

CBSE Young India Culinary Championship (YICC) 2026–27

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Classes : VI to VIII

Young Chefs, Big Ideas!

ITL Public School hosted the School-Level Round of the CBSE Young India Culinary Championship (YICC) 2026–27 – Cooking Without Fire on 13 August 2026 for students of Classes VI–VIII. The event provided an exciting platform for young culinary enthusiasts to showcase their creativity, innovation and culinary skills while preparing nutritious and delicious dishes without the use of fire.

The competition encouraged students to explore the art of healthy and creative food preparation, transforming simple ingredients into appealing culinary creations. With a strong emphasis on nutrition awareness, hygiene, teamwork, presentation and culinary skills, the championship offered students a meaningful opportunity to learn through an engaging, hands-on experience.

The young participants demonstrated remarkable imagination and enthusiasm as they planned, prepared and presented their innovative dishes. The activity not only celebrated their culinary talent but also promoted healthy eating habits, mindful food choices, cleanliness and the importance of teamwork.

The competition was judged by Chef Mrs. Priti Bali, Top 20 MasterChef India, for the final round. Her presence added immense value to the event, inspiring the young participants and providing them with an opportunity to learn from an accomplished culinary professional.

The YICC School-Level Round was a vibrant celebration of creativity, healthy living and experiential learning, leaving students with valuable lessons and memorable experiences. It was heartening to see the young chefs confidently mix, create, present and inspire, proving that great culinary ideas can indeed take shape without using fire.

The event truly reflected the spirit of *Young Chefs, Big Ideas!* and celebrated the joy of innovation, collaboration and learning through doing.

