back to Srinagar where they will be getting ready for the AFC Asian Cup Qualifiers, which are scheduled to take place in Thailand starting on October 18.