

Lighting the Lamp of Learning: The Savitribai Phule Jayanti Special Assemblies

Pune, Maharashtra | 8th and 13th January, 2026



With the aim of inspiring young minds through the lives of iconic Indian women and fostering respect for their contributions to society, on 8th January, 2026, the school marked Savitribai Phule Jayanti with a morning assembly hosted by the Yellow House for grades IX-XI. The event began with the lighting of a lamp and garlanding of Savitribai Phule's portrait, followed by an insightful speech and a presentation on her remarkable life journey

Grade III Red House of S.B. Patil Public School presented a special assembly on Tuesday, 13th January, 2026, to honour the life and legacy of Savitribai Phule — a pioneering force in women's education and social reform in India.



The assembly opened with a thoughtfully delivered speech highlighting Savitribai Phule's remarkable journey and her tireless efforts towards promoting education for girls at a time when social barriers were deeply entrenched. This was followed by a vibrant ramp walk that paid tribute to great Indian women who have left an indelible mark on history, celebrating their courage, resilience, and contribution to nation-building.

Adding colour and rhythm to the programme, students presented a graceful dance performance that echoed themes of empowerment, education, and social change. The assembly concluded with a sincere vote of thanks, acknowledging the efforts of students and teachers who brought the programme together.



A significant highlight of the assembly was the felicitation of Ms. Jayshree Sawant for her outstanding contributions to the field of education. She was recently honoured with the Savitribai Phule Educational Award at the "Gyaan Jyoti Sammelan, Pune", organised by R.R. Foundation and Anand Aadhar Foundation, on the occasion of Savitribai Phule's birth anniversary. Her recognition served as a living example of the values upheld by Savitribai Phule and inspired students to appreciate the impact of educators in shaping society.

Through this special assembly, students gained valuable insight into the lives of Savitribai Phule and other eminent Indian women, developed confidence in public speaking and stage performance, and learned the importance of celebrating historical role models who have driven social transformation. The assembly was a vibrant blend of learning and creativity, leaving students enriched with a deeper understanding of courage, education, and the power of positive change.