



Gujarat Technological University

School of Engineering and

Technology

Event Report: Kite Festival Celebration 2026

Name of the Event

“Kite Festival Celebration (Uttarayan / Makar Sankranti)”

Organized by

School of Engineering and Technology,
Gujarat Technological University

Date & Time

9 January 2026 (Friday)
4:00 PM onwards

Venue

GTU-SET Campus

The Kite Festival Celebration was organized with the objective of:

- Promoting cultural heritage and traditional values associated with Uttarayan (Makar Sankranti),
- Strengthening bonding and camaraderie among the GTU-SET Family, and
- Providing a stress-free, joyful environment for faculty members, staff, and students beyond academic activities.

Event Description

The GTU-SET Kite Festival Celebration was conducted in a vibrant and enthusiastic atmosphere on 9 January 2026 at the GTU-SET Campus. Faculty members, staff, and students actively participated in the celebration, making it a memorable cultural event for the entire GTU-SET Family.

Participants were classified into different teams based on outfit colours, namely Black & White, Blue, Green, Pink, and Others, which added a sense of fun, inclusiveness, and team spirit to the celebration. The campus premises echoed with joy as participants engaged in kite flying, interactions, and festive exchanges.

Strict safety guidelines were followed throughout the event. Only eco-friendly cotton thread was used, and metal or glass-coated (Chinese) manjha was strictly prohibited, ensuring a safe

and responsible celebration. The event was conducted in an orderly manner under proper supervision, maintaining discipline and cleanliness across the campus.

The Kite Festival Celebration 2026 at GTU-SET was successfully conducted and achieved its intended objectives of cultural enrichment, social bonding, and joyful engagement. The event stood as a fine example of how cultural activities can positively contribute to the holistic development of the academic community. The enthusiastic participation and smooth execution made the celebration a grand success.

Participation

The event witnessed **active participation from faculty members, staff, and students**, reflecting strong community engagement and collective enthusiasm. The presence of diverse participants further reinforced the sense of unity and belonging within the GTU-SET Family.

Outcome of the Event

- Enhanced **faculty–staff–student interaction** in an informal and positive environment
- Promotion of **Indian cultural traditions** within the academic campus
- Strengthened **team spirit and institutional bonding**
- Successful conduct of a **safe, disciplined, and inclusive cultural event**

Coordinators

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