

Event: Annual Trip to Hampi for Grade 8

Date: 27/10/2025 - 29/10/2025

30/10/2025 - 01/11/2025

Time/ Duration: 3 days and 2 nights

Venue: Hampi

No. of Participants: Total = 177

Grade VIII A, B, C, D=95

GRADE VIII E, F, G=82

Objectives:

1. To immerse students in the history of the Vijayanagara Empire by exploring Hampi's architectural marvels and understanding their cultural, artistic, and historical significance.
2. To encourage experiential learning by connecting historical knowledge with real-world exploration, fostering curiosity, teamwork, and reflective thinking among students.

Event Details:

Stepping back in time to the era of kings and temples, the students of Grade 8 set out on a three-day, two-nights trip to Hampi - a land where every stone tells a story. Their visit to the Archaeological Museum offered insights into how archaeologists reconstruct the past and the importance of heritage preservation. At 'Anegundi Craft Village', students explored banana fiber weaving, pottery, and stone carving, gaining appreciation for traditional art. The students were also captivated by the local artists' visual depiction of scenes from the Ramayana.

The visit helped students appreciate the value of creativity, sustainability, and cultural preservation. The serene climb up 'Anjanadri Hill' and the magnificent Virupaksha Temple deepened their cultural experience. Students also visited landmarks such as the Stone Chariot at the Vijaya Vittala Temple, Lakshmi Narasimha, Hemakuta Ganesh Monolith, the Queen's Bath, and Lotus Mahal. The trip beautifully blended history, culture, and scenic beauty, leaving students inspired by the grandeur of Hampi's glorious past.

