



HRD CORP CELEBRATES 934 OUTSTANDING SPM 2025 STUDENTS, ADVANCING THE NATIONAL HUMAN CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT AGENDA

SUNGAI BULOH, 9 May 2026 – The Human Resource Development Corporation (HRD Corp), an agency under the Ministry of Human Resources (KESUMA), today celebrated 934 outstanding Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) students from 12 schools across the Sungai Buloh area through the 'Program Sumbangan Pelajar Cemerlang SPM 2025', involving a total contribution of RM318,900.

Officiated by YB Dato' Sri Ramanan Ramakrishnan, the programme held at the Dewan Serbaguna Seksyen 7, Kota Damansara, brought together approximately 2,000 attendees comprising students, parents and members of the local community, reflecting a whole-of-society approach in nurturing the nation's future talent.

This initiative recognises academic excellence while encouraging continuous self-development beyond examination achievements. It also aligns with the efforts by KESUMA and HRD Corp to strengthen skills development and enhance the employability of the younger generation.

Taking a more inclusive approach, the initiative celebrates top-performing students and acknowledges the dedication and accomplishments of students who attained 4As and above. This reflects the belief that every achievement deserves recognition and encouragement, inspiring students to continue striving for greater success.

In his speech, YB Dato' Sri Ramanan highlighted the importance of skills development and the role of Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) institutions in providing broader opportunities to build a better future.

"KESUMA's TVET institutions, such as the Advanced Technology Training Centre (ADTEC) colleges, continue to record encouraging achievements, with graduate employability reaching 95.5 per cent. This proves that the skills pathway is equally capable of opening up strong career opportunities for our younger generation," said YB Dato' Sri Ramanan.

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Meanwhile, HRD Corp Chief Executive, Dato' Shamir Aziz, said that initiatives such as this go beyond recognising students' achievements and serve as a motivation for the younger generation to continue working hard towards a brighter future.

"Success does not come easily. Continue to work hard, believe in yourselves and never forget the parents who have always stood by us throughout our journey in life. No matter how far we go in life, in their eyes, we will always remain the children they continuously pray for and support," said Dato' Shamir Aziz.

Also present at the event were the Deputy Secretary-General (Policy and International) of KESUMA, Dr. Hj. Mohd Shaharin Umar and the Chairman of HRD Corp, Datuk Rusli Jaafar.

Through initiatives such as this, HRD Corp continues to support the MADANI agenda of empowering individuals, uplifting communities and developing a highly skilled, resilient and future-ready workforce for the nation.

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About HRD Corp

Human Resource Development Corporation (HRD Corp) is Malaysia's leading government agency for human capital development under the Ministry of Human Resources (KESUMA).

Governed by the Pembangunan Sumber Manusia Berhad (PSMB) Act 2001, HRD Corp is responsible for the collection and administration of the human resources development levy through the Human Resources Development Fund (HRDF), to promote the training, retraining and skills upgrading of employees, apprentices and trainees, aligning their capabilities with employers' business needs and the nation's aspiration of developing a highly-skilled workforce. This ensures Malaysia's workforce remains competitive and adaptable to the demands of both current and future economies.

HRD Corp also plays a pivotal role in strengthening Malaysia's training market, championing innovation, quality and inclusive access to skills development nationwide.

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