



Report

Independence Day Quiz Competition 2026

1. Introduction & Background –

Independence Day is celebrated across India on 15th August each year to mark the anniversary of India's freedom from colonial rule and to honor the sacrifices of freedom fighters. The day highlights values of freedom, unity, patriotism, justice, and constitutional democracy. The struggle for independence challenged oppression, exploitation, and division, promoting national dignity and universal brotherhood. Recognising the need to spread awareness about India's freedom struggle among the youth and preserve India's democratic heritage, Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga organised an online quiz to commemorate Independence Day 2026.

The Independence Day Quiz 2026 was conducted from 13th August 2026 to 15th August 2026 and was open to students of multiple colleges and universities across Bihar and other states. The 3-day window allowed maximum student participation across institutions. The initiative aimed to provide a common academic platform where students from diverse institutions could learn about the significance, history, and values of Independence Day. Through this quiz, participants engaged with 30 MCQs covering the freedom movement, major leaders and events, constitutional ideals, and relevance of independence today. The event was designed not merely as a test of knowledge but as a medium to develop national pride, critical thinking, and respect for India's democratic tradition. By involving students from various academic institutions, the quiz encouraged collective participation and highlighted the importance of integrating the ideals of freedom and unity into daily life for building a strong and harmonious nation.

2. Participation & Result Summary

- Total Participants Attempted: 47 students from multiple colleges
- Total Students Passed: 46 students
- Total Students Not Qualified: 01 students
- Pass Percentage: 97.87%
- Certificates Issued: 46 Certificates of Appreciation to qualified students only

3. Quiz Structure & Evaluation

- Format: Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)
- Total Questions: 30 MCQs
- Marks per Question: 1 mark each, Total: 30 marks
- Qualifying Marks: 50% and above (15/30)
- Evaluation: Automated system to ensure transparency and accuracy

4. Financial Details

- Budget Allocated by College: **Nil**
- Funding from External Organizations: **Nil**
- Registration Fee from Students: **Nil**
- Total Expenditure: **Nil**

The event was executed using existing digital infrastructure and voluntary support from Coordinator. No financial burden was placed on any stakeholder.

5. Outcome & Achievements

1. 97.87% Success Rate: 46 out of 47 participants secured 50% or above.
2. Inter-College Engagement: Participation from multiple institutions promoted constitutional literacy.
3. Zero-Cost Model: Proved that impactful academic events can be organized without financial resources.
4. Academic Rigor: With 30 questions and 50% cutoff, the quiz maintained standards while ensuring inclusivity.

6. Certificate Distribution

Certificates of Appreciation were digitally issued only to the 46 students who scored 15 marks or above. The certificate acknowledged their active participation and qualifying knowledge about India's freedom struggle, national heroes, key events, and constitutional values of freedom, unity, and justice. The 1 student who did not meet the qualifying criteria was encouraged to participate in future academic events.

7. List of Students

Sl No.	Full Name	Name of College	Department/ Subject	Total Score	Percent Score	Certificate ID
1	Ambika Bareth	Dr. Radhakrishna tt college renwal Jaipur	B.ed (science)	25	83.3%	D8BTWI-CE000001
2	Vandana kumari	Lalit Narayan Mithila university, Darbhanga, Bihar	Home science	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000002
3	Gauri Sharma	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Economics	20	66.7%	D8BTWI-CE000003
4	Soumyadeep Ray	Dakshin Barasat Sibdas Acharya High School	Science	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000004
5	Dancy Gandhi	Dr S&SS Ghandhy government engineering college	ECE	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000005
6	Ashok Kumar Sahu	GHS, Dumerpani, Nuapada	Science	23	76.7%	D8BTWI-CE000006
7	Dr. Mohammad Sarik Siddiqui	Life Care Polyclinic	Medical Officer	24	80.0%	D8BTWI-CE000007
8	Rajvveer Kumar	Gaya College Gaya	Geography	26	86.7%	D8BTWI-CE000008
9	Juphin Abraham Philip	SNGOU, Kollam	Sociology	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000009
10	Deblina Karmakar	Burdwan raj college	Zoology	28	93.3%	D8BTWI-CE000010
11	SUVAJIT GHOSH DASTIDAR	University of Calcutta	Commerce	27	90.0%	D8BTWI-CE000011
12	Avinash kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Hindi	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000012
13	Rajnish kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Hindi	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000013
14	Jaiswal Garima	Dr. S&SS Ghandhy Government Engineering College	Environment	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000014
15	Juphin Abraham Philip	Alagappa University, Karaikudi	Psychology	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000015
16	Rajni kumari	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Hindi honours	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000016
17	Saraswati Pillai	Mumbai University	MCJ	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000017
18	Nilesh Bhattacharya	Delhi University	Ma Political Science	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000018
19	Shilpashree PV	MS RAMAIAH College of Arts, Science and Commerce	Biotechnology	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000019
20	Aditya Pathak	J Yoganandam College Raipur Chhattisgarh	Commerce	20	66.7%	D8BTWI-CE000020

21	Avinash Kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Commerce	18	60.0%	D8BTWI-CE000021
22	Vikas kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	English	24	80.0%	D8BTWI-CE000022
23	Nithyashree C	East West Institute Of Technology	ECSE	28	93.3%	D8BTWI-CE000023
24	Poonam Padmaraj Chavan	Govindrao highschool and junior college ichalkaranji	Science	17	56.7%	D8BTWI-CE000024
25	Manish Mardi	Sister Nivedita University Newtown Kolkata	MCA	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000025
26	Jamiruddin Saikh	Sofia Girls' College	History	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000026
27	Kumar Abhishek	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Physics	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000027
28	Pal Priyanshu bakelal	Dr. S. & S.s. gandhy college	Mechanical engineering	28	93.3%	D8BTWI-CE000028
29	Gautam Kumar	Harprasad Das Jain College, Ara	Sanskrit	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000029
30	Maurya Lucky Vachaspati	GES surat	EE	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000030
31	Vidyanand kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	MDC	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000031
32	Geetanjali Kumari	D.D College Dhanupra, Ara, Bhojpur	History	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000032
33	Pavaneesh PV	MS RAMAIAH College of Arts, Science And Commerce	BCA	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000033
34	Vibha	Davv	Science	10	33.3%	
35	Shraddha Saini	Bansal College Indore	Management	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000034
36	Ashish Anand	MLT College, Saharsa	English	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000035
37	Ms Sujitha Sahayaraj	Tamilnadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	Agriculture	28	93.3%	D8BTWI-CE000036
38	Rabita kumari	Mahatma Gandhi College Darbhanga	Hindi	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000037
39	Gurpreet Kaur	Himachal Pradesh University Shimla	Sociology	23	76.7%	D8BTWI-CE000038
40	Kunga sherpa	Kalimpong College Affiliated to North Bengal University	B.A.	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000039
41	Sachin sharma	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Botany	18	60.0%	D8BTWI-CE000040
42	Palak Bhasin	Sanatan Dharma College, Haryana, Ambala Cantt	Political Science Honours	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000041
43	Prince Kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Zoology	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000042
44	Sakshi Deepak Tiwari	..	CS	29	96.7%	D8BTWI-CE000043
45	Er. Deepak Sakshi Tiwari	Raipur, Chhattisgarh	ECE	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000044
46	Abhinav Anand	Gniot Institute of Professional Studies	Commerce and management	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000045
47	Chinu Jain	Lala lajapat rai college of arts and commerce	Commerce	30	100.0%	D8BTWI-CE000046

8. Acknowledgement

The successful conduct of the Independence Day Quiz 2026 was made possible through collective support and voluntary dedication. We express our deepest gratitude to Dr. Hari Narayan Singh, Hon'ble Secretary of the Governing Body, Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga for his encouraging guidance and approval to organize this academic initiative on a zero-budget model. We are equally thankful to Prof. Prem Kumar, Principal for his constant motivation, administrative support, and for fostering an environment where the values of freedom, unity, and patriotism are promoted through academic activities.

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Above all, we thank the 47 students from multiple colleges and universities whose enthusiastic participation and sincere preparation led to a 97.87% success rate. This quiz stands as a tribute to India's freedom struggle and the sacrifices of our national heroes, whose ideals continue to inspire us. We are grateful to every individual who helped translate the spirit of Independence Day into meaningful student engagement.

9. Conclusion

The Independence Day Quiz 2026, organized by Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga from 13th August to 15th August 2026, successfully achieved its core objective of transforming awareness into meaningful learning. With 47 students from multiple colleges and universities participating and 46 students securing 50% or above out of 30 questions, the event demonstrated that youth are eager to engage with India's freedom struggle when given accessible and dignified platforms. The 97.87% pass rate reflects not just academic preparation but also a genuine curiosity among students to understand the history of independence beyond textbooks. By covering the freedom movement, major leaders and events, constitutional ideals, values of unity and patriotism, and the relevance of independence today, the quiz helped students explore freedom as a foundation of national pride, justice, and democracy.

A defining feature of this initiative was its zero-budget, zero-fee model. Without any financial support from the college, external organizations, or students, the quiz was executed entirely through voluntary faculty efforts and existing digital infrastructure. This proved that impactful academic engagement does not require monetary resources but relies on institutional will, planning, and collective responsibility. It also embodied the spirit that knowledge of India's national heritage must not be restricted by economic barriers.

Beyond numbers, the quiz fostered inter-college dialogue and national awareness at a time when questions of unity and citizenship need active attention among youth. It reminded participants that the ideals of freedom, equality, and brotherhood are not just historical events but guiding values for modern life. For Mahatma Gandhi College, this event reaffirms the institution's commitment to value-based education and its role in nurturing responsible, socially conscious citizens. The organizing committee believes that such initiatives should become a regular practice, ensuring that Independence Day is not observed as a ritual but as an annual renewal of our engagement with patriotism, critical thinking, and democratic values. The success of this quiz encourages us to expand such efforts in the future.

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