



## Press Release

World Hindi Day ( विश्व हिंदी दिवस ) was celebrated by the Embassy of India, Ashgabat at Embassy premises on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2026. Hindi teachers and students from the Institute of World Languages named after D Azadi, Ashgabat, Friends of India and Members of the Indian community participated enthusiastically in the event. On this occasion, Ambassador of India to Turkmenistan, H.E. Mr. Bandaru Wilsonbabu read out the message of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi.

World Hindi Day, also known as Vishwa Hindi Diwas ( विश्व हिंदी दिवस ) is observed every year on January 10 to commemorate the first World Hindi Conference held in January 1975 at Nagpur (India). It is celebrated with the objective of raising awareness about Hindi as an International Language and to promote its use across the World.

The celebration included singing of popular Hindi songs, reiteration of Hindi poems, India dance and a special performance of Yoga. The event concluded with the tasting of Indian food.

Some pictures from the event are as follows:







