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Dear Reader,

February holds a profound place in the heart of Bangladesh. It is a reminder of who we are and how our nation came into being. On 21st February 1952, young people stepped forward with courage and clarity, demanding the right to speak in their mother tongue. Some of them never returned home. Their sacrifice was not about language alone; it was about dignity, identity and the fundamental right to be heard. The existence of Bangladesh is deeply rooted in that moment.

Because of this history, language is never a casual matter for us. Words shape thought. Vocabulary, in particular, determines how precisely we can express ideas and emotions. A limited vocabulary restricts thinking; a rich one expands it. When students know the right words, they gain confidence. When teachers use language carefully, learning becomes clearer. When parents value strong language, conversations at home become more meaningful.

Developing language and vocabulary does not happen only through textbooks. It grows through reading regularly, across genres and languages. It grows through listening attentively, noticing new words and using them in speech and writing. Encouraging students to ask questions, keep word journals, engage in discussions and write with intention all contribute to stronger language skills.

This year, let us honour the language martyrs not only through ceremonies but through daily action. We can commit to speaking respectfully, writing carefully, reading more and consciously expanding our vocabulary. In doing so, we keep the spirit of Ekushey February alive, not just in memory but in practice, every single day.

Hector Fernandez

ANNUAL ATHLETICS 2025/26

M.A. Aziz Stadium was a spectacular venue for this year's Annual Athletics. **Generosity** (379 points) was Champion House, while **Courage** (342 points), was Runner-up and **Service** (318 points) finished 3rd.



Victrix Ludorum: **Seshara** (11G), 14 points
 Victor Ludorum: **Arham** (12C), 12 points
 Inter. Girls Champion: **Naaz** (9S), 15 points
 Inter. Boys Champion: **Dilmeth** (9G) 18 points
 Jr. Girls Champion: **Zaheen** (7M), 17 points
 Jr. Boys Champion: **Sandipan** (7M), 15 points.



RECENT MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENTS

The CGS Annual Teachers Convention 2025 - 26 (Middle team pictured above) was a powerful celebration of unity, collaboration and shared purpose. Centered around the theme, 'Together We Rise,' the convention brought our dedicated educators and staff together to reflect, connect, and recommit to our collective vision.

Victory Day below, was marked with in red and green mufti, commemorating the spirit of our nation through music, poetry, and dance, with pride, respect, and joy. Additionally a Pitha festival reinforced our love for our local delicacies.



Rapid Chess Competition: Ayaan (8S) was awarded the Best Scorer in the Under 14 category in the Noor Memorial Rapid Chess Competition.

Art Challenge 2025, invited families to explore the theme 'The Bangladesh We Love.' Parents and children bonded through shared creativity, celebrating heritage and hope side-by-side. Parent and child participants pictured below.



BC YOUR WORLD COMPETITION

CGS won the First National Runner-up Award at the British Council Partner Schools' Global Your World Video Competition. Congratulations!



Middle Library Inauguration: We were thrilled to unveil our new and expanded library, a space (below) reimagined as a vibrant hub of discovery. We hope to transform reading from a requirement into an adventure.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS	DATE
Shab-e-Barat*	4.2.2026
Ramadan Begins*	17.2.2026
Ekushey	21.2.2026
Last Day of Winter Term	26.2.2026