



Graduation at Prakash 2026

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Rachel has written a fantastic report about the recent graduation at Prakash. We are very lucky to have her on our staff.

"Though the graduation ceremony was scheduled for the 03rd, the entire campus was filled with excitement throughout the week as everyone worked enthusiastically to get everything ready for the big day.

The program was led by Soniya (RGI Computer Instructor), Abhishek (R A/C Instructor) and Rachel. It began with an uplifting time of worship led by Nagesh, Abhishek (R A/C Instructor) and the PBI boys. This was followed by a scripture reading from Joshua 1:5-9, read by Atul (PBI Computer Instructor)





The formal welcome of the guests was led by Moses. As a special, personal touch, the girls welcomed the guests by presenting them with beautiful handmade flowers.



Nupi introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Bijorikar, Director of



CFI and his wife (CFI has been a partner organization sending boys from their orphanage to Prakash for many years). She then asked our most senior staff member, Mr. Khadse (R A/C Instructor) and his wife to welcome the couple by presenting them with a plant.

The speaker spoke on the topic, "Let your light Shine for Jesus" based on Matthew 5:16, encouraging the students to live good, honest lives and be a light for others wherever they go.



After the message, the RGI girls took to the stage and performed a beautiful dance. After this, a testimony video was played in which the graduating students shared their personal experiences, the valuable lessons they learned at Prakash and a few more reflections on their journey.



This year, the PBI boys acted out a very meaningful drama. Showing incredible dedication during their preparations, they even carried a refrigerator all the way from their classroom to the stage to make their play look realistic! Their theme had a clear message: having practical, hands-on job skills is much

more useful in real life than simply holding a degree on paper.

Rachel shared a message to the graduating class from the Executive Director, reading it in English and Hindi, so everyone could understand it. The main point of the message was to congratulate the graduates and encourage them to live faithfully right now, stay close to God, shine for Jesus, and follow His unique plan for their lives.

It was amazing to see how perfectly the guest speaker's message and the Executive Director's letter matched. Both focused so beautifully on shining for Jesus and living out God's purpose. It truly felt like God planned the whole day's program so that the graduates would hear this exact message.



Following this, the graduating class walked up to the stage, class by class, to receive their graduation certificates. After all the certificates were given out, a special prayer of dedication was offered, committing the graduates and their future steps into God's hands.



To close the formal ceremony, Nagesh gave a heartfelt vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the guests, staff, and everyone who made the event a success.

This graduation was extra special because, for the very first time, the teachers and staff from the Government ITI joined us for our program. We were so happy to have them as our guests.

To end the wonderful day, everyone gathered together to enjoy a delicious vegetarian fellowship dinner. It was a great time of talking, laughing, and celebrating together.

We wish all of our graduates the very best as they step into their bright futures! We thank God for giving us an opportunity to serve Him and the children at Prakash for another successful academic year. Thank you all for your continuous prayers and support!

Thank you again for your prayers and continued donations

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