MAHARISHI VIDYA MANDIR SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, CHOOLAI (SKPD & C)

ANNUAL REPORT – ACADEMIC YEAR 2025–2026

With the divine blessings of Sri Kanyaka Parameswari, the Academic Year 2025–2026 has been an inspiring journey of excellence in both scholastic and co-scholastic arenas.

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all to the 11th Annual Day Celebration of Maharishi Vidya Mandir Senior Secondary School, Choolai. It is my proud privilege to present the Annual Report for the Academic Year 2025–2026, highlighting the achievements, milestones, and growth of our institution.

This report reflects our commitment to nurturing young minds by promoting critical thinking, discipline, leadership skills, and holistic development. Our school continues its upward trajectory with ambitious goals in academics, sports, values, and character formation.

Our institution proudly serves over 2,100 students, supported by 111 qualified teaching faculty, 19 administrative staff, and 21 part-time staff. In addition, 35 contract employees are appointed to ensure security and hygiene, prioritising the safety and well-being of our students and the smooth functioning of the school. We are an ISO 21001:2018 EOMS-certified institution, reflecting our commitment to quality, standards, and excellence in education.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

The CBSE Board Exam results for the Academic Year were exceptional, with a 100% pass. Class X 67 distinctions and 39 first-class results, while Class XII had 65 distinctions and 22 first-class achievers, making us incredibly proud.

CO-CURRICULAR ACHIEVEMENT

Our school received the Excellence in Best Co-Curricular Activities Award, presented by the Prime India Foundation under the category Shiksha Shakthi, in recognition of our continuous efforts to promote holistic student development.

- **REMEDIAL CLASSES**

To bridge learning gaps and strengthen core concepts, regular remedial classes were conducted throughout the year. These focused on improving writing practice, concept reinforcement, and preparing slow learners for board examinations.

- **INVESTITURE CEREMONY**

The Students' Council Elections were held on 13th June 2025 through an electronic voting system developed by Class XII Computer Science students under the guidance of Ms. Saranya.

On 17th June 2025, the Investiture Ceremony marked the official appointment of the new student office bearers. Chitesh Ram of XII A1 was elected as School Pupil Leader, and Veena Premanand of XI A1 as Assistant School Pupil Leader. The ceremony was graced by Chief Guest Rotarian K. Surendra Kumar, President of the Rotary Club, Chennai.

- **SCHOOL HOUSES**

Our school is divided into four houses Abhimanyu, Arjuna, Bheeshma, and Karna each led by House Captains and Vice-Captains who plan and execute daily activities, inter-house competitions, and discipline-related responsibilities with dedication.

- **TNPSC EXAM CENTRE**

Our school proudly served as the official centre for the TNPSC Group IV Examination, successfully conducted under government guidelines.

- **SPIRITUAL & PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Students from Classes III to XII practised Transcendental Meditation regularly to enhance concentration and emotional balance.

International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June 2025 with demonstrations by yoga masters from Chinmaya Mission.

- **INSPECTIONS**

Periodic inspections were conducted by Maharishi Vidya Mandir, Chetpet, covering all academic sections—Primary, Middle, Secondary, and Senior Secondary.

- **PARENTS–PRINCIPAL MEETING**

An exclusive interaction platform was introduced this year to strengthen collaboration between parents and the school, enabling constructive dialogue for student development.

- **STAFF TRAINING PROGRAMMES**

A one-day CBSE Capacity-Building Workshop on Stress Management was conducted by Mrs. P. Vijaya Lakshmi, Deputy Director, Chinmaya Vidyalaya & Mr. V. Viswanathan, Principal, Asan Memorial School for 60 teachers to enhance professional growth and stress-management skills.

- **CAREER GUIDANCE & COUNSELLING**

A special counselling session by Mr. Jaya Prakash Gandhi, eminent career expert, enriched students with insights into career trends, competitive exams, and future-ready skills.

Commerce students attended a career orientation by Vinayaga Mission on 07.11.2025.

Science students gained valuable exposure from an orientation session by IRED Hospital, Anna Nagar.

- **LIBRARY**

Our well-equipped library now boasts over 9861 books, with several additional books donated by students on their birthdays. The library also offers newspapers, periodicals, and magazines to enhance students' knowledge and reading habits.

- **SERVICE MOVEMENTS**

To inculcate values of service and discipline, the following programs are actively conducted in our school:

Bunnies: For KG students

Cubs and Bulbuls: For I to IV

Scouts and Guides: For V to X

Rovers and Rangers: For XI and XII

- **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

We provide a wide array of extracurricular opportunities conducted by outsourced experts in: Karate, Silambam, Chess, Archery, Gymnastic, Western Dance, Classical Dance, Keyboard, Calligraphy, Roller Skating.

- **CALLISTYLE**

To refine students' handwriting, we introduced Callistyle, an outsourced initiative that assists and monitors students in developing beautiful and legible handwriting.

- **INAUGURATION OF KARUNA CLUB**

The Karuna Club was inaugurated by Shri Sajjan Raj Surana, Treasurer, Karuna International. Students took an oath to uphold compassion and kindness.

- **SPORTS & FINE ARTS ACHIEVEMENTS**

Our students showcased exceptional dedication and skill in inter-school sports, excelling in badminton, volleyball, throwball, football, kho-kho, and basketball. Their impressive performances have brought great pride to our institution.

- **FINE ARTS (INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION)**

In 2025-2026, our school achieved notable success across various events.

ETERNO’25 was held on 11th October 2025 at Guru Shree Shantivijai Jain Vidyalaya, UMANG UTSAV 2025 was conducted on 19th July 2025 at Terapanth Jain Vidyalaya, Pragati 2025 held at Motilal Fomra Sanatana Dharma Hr. Sec. School, Kalasarovar 2025, held at Kola Perumal Chetty Vaishnav Sr. Sec. School, Agar Fest 2025 conducted by Agarwal Vidyalaya & Junior College, Our students showcased exceptional creativity, confidence, and teamwork, winning prizes in multiple categories. Their outstanding performance brought laurels to the institution, reflecting excellence in both talent and spirit.

- **RECORD PARTICIPATION**

Students, parents and teachers totally 100 members participated in Limca Book of World Record for chanting Lalitha Sahasranamam conducted by Kala Ranjani Shrini Babu.

- **PRIMARY DEPARTMENT CELEBRATIONS**

Krishna Jayanthi Fancy Dress

National Reading Month

Muharram observance

Hiroshima Day

Jallianwala Bagh Remembrance Day

World Ocean Day

Raksha Bandhan

These events instilled patriotism, peace, and moral values.

- **SPELL BEE & OLYMPIADS**

Students participated in Spell Bee, Olympiads, and interschool academic competitions, showcasing strong academic calibre.

- **CHILD PRODIGY**

S. Kripaalave, a phenomenal student of UKG A__, showcases remarkable versality, mastering chess, art & craft, sports, music and sloka recitation, with an outstanding prize-winning streak.

Kirti Jain of Class 11A2 was awarded multiple scholarships, honoured with the Medhavi Samman and Acharya Mahasaman Gold Medal, secured Second Place in the Oratorical Competition, and received special recognition for her board exam performance. Her achievements reflect her academic brilliance and all-round excellence.

Niyathi of UKG A2 excelled in Athichudi and Thirukkural recitation, won prizes in colouring and drawing competitions, and secured a State-level Drawing award from Kalam Sports Academy. She also achieved a National-level Winner title in an online drawing contest by Child Dream Booster. She actively participated in yoga, speech, and other interschool events. A major highlight of her achievements is her success in the Guinness World Record Mass Drawing Event, where she was declared a winner.

Nidarsana of Class IX A2 is an outstanding achiever, winning National silver, Federation Cup bronze, State silver, over 18 District gold medals, and is also a Roller Derby League player selected for the National team.

Harshana of Class IV A2 is a remarkable performer with multiple National, State, and District medals, including Open National 1st and 2nd places, State podium finishes, District golds, and CBSE Regional and National silver medals.

- **KALAVARSHINI TALENT FIESTA**

Kalavarshini, a hallmark talent programme showcases our school's talent, is conducted annually for students from KG to Std XII, their parents, grandparents, and faculty. This cultural extravaganza provides a platform for students to display their talents through various on-stage and off-stage events.

- **PARAMBARIYAM – INTERSCHOOL TALENT FEST**

Our school hosted the Parambariyam, a two-day interschool talent fest, Schools from different zones participated, making it a resounding success. The valedictory ceremony was graced by Ms. Krishna Shilpa, a finalist in a popular talent show, who enthralled the audience.

- **INDEPENDENCE DAY**

79th Independence Day was celebrated with grandeur, presided over by our esteemed Chief Guest, Shri Ravi Kumar Garu, and graced by the members of the Management. The program inspired pride and patriotism, making it a memorable event for all.

- **11th ANNUAL SPORTS MEET**

The 11th Annual Sports Meet was held on 18th October 2025, at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium. The event was presided over by Mr.P.Karthikeyan B.Tech IT., Grandmaster in Chess Senior Accountant in ICF Indian Railways.

- **KINDERGARTEN ACTIVITIES**

16th April 2025, the Aksharabhyasam Ceremony for newly enrolled Pre-KG students marked an auspicious beginning to their academic journey. A special pooja was conducted at Sri Kanyaka Parameswari Temple to solemnize this event.

A variety of daily classroom activities were conducted to nurture the LSRW skills of KG students, ensuring their holistic development. These activities not only improved fine motor skills but also fostered a love for learning and enhanced concentration. All these activities are uploaded in our school you tube channel.

- **ENGLISH DEPARTMENT**

The English Department observed Anti-Drug Day, Ganesh Chaturthi, Guru Purnima, Children's Day, and World Literacy Day through meaningful activities that promoted awareness and cultural values among students.

- **TAMILDEPARTMENT**

The Tamil Department celebrated Kamarajar's Birthday and conducted various competitions, including fancy dress, drawing, colouring, and poem writing, encouraging students' creativity and participation**.**

- **HINDI DEPARTMENT**

The Hindi Department organized a Bhagavad Gita Chanting Session, earning a city-level Third Prize. Hindi Diwas competitions were conducted, and in the ISKCON events, five of fifty participants won prizes, promoting language and cultural learning.

- **MATHS DEPARTMENT**

The Maths Department conducted a duplicate currency–making activity integrated with art to help students understand the value of money. A "Fraction Faces" activity was also organised to demonstrate the use of fractions in daily life, making learning practical and engaging.

- **SCIENCE DEPARTMENT**

The Science Department organised active student participation in expos and competitions, including the Laser 2025 Expo and the Science Discovery Hub, where Class 8 students won First Prize for their "Irrigation Sensor" project. Twenty-two teams joined the Viksit Bharat Buildathon, and Class X students presented their project at the VIT YES Competition. The department also observed key days such as World Health Day, Environment Day, Nature Conservation Day, Hepatitis Day, Heart Day, and National Space Day through rallies, speeches, and model displays.

Two students from Std. VIII represented our school in the CBSE Science Exhibition held on 19th November. They exhibited an innovative project titled "Smart Plant Irrigation and Monitoring System," which highlighted sustainable agricultural practices through automation and real-time monitoring. We are delighted to inform that our students from class 10 has been selected for the final round of the young environmental scientist program, Chennai based on our performance in the 1st mentoring session.

- **COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT**

  The Computer Science Department organized key observances this year, including World Blood Donors Day, promoting awareness on voluntary donation; Cyber Security Day, highlighting safe and responsible digital practices; and Kargil Victory Day, honouring the courage and sacrifice of our soldiers. These programmes enriched students' knowledge and values.

- **COUNSELLING DEPARTMENT**

The Counselling Department has significantly contributed to fostering students' emotional well-being and personal growth through structured guidance sessions, motivational talks, and stress management programs. The counselling department also observed important days such as World Mental Health Day, Anti-Bullying Week, and International Happiness Day with meaningful activities and awareness programmes, promoting empathy, resilience, and a positive school environment.

- **CLUB ACTIVITIES & OBSERVANCES**

The Eco Club conducted a gardening activity to promote responsibility and environmental awareness. A Disaster Management Program was held on 20th June 2025 to provide essential emergency guidelines. The Entrepreneur Club offered commerce students practical exposure, with Class 12 managing the student canteen to develop real-world business skills.

Throughout the year, the school observed various international days promoting health, environment, and social awareness. Birth anniversaries of eminent leaders and thinkers were celebrated through departmental activities. Festivals like Bakrid, Muharram, Guru Purnima, and Ganesh Chaturthi were observed with devotion, fostering cultural harmony and unity.

- **NCC – NEW INITIATIVE**

A major milestone of the year:

60 students enrolled in the newly introduced NCC unit, marking the beginning of military discipline, leadership training, and national service.

- **ROTARY CLUB**

We proudly launched the Rotary Interact Club for the academic year, involving enthusiastic participation from Classes IX and XI, giving students opportunities to develop leadership qualities and community service values.

- **TEACHERS' AWARDS**

The West Chennai Sahodaya Cluster presented the Best Teacher Award for the academic year 2025-2026 to Mrs. D.Menaka from English department & The Chennai Sahodaya Cluster Mrs. Hema of Math department for recognition of their exceptional work in inspiring young minds with creativity. Kalai Koodam, affiliated to Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Music and Fine Arts University, proudly honoured Jayashree Ma'am with the Best Teacher Award.

- **EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIPS**

Students explored various educational venues;

Classes XI & XII visited Ooty for an enriching academic tour.

- **CONCLUSION**

The Academic Year 2025–2026 has been a year of remarkable achievements, discipline, innovation, and progress. With the blessings of Goddess Vasavamba, and the unwavering support of the Management, staff, parents, and students, our school continues its committed journey toward excellence.

****