

STOP CHILD MARRIAGE 25TH AUGUST 2026 (TUESDAY)



An intensive legal literacy and awareness session titled "Stop Child Marriage" was organized by the Legal Aid Clinic of giBS on 25th August, 2026, at Vikas Bharti Public School. Conducted under the aegis of the Jagriti Scheme (2025) and the Baal Vivah Mukat Program, the event targeted Class 9th students to educate them on the social and legal ramifications of child marriage and to empower the youth to identify and report illicit practices.

The event commenced with the screening of the NALSA theme song to set an inspiring tone. The esteemed resource person, Shri (Adv.) R. Ramachandran, then briefed the young audience, educating students on recognizing red flag signals of potential child marriages and explaining why the practice is strictly prohibited under Indian law. Students were taught practical solutions, including whom to contact in emergencies and appropriate reporting channels. A critical segment involved familiarizing attendees with essential government helplines, specifically free legal assistance toll-free numbers 1516 and 15100, alongside child and women protection helplines 1098 and 1090.

The logistical and operational success of the event was driven by a dedicated team of 8 volunteers, including the President and Vice President, who expertly managed crowd coordination and facilitated an engaging environment. The impactful session culminated in a unified demonstration of commitment where students and volunteers stood together to recite the official "Stop Child Marriage" pledge, reinforcing their dedication to building a safer, more informed society. Photographic documentation of the session and student engagement was captured for the official file record.

FLYER OF THE EVENT



TYPE OF EVENT	Co-curricular
VENUE	Vikas Bharti Public School
TIME & DURATION	8:30 a.m onwards
CONDUCTED BY	Legal Aid Club
ORGANISED FOR	Class 9 th School students
NAME OF THE COORDINATOR	Dr. Sonia Rajoria
ATTENDANCE	8 students from LAC
RESOURCE PERSON	Name: Advocate R.Ramachandran , DLSA, Delhi
OBJECTIVES OF THE EVENT	1. Educate young students on the legal frameworks, statutes, and strict prohibitions surrounding child marriage in India.

	2. Equip Class 9th students with the knowledge to identify red flags and recognize illicit child marriage practices within their communities. 3. Familiarize attendees with critical government helpline numbers, including free legal assistance (1516, 15100) and child/women protection channels (1098, 1090). 4. Cultivate a sense of collective accountability through interactive engagement and a unified pledge to actively stand against child marriage.
LEARNING OUTCOME	1. Students gained a clear understanding of the statutory framework making child marriage illegal in India, along with the associated social and legal consequences. 2. Attendees developed the ability to identify early warning signs and red flags associated with potential child marriages in their surroundings. 3. Participants learned how to access institutional support by memorizing vital emergency helpline numbers for legal aid (1516, 15100) and child/women protection (1098, 1090). 4. Students built practical confidence in reporting illicit practices and actively participating in community protection efforts, reinforced by taking the anti-child marriage pledge.
SHORTFALL DURING EVENT	None
LINK TO YOUTUBE VIDEO	https://www.instagram.com/reel/Dcx66pcS49n/?stkn=MTk2Zzc2bXFxcW5ybA==