

ANNUAL REPORT 2025-26

Introduction

It is with immense pride and gratitude that I present the Annual Report of St. Raphael's Cathedral School for the academic year 2025-26. This report highlights the significant achievements, academic progress, infrastructural developments, co-curricular accomplishments, and institutional initiatives undertaken during the year. The collective efforts of our Management, staff, students, parents, and stakeholders have enabled the school to continue its pursuit of excellence in accordance with its motto, **"Seek and Find."**

School Leadership and Infrastructure

Under the visionary guidance of our Manager, V. Rev. Fr. Joshy Pulikottil, and the leadership of our Principal, Rev. Fr. Anto K. V., supported by Asst. Manager Fr. Ibin Johny Perumbillil, the school continued to strengthen its commitment to holistic and quality education.

The institution further enhanced its infrastructure and learning facilities to provide a safe, inclusive, and technology-enabled environment. The school is equipped with modern classrooms, composite laboratories, language laboratory, activity rooms, CCTV surveillance, a fully air-conditioned conference hall, St. Raphael's Hall, and other student-friendly facilities. The school also continues to serve as a venue for CBSE Board Examinations, reflecting its credibility and infrastructural readiness.

Academic Excellence

Academic achievement remained the cornerstone of the institution during the year. The school consistently encouraged students to excel through systematic teaching-learning practices, continuous assessments, remedial support, and enrichment programmes.

Students participated in various competitive examinations, Olympiads, scholarship tests, and talent examinations at district, state, national, and international levels, bringing laurels to the institution. Outstanding performances in board examinations, competitive examinations, and subject-based contests reflected the academic strength of the school.

Regular academic monitoring, competency-based learning practices, experiential learning activities, and the implementation of CBSE guidelines ensured continuous improvement in student performance.

Co-Curricular and Sports Achievements

The school actively promoted participation in sports, arts, cultural activities, literary competitions, and talent development programmes.

Students represented the school in CBSE Cluster Competitions, Sahodaya events, district-level tournaments, and various inter-school competitions. Achievements were recorded in athletics, table tennis, kabaddi, cricket, archery, and other sporting disciplines.

The school also performed commendably in Sahodaya Kalotsavam, English Fest, Science Exhibitions, and cultural competitions. These accomplishments demonstrated the talents, creativity, and dedication of our students while fostering teamwork, leadership, and confidence.

Student Development and Enrichment Programmes

In line with the National Education Policy and CBSE recommendations, the school focused on the holistic development of learners through a variety of enrichment programmes.

Students actively participated in:

- Literary and Arts Club activities
- Science and Innovation Programmes
- Robotics and STEM initiatives
- Yoga and Wellness Programmes
- Career Guidance Sessions
- Cyber Safety and Awareness Programmes
- Community Outreach Activities
- Educational Tours and Field Visits
- Leadership and Personality Development Programmes

Special emphasis was given to value education, life skills, environmental awareness, and social responsibility through club activities and awareness campaigns.

Celebrations and Observances

The school celebrated national festivals, commemorative days, and important observances throughout the academic year. Programmes were conducted to create awareness among students regarding environmental sustainability, health and wellness, constitutional values, social responsibility, and national integration.

Major celebrations included:

- Independence Day
- Republic Day
- Teachers' Day
- Children's Day
- Kerala Piravi
- Onam Celebration
- Christmas Celebration
- School Annual Cultural Fest
- Sports Meet
- Various International and National Awareness Days

These activities provided students with opportunities to showcase their talents and develop a sense of cultural appreciation and civic responsibility.

Social Responsibility and Community Outreach

The school continued its commitment to humanitarian values through various outreach programmes. Students participated in charitable initiatives, relief activities, environmental campaigns, and community service projects.

Fundraising and service activities undertaken by students and staff reflected the institution's dedication to nurturing responsible and compassionate citizens.

Assessment and Quality Initiatives

The school actively participated in CBSE-mandated assessment programmes and quality enhancement initiatives. Continuous assessment mechanisms, competency-based evaluations, and student performance analyses were undertaken to improve learning outcomes.

Regular monitoring, academic audits, and feedback systems helped maintain high standards of educational delivery and institutional effectiveness.

Parent Partnership

The Parent Teacher Association (PTA) continued to play a vital role in supporting the school's developmental initiatives. PTA meetings, orientation programmes, and interactive sessions strengthened the partnership between parents and the school.

Constructive suggestions and active participation from parents contributed significantly to the overall growth and progress of the institution.

Teacher Professional Development

The school places great importance on the professional growth of its educators. During the academic year, teachers participated in CBSE Capacity Building Programmes, workshops, seminars, training sessions, and in-house professional development activities.

These programmes enhanced pedagogical skills, assessment practices, digital competencies, and classroom management strategies, ensuring the delivery of quality education.

Conclusion

The academic year 2025–26 has been marked by growth, achievement, innovation, and collective success. The accomplishments of our students and staff stand as testimony to the unwavering support of the Management, dedicated efforts of teachers, cooperation of parents, and determination of our learners.

As we move forward, St. Raphael's Cathedral School remains committed to nurturing responsible, competent, and compassionate individuals while upholding the highest standards of academic and ethical excellence.

I express my sincere gratitude to the Management, staff members, parents, students, and all stakeholders for their continuous support and cooperation. Together, we shall continue our journey towards greater achievements and excellence.

Thank You.

Ms. Sandhya Thomas
Vice Principal

