

## Adani Public School

Mundra



#### **NEWSLETTER**

**JULY 2024** 

# National Credit Framework Training (NCrF) June 26, 2024

Adani Public School fosters positive behaviour in students. National Credit Framework (NCrF) is a credit system that aims to align education and skilling. The training session of NCrF was conducted by Principal Dr. Mayur Patadia and Coordinator Mr. Parimal Parmar. It was held on June 26, 2024. The objective of the credit point system is to foster postive behaviour among children and make them responsible citizen. It also aims to inculcate good values in our students.

This Framework will allow students to earn credits by demonstrating their knowledge & skills in a variety of subjects. Credits will be deposited in Academic Bank of Credit(ABC) linked to Digi Lockers. It will be independent of marks. Notional Learning Hours in a year will be 1200. Total Credit per subject in a year will be 40. No credit will be allowed if child fails in the subject or does not appear for assessment.

They further guided teachers on the following points:

- What is National learning hour?
- Credit base as per NCrF
- Total learning hours
- Comprehending the credit Allocation
- Time allocation per subject

Adani Public School will implement the National Credit Framework (NCrF) for class IX.

## National Credit Framework (NCrF)





# Fostering Positive Behaviour July 4, 2024

Adani Public School fosters positive behaviour in students. Implementing a positive behaviour reward system can effectively motivate students to exhibit desirable conduct. The training on Fostering Positive Behaviour was conducted by the coordinators Ms. Priti Sharma, Mr. Hitesh Thacker and Mr. Parimal Parmar. It was held on July 4, 2024. It has to be implemented in classes 1 to 12.

Credit point system aims to foster positive behaviour among children to make them responsible citizen. The main objective of this system is to inculcate good values in students.

Teachers are required to objectively document instances of both positive and negative behaviour as they occur. The teachers can use the reference given on Staff Hand Book page no 23 to 25. Positive behaviour credits and negative behaviour deductions will be calculated in both the academic terms and would be reflected in the student's annual holistic progress card.



# Fostering Positive Behaviour July 4, 2024





#### Open Kutch Chess Tournament June 30, 2024

## "Life is a kind of chess, with struggle, competition, good and ill events."

A chess tournament is a series of chess games played competitively to determine a winning individual or team. Rotary Club of Mundra along with Success Chess Academy Bhuj organised Open Kutch Chess Tournament. It was held on 30 June, 2024 at Mundra. There were two categories Under 14 (Boys and Girls) and Under 17 (Boys and Girls). Total 40 students participated in it and four swiss rounds were conducted. It was played following the International rules.

## Proud moment for APS as their achievements have brought honour for our school.

Sr. no	Name of the Student	Class	Position
1.	Arjun K	IX	<b>1</b> st
2.	Ananya K	V	<b>1</b> st

They were awarded the Championship trophy and Certificate for the same. Principal Dr. Mayur Patadia congratulated Arjun and Ananya for their remarkable achievements. He also honoured the sports teachers Mr. Hitesh Maheshwari, Ms. Krutva Mankad, Mr. Hemal Solanki and Ms. Neelam Thackar for their efforts. **Once again our students proved that East or West Adani is the best!** This amazing accomplishment is just one step on our journey. APS Mundra is incredibly proud of this achievement and eagerly waiting for many more to come.



#### Open Kutch Chess Tournament June 30, 2024

## મુન્દ્રા ખાતે ઓપન કચ્છ ચેસ ટુર્ના.માં 40 ખેલાડીઓ જોડાયા



ખુજ : કચ્છમાં ચેસની રમત પ્રત્યે જાગૃતિ આવે અને વધુ છાત્રો રમત સાથે જોડાય તે હેતુ સાથે રોટરી કલબ ઓફ મુન્દ્રા તથા સક્સેસ ચેસ એકડમી ભુજના સંજય દાવડા દ્વારા ઓપન કચ્છ ચેસ ટુર્નામેન્ટ મુન્દ્રામાં યોજાઈ હતી. સિનિયર કેટેગરી, આ મામ અને 17 તમામ કેટેગરી, મળી 40 ખેલાડીએ ભાગ લીધો હતો. પ્રથમ 5 વિજેતાને ટ્રોફી, સર્ટિફીકેટ અપાયા અને બાકીના તમામ સ્પર્ધકોને મેડલ તેમજ સર્ટિફીકેટ એનાયત

કરાયા હતા. સ્પર્ધા આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય નિયમો પ્રમાણે રમાડવામાં આવી હતી. આ સ્પર્ધામાં પ્રથમ યુવરાજ, દ્વિતીય અનન્યા તથા પ્રીત હાર્દિક જોબનપુત્રાએ જિલ્લામાં અન્ડર-11 કેટેગરીમાં તૃતીય સ્થાન પ્રાપ્ત કર્યું હતું. નિર્ણાયક તરીકે ચિરાગ રાવલ રહ્યા હતા. સ્પર્ધામાં ભાગ લેનાર સ્પર્થકો તેમજ મહેવાનો માટે આયોજક રોટરી ક્લબ ઓફ મુન્દ્રા તથા સક્સેસ ચેસ એકેડમી ભુજ તરફથી ભોજનની વ્યવસ્થા કરાઇ હતી.



### Vaccination Camp July 12, 2024

Vaccines are the suspension of killed microbes which provides immunity towards a specific disease. In confederation with Government Health Department, APS Mundra organized the vaccination camp for Tetanus and Diphtheria. It was arranged for the students of Sr. KG, Grade - 5 and 10.

It was held under Rashtriya Bal Swashthya Karyakram, a program to improve the overall quality of children and provide comprehensive care to all the children in the community.

A team, working under School Health Programs, The Government Health Department visited the school on July 12, 2024. All the students from Sr. Kg. Grade-5 and 10 were vaccinated. Vaccination was done by Ms. Sonal Sondarva (FHW), Ms. Makwana Geeta (FHw) and Ms. Mata Priti (FHW), under the cautious supervision of RBSK MO Dr. Suhana Mistry, Dr. Pooja Katadiya and School Nurse Ms. Munira Khoja.



## **Vaccination Camp**









### Farewell of Principal Dr. Mayur Patadia July 12, 2024

APS Mundra gave farewell to the Principal Dr. Mayur Patadia on July 12, 2024. Dr. Mayur Patadia had served the school for a short period of one and half years. But in this short period he left a huge memory in the hearts of students and teachers. He was not only a leader but a guiding force in the school community.

His tenure as Principal has been marked by countless achievements, innovations, and memories that will be etched in our hearts forever. His vision, wisdom and compassion have inspired the school to strive for excellence. APS Mundra thanks him for his unwavering commitment to school's mission, values and his ability to bring out the best in students, teachers and staff.

Director of APS, Ms. Ami Shah gave Principal Dr. Mayur Patadia the gift as a token of love. Director of Adani Schools Kutch, Ms. Meeta Jadeja gave him the memento as a mark of gratitude for all that he did for the institution.

The school family bid him farewell as he embarks on yet another fascinating journey of his life.



## Farewell to Principal Dr. Mayur Patadia





### Model United Nations Conference July 15, 2024 & July 16, 2024

Adani Public School believes in the holistic development of students and provides them with every opportunity and resources to facilitate their devlopment. Model United Nations is an academic simulation of the United Nations where students play the role of delegates from different countries and attempt to solve real world issues with the policies and perspectives of their assigned country.

Model United Nations (MUN) was held in APS for two days, July 15 and July 16, 2024 during the first three periods. The opening ceremony was conducted by Ms. Meeta Jadeja (Director of APS Kutch region) Coordinator Mr. Parimal Parmar and Mr. Hitesh Thackar by lighting the pious lamp before the goddess Saraswati and seeking her divine blessings. It was carried out for all the sections of class 7<sup>th</sup>. This was their Subject Enrichment activity in which all the students participated enthusiastically as delegates representing their country.

The main objective of this activity was to give students the opportunity to understand the global problems speak confidently on international matters, and develop the art of problem/conflict resolution through negotiation and debate.

MUN in APS Mundra was conducted in an unique way. Each section of class 7 was divided into groups and were given different topics for discussion.

- 1. Topics of groups were as follows:
- 2. Poverty in Somalia
- 3. Corruption in India
- 4. Gender Inequality in India
- 5. Unemployment in China
- 6. Overpopulation in India
- 7. Mental Health in Iran
- 8. Racism in USA
- 9. Education in Guinea
- 10. Water Pollution
- 11. Air Pollution
- 12. Noise Pollution

Mock rounds of MUN were conducted in classes during their Social Science period. They made relevant props and flags according to their topic. They also did good research and displayed a great show.

Special thanks to School Management for conducting such enriching sessions for students.

### **Model United Nations Conference**





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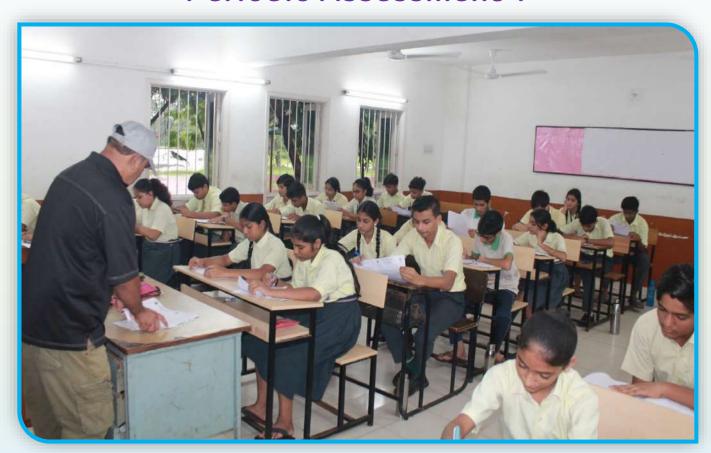
## Periodic Assessment 1 July 21, 2024 to July 29, 2024

A periodic assessment is an opportunity for learners to draw on a range of learning that has taken place over an extended period of time. It helps to track the performance of the student regularly. Teachers find out the gaps in learning of the students and provide necessary support and adjust their lesson plan accordingly.

Adani Public School conducted its first Periodic Assessment from July 21 to July 29, 2024. It was held for classes 1 to 12. It helps both parents and teachers to observe their kids regularly.



## **Periodic Assessment 1**





#### Welcome of Vice Principal Dr. Renu Patidar July 23, 2024

APS Mundra welcomed the Vice Principal Dr. Renu Patidar on July 23, 2024. Director of APS Ms. Ami Shah gave her a formal welcome in the school. In-charge Principal Ms. Meeta Jadeja introduced her to the staff members.

Dr. Renu Patidar has a track record of over 22 years in implementing strategic planning, education management and school administration to drive academic excellence and student development. She has worked in many places across the country. She has a wealth of experience and a passion for education.

Dr. Renu Patidar brings a fresh perspective and a commitment to continue the tradition of excellence that defines our school. We are confident that under her leadership, our school will continue to flourish and provide an enriching learning environment for our students.

She also interacted with the staff and shared her vision and dreams with them.



### Welcome of Vice Principal Dr. Renu Patidar





## Kargil Vijay Diwas July 26, 2024

**Kargil Vijay Diwas**, observed annually on July 26th, marks a pivotal moment in Indian history when our armed forces displayed exemplary courage and determination during the Kargil War of 1999. To honor the sacrifices of our brave soldiers and educate the school community about the significance of this day, the **NCC cadets of Adani Public school** organized a series of meaningful activities.

#### Activities Performed:

- 1. Commemorative Ceremonies: The day began with solemn commemorative ceremonies led by the NCC cadets. A lamp was lighted before Goddess Saraswati by Hon. Director Ms. Meeta Jadeja and Vice Principal Dr. Renu Patidar to pay respect to the soldiers who sacrificed their life in Kargil war. One minute silence was observed by the NCC cadets as well as students of APS to pay tribute to the Martyrs.
- 2. **Poster Making Competition**: A poster making competition was held to encourage artistic expression among the NCC cadets regarding the bravery and sacrifices made by our armed forces during the Kargil War. The theme of the competition focused on patriotism, valor, and national unity. The creative artworks showcased the NCC cadets' deep admiration for the soldiers who fought courageously in the harsh terrain of Kargil.
- 3. **Documentary Screening:** To foster a stronger connection with the military community and provide insights into the historical significance of Kargil Vijay Diwas, a documentary was screened. This documentary highlighted the strategic challenges faced by our soldiers, their unwavering determination, and the ultimate triumph achieved through Operation Vijay. The screening served as an educational tool, enlightening the NCC Cadets about the sacrifices and hardships endured by our armed forces.
- 4. Tree Plantation: Under the guidance of Director Ma'am Ms. Meeta Jadeja, the NCC cadets participated in a tree plantation drive as a symbol of environmental consciousness and dedication to national service. The cadets planted saplings around the school premises, symbolizing growth, resilience, and sustainability. This activity underscored the cadets' commitment to contributing positively to both their community and the environment.
- **5. Letters of Gratitude:** As a heartfelt gesture of appreciation, the NCC cadets wrote letters expressing gratitude to the soldiers serving in our armed forces. These letters conveyed heartfelt messages of respect, admiration, and gratitude for the sacrifices made by the soldiers to safeguard our country's sovereignty and security. The letters were a poignant reminder of the bond between civilians and the military, fostering a sense of unity and solidarity among the students. On the behalf of entire APS team, CTO Ms. Jigisha Patel went to Army Camp Bhimasar to give the gratitude notes to soldiers.

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The Kargil Vijay Diwas celebration organized by the NCC cadets of Adani Public School was a poignant tribute to the bravery and sacrifices of our armed forces during the Kargil War. Through their heartfelt activities the cadets successfully honoured the memory of the martyrs and deepened their understanding of patriotism and national pride. The event not only educated the school community about a significant chapter in Indian history but also instilled a profound sense of respect and admiration for our soldiers.

We extend our sincere appreciation to Director Ma'am Meeta Jadeja, ANO Mr. Amrit Singh, CTO Ms. Jigisha Patel, teachers, the NCC cadets and all those who contributed to the success of the Kargil Vijay Diwas celebration at Adani Public School. Their dedication and efforts ensured that the sacrifices of our soldiers are remembered, honoured, and cherished by the younger generation.



# Kargil Vijay Diwas Poster Making Competition





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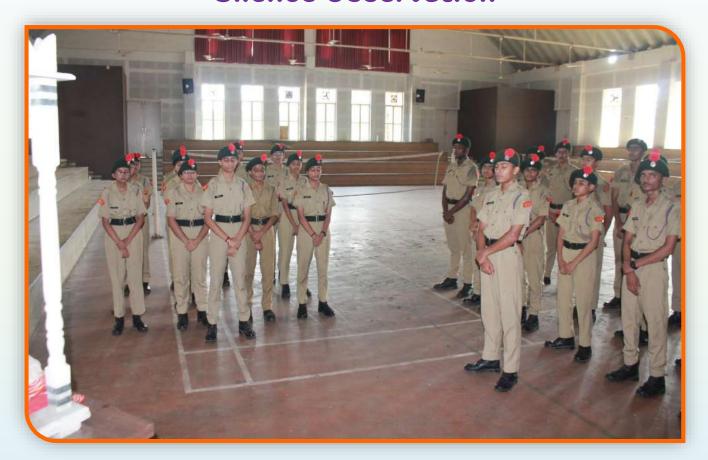


#### Kargil Vijay Diwas NCC Navy & Army Cadets





# Kargil Vijay Diwas Silence Observation





### **Kargil Vijay Diwas**



**Tree Plantation** 



# Kargil Vijay Diwas Tree Plantation



**Gratitude Notes to Soldiers** 



### Kargil Vijay Diwas Gratitude Notes to Soldiers





## STEM Training at Mundra July 29, 2024 & July 31, 2024

#### "STEM is not a class you teach it's a culture you build." - Chris Woods

The Adani Foundation has announced a collaboration with the National Institute of Education (NIE), a part of Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore, to develop and implement a comprehensive STEM Leadership Program. The initiative, facilitated by the Temasek Foundation (Singapore), will see 42 teachers from seven Adani Foundation schools trained as master trainers to promote STEM leadership in India. The program will include a baseline study of STEM education, the development of an Integrated STEM Curriculum Framework, and the construction of STEM Curricular Leadership through online and in-person workshops. Master trainers will also share their learnings at the three-day international conference in April 2025.

The third phase of the training was held at Adani Public School Mundra from July 29, 2024 to July 31, 2024. It was a good learning experience for the trainees. The resource team from Singapore was given a warm traditional welcome by the Bagpiper band, NCC Army and Navy cadets. Special Stolls of Kutch were presented to the guests. Ms. Ami Shah (Director of APS), Mr. George Thomas (Director, Education), Dr. Kavita Nagpal (Chief Academic Officer), Ms. Meeta Jadeja (Incharge Principal) and Dr. Renu Patidar (Vice Principal) gave a formal welcome to the resource team. The training session was then declared open. The STEM Team, Singapore who visited Mundra are:

- 1. Dr. Teo Tang Wee
- 2. Dr. Tan Aik Ling
- 3. Ms. Lim Yu Shan
- 4. Mr. Mabulo Sherwin John San Buenaventura
- 5. Mr. Ong Wei Xiang Adrian
- 6. Dr. Ong Wee Mang Winston

The **SDG goal 6** for this phase was **Clean Water and Sanitation**. They gave the training to teachers sharing with them various ideas about how to make their lesson effective.

#### Day 1 (July 29, 2024)

#### Opening Ceremony

The session started with the lamp lighting ceremony. Vice Principal Dr. Renu Patidar gave a formal welcome to the guest. In her speech she gave the brief introduction about the school.

**Session**: They discussed the following points:

- The session started with the reflection of previous leaning.
- Challenges faced while implementing the STEM Activity.
- Explaining Monodisciplinary, Inter Disciplinary and Trans disciplinary concept.



#### Day 2 (July 30, 2024)

- Recaptitulation of Day 1
- Lesson Plan on Water Scarcity –Collecting Water in Arid Region was shared.

Through the lesson plan they gave an example of how to conduct the activity in the class with the students. In the lesson plan they presented the problem and guided teachers to construct the persona. After the explanation of the lesson plan the teachers were provided with the materials to make the prototype for convenient, clean and constitent source for villagers. The rubrics were provided to them beforehand to allow them to plan their prototype and pitch according to the expectations. The prototype was then tested and teachers were asked to present their prototype. The resource team then helped the teachers to reflect on the process and prototype. It helped learners think deeply, analyse and make informed decisions.



#### Day 3 (July 31, 2024)

On the last day teachers of different schools planned their lessons in groups and conducted it in different classes. STEM Team observed the lessons of the teachers and gave their feedback to them. Teachers also shared their reflections about the lesson. STEM Team and teachers from ADANI Schools Spectrum appreciated students participation and curiosity.

Students also filled the feedback form shared with them.

Overall it was an interactive session where teachers and students actively participated and gave their best.



#### **Closing Ceremony**

In – charge Principal Ms. Meeta Jadeja delivered the Vote of thanks. She expressed her gratitude towards STEM team for such an enriching and active session. Director of Adani Public School, Ms. Ami Shah gifted a mud work art piece, wall hanging and a hand made book mark to the STEM Team as a token of love. During their visit to school STEM Team and teachers from Adani School Specturm visited the school assembly, became a part of cultural events and drama. They also visited the music room and enjoyed the melodious musical performances by students. The team visited the ATL lab and examined the different models made by the students.

They also visited Mundra Port, Adani Solar, Adani Wind Turbine Manufacturing Plant and Adani Wilmar. Special thanks to Management for organizing the special visit by STEM Team for upgrading the teachers. It was a memorable experience for all of us.

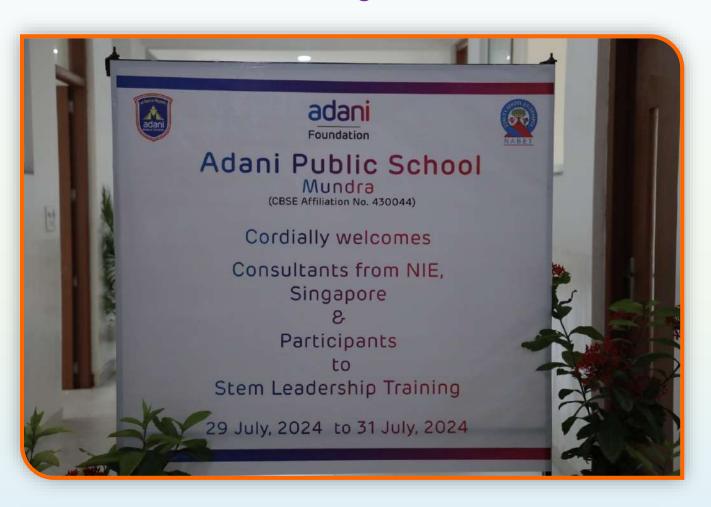






















## Special Music Performance July 31, 2024

APS Mundra arranged a special music performance for the STEM Team. Master Jay Rajgor and Miss Sampoorna Majmuder gave their melodious performances and created a pleasant atmosphere.





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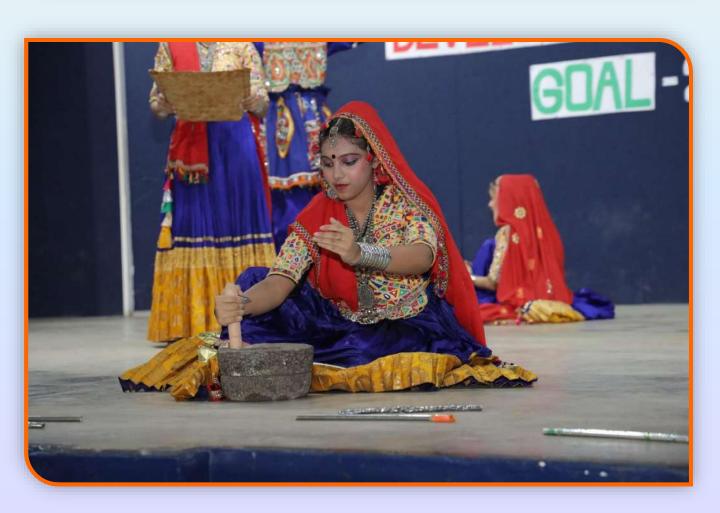
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## Visit to Atal Tinkering Lab July 31, 2024

STEM Team visited the Atal Tinkering Lab and viewed the models made by students.









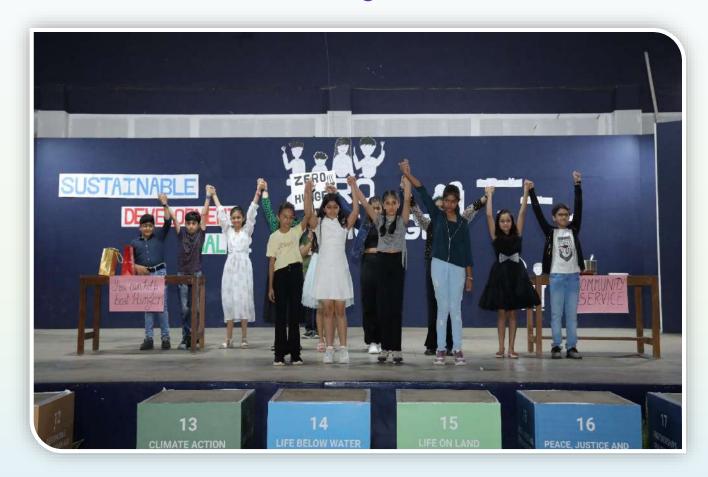
## Zero Hunger Skit July 30, 2024

The team of STEM along with 32 other teachers of Adani School Spectrum visited APS Mundra from July 29, 2024 to July 31, 2024. As a part of cultural program our students of classes 3 to 5 presented a play on Zero Hunger. The play was held on July 30, 2024.

The play was on the topic Zero Hunger - Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 2. The primary objective of the play was to educate and sensitize students about the importance of minimizing food wastage, donating food, and understanding Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 2, which aims to achieve zero hunger.



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