



# DARUSSALAM COLLEGE

## NEWS LETTER

JANUARY 2025

### Academic and Co-curricular Achievements

Students were awarded medals and certificates at the Inter School Meelad-un-Nabi Day Award Ceremony held at Zahira College, Colombo.



The Excel and Foundation courses concluded successfully with final exams.



A practical session in Robotics was conducted, allowing students to engage hands-on with technology.



Eco Club students (Grades 1-5) received certificates from the Central Environmental Authority for their participation in environmental protection activities.





Primary students were recognized at the Sinhala and Tamil Language Literacy Award Ceremony, celebrating their linguistic achievements.



Students who excelled in the Grade 5 scholarship examination were honored.



Students who secured winning places in various competitions, including Robotics, Hinduism General Knowledge Quiz, and Inter-School Islamic Day Competition, were acknowledged at the morning assembly.



The U-14 Football Team of Darussalaam College became joint champions of the Colombo District U-14 Samaposha Football Tournament, showcasing their sporting talent and teamwork.





## Events and Meetings

A discussion was held with Dr. Razeen Anver, Al Haj Iqbal, and Mr. L.S.M. Farhath regarding educational development, reflecting a collaborative effort towards school improvement.



Grade 1 Parents' Meeting was held, organized by the SMT and SDEC, to discuss the upcoming academic year and expectations



The Junior Football Carnival 2025 celebrated 109 years of the college's excellence, featuring football matches and awards, organized by the Darussalaam Sports Committee.



The 109th Anniversary Celebration of Darussalaam College took place on January 16th, organized by the College 99 Batch, marking over a century of educational service.





A School-Based Professional Teachers Development Programme was conducted to enhance teachers' skills and professional growth.



An introductory awareness session for Grades 6-9 students and their parents was organized to encourage participation in the Scout program.



A Special General Meeting was held at YMMA, Maligawatta, to elect new members to the School Development Executive Committee, with strong support from school leadership and parents.



A special meeting with Grade 11 teachers, students, and parents focused on strategies to improve pass rates in the G.C.E. (O/L) 2024/25 examinations.



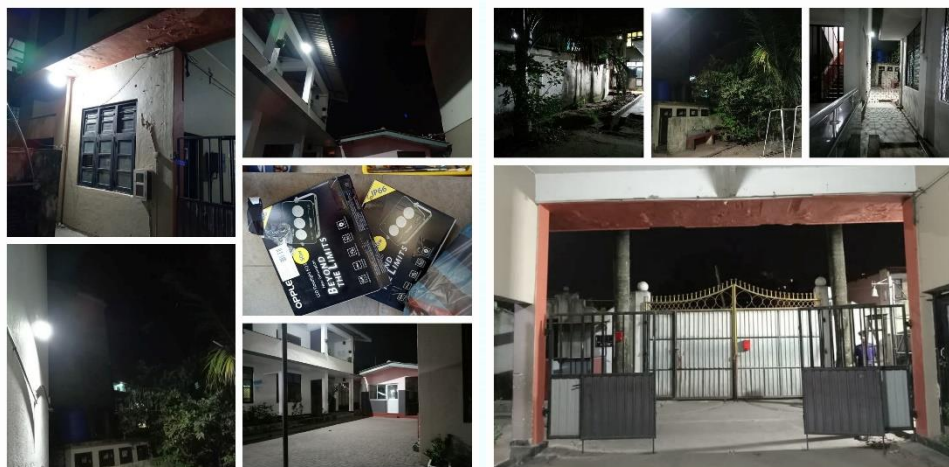
The Grade 1 Freshers' Day 2025 welcomed new students to the college community with the participation of the Principal and other key figures.



## Contributions and Recognitions

Mrs. A.C. Munowfiya, a retired teacher, generously sponsored 4 LED floodlights to brighten the school premises, demonstrating lasting dedication to the school's welfare.





Master M. Hammadh showcased his innovative robotics project, a Car Parking System, at the Grand Talent Show 2025, thanks to support from the SSDF.



Master B.H.M. Usman, a Grade 9 student, donated books to the school library, enriching the resources available for his peers.



Mrs. F.Finas Sanickdeen and Mrs. Jenna Nazeer contributed a memorable album to the school library, preserving cherished moments from their time at Darussalaam College.



Moors' Islamic Cultural Home provided stationery packs to 38 needy students, supporting their educational journey.





A well-wisher donated two chess boards to the college chess teams, encouraging strategic thinking and competition.



## Workshops and Awareness Sessions

A STEM Awareness Session was conducted by Dr. Chathurie Nupearachchi, founder and CEO of Digimeet Education, inspiring interest in science and technology.



An Awareness Session on Child Abuse and Current Child Issues was held by the Maligawatta Police, focusing on student safety and well-being.



Scouts participated in a Cooking Badge activity, fostering skills in teamwork, creativity, and culinary arts.



## Conclusion

January 2025 has been a month filled with achievements, meaningful contributions, and forward-thinking initiatives. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all students and gratitude to the community members and staff whose unwavering support makes these successes possible. As we continue to nurture and empower our students, we look forward to the journey ahead with optimism and determination.