



DON BOSCO SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, NERUL REPORT ON DIWALI CELEBRATION 2025

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Diwali Celebration with Joy and Togetherness at Don Bosco Senior Secondary School, Nerul

The Don Bosco Senior Secondary School, Nerul, celebrated the festival of lights, Diwali, with immense joy, enthusiasm, and traditional fervour on **Thursday, October 17, 2025**. The celebration successfully fostered creativity, encouraged eco-friendly practices, and reinforced the cultural values associated with the festival among students from Classes I to XII.

Highlights of the Day

The celebration was organized as a series of grade-wise creative activities held within the respective classrooms, promoting hands-on learning and collaborative effort. The activities were structured to ensure age-appropriate participation and skill development:

- **Foundational (I & II):** The youngest students engaged in delightful art projects focused on basic decorative elements. Activities included **Paper Diya Making**, **Tear and Paste Rangoli Making**, **Kalash Painting**, and **Lantern Drawing**, resulting in vibrant and cheerful classroom decorations.
- **Preparatory (III to V):** Students in these grades focused on combining artistic expression with sustainability. Key activities were **Eco-Friendly Diwali Poster Making** to raise awareness, **Mehandi Design Making**, and the creation of personalized **Gift Boxes** and **Jewellery Making** items.
- **Middle Classes (VI to VIII):** These classes executed more complex craft projects. Class VI students focused on detailed decor like **Wall Hanging**, **Toran Making** and intricate **Thali Decoration**. Students from Classes VII and VIII designed innovative lighting solutions, including **Jar Lanterns with Big Plastic Bottles** and **Wall Art from Cardboard and Newspaper** to create unique **Diya Holders**.
- **Secondary Classes (IX to XII):** The senior students showcased advanced artistic skills through activities like **Jewellery Making**, **Dry Flower Arrangement**, **Bottle Art**, and **Jute Rope Art**. A particularly noteworthy event was the **T-shirt Painting** activity, where students artistically conveyed messages promoting a safe and ethical Diwali celebration.

Participation and Outcome

The participation across all grades (I-XII) was notably enthusiastic. Students demonstrated impressive creativity, craftsmanship, and team spirit, transforming the classrooms into vibrant spaces reflecting the festive glow of Diwali. The initiative successfully highlighted the importance of celebrating festivals in an environmentally conscious manner.

The celebration concluded with a strengthened sense of community and culture among the students, fulfilling the school's commitment to holistic education and traditional appreciation. The school extends its best wishes for a safe and joyful Diwali to all students and parents.

