



## Library and Information Center

### Report on Book-Inspired Art Competition: Journey through the Pages

To foster a deeper connection between reading and artistic creativity, the **Book-Inspired Art Competition** was successfully conducted on 23rd September 2025 at the Lower-Level Library, Amar Javan Block. The event provided a platform for students to visually interpret the themes, characters, and narratives of books that have inspired them. This initiative aimed to blend literature and visual arts, encouraging students to reflect creatively on what they have read and to express their understanding through art.

The competition commenced promptly at 3:00 PM. A total of 46 students registered, and 18 participants enthusiastically participated. Each participant was required to bring their own art materials and create an original artwork based on a book of their choice. The setting of the Lower-Level Library provided an ambient, quiet space conducive to both concentration and inspiration.

Students chose a wide range of literary works for inspiration — from classic novels and children's literature to contemporary fiction and graphic novels. The artworks reflected themes such as courage, fantasy, adventure, identity, and personal growth, demonstrating the diversity of students' reading interests and their unique artistic interpretations.

The judging criteria included originality, relevance to the book/theme, creativity, technique, and overall presentation. The judging panel took time to carefully review each piece and understand the stories behind their work.

The primary objective of the event was to promote reading culture among students and to provide a creative outlet where literature and art intersect. By encouraging students to create artwork inspired by their favorite books, the competition aimed to:

- Enhance critical thinking and interpretation skills.
- Develop an appreciation for literary works.
- Stimulate creativity and artistic expression.
- Provide a space for interdisciplinary engagement.

### Awards and Recognition

At the conclusion of the competition, the top three artworks were awarded.

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All 18 participants were presented with **Participation Certificates**, acknowledging their effort, time, and creativity.

The **Book Inspired Art Competition** was a well-received and successful initiative that effectively met its goals of encouraging literary engagement and artistic expression. It provided a meaningful platform for students to interpret and celebrate books that have influenced them, while also showcasing their creative talents.

