***The Browser*, Book Club inaugurated at Doaba College, Jalandhar.**

In order to encourage the reading culture and enable the students to look beyond the curriculum, a book club named The Browserhas been launched in the college. Dr. Pardeep Bhandari, Principal, Doaba College, inaugurated the club on April 18, 2023 by untying the ribbon of a collection of new books. In his address to the students, the Principal warned them of the dangers of over-exposure to social media and cell phone addiction. He told them that books are the perfect antidote to these problems. The club is an attempt to provide a common platform to students and teachers to come together and share their responses as readers. A short story titled ‘The Last Leaf’ by O. Henry, an American author, was discussed by the students. The students talked about the thematic, symbolic and philosophical dimensions of the story. The discussion was moderated by Dr. Namrata Nistandra, Coordinator of the Book Club.