## Ten-Days Theatre Workshop concluded with Vrikshabandhan

Ten-Days Theatre workshop was organised at Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Lab School, Bhiwani in collaboration with Punjab University Chandigarh and Natya Griham from 20th August, 2023 to 29th August. The objective of the workshop was to provide basic knowledge on concentration, imagination, observation, remove stage fear, body language, etc. through theatre art. Mrs. Santosh Nagar, District Elementary Education Officer, Bhiwani inaugurated the workshop in the presence of the Principal of SRS, Ms. Sangita Das. The workshop was led by our school drama teacher Dr. Haneef Bhatti. In this workshop 42 students (16 students of our school and 26 students of other schools) across the district participated and took keen interest in all activities. These students were involved in various activities and learnt a lot. Dr. V.P. Yadav, the honourable Chairman of Board of School Education Haryana graced the occasion as the chief guest along with other dignitaries Mrs. Santosh Nagar, DEEO, Bhiwani, Mrs. Vijaya Prabha, BEO, Loharu, Mr. Surendra Singh, BEO, Siwani, staff members and students of SRS and teachers and students of other schools on the valedictory function of the workshop. On this day our chief guest performed the Bhoomi Pujan of Swami Vivekananda Sadan to build in SRS and also celebrated Rakshabandhan as Vrikshabandhan with the students. On this occasion of Vrikshabandhan school teachers gave a message of "Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat" by wearing costumes of different states, reinforcing the idea of "Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat". Apart from this, Rakhi making and Thali decoration competitions were also organised in the school. At the end, the Principal of the school Ms. Sangita Das shared her views about Raksha Bandhan. She also gave a message to save trees and consider them as brothers. She focussed that both boys and girls should be given equal importance. Sisters can tie Rakhi among themselves. She gave vote of thanks to all dignitaries, Department of School Education Haryana, Punjab University and Natya Griham for conducting such workshops to promote and showcase skills of students in the field of theatre.

