

D. A.V. PUBLIC SCHOOL

No. 19, Sitaram Nagar, Velachery, Chennai – 42
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REPORT OF THE INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2026-27

Student Council of D. A. V. Public School Sworn in

18 Office Bearers of the Student Council for the Academic Year 2026-27 were Sworn in on 22nd June, 2026 at D. A. V. Public School, Velachery, Chennai. **Dr. K Balaji Singh, Dean, Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Institute (SRMC & RI) and Professor of General Surgery** presided over the Ceremony. The Principal, **Mrs. Sujatha M** joined the Chief Guest in the Formal Ceremony.

50 Students from Std XI and XII self-nominated themselves for the 16 Cabinet Posts. After a grueling Interview, 36 Contestants were shortlisted. It was followed by one day of soliciting votes and overexcited campaigning with the ‘Manifesto Run’. The students of Std IX – XII cast their valuable votes digitally through Google forms. 16 Candidates were elected and the two Posts for **Club Secretary** and **Club Coordinator** were instituted in the Student Council.

The Ceremonial Pinning of the Badges, handing over of the paraphernalia and the Ceremonial Parade marked the Statute of the Order while the roaring applause of the spectators cheered the Council Members. The drum beat and the peppy music energised the audience and brought back nostalgic memories to the Grandparents and Parents and ecstasy to the students of Std. IX to XII. The Class Committee Members of Class VII to XII also received the badges.

Sashank Hari Krishnan, School Pupil Leader (Boys) administered the **Oath of Allegiance** and was joined by the Cabinet Members to express their solidarity and integrity.

In the Presidential Address, Dr. Balaji Singh said, “Leadership is all about taking initiative and inspiring people to take the lead”. He emphasized the importance of staying focused on one’s goals to taste success. He shared his personal experiences and the challenges he faced, and reiterated how grit and perseverance helped him become an exemplary Leader. He reminded the students to respect three important pillars of their lives- their parents, teachers and friends who guide and encourage them in every stage.

Mrs. Sujatha, the Principal motivated the students to be committed and take up the responsibilities with confidence. She highlighted that a true leader should be like a light house guiding others towards right path and be a responsible role model, who lead by example.

In the Voice of the Council, Sashank Hari Krishnan expressed his views on ‘**Integrity- The Hallmark of True Leader**’. B Swetha, Assistant Cultural Secretary, shed light on ‘**Cultural Activities- A Gateway to Life Skills**’. Sports Captain, Khagesh Akkinaguntala, gave valuable inputs on ‘**Beyond the Scoreboard- Lessons from Sports**’.

The Assistant School Pupil Leader (Boys), Navaneetha Krishnan proposed the Vote of Thanks on behalf of the School Cabinet and profusely thanked the Student Community for their wholesome participation in the Student Council Elections.

The Council Members are

SCHOOL PUPIL LEADER - BOYS	SASHANK HARI KRISHNAN	XII A
SCHOOL PUPIL LEADER - GIRLS	SUHASHINI G	XII B
ASSISTANT SCHOOL PUPIL LEADER - BOYS	NAVANEETHA KRISHNAN	XI D
ASSISTANT SCHOOL PUPIL LEADER - GIRLS	ANAGHA R	XI B
CULTURAL SECRETARY	JITESH S K	XII B
ASSISTANT CULTURAL SECRETARY	B SWETHA	XI C
SPORTS CAPTAIN	KHAGESH AKKINAGUNTALA	XII D
ASSISTANT SPORTS CAPTAIN	S TEJESHWAR	XI C
SCHOOL HOUSE CAPTAIN VASANT	SRI GOPAL S	XII C
SCHOOL HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN VASANT	LAKSHITA M	XI C
SCHOOL HOUSE CAPTAIN GREESHMA	DINESH RAMANI T	XII C
SCHOOL HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN GREESHMA	K MRIDHVIKA	XI D
SCHOOL HOUSE CAPTAIN SHARAD	HARI RAJAN T	XII C
SCHOOL HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN SHARAD	NIRANJANA	XI D
SCHOOL HOUSE CAPTAIN HEMANT	HARINI B	XII C
SCHOOL HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN HEMANT	S SRIVATSAN	XI C
SECRETARY (SCHOOL CLUBS)	DEEKSHA V	XII C
COORDINATOR (SCHOOL CLUBS)	JERYL J CHRIS	XI E



The Chief Guest, Dr. K Balaji Singh, Dean, Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Institute (SRMC & RI) and Professor of General Surgery and Mrs. Sujatha M, Principal Pinning the Badges.



The Student Council Members inducted into the Council



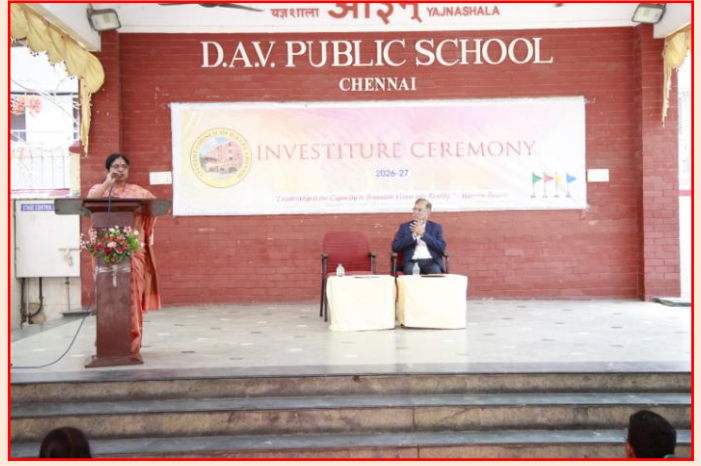
Ceremonial Parade



Oath Taking Ceremony



Dr. K Balaji Singh, delivering the Presidential Address



Mrs. Sujatha M, Principal addressing the Student Community on Leadership



Dr. K Balaji Singh, joined by the Principal and the 18 Newly Sworn-in Members



Picture Perfect Moment for the Parents, along with the Principal and the Student Council Members



Felicitation of Dr. Balaji Singh



An Informal Networking with the family of Student Council Members