



DHE Olympiad

A BRIEF REPORT



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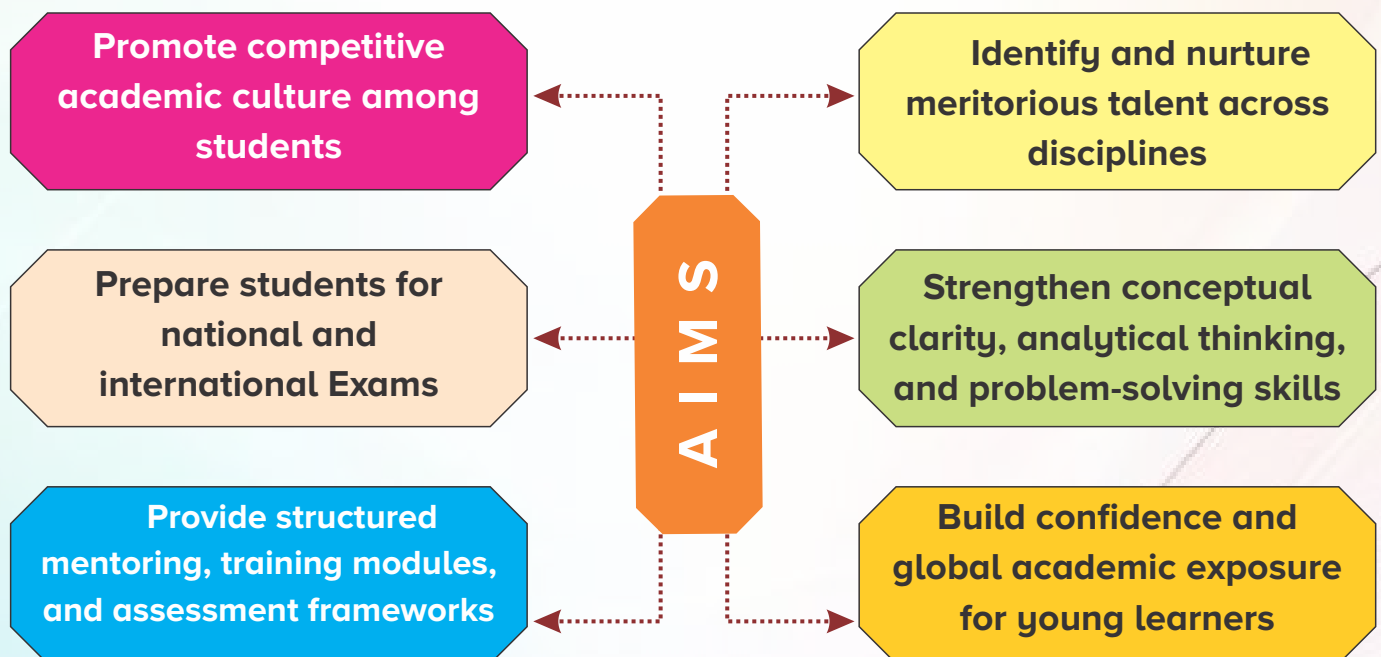
The Department of Holistic Education (DHE) was established to advance value-based, skill-oriented, and innovation-driven education aligned with the National Education Policy 2020. Inspired by the philosophy of Vidya Bharti, DHE works to nurture responsible citizens, creative thinkers, and ethical leaders by integrating **Bharatiya values, modern knowledge, and experiential learning.**

Founded in **2021** under Vidya Bharti Punjab and scaled nationally in **2023** under **VBITR Trust**, DHE today functions as a global **platform for educational reform, leadership development, and research and innovation in education.**



Olympiad Cell – Nurturing Academic Excellence

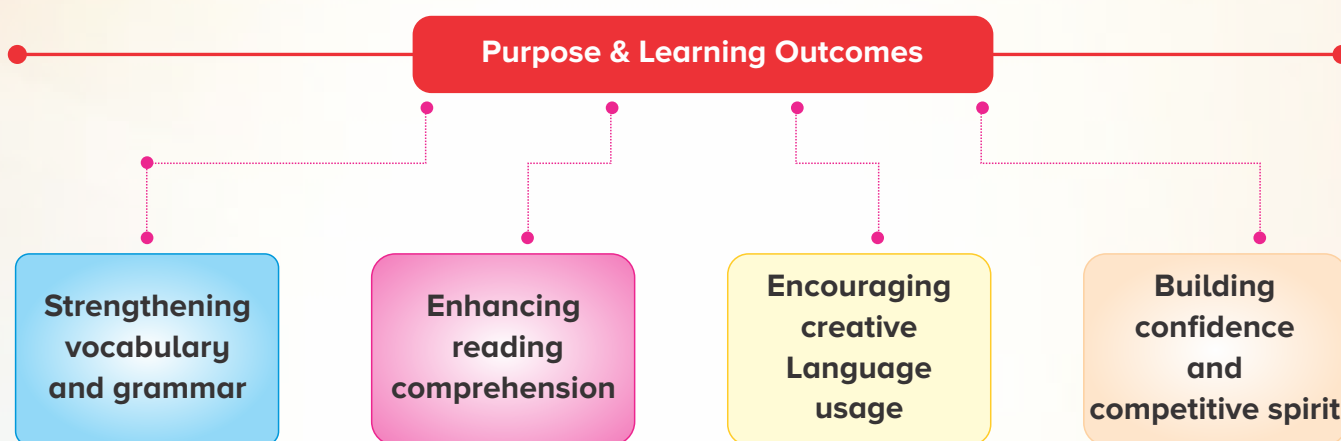
The Olympiad Cell is one of the 25 dynamic working cells of DHE. It is a structured academic excellence initiative dedicated to identifying, mentoring, and empowering talented students at both school and higher education levels.



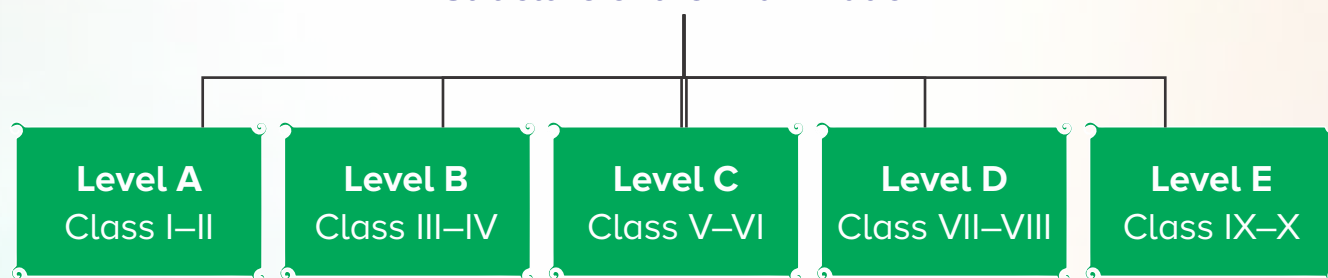


DHE OLYMPIAD

- The first-ever DHE English Olympiad was organized under the aegis of 5th edition of Shiksha Mahakumbh by Olympiad Cell of Department of Holistic Education in collaboration with English Connection - a leading educational platform for language enhancement.
- The Olympiad was conducted from 13–16 October 2025 across 25 schools of Punjab, Haryana and Chandigarh.
- This maiden initiative witnessed an overwhelming participation of more than 10,000 students from Classes I to X, marking a significant milestone in school-level academic engagement.



Structure of the Examination



The examination was conducted in MCQ format using OMR sheets, ensuring transparency, objectivity, and fairness.

Importance of Language Learning

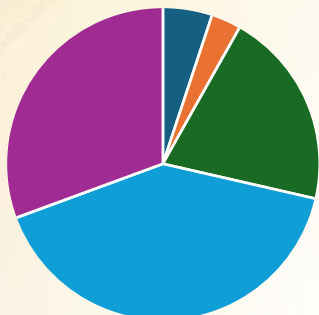
Language is not merely a medium of communication; it is the foundation of expression, creativity, and confidence. Proficiency in English enables students to articulate ideas globally while remaining rooted in Indian values. The DHE English Olympiad was envisioned to strengthen linguistic fundamentals and analytical thinking from an early age.



PARTICIPATION STATISTICS

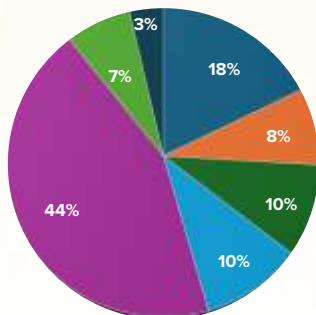
Category-wise (Level I – V)

- Level I ■ Level 2 ■ Level 3
- Level 4 ■ Level 5



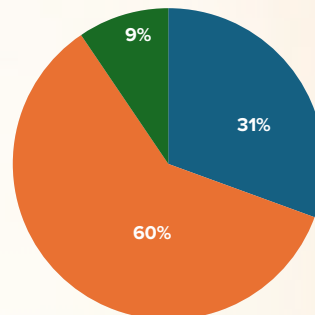
District-wise Participation

- Mohali ■ Ropar ■ Panchkula
- Kurukshetra ■ Pathankot ■ Patiala
- Chandigarh

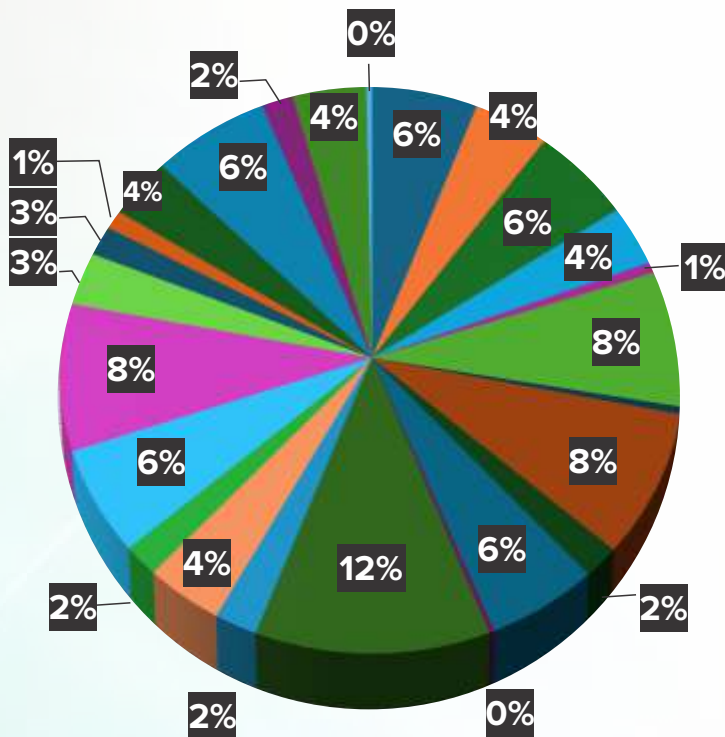


State-wise Participation

- Punjab ■ Haryana
- Chandigarh



School-wise Total Participants: 10,040



- School of Eminence, Mohali
- Vidya Mandir Public Sr. Sec. School, Pathankot
- Kundan International School, Chandigarh
- PM Shri JNV, Patiala
- Sawan Sr. Sec. School, Pathankot
- St. Vivekanand Millennium School, Panchkula
- Sh. Kulwant Rai SVM, Chandigarh
- Angels World School, Morinda
- GMSSSS Sec-26, Panchkula
- Jitenderveer SSMSS, Mohali
- BSH Arya Sr. Sec. School, Mohali
- Wisdom World School, Kurukshetra
- Adarsh Shishu Vatika, Pathankot
- Sharda SSMSS, Chandigarh
- SMB Gita Primary School, Kurukshetra
- PM Shri KV, Mohali
- Gita Niketan Awasiya Vidyalaya
- Gita Girls Sr. Sec. School
- Gita Niketan VM Sec-3
- Gita Niketan VM
- Shrimad Bhagwad Gita Sr. Sec. School
- University Sr. Sec. Model School
- Ripu Sudan Singh GVM, Babain
- Vaishnavi Public School, Pathankot
- Vatsalya Vatika Primary School



RESULT

LEVEL A

- 1st Prize: Nashra, St. Vivekanand Millennium School, Pinjore
- 2nd Prize: Yuvraj Dhillon, University Sr. Sec. School, Kurukshetra
- 3rd Prize: Bhuvika, Vidya Mandir Public School, Pathankot

LEVEL B

- 1st prize: Kasak Thakur, Kundan International School, Chandigarh
- 2nd prize: Mansirat Kaur, Angels World School, Morinda
- 3rd prize: Aishmeen Rehal, Angels World School, Morinda

LEVEL C

- 1st Prize: Samrat Chauhan, Wisdom World School, Kurukshetra
- 2nd Prize: Driti Goel, Wisdom World School, Kurukshetra
- 3rd Prize: Ravleen Chopra, Wisdom World School, Kurukshetra

LEVEL D

- 1st Prize: Kanav Goyal, Wisdom World School, Kurukshetra
- 2nd Prize: Navya Parti, Wisdom World School, Kurukshetra
- 3rd Prize: Ridhi Jangra, Kundan International School, Chandigarh

LEVEL E

- 1st Prize: Nidhi, Sharda Sarvhitkari School, Chandigarh
- 2nd Prize: Gurleen Kaur, Sharda Sarvhitkari School, Chandigarh
- 3rd Prize: Avanti Srivastava, Kundan International School, Chandigarh

PRIZES

Prizes for Overall Winners

1st Position




2nd Position




3rd Position




Prizes for school wise Winners

1st Position




2nd Position




3rd Position






FELICITATIONS

Overall Toppers Felicitation

The award ceremony was held on 1 November 2025 during the 5th Edition of Shiksha Mahakumbh at NIPER Mohali. Winners across all five levels were felicitated in the presence of eminent academicians, education leaders, and dignitaries.

Distinguished Dignitaries

Prof. Dulal Panda

Director
NIPER Mohali

Prof. Ryan Altman

Dean
Purdue University, USA

Dr. Kailash Chandra Sharma

Chairman
Haryana State Higher Education Council

Prof. Deepti Dharmani

Vice Chancellor
Choudhary Bansilal University
Bhiwani

Prof. S. P. Bansal

Vice Chancellor
Central University Himachal Pradesh

Shri Surendra Aatri

Patron
Vidya Bharti (North Zone)

Shri Vijay Kumar Nadda

Organizing Secretary
Vidya Bharti (North Zone)

Shri Bal Kishan

Joint-Organisation Secretary
Vidya Bharti (North Zone)

Shri Chandrahas Gupta

Secretary
Vidya Bharti (North Zone)

Shri Gyan Kumar

Organisation Secretary
Vidya Bharti, Himachal Pradesh

Smt. Sonu Sharma

President
Department of Holistic Education



School wise Toppers Felicitation

A grand Prize Distribution Ceremony for school-wise winners was organized on 13 February 2026 at the ISTC Auditorium, CSIR–CSIO, Chandigarh.

Students from 10 schools of Tricity and 2 schools of Kurukshetra University (KUK) were honoured with medals, certificates, and book sets. Prizes of other students were sent via speed post.

Distinguished Dignitaries

Dr. Santanu Bhattacharya

Director, CSIR–CSIO
Chandigarh

Dr. Kailash Chandra Sharma

Chairman
Haryana State Higher Education Council

Prof. (Dr.) Avnesh Verma

Chairperson & Professor
Dept. of Instrumentation,
Kurukshetra University

Dr. Varsha Singh

Associate Professor
Chitkara University

Dr. Ruchi Singla

Director & CEO
RAS Intellect Solutions, India

Smt Sonu Sharma

President
Department of Holistic Education

Smt. Meenu

Treasurer
Department of Holistic Education



1st Rank

GITA NIKETAN AWASIYA VIDYALAYA, KURUKSHETRA

Student Name	Class	Rank	Level
Harshika Kashyap	VI-B	I	Level C
Akshit Mittal	VIII-B	I	Level D
Rishima	IX-A	I	Level E

KUNDAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL CHANDIGARH

Akshima Gupta	1-A	I	Level A
Amber Sharma	6-B	I	Level C
Ridhi Jangra	8-B	I	Level D
Kasak Thakur	3-A	I	Level B

ST. VIVEKANAND MILLENIUM SCHOOL, HMT, PINJORE

Nashra	I	I	Level A
Aarush Singh	III	I	Level B
Anshuman Singh	V	I	Level C
Seerat Kaur	VII	I	Level D
Adarsh Kumar Jha	IX	I	Level E

SCHOOL OF EMINENCE, MOHALI

Pihu sharma	7th A	I	Level D
Hussain Mohammad	9th E	I	Level E

GMSSSS

Damanpreet Singh	6th	I	Level C
Vaanya	8th	I	Level D

JITENDERVEER SARVHITKARI MODEL SR. SEC. SCHOOL, MOHALI

Arohi	2nd	I	Level A
Aadhvik Rana	4th	I	Level B
Basant Ballabh	6th	I	Level C
Suhana Mishra	8th	I	Level D
Harjot Singh	10th	I	Level E

SH. KULWANT RAI SARVHITKARI VIDYA MANDIR, CHANDIGARH

Arnaw	III-A	I	Level B
Jaizim	V-A	I	Level C
Rudransh Koundal	VIII-A	I	Level D

SHARDA SARVHITKARI MODEL SR. SEC. SCHOOL, CHANDIGARH

Aaravya Thakur	1	I	Level A
Paramveer Singh	3	I	Level B
Amol Kumar	6	I	Level C
Kanav	8	I	Level D
Nidhi	9	I	Level E

ANGELS WORLD SCHOOL

Sehajpreet singh	1	Level A
Manseerat Kaur	1	Level B
Sahibjot Singh	1	Level C
Jagraj singh	1	Level D
Aniket Dhiman	1	Level E

WISDOM WORLD SCHOOL, KURUSHETRA

Garv	9	I	Level E
Kanav Goyal	8	I	Level D
Samrath Chauhan	6	I	Level C

2nd Rank

KUNDAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL CHANDIGARH

Student Name	Class	Rank	Level
Ritika Thakur	9-B	II	Level E
Yuvan	3-A	II	Level B

ST. VIVEKANAND MILLENIUM SCHOOL, HMT, PINJORE

Vaani	II	II	Level A
Aarav Sharma	III	II	Level B
Aashima	V	II	Level C
Tanuj Goyat	VIII	II	Level D
Chitrakshi Singh	IX	II	Level E

SCHOOL OF EMINENCE, MOHALI

Aradhya	7th A	II	Level D
Yugpreet Singh	10th A	II	Level E

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Lavanya	6th	II	Level C
Aditi	8th	II	Level D

JITENDERVEER SARVHITKARI MODEL SR. SEC. SCHOOL, MOHALI

Dipanshu	2nd	II	Level A
Shreya Dwivedi	4th	II	Level B
Kriti Patel	6th	II	Level C
Eklavya Yadav	8th	II	Level D
Navdeep Vasudeva	10th	II	Level E

SHARDA SARVHITKARI MODEL SR. SEC. SCHOOL, CHANDIGARH

Diksha	1	II	Level A
Aarav Sharma	3	II	Level B
Rudra Kumar	5	II	Level C
Manasvi Bhardwaj	7	II	Level D
Gurleen Kaur	9	II	Level E

WISDOM WORLD SCHOOL, KURUSHETRA

Granthik Singh	9	II	Level E
Driti Goel	6	II	Level C

3rd Rank

KUNDAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL CHANDIGARH

Student Name	Class	Rank	Level
Ruhanika Shekhar	2-B	III	Level A
Tanisha		III	Level E
Lavit Mahajan		III	Level D

ST. VIVEKANAND MILLENIUM SCHOOL, HMT, PINJORE

Ojas	I	III	Level A
Yuvaan	III	III	Level B
Abhik Singh	V	III	Level C
Maninder Singh	VIII	III	Level D
Argan Kumar	IX	III	Level E

SCHOOL OF EMINENCE, MOHALI

Azmat Khaan	7th C	III	Level D
Gurmanjot Singh	10th A	III	Level E

GMSSSS

Anshika	6th	III	Level C
Gauri 8th		III	Level D

JITENDERVEER SARVHITKARI MODEL SR. SEC. SCHOOL, MOHALI

Ahana Mirza	2nd	III	Level A
Vanshika	4th	III	Level B
Daksh Sood	6th	III	Level C
Lakhan	8th	III	Level D
Aastha Kumari	10th	III	Level E

SHARDA SARVHITKARI MODEL SR. SEC. SCHOOL, CHANDIGARH

Aarav Singh	2	III	Level A
Abhedya	3	III	Level B
Aashima	7	III	Level D
Aditya Banyal	0	III	Level E





PARTICIPANTS @ DHE OLYMPIAD



**School of Eminence,
Mohali**



**Vidya Mandir Public Senior Secondary School,
Pathankot**



**Kundan International School,
Chandigarh**



**PM Shri School Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya,
Patiala**



**Sawan Sr. Sec. School,
Pathankot**



**St. Vivekanand Millennium School,
Panchkula**



**Sh. Kulwant Rai Sarvhitkari Vidya Mandir,
Chandigarh**



**Angels World School,
Morinda**



**GMSSSS, Sector 26,
Panchkula**



**Jitenderveer Sarvhitkari Model Sr. Sec.
School, Mohali**



**BHS Arya Senior Secondary School,
Mohali**



**Wisdom World School,
Kurukshetra**



**Adarsh Shishu Vatika Public School,
Pathankot**



**Sharda Sarvhitkari Model Sr. Sec. School,
Chandigarh**



**SMB Gita Primary School, (Balghar),
Kurukshetra**



**PM Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya,
Mohali**



**Gita Niketan Awasiya Vidyalaya,
Kurukshetra**



**Gita Girls Sr. Sec. School,
Kurukshetra**



**Gita Niketan Vidya Mandir, Sec. 3,
Kurukshetra**



**Gita Niketan Vidya Mandir,
Kurushetra**



**Shrimad Bhagwad Gita
Senior Secondary School,
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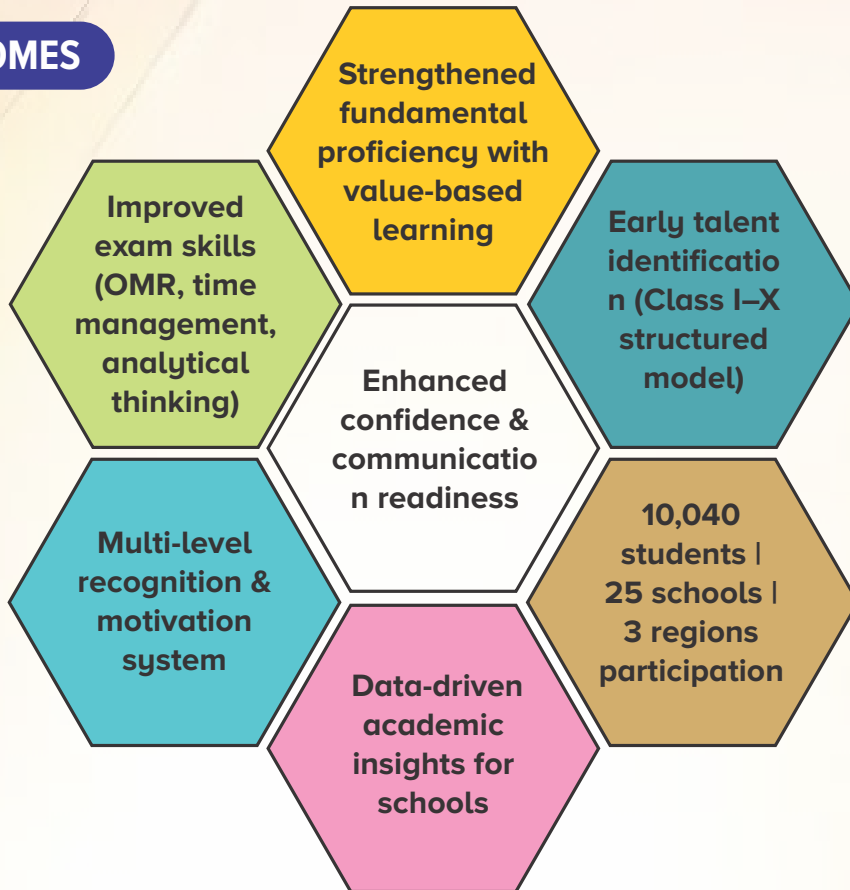
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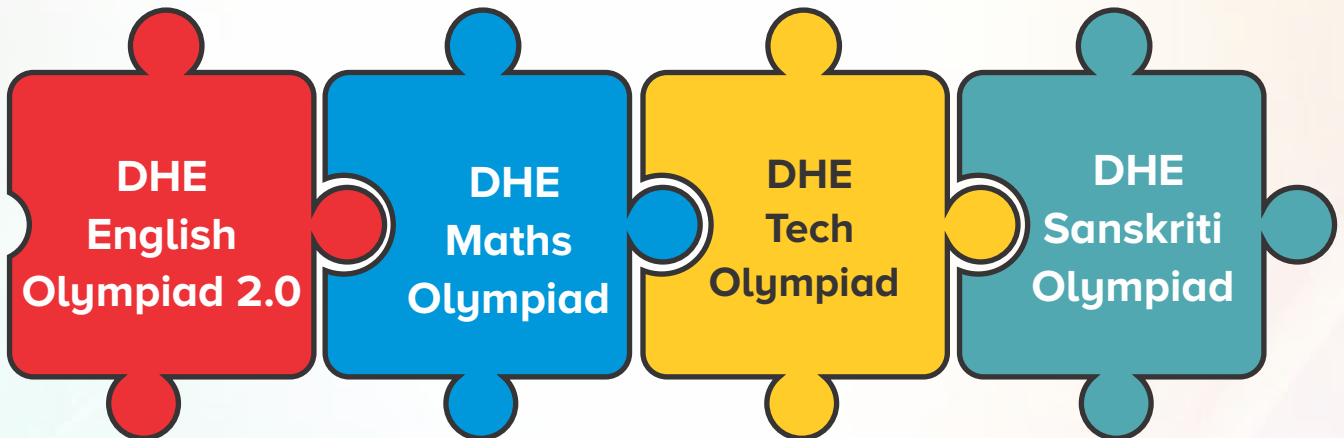


OUTCOMES



FUTURE PLANS & EXPANSION

Encouraged by the success of the 1st DHE English Olympiad, Olympiad Cell of DHE is gearing up for following DHE Olympiads under the aegis of 6th Edition of Shiksha Mahakumbh (2026):



These initiatives aim to promote intellectual growth, curiosity, innovation, and national integration among students.



HOW TO PARTICIPATE

Schools may register and collaborate with the Department of Holistic Education through official communication channels.

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