



## CBSE 2024–25 Results: Udaipur Students Script New Academic History

### City Schools Record Exceptional Scores in Class 10 & 12, Marking a New Era of Academic Excellence



Udaipur marked a historic academic milestone as students across the city delivered record-breaking performances in the CBSE Class 10 and 12 Board Examinations for the 2024–25 academic session. With toppers emerging from leading institutions and hundreds scoring above 90%, the city's schools reaffirmed Udaipur's growing stature as

a hub of academic brilliance in Rajasthan.

The nationwide pass percentage stood at 91.98% for Class 12 and a remarkable 98.11% for Class 10. In Udaipur, over 6,800 Class 12 and 8,500 Class 10 students appeared for the exams. Impressively, 1,292 students from Class 12 and 1,360 from Class 10 scored above 90%, setting a new benchmark for academic achievement.

#### Stellar Performances Across Top Schools

At Delhi Public School (DPS), Udaipur, all 189 Class 12 students passed with First Division. Notable toppers included Avni Duggad (99%, Arts), Natanya Prabhakar (97%, Arts), Atharv Vyas (96.8%, Science), and Krishi Choudhary (98.2%, Commerce). In Class 10, Zara Attari topped with a phenomenal 99.4%, followed by Aarav Sharma with 97.8%. A total of 43 students scored a perfect 100 in various subjects.

St. Mary's Convent Sr. Sec. School, New Fatehpura, upheld its tradition of excellence. Jahnvi Sharma scored 99.2% in Arts, while Mansavi Rathore led Science with 94.8%. In Commerce, Mehvish Ali Sayyed and Pragma

Karanpuriya shared the top spot with 93.2%. Class 10 topper Aashi Khatri scored 97.8%, and 42 students crossed the 90% mark.

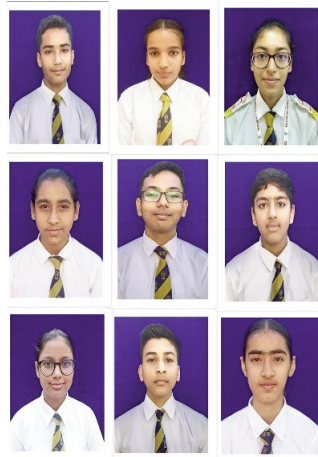
At St. Mary's Convent School, Titardi, Shreya Maheshwari, daughter of CA Devendra Somani, secured 95.8% in Class 10 and credited her mother Rekha Somani for her constant support and guidance.

Neerja Modi School, operated by the Sojatia Group, achieved excellent results in its debut CBSE board appearance. In Class 12, Navya Sharma scored 97.2% in Humanities.

In Class 10, Tanishka Tahpuriya and Shailee Maurya stood out for their outstanding marks in Social Science and IT. Chairperson Dr. Mahendra Sojatia and Director Sakshi Sojatia praised the dedication of the students and faculty.

Yashvi Pagaria (97%) and Vihaan Agrawal (96%). Multiple students scored perfect 100s in Sanskrit and Science. In Class 12, Muskan Kothari (91.2%, Science), Jeena Mehta (94.8%, Commerce), and Himanshi Kothari (98%, Arts) led the streams.

Maharana Mewar Vidya Mandir also achieved a 100% pass rate in Class 10. Topper Paridhi Sethi scored 96.8% with 100 in English, followed by Siddharth Dhadha (95.8%) with a perfect 100 in Sanskrit. Central Public School



Experts attributed this year's improved results to relatively student-friendly question papers in subjects like Mathematics and Science, better preparation strategies, and the CBSE's decision to offer grace marks to students short by a single mark.

Looking ahead, CBSE has announced a major reform for the 2025–26 session: Class 10 board exams will be held twice a year to reduce academic pressure, while Class 12 exams will continue to be held once a year, starting 17 February 2026.

This year's CBSE results not only reflect the relentless efforts of Udaipur's students and teachers but also signal a paradigm shift in the city's educational landscape. With rising scores, national-level achievers, and academic consistency across schools, Udaipur stands tall as a model of scholastic excellence and promise for the future.

### NEERJA MODI SCHOOL

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(CPS), New Bhupalpura, honored its top scorers in a grand ceremony. In Class 12, Pranay Sen (97.8%, Arts), Garima Maheshwari (96.4%, Commerce), and Garvita Lawati (93.8%, Science) emerged as toppers. In Class 10, Harshil Kothari (96.4%) led, with several others crossing the

95% and 90% thresholds. Students also scored full marks in Painting, Geography, and Social Science. Chairperson Alka Sharma, Administrative Director Anil Sharma, and Joint Director Vikramjeet Singh Shekhawat congratulated the achievers.

Reforms and Road Ahead

### Additional Highlights from Udaipur

Maharana Mewar Public School celebrated high rankings with Molik Pagaria (98.4%) topping Class 10, followed by



### “Savidhan Bachao” Rally Preparations Reviewed by Udaipur Rural Congress Committee



**Udaipur:** In line with the All India Congress Committee's directive, the Indian National Congress is conducting a nationwide campaign titled “Savidhan Bachao”. A preparatory meeting for the May 10 rally was organized by the Udaipur Rural District Congress Committee at Savina Sub City Center Hall, presided over by AICC member and rally in-charge Dinesh Khodnia. He stressed the importance of protecting the Constitution to preserve equality and dignity. District Congress President Kachru Lal Chaudhary highlighted the rally's aim to defend democratic values and counter misuse of constitutional institutions by the central government. Leaders were urged to ensure mass participation and extend the campaign to every assembly segment. The rally will start from Shaheed Smarak, pass through Surajpol and Bapu Bazaar, and end at the Shanti-Anandi Ji Statue. A two-minute silence was observed for Pahalgam terror attack victims, and tributes were paid to Dr. Girija Vyas, Congress leaders and workers participated in large numbers.

### Shaayaraana Udaipur to Host Patriotic Musical-Literary Fest on May 25



**Udaipur:** Shaayaraana Udaipur, the city's popular monthly mega gathering of literature, music, and soulful performances, is all set to host its next edition on Sunday, May 25, at Aishwarya College, Udaipur. The theme for the May session is “Patriotism and Love for the Nation.”

Participants will present patriotic songs, poetry, couplets, shayari, parodies, film songs, Rajasthani folk songs, and other nationalistic renditions soaked in the spirit of love for the country. Those interested in performing are requested to send their names along with the title of their presentation to Manoj Aanchaliya by May 23 for registration. Submissions must include full performance details. The final list of performers will be prepared on Saturday, May 24, and only those listed will be allowed to perform on Sunday, May 25. No changes will be made in the schedule thereafter.

The program will begin sharply at 10:00 AM and continue till around 2:00 PM, during which around 30 participants will have the opportunity to perform.

Renowned personalities from the fields of literature and music are also expected to present special performances.

For any further details, participants may contact the event in-charge and musician, Retired Tehsildar Mohan Soni.

## Three-Day Panchkalyanaka Festival Inaugurated with Garbhakalyanaka Ceremony



Udaipur: The newly constructed Devādhivev 1008 ŚrīŚāntināthJinalaya witnessed the auspicious commencement of its three-day Panchkalyāṇaka festival today, presided over by the venerable Muni Punyasāgar Maharaj. The festivities opened with the sacred Garbhakalyāṇaka Mahotsav, celebrating the sanctity of the mother's womb as the greatest school for a child.

### Morning Rites and Processions

At 6:15 AM, the morning's revival rites began with Jinājñā, Devājñā, and Gurujñā, followed at 6:30 AM by the ŚrījīSherohaYātrā and the ceremonial pot procession (ghaṭayātrā). By 7:00 AM, the flag-hoisting mandap was inaugurated, purified, and adorned; Śrījī'sabhiṣeka (ritual bath), śāntidhārā, and maṅgalācharaṇa were performed. The day continued with deepaprajvalana (lamp-lighting), ānganyāsa, saṅkalikaraṇa, indrapatiṣṭhā, and mandap pratiṣṭhā, culminating in jāpānushṭhāna and akurāropana.

A grand procession from Chautāli in Sector 9 led devotees through various neighborhoods to the temple, underlining communal devotion. Among the festival's patrons were Rishabh Jasgot, Jatin Gandhi, Bhupendra Madawat, Kamlesh Bhuta, Vimal Seth, Jitendra Samalria, Deepak Taleriya, Vinod Dagaria, Raunak Bhanawat, and Raunak Seth.

### Spiritual Discourse: The Sanctity of Garbhakalyāṇaka

During a special dharma sabhā, Muni Punyasāgar Maharaj extolled the virtues of the Garbhakalyāṇaka festival, emphasizing that one's good deeds in past lives bring the merit to construct a temple and perform its Panchkalyāṇaka. He taught that “the womb is the world's first classroom,” where a mother's character, conduct, and food habits sow the seeds of a child's future values. He reminded devotees that even the Tīrthaṅkaras entered the world through the womb and achieved mokṣa (liberation) after serving humanity.

### Afternoon and Evening Ceremonies

At 12:30 PM, the Shri Yoga Maṅgalāārchana and Śimantanikriyā were conducted, followed by the solemn MātāKīgodbhārā—a ritual symbolizing a mother's sacred bond with her unborn child. The evening program, beginning at 7:00 PM, featured Śrījī'sārati, śāstrasvādhyaṇa (scriptural recitation), further Garbhakalyāṇaka rites, and cultural performances on the festival stage.

The Panchkalyāṇaka festivities will continue over the next two days, offering devotees further opportunities for spiritual upliftment and communal celebration.

### 41st Free Panchakarma Medical Camp Commences in Udaipur

**Udaipur:** The 41st Free Panchakarma Medical Camp began at the Government Model Ayurvedic Dispensary, Sindhi Bazaar, Udaipur, with a traditional lamp-lighting ceremony before Lord Dhanvantari. Organized by Arogya Samiti, the camp promotes holistic wellness through ancient Panchakarma therapies.

Senior Ayurvedic Medical Officer Vaidya Shobhalal Audichya highlighted Panchakarma as a time-tested detoxification method effective in treating chronic ailments. Over the past three years, 40 successful camps have helped patients with joint pain, migraines, sciatica, avascular necrosis, and more.

This camp offers therapies such as Kati Basti, Greeva Basti, Nasya, Shirodhara, and Basti Karma, aimed at toxin elimination, pain relief, and improved immunity. A Free Bone Mineral Density (BMD) Camp, in association with

Dhootpapeshwar Pharma, will be held on May 15 for osteoporosis screening and Ayurvedic consultation.

The dedicated medical team includes Dr. Ankita Siyal, Dr. Sanjay Maheshwari, and others, supported by compounders, a nurse, and attendants, ensuring quality care throughout the camp.

### India's Voice in Global Librarianship: Dr. Deepak Shrivastava Elected to IFLA Standing Committee

**Kota:** In a landmark achievement for India's library community, Dr. Deepak Kumar Shrivastava, Head & Divisional Librarian at Government Divisional Public Library, Kota, has been elected to the Standing Committee of the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions (IFLA) for the term 2025–2029.

Dr. Shrivastava will represent India in two key professional sections: Government Libraries and Libraries Serving Persons with Print Disabilities. IFLA, headquartered in The Hague, is the premier global body representing library and information services worldwide.

This prestigious role, beginning after the IFLA General Assembly on May 5, 2025, positions Dr. Shrivastava among global thought leaders working towards equitable, inclusive, and accessible library services.

Calling it a “long-cherished dream,” Dr. Shrivastava emphasized his commitment to promoting inclusive public libraries in India, particularly for marginalized and visually impaired communities.

His election reflects India's growing influence in international librarianship and is a proud milestone for the nation's public library movement.

## Vasudev Devnani congratulated Prime Minister and Indian Army on Operation Sindoor

**Jaipur:** Speaker of Rajasthan Assembly Vasudev Devnani congratulated Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Indian Army on Operation Sindoor and said, “I want to congratulate Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Indian Army for Operation Sindoor. The whole country is filled with pride.”

He said that by naming this operation ‘Operation Sindoor’, Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Indian Army took historic revenge of those sisters whose husbands were killed in Pahalgam after asking about their religion...



## Every MoU is crucial - Regular monitoring and implementation required: Udaipur District Collector



**Udaipur:** A review meeting was held on Thursday under the chairmanship of District Collector Namit Mehta at the Mini Conference Hall of the Collectorate to assess the progress of MoUs signed during the Rising Rajasthan Investment Summit, organized last December under the initiative of Chief Minister Bhajanlal Sharma.

General Manager of the District Industries and Commerce Center, Mr. Shailendra Sharma, presented details of the MoUs signed for Udaipur district through a PowerPoint presentation. He informed that a total of 642 MoUs worth ₹75,000 crore were signed for Udaipur district. Among them, 206 MoUs pertain to the tourism sector, making it the highest. Additionally, 95 MoUs are under RIICO and 89 under the Urban Development Department, while the remaining are related to other departments.

So far, 11 MoUs amounting to ₹5,000 crore have been implemented. Further, 44 MoUs have completed all formalities and will be operational soon, while 84 MoUs are currently under process and expected to begin implementation shortly.

Collector Mehta emphasized the need for regular monitoring and expedited implementation of the remaining MoUs. He reiterated that Rising Rajasthan is among the top priorities of the state government, and the Chief Minister himself is personally monitoring the progress. All department officers were directed to coordinate with investors within the next 3 days and ensure measurable progress.

Additionally, Collector Mehta instructed GM DIC Mr. Sharma to personally coordinate and monitor all investment proposals above ₹100 crore with the respective departmental officers, while proposals ranging between ₹10 crore and ₹100 crore should be monitored directly by the district-level officers concerned.

The meeting was attended by ADM (Administration) Mr. Deependra Singh Rathore, UDA Commissioner Mr. Rahul Jain, Municipal Commissioner Mr. Ram Prakash, UDA Secretary Mr. Hemendra Nagar, and other departmental officials.

## Differently-Abled Applaud 'Operation Sindoor' Strike on Terror

**Udaipur :** Differently-abled individuals undergoing free surgeries, artificial limb fittings, and caliper support at Narayan Seva Sansthan expressed their appreciation for India's decisive action under ‘Operation Sindoor’, which demolished nine



terror hideouts in Pakistan. They welcomed the military strike and warned that Pakistan must change its mindset or face dire consequences.

During the ‘Apno Se Apni Baat’ session, the beneficiaries paid tribute to the innocent Indian tourists killed in the Pahalgam terror attack and voiced their support for the Indian Government and Armed Forces.

Addressing the gathering, Sansthan President Prashant Agarwal stated that while India stands for peace and tolerance, there is a limit to endurance. When innocent citizens are targeted based on religion, it becomes a national duty to respond firmly.

He emphasized that those who sponsor and spread terrorism are bound to face destruction. If Pakistan continues to shelter terrorism, it will prove self-destructive. He urged Pakistan to focus on improving the plight of its own citizens and abandon terrorism as a state policy.

“No religion permits terror or violence,” he concluded, reinforcing India's stand for peace and strategic retaliation when provoked.

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