

“India is the cradle of human race, the birthplace of human speech and the mother of history!”

REVOLT OF 1857

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY (PRIMARY DEPARTMENT)

One hundred years after the Battle of Plassey, anger against the unjust and oppressive British Government took the form of a revolt that shook the very foundations of British rule in India. While British historians called it the Sepoy Mutiny, Indian historians named it **the Revolt of 1857** or the **First War of Indian Independence**. It began on 10th May 1857.

Keeping in mind the importance of this day, a special assembly was organised. It was presented by the students of classes **P1-B** and **P1-D**. One of the P1 student shared information about the importance of this day emphasizing on the role of Rani Laxmi Bai - **one of the leading figures of the Indian Rebellion of 1857**.

The tiny tots recited a beautiful poem which was followed by a melodious song sung by one of our P1 teachers about 'Rani Laxmi Bai'. The audience was spellbound when a P1 girl dressed as Rani Laxmi Bai carrying sword in her hand walked up to the stage reciting the famous line "*Main Apni Jhansi Kisi Ko Nahin Dungi*".

On this special day, Our Director Sir interacted with the students and shared a lot of information about the Revolt of 1857 highlighting the places involved in this revolt, its causes and consequences making it simpler for the little ones to understand it better! The students gathered a lot of information in this interactive session. The assembly concluded with a closing thought based on the importance of this day!

