

World Chess Day

On July 20, 2023, Class 8E organised a special assembly to celebrate 'World Chess Day': On this occasion children introduced themselves as chess players and told the significance of this game. Questions related to chess were asked from students so as to create awareness about the game.

We celebrate International Chess Day on July 20, a day that was born from an idea the United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) had. Chess lovers around the world celebrate their favourite game on this day each year, in a tradition spanning more than 50 years. The origins of chess are a matter of debate. Multiple theories attribute the beginning of this game to countries like India, China, Russia and central Asia. The general Assembly proclaimed July 20 as international chess day to mark the date of establishment of the international chess federation (FIDE). Millions of chess players around the world celebrate this day and this game. Chess popularity can be attributed to the fact that it was associated with wealth, knowledge and power. It evolved to resemble the current version of chess in England by the 15th Century.