

# Shri Dharmendra Pradhan attends Hindu College's 126th Founder's Day

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Union Minister for Education, Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, attended an event celebrating Hindu College's 126th Founder's Day in New Delhi today. Academicians, staff members and students also were present at the event. He engaged with the students and faculty of the college during his visit to the exhibition on Skill Development and Entrepreneurship activities. While exploring ideas, prototypes, and business models, he expressed confidence that they will serve as flag-bearers of innovation, entrepreneurship, job creation, and wealth generation in the times ahead.





While addressing the event, Shri Dharmendra Pradhan highlighted the esteemed legacy of Hindu College, describing it as a temple of learning and a cradle of educational excellence, innovation, diversity, plurality, democratic ethos, nationalistic spirit, and nation-building.

He reflected on the college's founding by Shri Krishan Dass Ji Gurwale, who sought to counter Macaulay's efforts to dismantle India's education system and culture. He emphasized how Hindu College has since carved an unparalleled legacy in shaping India's intellectual, cultural, and national identity. The path of progress and prosperity on which India stands today, he asserted, has been paved by Hindu College.

Shri Pradhan also remarked that while creating a legacy is easier, sustaining it requires relentless dedication. Congratulating the students, faculty, and staff for their unwavering 'Sadhna' in upholding the college's tradition of excellence, he urged them to continue this commitment, striving to transform the institution into a global hub of solutions.

He also underscored that Viksit Bharat 2047 is a collective goal for all Indians. The next 22-25 years, he noted, mark the Amrit Kaal, a crucial period for the Hindu College community. He emphasized that as India celebrates the centenary of its independence, Hindu College will also mark its 150th Founder's Day. During this pivotal phase, the college must aspire to establish itself as an epicentre of research, innovation, entrepreneurship, and solutions to 21st-century challenges, he added.

Expressing confidence in Hindu College's role in shaping India's future, he envisioned it emerging as a 'Captain' of India's transformation in the coming decades. He expressed hope that its students will evolve into wealth-creators, job-creators, deep-tech innovators, policymakers, and global citizens of tomorrow.

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