



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL GANDHINAGAR

Academic Session 2026-27

Event Report

Title: "SPECIAL ASSEMBLY- RAKSHABANDHAN AND ONAM"	Date: 25-08-2026
Venue: Atrium	Class: 1 B and IV A

Our diversity is our strength, and our traditions are the threads that weave us together.

About the Event:

A special assembly on Raksha Bandhan and Onam highlighting India's rich cultural diversity was held on August 25th, 2026 by the students of class I-B and IV-A of **Delhi Public School Gandhinagar**. Raksha Bandhan honours the loving bond between siblings, while Onam is a harvest festival from Kerala celebrating **King Mahabali** with floral carpets (**pookalam**) and traditional dances.

Objectives:

- ❖ Promote awareness and appreciation of India's rich cultural diversity.
- ❖ Highlight the significance of Raksha Bandhan and strengthen the values of love, care, respect, and sibling bonding.
- ❖ Introduce students to the cultural heritage of Kerala through the traditions and celebrations associated with Onam.
- ❖ Provide opportunities for students to showcase their talents through cultural presentations, traditional dances, and other performances.

The Event & Participation:

The special assembly commenced with a warm welcome to the esteemed dignitaries, **Principal Ms. Anju Singh and Head Master Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat**, who were presented with a **green sapling and a souvenir**. The students introduced the significance of Raksha Bandhan and Onam, highlighting the beautiful traditions and values associated with both festivals.

The young learners of **Class I-B** presented a graceful rendition on Raksha Bandhan, followed by vibrant dance performances by the students of both classes. The performances were thoughtfully curated around the theme of '**Unity in Diversity**', encouraging students to appreciate India's varied cultural traditions. The colourful presentations and energetic performances were truly **a feast for the eyes**, adding vibrancy and charm to the celebration.

The enthusiastic participation of the young performers helped foster **confidence, teamwork, coordination, and stage presence**. The assembly was followed by an inspiring address by the **Honourable Principal and Head Master**, who appreciated the students' efforts and emphasized the importance of celebrating India's diverse cultural heritage while nurturing the values of **unity, respect, and harmony**.

The celebration beautifully conveyed the message of '**Unity in Diversity**' and reinforced the values of **love, respect, harmony, and togetherness**. The programme served as a meaningful platform for students to **celebrate cultural diversity, showcase their talents, and learn through active participation**, making it a memorable and enriching experience for the school community.

Some highlights of the assembly.

