

ARMY DAY CELEBRATION

On 15th January 2025, our school Army Public School Jammu Cantt celebrated Army Day with great zeal and enthusiasm to honor the valiant soldiers who safeguard our nation's freedom and sovereignty. The event aimed to instill a sense of patriotism and appreciation for the Indian Armed Forces among students.

The day commenced with a special assembly organized by the students of Ashoka House. The program featured a motivational speech by Neharika Sharma about the significance of Commander-in-Chief, Field Marshal K. M. Cariappa, on 15th January 1949. She also spoke about the diverse roles played by the Indian Army, including disaster relief, rescue operations, and humanitarian efforts, emphasizing their role as protectors and contributors to national welfare.

A dance drama by middle wing students resonated with the audience, evoking a sense of pride and gratitude. To further engage the students, a quiz was conducted by Anayat on the history and achievements of the Indian Army in which students ardently participated. A heartfelt poem titled, '**Our Soldiers**' by Parul Singh created an emotional atmosphere. The poem beautifully captured the spirit of courage, resilience and selflessness of our soldiers. In Teacher's talk, Ms Tanisha Sharma, eloquently shared insights about the significance of the day and the invaluable contributions of the Indian Army.

Ms Puneet Kaur, the Principal of the school in her concluding speech, emphasized the importance of recognizing the contributions of the armed forces and encouraged students to imbibe the values of discipline, dedication, and courage. Furthermore, she praised the efforts of the students and teachers in organizing such a meaningful event.

In addition to this, interaction of General Upendra Dwivedi, COAS with NCC cadets and school children was digitally shown to the students in their classrooms. The session instilled the valuable lessons about discipline, duty and respect for Armed Forces.

