



**संकल्प** INTERNATIONAL  
SCHOOL

# REPUBLIC DAY



Republic Day is our national festival that is celebrated every year on 26<sup>th</sup> January. This day is special for Indians because we got our constitution on this day. As India got its independence on 15<sup>th</sup> August 1947 and further on 29<sup>th</sup> August 1947, a committee was appointed to make our constitution. Dr. B R Ambedkar was appointed as the ChairPerson and it took two years, 11 months and 18 days in the framing of the constitution. The constitution was formed on 26<sup>th</sup> November 1949 but was finally adopted on 26<sup>th</sup> January 1950 as this date has its historical significance.

India celebrated its first Republic Day in 1950 on the 26<sup>th</sup> of January. This day reminds us of our freedom fighters and all the great personalities of India. This year has been 74 years since our country got the constitution. This day is a sign of India's Unique Identity. The constitution of India is the longest written constitution in the world.

The military parade at Rajpath in Delhi always be an eye catching and display the strength of the country. Pingali venakyya has designed the Indian National Flag. Dr Rajendra Prasad is our First President of independent India. Republic Day parade in New Delhi starts from Rashtrapati Bhavan. India shows its military on Republic Day. French Army Soldiers contingent was the first to participate in Republic day parade.



The Beating Retreat ceremony takes place on January 29<sup>th</sup> every year it marks the end of the Republic Day celebration. The 21 Guns salute is presented to the President on Republic Day. President receive the salute at the grand parade on Republic day. Dr B R Ambedkar (Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar) is called the 'Father of Indian Constitution'. Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan was the First Vice President of independent India and Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru was the first Prime Minister of independent India.

The main Republic Day celebration is held in the national capital, New Delhi, at the Rajpath (officially named 'Kartavya Path'). On this day, ceremonious parades take place at the Rajpath, which are performed as a tribute to India; to show its unity in diversity and rich cultural heritage. Bipin chandra pal was the father of the revolutionary thought. Subhash Chandra Bose gave the title of "Faher of the Nation" to Mahatma Gandhi.

The Delhi Republic Day parade is held in the capital, New Delhi and is organised by the Millitary of Defence. On this day, National Bravery Awards are given to children for their indispensable courage..

The parade showcases India's Defence Capability, Cultural and Social Heritage. Nine to twelve different regiments of the Indian Army in addition to the Navy, and Air Force with their bands march past in all their finery and official decorations. The President of India who is the Commander-in-Chief of the Indian Armed Forces, takes the salute.

Republic Day is a time for all Indians to come together and celebrate the values and principles that make our country great. It is a time to remember the sacrifices and struggles of our freedom fighters and to reaffirm our commitment to building a better, more prosperous and inclusive nation for all.

**Let us see a dream at this republic day;  
One Nation, One Vision, and One Identity.**

**Being Indian is our identity, however; being  
Republican is our country's identity.**



**HAPPY**

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