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LPU Shines in QS Sustainability Rankings 2026: Among Top 14 in India!



Lovely Professional University celebrates yet another remarkable achievement as it rises into the Top 14 institutions in India and 544th worldwide in the prestigious QS Sustainability Rankings 2026, surpassing several premier IITs, IIMs, NITs, and other leading institutions across the country. Outstandingly, LPU has outperformed reputed institutes including IIT Mandi, Ropar, Bhubaneswar, Gandhinagar, BHU, Indore, Guwahati, Jodhpur, Dhanbad, Hyderabad, as well as IIM Ahmedabad, IIM Kozhikode, and all NITs – a proud reflection of its advancing excellence on the global stage.

LPU Ranks 5th in India for International Research Network



In the QS World University Rankings: Asia 2026, LPU has achieved an exceptional 5th rank in India and 56th in Asia under the International Research Network (IRN) parameter! This milestone reflects LPU's strong global collaborations, impactful research, and growing international partnerships – reinforcing our position as a leader in innovation and academic excellence.

LPU Signs Transformative MoU with Centre for Research in Schemes and Policies (CRISP)



Lovely Professional University had the honour of hosting distinguished officials from the Centre for Research in Schemes and Policies (CRISP) for a special MoU Signing Ceremony on campus, marking a transformative step in strengthening the nation's research ecosystem and driving innovation in public policy. The prestigious event was graced by eminent dignitaries including Shri R. Subrahmanyam (IAS, 1985 batch), Smt. Usha Sharma (IAS, 1985 batch), and Shri R. S. Julania (IAS, 1985 batch) – all celebrated for their exemplary contributions to governance, development administration, and impactful public reforms across the country. Their esteemed presence not only elevated the importance of this collaboration but also inspired the academic fraternity with their forward-thinking perspectives on inclusive growth and policy effectiveness. Through this strategic partnership, LPU and CRISP aim to jointly undertake advanced research on government schemes, conduct in-depth policy evaluations, and build innovative frameworks that address real-world socio-economic challenges. The engagement will further open new dimensions of learning for students and scholars by enabling hands-on participation in high-value national projects, knowledge exchange with policymakers, and collaborative initiatives that strengthen the bridge between higher education and governance. This MoU reinforces LPU's longstanding commitment to nation building, enhancing institutional excellence, and creating meaningful contributions to India's development landscape – shaping future leaders who will be well-equipped to design, implement, and assess policies for a better tomorrow.



LPU Women's Kabaddi Team Creates History with First-Ever North Zone Gold!



Lovely Professional University is glowing with pride as our Women's Kabaddi Team has etched their name in history with an unforgettable triumph! For the first time ever, LPU has secured the Gold Medal at the highly competitive North Zone Inter-University Kabaddi Championship 2025–26, defeating powerful contenders from 48 leading universities across the region.

Coached by the inspiring and skilled Ms. Disha, the team delivered extraordinary performances, showcasing courage, agility and true competitive spirit throughout the championship. From lightning-fast raids to impenetrable defensive walls, our athletes dominated the mat with unwavering focus and tactical brilliance. Each match strengthened their momentum, each challenge fueled their determination – until they stood undefeated at the very top.

This victory is not just a win in sports – it is a celebration of women empowerment, discipline, and the unstoppable pursuit of excellence. The journey to this golden moment has been paved with countless hours of training, tough hurdles, sweat, and sacrifice. Yet, our champions never backed down. They rose stronger each day, believing in themselves, in their coach, and in the power of teamwork.

LPU applauds the monumental efforts of Coach Ms. Disha, whose strategic guidance and confidence in her players pushed them to break barriers, overcome doubts and bring home the ultimate glory. This gold medal marks the beginning of a new era in LPU's women's sports – one defined by ambition, leadership, and fearless achievement.

Today, the entire LPU family stands united to congratulate our incredible athletes who have made us shine on the North Zone sports stage like never before. Their success will inspire future generations of women to step onto the field with pride, strength, and the will to conquer.

Pedalling Towards Exposure: How Cycling Enriches University Student Life



Exposure is one of the most powerful tools in shaping a student's university journey. At modern campuses, learning extends beyond classrooms—into fields, clubs, events and experiences that build confidence, discipline and teamwork. Among these, cycling has emerged as a unique and impactful avenue for student development.

Cycling initiatives on campus offer far more than physical activity. They provide students with exposure to wellness habits, environmental consciousness, leadership opportunities and community engagement. When universities organise cyclothons, unity rides, or cycling clubs, students get the chance to step out, explore, collaborate and challenge themselves in a meaningful way.

How Cycling Enhances Student Exposure

1. Builds Leadership and Team Spirit

Group rides and cycling events naturally encourage coordination, communication and shared responsibility. Students learn to lead, support one another and move forward as a team—skills essential for future professionals.

2. Encourages Sustainable Thinking

Cycling exposes students to the importance of eco-friendly choices. It strengthens their understanding of sustainable mobility, energy conservation and environmental care.

3. Promotes Physical and Mental Wellbeing

Regular riding boosts fitness, reduces stress and sharpens focus. Students learn the value of an active lifestyle that balances academics with health.

4. Provides Event Experience and Volunteering Opportunities

Cyclothons, flag-off ceremonies and wellness rides allow students to participate as organisers, volunteers, photographers, social media storytellers and event managers—giving them real-world experiential learning.

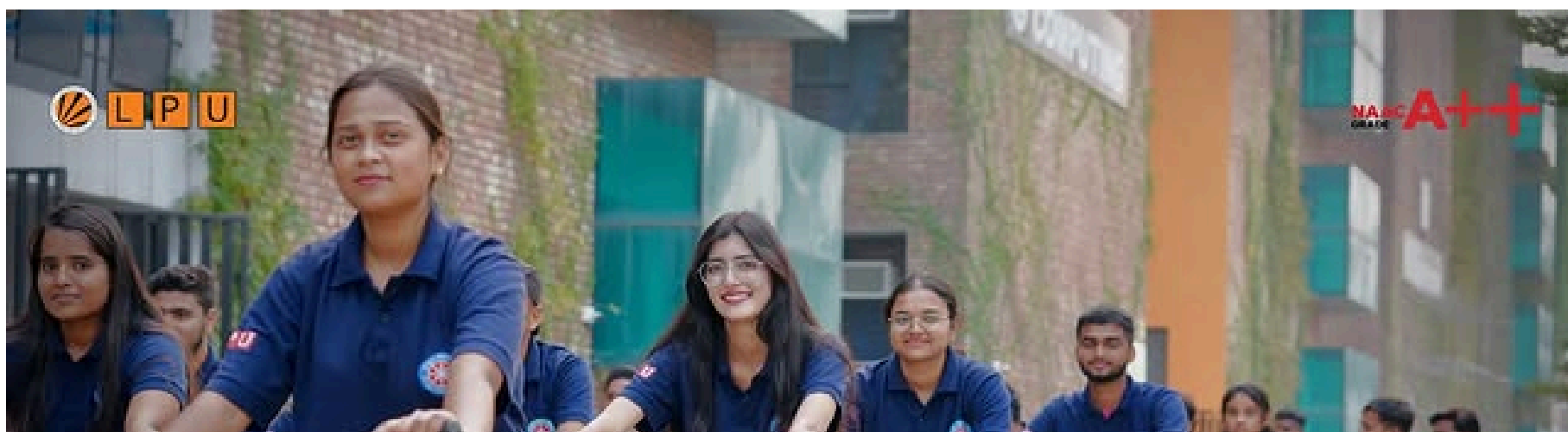
5. Expands Social Connections

Cycling clubs bring together students from different schools and backgrounds, helping them build friendships, expand networks and feel more connected to the campus community.

An Exposure That Goes Beyond the Ride

Cycling on campus is not just about pedalling—it is about opening doors to new experiences, new people and new perspectives. Whether students participate in a cyclothon or join a club, they gain life skills that shape their personality, confidence and career readiness.

By encouraging cycling initiatives, universities create a culture of wellbeing, responsibility and unity—empowering students to move forward, just as their bicycles do, with balance, strength and purpose.



LPU Hosts the I.I.M.U.N. Jalandhar Conference 2025: A Landmark in Global Learning and Youth Leadership



Lovely Professional University proudly welcomed the prestigious I.I.M.U.N. Jalandhar Conference 2025—a dynamic three-day celebration of debate, diplomacy and global collaboration. Our #LPU Campus transformed into a hub of international dialogue as delegates from across India and abroad gathered to represent nations, address pressing world issues and work together toward impactful solutions. The conference offered students a powerful platform to think critically, negotiate effectively and engage with real-world challenges. Committee sessions were filled with passionate discussions, well-researched arguments and innovative resolutions—truly reflecting the strength and potential of today's youth. Beyond the committees, cultural and networking sessions added a vibrant global dimension to the event. Delegates experienced a beautiful blend of diverse traditions, modern ideas, heartfelt conversations and meaningful friendships formed across borders. The atmosphere buzzed with energy, curiosity and unity. LPU celebrates every participant who stepped up, spoke confidently and embraced the spirit of leadership. Events like I.I.M.U.N. reinforce our commitment to providing international exposure, experiential learning and opportunities that shape future global citizens.

Global Village 2025: A Celebration of Cultures, Creativity, and Connection at LPU

From vibrant colours to rhythmic beats, from soulful voices to graceful fashion walks, the Global Village at the 4th Annual International Conference and Global Summit (AICGS) 2025 transformed the Lovely Professional University campus into a spectacular showcase of unity in diversity. The evening was a breathtaking celebration of global culture, where music, art, and tradition blended seamlessly to create an atmosphere of pure joy and togetherness. Students and international delegates filled the stage with open mic performances, energetic dances, traditional showcases, and cross-cultural exchanges that beautifully reflected LPU's belief in learning beyond borders. The event embodied the university's vision of celebrating every culture, every voice, and every perspective that contributes to a diverse and harmonious world. With over 50 international delegates from 25 universities across 15 countries—including the USA, UK, Russia, Norway, South Korea, Germany, Italy, Bangladesh, and Canada—the Global Village became a vibrant canvas of cultures, traditions, and friendships.



It was not just an event but an experience of global unity, creativity, and collaboration, highlighting how LPU continues to bridge continents through education, culture, and shared human values. The evening truly stood as a testament to LPU's spirit of inclusivity and its unwavering commitment to building a world without boundaries.

Game On at LPU – A New Era of Esports and Innovation Begins



As part of the General Sports Championship (GSC), a special Showcase Box Cricket Match illuminated the Shanti Devi Mittal Indoor Sports Complex with unmatched enthusiasm, competitive spirit, and a truly global vibe. The arena resonated with cheers and excitement as the fast-paced format of box cricket delivered nonstop action and entertainment.

Lovely Professional University had the privilege of welcoming International Players, whose presence added exceptional value to the championship. Showcasing precision, power, and world-class flair, the players treated the audience to explosive shots, sharp fielding, and thrilling finishes that kept everyone on the edge of their seats. Beyond the scoreboard, the match stood as a powerful display of sportsmanship, mutual respect, and cultural exchange.

This unforgettable encounter infused the championship with a vibrant international dimension, bringing together diverse talents and perspectives on one dynamic platform. Celebrating passion, teamwork, and unity through sport, the showcase match truly reflected the spirit of GSC—where competition meets camaraderie, and sports transcend borders.

Unity, Energy, and Competition Mark GSC Cricket Day

Another electrifying day unfolded at the Intra-School General Sports Championship (GSC), as the cricket grounds came alive with energy, teamwork, and competitive passion.

Cricket served as the perfect unifier, bringing together Team Agni, Team Akash, Team Vayu, and Team Jal, each displaying remarkable unity, determination, and true sportsmanship. From well-coordinated team efforts to spirited on-field performances, every match reflected the essence of healthy competition and mutual respect.

The day was marked by warm camaraderie off the pitch and high-intensity action on it—capturing the very heart of campus sports culture at Lovely Professional University. Cheers from teammates, tactical gameplay, and moments of encouragement made the event as memorable as it was thrilling. As GSC continues to build momentum, it promises more enthusiasm, stronger bonds, and unforgettable sporting memories.



GSC 2025–26 Inaugurated with Spirit and Celebration



The General Sports Championship (GSC) 2025–26 commenced with great enthusiasm at Lovely Professional University in the esteemed presence of Dr. Jaspal Singh Sandhu, Vice Chancellor, and Dr. Sorabh Lakhanpal, Executive Dean, Student Welfare Wing. Their inspiring words set the tone for this flagship sporting event.

A highlight of the ceremony was the first official eSports match of this GSC edition, marking an exciting start. The evening also featured the closing ceremony of the Freshmen Cricket League (FCL) 2025, where outstanding teams were honoured:

🏆 Winner: Verto Warrior | 🥈 1st Runner-Up: Transformers XI | 🥉 2nd Runner-Up: A++ Squad

A Soulful Night of Sufi Magic at LPU



What a magical night at Lovely Professional University as the #BeautifulLPU Campus came alive during the Heritage India Tour 2025, graced by the legendary Dr. Satinder Sartaaj. His soulful and spellbinding Sufi music transformed the campus into a celebration of culture, poetry, and melody.

From the very first note, the audience was captivated—students swayed, sang along, and embraced every moment with pure joy. Thousands gathered to witness the power of music and heritage coming together in a truly unforgettable experience.

Thank you, Dr. Sartaaj, for gifting LPU an evening filled with magic, meaning, and memories that will last forever.



An Evening of Inspiration and Purpose at LPU



A truly transformative evening unfolded at Lovely Professional University as the iconic Dr. Subhash Chandra—Media Baron, Chairman Emeritus of ZEE, Chairman of the Essel Group, and Former Member of Parliament—graced the #LPU Campus for the much-admired 'सच Show'. Through sharp insights, real-life experiences, and his trademark honesty, Dr. Chandra inspired students to think beyond limitations, question fearlessly, and pursue a purpose-driven life. His words resonated deeply, igniting self-belief and encouraging the youth to embrace responsibility with courage and clarity.

From thought-provoking discussions to powerful takeaways, the evening awakened new aspirations and reinforced the belief that today's youth holds the strength to shape the India of tomorrow.



Shaping the Future of School Education at the 68th ASISC Conference

At the 68th ASISC Conference, Dr. Ashok Kumar Mittal, Hon'ble Chancellor of Lovely Professional University and Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha), inspired over 1,800 principals and senior educators from across India with a compelling vision for the future of school education.

In a landmark announcement, Dr. Mittal launched a ₹25 lakh Entrepreneurship Competition for ASISC students, offering ₹5 lakh seed funding and expert mentorship to the top five student teams—a powerful step toward enabling young minds to transform innovative ideas into real-world solutions.

He also unveiled a free Entrepreneurial Skills Builder App, developed by Masters' Union in collaboration with Tetr College of Business and VP Outgrow, empowering school learners to assess their strengths and track their entrepreneurial journeys.



A Day of Grit, Courage, and Unfiltered Truth at LPU



A truly powerful and unforgettable day unfolded at Lovely Professional University as the campus had the honour of hosting Lucky Bisht—Former Sniper, Spy, NSG Commando, and Author—for an inspiring Youth Talk that left students deeply moved and reflective.

Through real-life stories drawn from the frontlines of covert operations, discipline, and sacrifice, Lucky Bisht shared rare lessons on courage, resilience, and purpose. His words resonated strongly with young minds, reminding them that true leadership is rooted in service, integrity, and inner strength.

Tracing his journey from the shadows of national service to the spotlight of authorship, the session became a powerful masterclass for students dreaming big, fighting personal battles, and shaping their own destiny.



Laughter Takes the Spotlight as Chandan Prabhakar Visits LPU

The ever-hilarious and much-loved Chandan Prabhakar, one of India's most popular comedians and actors, lit up the stage at Lovely Professional University during a memorable session of Youth Talk. With his trademark wit, charm, and infectious humour, Chandan had the audience in constant laughter while also sharing heartfelt reflections from his remarkable journey in the entertainment industry.

The #LPUFamily was all smiles as the campus echoed with applause, laughter, and moments of genuine connection. Students not only enjoyed his comedy but also took away valuable life lessons about perseverance, humility, and staying true to one's passion.

It was an afternoon where fun met inspiration—a celebration of joy, creativity, and learning that reminded everyone that laughter truly brings people together.



A STAR-STUDED THEATRE EVENING AT LPU



The Shanti Devi Mittal Auditorium at Lovely Professional University resonated with applause and excitement as the acclaimed play Aakhri Local took center stage, featuring phenomenal performances by Darsheel Safary and Aryan Deshpande.

The moment Darsheel Safary—fondly remembered as the iconic Ishaan Awasthi from Taare Zameen Par—stepped onto the LPU stage, the auditorium lit up with nostalgia, cheers, and pure joy. His emotionally powerful performance, seamlessly complemented by Aryan Deshpande's commanding stage presence, made the evening truly unforgettable.

This enriching theatre experience was proudly supported by Student Organization Wissen, under the aegis of the Division of Youth Affairs, Student Welfare Wing.

The event stood as a beautiful celebration of art, storytelling, and live performance—leaving students inspired and reminding everyone of the timeless magic that theatre brings to life.



Honouring a Visionary Monarch at LPU

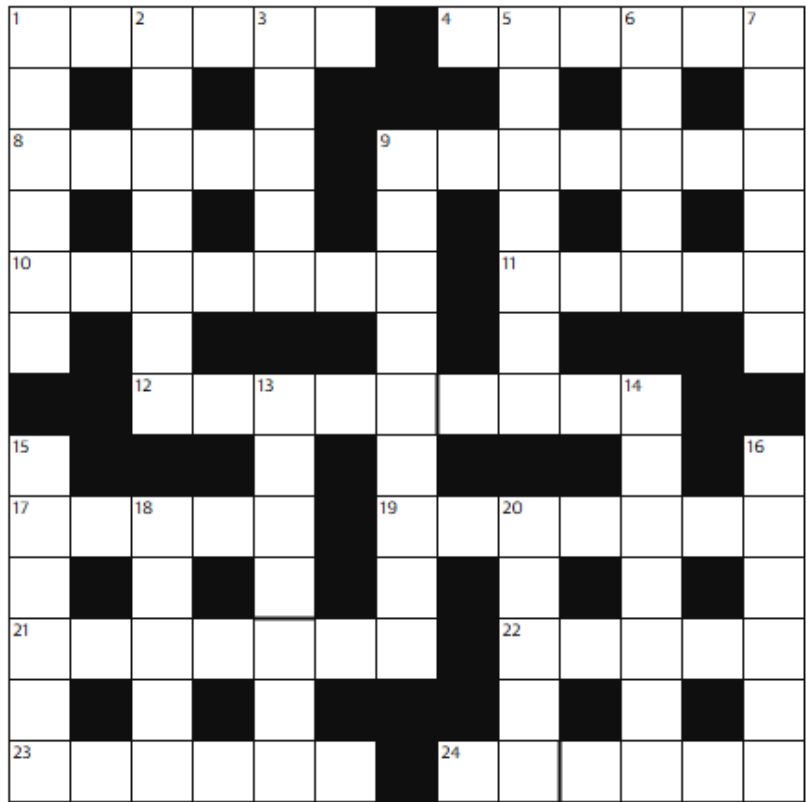


Lovely Professional University proudly commemorated the birth anniversary of Jigme Singye Wangchuck, the beloved Fourth King of Bhutan, whose visionary leadership reshaped the nation's path toward peace, progress, and holistic development.

The event was organised by the Bhutanese Student Association under the aegis of the Division of Youth Affairs, Student Welfare Wing, and served as a heartfelt tribute to His Majesty's remarkable legacy. Speakers and participants reflected on his pioneering philosophy of Gross National Happiness (GNH)—a transformative vision that placed the well-being of people, sustainability, and cultural values at the heart of national growth.

The celebration beautifully highlighted themes of enlightened leadership, environmental stewardship, and national unity, offering students a deeper understanding of Bhutan's timeless wisdom. It stood not only as a remembrance of a great monarch, but also as an inspiring reminder of how purposeful leadership can influence nations and guide generations worldwide.

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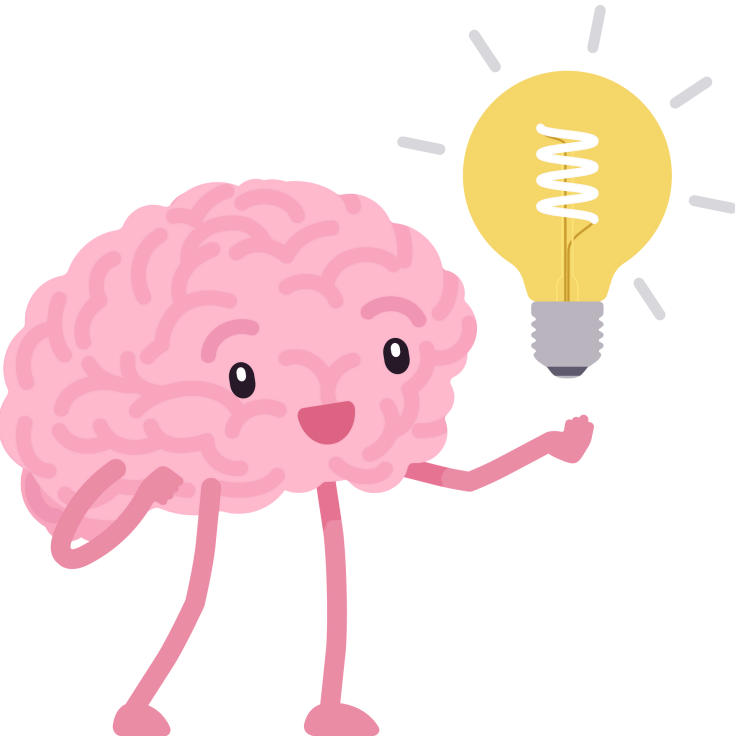
- Across**

1 Inveigle (6)
4 Slender (6)
8 Legal (5)
9 Critical and causal (7)
10 Innumerable (7)
11 Indian garment (5)
12 Plonk? (5,4)
17 Port city in Andalusia (5)
19 Film clip with a mistake, often funny (7)
21 Derived from element symbol N (7)
22 Merging (5)
23 Wine-serving vessel with flared lip (6)
24 Oofta! (2,4)
- Down**

1 Hardened pad of skin (6)
2 Top lotto prize (7)
3 Agile (5)
5 Composer known as the 'Red Priest' (7)
6 Language, originally a dialect in old Lazio (5)
7 Long cake (6)
9 Graceless and heavy (9)
13 Sling your hook! (4,3)
14 Ambiguous, as avoidance tactics (7)
15 Charming (as landscapes?) (6)
16 Sterling note (6)
18 Treed (anag) (5)
20 Feel (5)

TRY OUT YOURSELF
SUDOKU!!!

Challenge your mind and sharpen your logic skills with Sudoku! This classic number puzzle is the perfect way to boost concentration and have fun at the same time. Grab a grid and give it a go can you solve it without a hint?



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Lovely Professional University proudly hosted an inspiring Youth Talk on National Security by Dr. Atul Fulzele, IPS, Inspector General, BSF Punjab. His powerful session on the “Role of BSF in National Security” highlighted the unseen sacrifices, unwavering vigilance, and extraordinary courage of the Border Security Force, leaving students deeply aware and motivated.

YOUTH TALK ON NATIONAL SECURITY INSPIRES LPU STUDENTS

Organised by LPU-NCC under the aegis of the Division of Youth Affairs, Student Welfare Wing, the event was enriched by a BSF Expo, a plantation ceremony, and an engaging Q&A session. The day stood as a meaningful blend of knowledge, patriotism, and purpose—instilling renewed national pride and responsibility among LPU students.



SPREADING WARMTH, KINDNESS, AND SMILES

Lovely Professional University’s National Service Scheme (NSS), under the aegis of the Division of Youth Affairs, Student Welfare Wing, carried out a heart-touching initiative as part of the Joy of Giving Project by visiting a local government school to distribute jackets to young children.

This thoughtful act of service aimed to protect children from the winter chill while spreading comfort, care, and compassion. The bright smiles and excitement on the children’s faces turned the simple gesture into a deeply meaningful experience for everyone involved. The initiative beautifully reflected the values of empathy, social responsibility, and community service, reminding us that even the smallest acts of kindness can create lasting warmth and happiness.



EDITOR’S NOTE

This November

Dear Readers,
November arrives as a gentle pause in the academic journey—a month that invites reflection, responsibility, and renewal. As the semester finds its rhythm, this is a time for students to look back on how far they have come, while also preparing with clarity and confidence for what lies ahead. This month reminds us that growth is not only measured by grades or achievements, but also by resilience, curiosity, and the courage to question, learn, and evolve. From classrooms to campus corridors, November carries stories of dedication, teamwork, innovation, and quiet perseverance that often go unnoticed—but matter deeply. As the year slowly draws toward its close, let November be a reminder: every small effort today shapes a stronger tomorrow. Happy reading, and wishing you a purposeful and productive month ahead.

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