

MAY 2026 Events at a Glance

Sun, 3rd May

Clay Mural workshop

with artist Vaishanvi Iyer

Venue: PR Gallery Veranda
Limited seats

For ages: 5+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

Register at events@csmvs.in



Sat, 9th May

Musical Puppet show

In collaboration with Piramal Art Foundation

The Singing Mermaid

For ages: 2-6 years

10.30 am

**Aladdin and
the Flying Carpet**

For ages: 2-6 years

11.30 am

**Kalyanasaugandhikam
The Flower of Good Fortune**

For ages: 6+ years

5.00 pm

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

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Sat, 9th May

**Walkthrough of
Metamorphosis II Exhibition**

with Students of PG Diploma in
Museology & Conservation

Venue: Premchand
Roychand Gallery

10.15 am onwards

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Sat, 16th May

Leather work Workshop

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre
Limited seats

For ages: 15+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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Sun, 10th May

Ancient Impressions

In collaboration with The Artwala House

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre
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For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 1.30 pm

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Sun, 17th May

Strings of the Past

In collaboration with Crafty Shrads

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre
Limited seats

For ages: 12+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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Tue, 19th May

**Sailing Through Time:
Science Behind
Ancient Maritime Networks**

In collaboration with STEAM Academy

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 12.30 pm

Register at events@csmvs.in



Mon, 18th May

International Museum Day

Open activities,
demonstrations and more!

Venue: CSMVS

11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Open for All



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events@csmvs.in

*Museum Tickets Applicable

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159-161 Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Mumbai 400023



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Wed, 20th May

Scriptology

In collaboration with Ashwin Heritage

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 2.00 pm

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Thur, 21st May

**Boat, Bazaars & Beyond:
Sopara's Connection with the World**

In collaboration
with Into the Past Heritage

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 10+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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Fri, 22nd May

**Origins in Green:
Stories of Ancient Plants**

In collaboration with The Leafy Walks

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 12.30 pm

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Sun, 24th May

**How the civilisation lost its city
with storyteller Niyati Vaidya Mehta**

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 5+ years

11.00 am to 12.00 pm

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Sat, 23rd May

**From Tiny Eggs to Giant Travellers:
The Incredible Turtle Journey**

In collaboration with WeNaturalists

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 6+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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**Networks of the Past:
A Study Gallery of India
and the Ancient World**



Ancient Echoes



Sat, 30th May

Gilded Creations

In collaboration with The Curated Art

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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**Currently
Showing**

**The Stone Age –
Journey through time**



Metamorphosis II



Sun, 31st May

**Terracotta Tales:
Paint your own ancient pottery**

with artist Juilee Mahajan

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Limited seats

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with artist Vaishanvi Iyer

Join us for a tactile form of storytelling session encouraging children to create and develop their own stories by moulding clay.

Venue: PR Gallery Veranda

Limited seats

For ages: 5+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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Sat, 9th May

Musical Puppet show

In collaboration with Piramal Art Foundation

Join us for a magical puppet theatre experience filled with music, storytelling, and vibrant characters. Enjoy enchanting tales brought to life for children and families in a delightful, immersive show.

The Singing Mermaid

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Sat, 9th May

Walkthrough of Metamorphosis II Exhibition

with Students of PG Diploma in Museology & Conservation

Join us for a day-long walkthrough of gallery 'Metamorphosis 2'. Experience how folk and tribal art and culture metamorphosed from community narratives to creativity and nature, and finally their resilient continuity.

Venue: Premchand Roychand Gallery

10.15 am onwards

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Sun, 10th May

Ancient Impressions

In collaboration with The Artwala House

Join us to explore the art and history of screen printing through fun, hands-on activities while sparking creativity and create simple artefact-inspired designs from ancient civilisations.

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 1.30 pm

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Sat, 16th May

Leather work Workshop

Join us in the engaging workshop to learn the age-old craft of leather work and appreciate this common form of art through a new light.

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Limited seats

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Strings of the Past

In collaboration with **Crafty Shrads**

Join us for a creative, hands-on string art workshop where children explore and create designs, motifs, patterns, and artefact-inspired compositions inspired by ancient civilisations while fostering artistic expression and an appreciation for cultural heritage.

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 12+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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Tue, 19th May

Sailing Through Time: Science Behind Ancient Maritime Networks

In collaboration with **STEAM Academy**

Join us for an interactive STEM session where children explore how ancient civilizations designed ships, navigated the seas, and built maritime trade networks through engaging ideas, simple experiments, and hands-on discovery.

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 12.30 pm

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Wed, 20th May

Scriptology

In collaboration with **Ashwin Heritage**

Learn about the origins and evolution of writing systems in an engaging, museum-based setting while exploring world cultures and ancient civilisations through storytelling and visual discovery, and connecting exhibits to broader histories of communication through a meaningful, hands-on experience.

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International Museum Day

Museums Uniting a Divided World

This International Museum Day join us for a day full of activities, demonstrations, live performances.

Art Demonstrations and Artist Interactions

Sculpture Making Demonstration

with artist Yash Chaukar

Venue: Children's Museum
Pebble area

11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Open for all

Leaf Painting

with artist Imran Teli

Venue: Children's Museum
Baobab Tree area

11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Open for all



Stone Tool Making Demonstration

with artist Anwar

Venue: Rotunda Gallery

11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Open for all

Folk Singing/Classical Musical instrument performance by students

with Sound Space

Venue: Rotunda Gallery

11.30 am to 12.00 pm

Open for all



In House activities

Block printing activity

Coin making

Intaglio printing

Trunk show and tell

11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Open for all

Film Screenings

Museum Film Screenings:
Documentaries & Children's special

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Boat, Bazaars & Beyond: Sopara's Connection with the World

In collaboration with *Into the Past Heritage*

Join us to explore Sopara, one of the most important ancient ports on India's western coast, and discover its role as a vibrant hub of domestic and international trade, its global connections with regions like Egypt, Europe, Central Asia, Africa, and China, and its rich presence in Indian literature and historical maps across time.

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

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Fri, 22nd May

Origins in Green: Stories of Ancient Plants

In collaboration with *The Leafy Walks*

This International Day for Biological Diversity, discover the ancient plants like Peepal, Rice, Barley etc. as living links to human history while understanding its origins, uses and cultural significance with a walkthrough in Networks of the Past exhibition and the museum gardens the followed by Peepal Leaf skeleton making activity.

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Sat, 23rd May

From Tiny Eggs to Giant Travellers: The Incredible Turtle Journey

In collaboration with *WeNaturalists*

This World Turtle Day, join us with Dr. Prachi Hatkar for an engaging and educational experience where children discover turtles, their habitats, and the challenges they face through interactive games, storytelling, demonstrations, and expert insights, inspiring curiosity and early awareness of marine conservation.

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How the civilisation lost its city

with storyteller Niyati Vaidya Mehta

Join us for engaging storytelling session with storyteller Niyati narrating how the Harappan Civilisation lost one of its cities highlighting how different factors affected it and thus people chose to move away resulting to its decline.

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 5+ years

11.00 am to 12.00 pm

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Sat, 30th May

Gilded Creations

In collaboration with The Curated Art

Join us for a hands-on, interactive creative session where participants explore gold foil techniques to create textured, luminous artworks inspired by the designs and motifs from objects in the Networks of the Past exhibition.

Venue: Nalanda Learning Centre

Limited seats

For ages: 8+ years

11.00 am to 1.00 pm

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Sun, 31st May

Terracotta Tales: Paint your own ancient pottery

with artist Juilee Mahajan

Join us for a hands-on artistic experience in painting pots inspired by ancient civilisations, introducing them to historical pottery styles, patterns, and cultural significance, while fostering creativity, appreciation for heritage art forms, and the development of basic painting and design skills.

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