### School Lounge

# Olympiad stars

### Amitians Excel In English & Maths At National Level







Adwaita (L) & Sanskar(R) with school principa

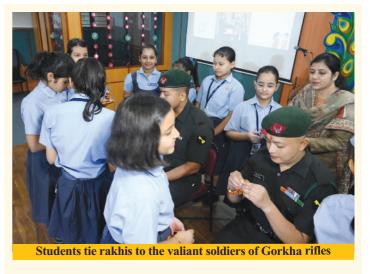
#### AIS Gur 46 & AIS Vas 1

mitians from AIS Gurugram 46 and AIS Vasundhara 1 brought laurels to their schools by winning several accolades at the Unified International Olympiads 2025, held at the national level from Nov - Jan 2024 with results being announced in July 2025. From AIS Gurugram 46, Adwaita Basu (VIII) secured national rank 1 in the Unified International English Olympiad (UIEO), while Sanskar Gupta (IX) bagged All India Rank (AIR) 2 in the Unified International Math Olympiad (UIMO), both organised by the Unified Council.

Adwaita's outstanding command of the English language and Sanskar's sharp mathematical acumen made them stand out among participants across the country. To honour their excellent performance and exceptional abilities, both were awarded a medal, certificate, and a tablet PC by the Unified Council.

Adding to the glory, Amitians from AIS Vasundhara 1 also showcased their linguistic flair and mathematical talent at the olympiads. In Unified International English Olympiad (UIEO), Nivid Tiwari (II) secured AIR 18, Advik Chauhan (VI) AIR 77, Aarna Narang (VII) AIR 84, Shreeyansh Kar (VIII) AIR 93, and Samarth Tyagi (IX) AIR 64. In Unified International Math Olympiad (UIMO), Shreyansh Aggarwal (VII) achieved AIR 60. All the rank holders were felicitated with a medal, certificate of appreciation, resource book, and Olympiad online coaching subscription worth 1,998 INR.

With their stellar performance, Amitians once again proved their academic brilliance and competitive spirit at the national stage.



### A patriotic bond

#### AIS VKC Lucknow

bout 170 students from Class I-IV came together on August 11, 2025, to honour the nation's heroes by celebrating Rakshabandhan with seven soldiers of the 6/11 Gorkha Rifles, led by Naib Subedar Dipesh Gurung.

The soldiers were accorded a warm welcome by school principal Rachna Mishra and the young Amitians. Adding to the festive spirit was a special assembly by 50 students of Class II, who showcased the significance of Rakshabandhan through songs, dances, and skits. This was followed by a soulful ceremony, during which students from Class I, III, and IV tied rakhis on the soldiers' wrists, of-

fered sweets, and expressed gratitude for their selfless service and sacrifices for the nation. The most memorable moments came when the valiant soldiers. deeply moved by the love and respect they received, shared a heartfelt message with the students: "On this sacred occasion of Rakshabandhan, we feel deeply honoured by the love and respect shown by the young Amitians. Every rakhi tied on our wrists today is not just a thread, but a promise that strengthens our resolve to serve and protect the nation with greater dedication. We pledge to uphold the legacy of the Gorkha Rifles and continue our service with courage, loyalty, and discipline. Jai Hind! Jai Maa Kali! Jai Gorkha Rifles!"

# A global wordsmith

#### AIS Noida

argi Tripathi of Class XI has been shortlisted for the prestigious John Locke Institute 2025 Global Essay Prize in the Theology category. Her essay, titled 'Is Atheism Implausible?', stood out among 63,328 entries received from across the world, placing her in the top 18.65 % of the participants. As part of this recognition, she has been invited to attend the awards ceremony and gala dinner to be held on October 4, 2025, at Grosvenor House Hotel, Mayfair, London, where the winners of each category and the overall grand prize will be announced.

In her thought-provoking essay, Gargi explored the philosophical, theological, and human dimensions of belief



and disbelief, presenting a balanced critique of theism while making a compelling case for atheism as a rational, courageous worldview.

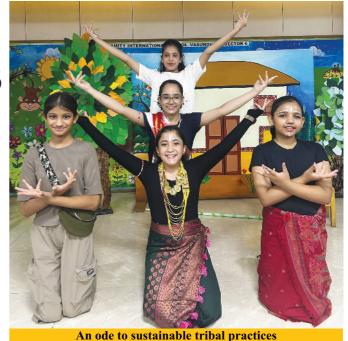
Gargi's achievement reflects the enduring legacy of not only nurturing creativity, but also critical thinking in young minds at Amity, under the visionary leadership of Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF.

# **Tribute to tribes**

#### AIS Vasundhara 6

tudents of Class VI participated in the activity 'Tribal Living: Sustainable Living' on August 22, 2025, wherein they explored sustainable practices of Indian tribes. Through informative and creative presentations, they shared valuable insights into the sustainable lifestyles of tribal communities like Khasi, Garo, Gond, Bhils, Santhals, Bhutia, Apatani, etc.

They also enriched everyone's knowledge about nature-friendly tribal practices like crop rotation, afforestation, terrace farming, herbal pesticides,



rainwater harvesting, bamboo channels, check dams, locally sourced culinary tradition, art forms harmonious with nature etc. The students coveyed the message that urban living, too, can become sustainable by adopting such practices. 611