


### Event Report

<b>Title of Activity*</b>	Lohri Celebration
<b>Organized by (School/Centre Name)*</b>	Department of Pharmacy, School of Health Sciences
<b>Program Theme*</b>	Cultural Event
<b>Date*</b>	12th January,2024
<b>Time*</b>	3-5 pm
<b>Poster*</b>	
<b>YouTube/Facebook Link:</b> <i>(if live streamed or video posted on FB/YT)</i>	NA
<b>Social media link</b> <i>(promoting in any one Facebook/Instagram/Twitter is mandatory)</i>	NA
<b>No. of Students*</b> <i>(only no. to be written, list in excel or word should be maintain at department level as proof for any further requirement)</i>	100
<b>No. of Faculty*</b> <i>(only no. to be written, list in excel or word should be maintain at department level as proof for any further requirement)</i>	22
<b>No. of External Participants (students+faculty)</b> <i>[write NA if not applicable]</i>	NA
<b>(Geotag) Photograph-1*</b>	

<p><b>(Geotag) Photograph-2</b></p>	
<p><b>Description (min 250 to max 800 words)*</b></p>	<p>Lohri is a popular harvest festival of North India, celebrated especially in the states of Punjab, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh. It is the festival of joy that commemorates the passing of the Winter Solstice and marks the tilt of the sun towards the Northern Hemisphere causing the nights to get shorter from this day onwards. Students enjoyed Lohri celebration and understood the significance of this festival. They were dressed for the occasion in colourful festive traditional attires. They danced to Bhangra beats and sang Punjabi Tappas making the session full of vibrance and exuberance. Children played one minute games of 'cracking the groundnuts' and scooping popcorn with a spoon into another vessel. Students also prepared a Lohri bonfire craft operated tea-lights, flame cut-outs and completed it by offering groundnuts, rewadis, popcorn and gud pattis to it. The students were also made aware about the other harvest festivals being celebrated parallely across the country around this time like Uttarayan, Pongal, Bihu and Makar Sankranti. These celebrations not only add a fun element but also teach the children to be close to their rich tradition and culture.</p>
<p><b>Attendance Sheet*</b></p>	
<p><b>Report Submitted by</b> (write faculty coordinator name)</p>	<p>Ms. Pooja Mehra &amp; Ms. Deepti Chauhan</p>