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Checkmate to Glory: September's Young Chess Achievers Shine Bright
Celebrating Outstanding Chess Achievements – September 2026

S.D. Jain Modern School, Primary Wing, proudly celebrates the remarkable achievements of its young chess champions who brought laurels to the school through their exceptional performances in various chess competitions during September 2026. Their accomplishments reflect strategic thinking, concentration, perseverance and a commendable spirit of sportsmanship.

The following students have earned recognition and distinction at various levels through their outstanding performances on the chessboard:

Student & Grade	Tournament / Championship	Category	Age Group	Level	Venue	Date	Position	Award
AaroHi Jain Grade 1-F	Surat Chess Tournament	Girls	Under-8	District	Surat	13 September 2026	2nd	Trophy & Certificate
Ivaan Nathani Grade 1-F	VIBGYOR 18 Chess Competition	—	Under-8	Inter-School	VIBGYOR High, Surat	20 September 2026	3rd	Certificate of Merit
Aarna Jagnani Grade 3-C	Young Minds Grand Chess Championship 2026	Girls	Under-11	District	Fun & Family Dosa House, Surat	6 September 2026	1st	Trophy; Best Girl Award
Tanush Dhandhanai Grade 4-F	Surat Chess Academy Tournament	—	Under-10	District	Surat Chess Academy, Navmangalam	13 September 2026	1st	Certificate & Trophy

In addition to this, Aarna Jagnani also earned the distinction of being recognised as the Best Girl in the Under-11 Girls Category at the Young Minds Grand Chess Championship 2026, organised by Champion Chess Academy and sponsored by I Sports (Infinite Sports).

The School Management, Principal Mr. Chetan Dalwala, and Headmistress Ms. Neelima Pal extended their heartfelt congratulations and warm wishes to the young achievers, applauding their dedication and accomplishments and wishing them continued success and many more milestones in their sporting journey.