

# **BAISAKHI CELEBRATION**

**"Amidst the rich harvest,  
Across the lush greenery,  
Baisakhi has arrived,  
In all its majesty,  
So, let's rejoice and celebrate in style"**

**Baisakhi or Vaishakhi is a prime festival of Hindus and Sikhs. It is celebrated to mark the harvesting of first summer crop. It is a day of dance and festivity as it is the beginning of Hindu Solar New Year. Sikhs celebrate this day for creation of Khalsa Panth. People in Punjab wear traditional dresses and form dance groups. They perform Bhangra and Gidda on the melodious beats of 'dhol' which brings sheer energy to their dance.**

**To mark the importance of this festival, a virtual craft activity 'Making Dhol' was done on 13th April, by students of class 1. They enjoyed their first activity of the session and participated with enthusiasm. They used paper cups and sequences to decorate their craftwork and sent their pictures.**

