



USO@75: Seventy-Five Sparks

Small moments. Lasting impact. A legacy of learning.

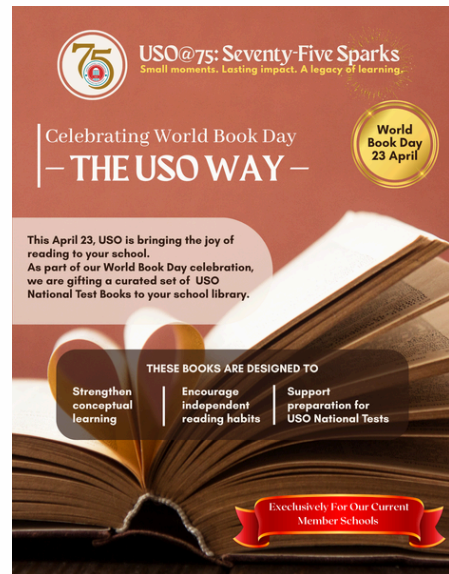


Spark # 34

WORLD BOOK DAY: STRENGTHENING SCHOOL LIBRARIES

CATEGORY:
School Engagement

OBJECTIVE: To promote a culture of reading and academic preparedness among students by strengthening school library resources, and provide quality preparatory material to support learning beyond classrooms. It encouraged schools to integrate structured reading into their academic environment.



TIMELINE & SCOPE

When: April 23, 2026 (World Book Day)
Scope: National Member Schools (till 30 April)

STAKEHOLDERS & FORMAT

Who: Member Schools, Students, Teachers
Format: Hard copies of USO test books

NATURE OF THE SPARK

Academic resource support and reading promotion initiative

HIGHLIGHTS & IMPACT

- Distributed USO National Tests preparatory books to member schools.
- Provided structured academic support material for students appearing in USO National Tests.
- Extended inclusive learning by distributing AccessAbility Series study material to special schools.
- Strengthened school libraries as centres of learning and exploration.
- Supported both existing and new member schools (till 30 April).
- Reinforced USO's commitment to inclusive and equitable access to quality educational resources.

ENDURING VALUE

The initiative enhances long-term access to quality academic and inclusive learning resources within school libraries. It supports sustained student engagement, better preparation, and a stronger culture of reading across schools. The Spark contributes to building resource-rich learning environments for all learners.

"Books open minds, and when placed in every school, they open opportunities for every child."

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Seventy-Five celebrations by the United Schools Organisation of India (USO) highlighting milestones, moments, and initiatives shaping the future of education.