## Department of English Hindu Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Jind Event: National Level Story and Poetry Writing Competition 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2024

The Department of English of Hindu Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Jind successfully organized a National Level Story and Poetry Writing Competition on 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2024. With over 29 enthusiastic participants from across India, the event aimed to nurture literary creativity and expression among students.

The story writing competition revolved around thought-provoking themes such as 'A Journey of Self-Discovery, The Power of Unexpected Kindness, A Day That Changed Everything, Crossing Boundaries, and A Tale of Courage in the Shadows of Tradition. The poetry segment invited reflections on Whispers of Nature, Shades of Loneliness, Dreams and Realities, and Fragments of Hope'.

Submissions were received digitally, showcasing a wide range of imagination and emotional depth. In story writing, Ruparna Chakraborty (M. A. English, Panjab University, Chandigarh) secured the first prize, followed by Azra (M. A. English, Hindu Girls College, Sonipat) and Nishita Chaudhary (B. Sc. Non-Medical, Mukund Lal National College, Yamuna Nagar). In poetry, Vasundhara Kaushal (B. A., Hindu Girls College, Sonipat) won first prize, Nikita (B. A. Geography Hons., GVM Girls College, Sonipat) secured second, and Himanshu (M. A. English, Mukund Lal National College, Yamuna Nagar) also shared top honors.

The competition was marked by exceptional talent and heartfelt expressions, making it a memorable and successful academic initiative.

## **Glimpses and Media Coverage of the Event**

