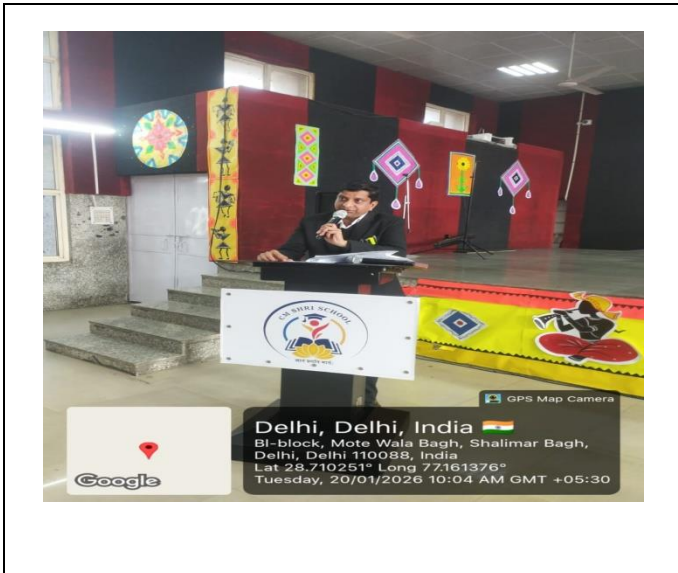


LEGAL AWARENESS CAMP
PROHIBITION OF CHILD MARRIAGE ACT, 2006 (PCMA)
INCLUDING AMENDMENT, 2021
20TH JANUARY 2026 (TUESDAY)



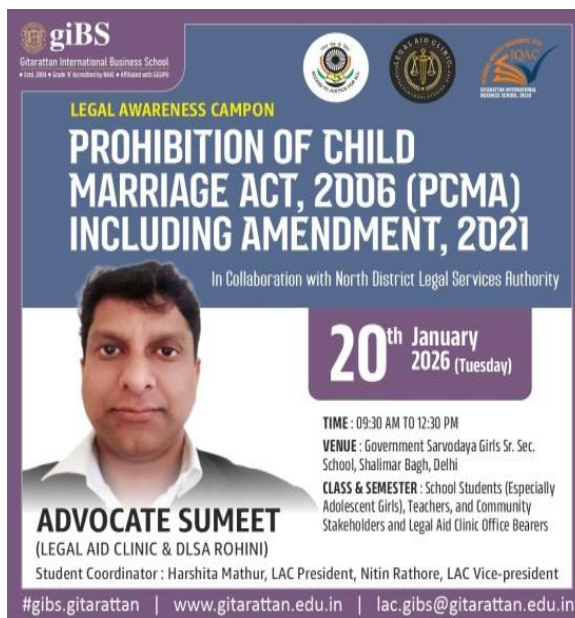
Gitarattan International Business School (GIBS), Delhi, through its Legal Aid Clinic, organized a Legal Awareness Camp on “*Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006 (PCMA) including Amendment, 2021*” on 20th January 2026. The programme was conducted in collaboration with the North District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), Rohini Courts, as part of the institution’s continuous efforts towards community outreach, legal literacy, and social justice. The camp aimed to spread awareness among school students and community stakeholders regarding the legal, social, and constitutional implications of child marriage.

The Camp was organized at the Government Sarvodaya Girls Senior Secondary School, Shalimar Bagh, Delhi, from 09:30 AM to 12:30 PM. The programme primarily targeted school students, especially adolescent girls, along with teachers, community stakeholders, Legal Aid Clinic office bearers, and volunteers. The selection of the venue and target audience reflected a focused approach toward preventive legal education at the grassroots level.

The session was conducted by Advocate Sumeet, associated with the Legal Aid Clinic and DLSA Rohini. He elaborated on the provisions of the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006, highlighting the legal consequences of child marriage and the significance of the 2021 Amendment. He emphasized the role of legal awareness in empowering young girls to recognize and resist unlawful practices and informed participants about available legal remedies and support mechanisms. The objectives of the PCMA, duties of stakeholders, and the responsibility of society in preventing child marriage were also discussed. The interaction focused on educating students about their legal rights, the role of legal aid institutions, and the importance of timely reporting and community intervention. The session encouraged active participation and helped demystify legal concepts through simple explanations and real-life examples.

The programme was effectively coordinated by the Legal Aid Clinic team, with Ms. Harshita Mathur, President, Legal Aid Clinic, and Mr. Nitin Rathore, Vice-President, Legal Aid Clinic, serving as student coordinators. Their efforts ensured smooth execution of the event and meaningful engagement with the participants.

FLYER OF THE EVENT



TYPE OF EVENT	Co-Curricular Activity
VENUE	Auditorium, Government Sarvodaya Girls Sr. Sec. School BL- Block, Mote Wala Bagh ,Shalimar Bagh, Delhi, 110085
TIME & DURATION	20 th January 2026, 09:30 AM – 12:30PM
CONDUCTED BY	Legal Aid Clinic-GIBS
ORGANISED FOR	For Senior Batches of 12 th Class Students (Arts & Commerce Stream)
NAME OF THE COORDINATOR	Dr. Sonia Rajoria, Legal Aid Clinic Coordinator & Assistant Professor, Center for Legal Studies
ATTENDANCE	302 School Students, 11 Centre for Legal Studies Students Volunteers
RESOURCEPERSON	Advocate Mr. Sumeet DELHI LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY, ROHINI COURT

<p>OBJECTIVES OF THE EVENT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To create awareness about the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006 and its Amendment, 2021. • To sensitize adolescent girls about their legal rights and protections against child marriage. • To highlight the legal consequences and social impact of child marriage. • To promote the role of Legal Aid Clinics and DLSA in ensuring access to justice. • To encourage community participation in preventing child marriage.
<p>LEARNING OUTCOMES</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students developed an understanding of child marriage laws in India. • Participants became aware of legal remedies and support systems available. • Enhanced awareness regarding the importance of education and legal empowerment. • Improved understanding of the role of legal institutions in child protection.
<p>SHORTFALL DURING EVENT</p>	<p>None</p>
<p>LINK OF ONLINE VIDEO</p>	<p>NA</p>

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