



## Celebrating 75th Republic Day with Zest and Patriotism



Metas Adventist School, a distinguished institution within the Metas Group of Institutions, commemorated the 75th Republic Day with enthusiasm and patriotic fervor. The theme for this significant occasion was "Bharat - The Mother of Democracy." Festivities commenced on January 26th at 8:30 AM, creating an atmosphere charged with patriotism and zeal. The event unfolded with a series of captivating patriotic and cultural displays, leaving an enduring imprint on the hearts of all attendees. The celebration not only honored the significance of Republic Day but also underscored the school's commitment to fostering pride and unity among its students and the broader community.

### Introduction of Chief Guest

The festivities began with a warm welcome by Mr. Ravi Kumar Peteti the principal of the Afternoon shift, representing the President and CEO of Metas Group of Institutions, Prof. (Dr.) Eliah Srikakolli. He then introduced the esteemed Chief Guest, Mr. Vijaykumar Prahladrai Choumal, the SMC Slum Improvement Chairman from Surat Municipal Corporation.



## March Past and Flag Unfurling

The morning was filled with pride as students from various clubs and houses participated in a vibrant march past and parade, showcasing their unity and discipline. The highlight of the event was the unfurling of the national flag by Chief Guest Mr. Vijaykumar Prahladrai Choumal, followed by an inspiring speech that resonated with the spirit of the day.



## Plaque Reading and Honoring

Mr. Naveen Rao, the principal of the Morning Shift, read the plaque content, and the Vice President of Academic Affairs, Mrs. Jaya Srikakolli, honored the Chief Guest with the plaque as a token of appreciation.



The chief guest recognized Krish Gupta, highlighting his outstanding achievements and commitment to cricket. From U14 excellence to captaining Surat U-19 and leading in U23 for Gujarat at just 19, Krish is an inspiring figure. Notably, he excelled as the Second Highest Run Scorer in the U16 Vijay

Merchant Trophy and the highest Wicket Taker in the U-19 Vinoo Mankad Trophy.



# Cultural Extravaganza





The cultural segment of the celebration was a visual treat, featuring performances such as Gujarati Garba, Jharkhand Folk Dance, Patriotic Dance Group, and Rajasthani Folk Dance. The diversity and richness of Indian culture were on full display, captivating the audience and fostering a sense of national pride.

## Motorcade

The houses and clubs of Metas Adventist School showcased their discipline and unity by organizing a motorcade, which added to the solemnity of the occasion.



## Inauguration of Annual Sports Day 2024

The event concluded with the Vice President of Academic Affairs, Mrs. Jaya Srikakolli, inaugurating the Annual Sports Day 2024, setting the stage for another year of athletic achievements and camaraderie.

The 75th Republic Day celebration at Metas Adventist School was a resounding success, bringing together students, faculty, and guests in a celebration of India's rich cultural heritage and democratic values. The event left an enduring impression, reminding everyone of the importance of unity and patriotism in building a stronger and brighter future for the nation.

