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Celebrating Excellence, Innovation and Holistic Development

Sunbeam School Sarnath continued its journey of academic excellence, innovation, creativity, sportsmanship and holistic development during the academic session 2025-26. The school focused on creating a dynamic learning environment where students were encouraged to explore, innovate, communicate, compete and develop into responsible and confident global citizens.

The year witnessed remarkable achievements at the academic, national, state, district and inter-school levels. The collective efforts of the Management, Principal, teachers, students and parents contributed significantly to the school's progress and achievements.

1. ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Academic excellence remained one of the key priorities of Sunbeam School Sarnath. The school strengthened learning through progressive pedagogy, technology-enabled classrooms, skill-based programmes, experiential learning and opportunities for students to participate in academic competitions.

Major Academic and Institutional Achievements

- Sunbeam Sarnath Junior School was recognized as a **Design Thinking Leader** in the Education World India Preschool Grand Jury Rankings 2025-26, securing **No. 5 in India, No. 2 in Uttar Pradesh and No. 1 in Varanasi**.
- The school secured **1st Rank at the CBSE Skill Expo 2025** held at Tagore Public School, Prayagraj, and qualified for the National Level Round.
- Students participated successfully in the **KR8IVITY Robotics League 2025**, including the Zonal Round.
- The school received recognition in the **Education World India School Rankings 2025-26**.
- The school was honoured with the **Cfore School Excellence Award 2025**.
- Students demonstrated excellence in Olympiads, debates, storytelling, essay writing, science exhibitions, skill competitions and other academic platforms.

Board Examination Performance

The second batch of the school delivered commendable results in the Class X and Class XII Board Examinations for the session 2025-26.

• **Class XII section** — Overall school topper Aditi Singh (96.8%), Kavyansh Singh (91%) and Maitri Dubey (96%).

• **Class X section** — Top 3 rankers Ishika Sonkar 96.6%, Nishtha Sharma 95.8%, Pranjal Singh 95%.

The school also celebrated notable achievements in literary and debating activities. Students participated successfully in national-level platforms, including CTG Debate, MoveMeant-CTG, JK Kate Conclave, Invictus Amritsar, TEDx Sunbeam and Spark MUN.

2. ENVIRONMENT EDUCATION & SUSTAINABILITY

Environmental awareness and sustainable living remained an important part of the school's holistic educational approach.

A significant achievement during the year was the school's recognition with the **Nature Conservation Award from GoSharpner**, acknowledging Sunbeam Sarnath's commitment to environmental awareness and sustainable living.

The recognition reflects the school's emphasis on developing environmentally responsible attitudes among students and integrating sustainability into the educational environment.

The school also provided opportunities for students to connect creativity and learning with nature. The **"Whispers of Nature"** activity at Chrysalis showcased students' creativity, confidence and expressive abilities while reinforcing the importance of learning beyond conventional classrooms.

The school also adopted sustainable practices such as the use of **solar panels for renewable energy**, **rainwater harvesting for water conservation**, and the **reuse of waste RO water for suitable non-potable purposes**, thereby reducing resource wastage.

3. SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

Sports continued to play a significant role in developing discipline, teamwork, perseverance, leadership and competitive spirit among students.

Major Sports Achievements

- Two Class IV-A students were selected to represent **Varanasi District at the Uttar Pradesh State Chess Tournament 2026 in Sitapur.**
- Young skaters won **3 Gold Medals** at a championship held in Agra.
- At the **CBSE Cluster Badminton Tournament**, Sunbeam players won **7 Bronze Medals.**
- Sanskriti Sharma secured a **Bronze Medal** at the CBSE Cluster 5 Table Tennis Championship (U-14).
- Syed Azalan won **1st Prize** at the KCA Chess Championship.
- NCC cadet Kshiti Kislay Thakur was recognized as **Best Shooter**, while Cadet Ritika Yadav achieved the position of **Under Officer.**
- Ring Tennis players secured **1 Gold and 2 Silver Medals.**
- The U-14 Aerobics Team won a **Bronze Medal** at the State Championship.
- Students achieved top positions in Chess at the Kashi Sansad Khel.
- Students won Bronze Medals in Karate.
- The U-11 Boys Basketball Team secured **3rd Place.**
- Students won Gold, Silver and Bronze medals in Badminton at Sansad Khel 2025.
- At the 10th MAMA All UP Open Karate Championship, students won **2 Gold, 3 Silver and 6 Bronze Medals.**

The school also hosted the **14th District Roller Skating Championship 2025**, providing a competitive platform for young athletes.

4. INNOVATION, TECHNOLOGY & CREATIVE LEARNING

Innovation remained one of the defining features of the academic year.

The school actively promoted technology integration, creativity, experiential learning and future-ready skills.

Major Innovation Initiatives

TechNest – Senior Computer Lab

A new Senior Computer Lab equipped with advanced systems and processors was introduced to provide students with opportunities for coding, research and project-based learning.

InkSpark – Junior Library

The school introduced **InkSpark**, a dedicated Junior Library designed to develop imagination, curiosity and a lifelong love for reading among young learners.

The BeamCast – Podcast Studio

The school launched **THE BEAMCAST: PODCAST STUDIO**, providing students with a platform to create, communicate and express their ideas confidently.

Artificial Intelligence in Education

The school organized an **"Empowering Educators with AI"** workshop to strengthen teachers' understanding and integration of Artificial Intelligence in teaching-learning practices. The SMC encouraged continuous professional development in AI and emerging educational technologies.

Robotics and Skill Development

Students participated in the KR8IVITY Robotics League and other technology-oriented competitions. The school also secured the top position at the CBSE Skill Expo 2025 and qualified for the National Level Round.

TEDx and Student Voice

Sunbeam School Sarnath hosted its first-ever **TEDx event**, creating a platform for ideas, inspiration and youth leadership.

5. OVERALL RESULTS & STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

The overall performance of students demonstrated the school's commitment to **holistic education.**

Students excelled not only in academics but also in:

- Sports and competitive games
- Robotics and technology
- Science exhibitions

- Literary activities
- Debates and public speaking
- Creative writing
- Music and band
- Film-making
- Art and cultural activities
- Leadership and youth platforms
- National and international-level competitions

A particularly notable achievement was the official shortlisting of a student film for screening at the **National Students' Film Festival in Mumbai**.

The school also celebrated achievements at national and state platforms such as Kre8tivity League Nationals at IIT Delhi, Global Impact Challenge, Pragyan at IIT BHU, Skill Expo, Science Exhibition, Wiz Spell Bee, Band Competition and various creative competitions.

6. TEACHER & LEADERSHIP ACHIEVEMENTS

The achievements of Sunbeam Sarnath were supported by the professional growth and accomplishments of its educators.

Notable recognitions included:

- Ms. Anjali Singh – AIR 214 and State Rank 117 in the National Teachers Olympiad 2025.
- Ms. Anjali Singh – Top 500 in International Pre-Primary Teachers Olympiad and AIR 324 in STTAR National Olympiad.
- Mr. Santosh Kumar Sharma – 2nd Runner-Up and National Finalist, Inspire Global Collaborator of the Year.
- Sachin Tripathi – Teacher Innovator of the Year, National Rank 3.
- Mr. Ankit Khare – National Finalist Tech Leader and recognition for innovation and technology integration.
- Mr. Jai Bharat Singh – recognition in I AM Sunbeam Awards and IC3 Empower Programme.
- Ms. Shweta Singh – Shiksha Ratna Samman 2025.
- Several teachers jointly won the Open Door Predict the Misconception Contest.

The SMC also recognized the school's commitment to **Continuous Professional Development (CPD)** and encouraged further enhancement of structured teacher-training opportunities.

7. PTA / PARENT PARTICIPATION

The Parents Teacher Association (PTA) of Sunbeam School Sarnath plays an important role in strengthening collaboration between parents and the school. During the session 2025–26, the PTA meeting held on **18 December 2025** provided a comprehensive platform for discussion on academic progress, student well-being, safety, communication, technology, infrastructure, co-curricular opportunities and the overall development of students.

Key areas discussed included:

- Quality and pace of classroom teaching, books, notebooks, homework and enrichment activities.
- Unit Tests, examinations, competency-based assessments, E-Portfolio, PEN and APAAR ID.
- Khan Academy, SAFAL, QCT, Pastoral, School Cinema, Sanskriti Shala and Open Door Assessment.
- Community Library, Grandparents' Cove, Reading for Pleasure and Focused Activities.
- Student safety through Entry Cards, CCTV surveillance, bag checks and secure transport with GPS and CCTV.
- ERP facilities including attendance, fees, results, homework, notices, leave applications and Unit Test marks.
- Google Classroom and digital communication through the school app, website and social media platforms.
- Parent involvement, Sunshine Calls, Parenting Tips and Positive Affirmations.
- Healthy lifestyle initiatives, washroom hygiene and counselling support.

- Career Awareness/i-Dream, AFS Internationalism and Learning Expedition to Sampurnanand University.
- Parallel Curricular Activities, Assembly participation and **Impetus – Interclass CCA**.
- Ongoing **infrastructural development** and strengthening of parent-school communication.

The PTA reaffirmed the importance of **active parent participation and close collaboration between parents and the school for the academic, emotional, social and overall development of students.**

8. IMPORTANT SMC DECISIONS & RESOLUTIONS

The School Management Committee meeting takes place twice in session regularly. Recently meeting held on **11 February 2026** reviewed important academic, infrastructural, technological, administrative and developmental matters.

Major Decisions and Observations

1. Review of Previous SMC Decisions

The Committee reviewed previous minutes and appreciated the implementation of action plans and progress in academic, co-curricular and infrastructural areas.

2. Recognition of Awards & Achievements

The SMC expressed pride in the school's achievements, including Education World rankings, CBSE Skill Expo, Brass Band achievements, sustainability recognition and other institutional accomplishments.

3. Promotion of Student Platforms

The Committee appreciated initiatives such as KR8IVITY League, District Roller Skating Championship, TEDx, Umeed, Samavesh and the Brass Band's State-Level performance.

4. Infrastructural Development

The SMC appreciated the development and enhancement of:

- OASIS – Educators' Lounge
- TechNest – Senior Computer Lab
- Auditorium
- ATL
- Additional classrooms
- Junior Library

These developments were recognized as important steps towards strengthening the learning environment and professional growth opportunities.

5. AI-Enabled Education

The Committee supported the initiative to empower educators with Artificial Intelligence and encouraged continuous professional development in AI and emerging technologies.

6. Admission & Outreach

The Committee reviewed admission trends and recommended continued outreach, branding and quality enhancement initiatives.

7. Staff Development & CPD

The Committee appreciated regular teacher training and emphasized continuous learning and upskilling of educators.

8. Fee Structure

The updated fee charts for the upcoming academic session were reviewed. The Committee emphasized transparency and effective communication with stakeholders regarding the revised fee structure.

9. Staff Welfare & Professional Growth

The Committee reviewed updates related to staff concession policies, increment letters, joining schedules, training programmes, induction sessions and Protsahan 2026, appreciating the management's systematic approach towards staff welfare and professional development.

9. CULTURAL, CREATIVE & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The school continued to provide diverse platforms for students to express themselves and engage with culture, creativity and society.

Important initiatives included:

- **KalaKumbh 2025**
- Cultural exchange with a student from Kogakuin University, Japan
- **Varnika**, introducing students to traditional block printing and natural dyes associated with Varanasi's artistic heritage
- Community Library initiatives
- TEDx
- CTG 3.0 – Critical Thought Gathering
- The BeamCast Podcast Studio
- Film-making and creative-expression initiatives

10. CONCLUSION

The academic session **2025–26** was a year of remarkable achievement and transformation for **Sunbeam School Sarnath**.

From strong academic performance and outstanding sports achievements to innovation, technology integration, environmental consciousness, creative expression and institutional development, the school continued to expand opportunities for every learner.

The recognition received by the school, the achievements of students and teachers, the development of modern infrastructure, the focus on AI-enabled education and the continued support of the School Management Committee demonstrate a shared commitment to excellence. The school remains committed to nurturing **curiosity, creativity, character, competence and responsible citizenship**, while preparing students to confidently meet the challenges and opportunities of the future.

Together, the Management, SMC, educators, students and parents continue to build a stronger, more innovative and future-ready Sunbeam School Sarnath.

