

The Scholar Badge and Investiture Ceremony Report

‘Hard work may not always be visible, but today it shines through this badge.’

DPS Gurgaon celebrated a momentous occasion on 24th May 2025 with the Scholar Badge ceremony of Class IV for the session 2024-25 and the Investiture Ceremony of Class V (2025–26). The event commenced with a soulful rendition of the National Song and the School Anthem, setting a solemn and proud tone for the proceedings. This was followed by the felicitation of the Parent Reps of Class V, Dr. Gaurav Kapoor and Ms. Nidhi Arora Dhingra, acknowledging their unwavering support and collaborative spirit in the school’s journey. The atmosphere was filled with pride and anticipation as the ceremony unfolded, honouring academic excellence and ushering in the new Student Council with grace and dignity.

In her welcome address, the Director Principal, Ms Aditi Misra congratulated the recipients of the Scholar Badge, applauding their well-deserved achievements. She emphasised the crucial role both school and home environment play in the holistic development of children. She reiterated the belief that with the right support system in place, students would achieve excellence and bring laurels to the school. She encouraged parents to engage meaningfully with their children, reduce their screen time, promote nutritious eating habits and substitute online games with traditional board games to help children develop resilience, independence, and strong multitasking skills.

A cultural programme unfolded, featuring an enthralling performance by the school choir, ‘Dream Big... Aim High’, celebrating the power of dreams and the courage it takes to pursue them, followed by an exhilarating dance performance on ‘I am the change, I wish to see’, portraying the incredible journey of Madhav - a man whose love for art transformed an abandoned village into a thriving, colourful hub of life.

The Scholar Badge Ceremony brought a wave of pride and joy as young scholars were recognised for their exceptional academic achievements. The audience cheered enthusiastically, celebrating their hard work and perseverance. The atmosphere of celebration continued as the event was followed by the Investiture Ceremony. The oath of office to the appointees was administered by the Director Principal, Ms. Aditi Misra, Dean Student Welfare, Ms. Sapna Dhawan and offg. Vice-Principal, Sec - 40 & 47, Ms. Rati Chugh.

It was a moment of immense pride for the parents to witness their children don the robe of responsibility and pledge to fulfil their duties with sincerity and dedication. The ceremony culminated with the vote of thanks proposed by the Headmistress, Junior School, Ms. Kanu Chopra, where she urged the students to lead with humility, clarity and courage, and to grow into true leaders of tomorrow. The newly elected Head Girl and Head Boy thanked everyone present for their support.

