



# Aspir.e

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***Unleash True Potential***

**“WE GROW WITH AGE, WE CHANGE WITH TIME”**

# WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

World Environment Day is celebrated annually on June 5th to raise awareness about environmental issues and encourage action for the protection of our planet. This year our school organized various activities to engage students and promote environmental consciousness.



## INVESTITURE CEREMONY

Our school held its annual Investiture ceremony in the month of June for appointing the new student council for the academic year 2024-25. This year we have elected our school representatives through online voting.



Online voting



Awarding Badges



Oath-Taking ceremony

The Investiture ceremony not only celebrated the new council members but also encouraged all students to engage in leadership opportunities.

## INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

We celebrated International Yoga Day with an engaging program aimed at promoting physical health, mental well-being and mindfulness among students. The event saw enthusiastic participation across all grades.



## KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS

As part of our Kargil Vijay Diwas celebrations, on July 26<sup>th</sup>, students of class 8 have delivered a poignant skit that highlighted the valor and sacrifice of the Indian Armed Forces during the Kargil War.



The skit not only honoured the sacrifice of our soldiers but also fostered discussions among students about patriotism and resilience.



## STUDENT CORNER



### **Where's my Childhood?**

From crying to go to school  
To crying to go back home  
How fast my days passed  
And where's that childhood now?

From scoring top marks  
To praying to pass,  
How fast my teens changed  
And where's that childhood now?

From crying in my mother's lap  
To crying under pillow  
How fast bonding's change  
And where's that childhood now?

From dreaming of having Rapunzel's hair  
To having Flyn Rider's hair  
How fast our fashions changed  
And where's that childhood now?

From watching Disney characters  
To watching Netflix  
How fast our tastes changed  
And where's that childhood now?

It is interesting how day by day nothing changes  
But when you look back everything has changed  
And my childhood's missing!  
Ain't it now?

It is interesting how we slowly changed  
where's my childhood now?  
Looking back, it was all there  
And I found my childhood now.

# SAMBHRAMA

SSM school hosted Inter-School cultural fest- 'SAMBHRAMA' in the month of August.



## INDEPENDENCE DAY

"A nation's culture is resides in the hearts and souls of the people". We celebrated Independence Day with a special program dedicated to honouring the pivotal role of women in the Indian freedom struggle. Students presented a series of performances including a dramatic re-enactment of significant events and a dance tribute celebrating women's resilience and spirit.







## STUDENT CORNER

### The Bitter Sweet fall

"I held tight to my branch so high,  
Then a gentle breeze whispered goodbye.  
I twirled and spun, feeling very free,  
A magical moment, wild and carefree.

It was a joyful journey from the  
Branch to the ground.  
Many such leaves were around.  
But wait-oh no! they all have turned  
Brown and old. Looking so sad and  
Cold! would I join them in this lonely place?

Falling seemed thrilling, a joyful ride  
But now I'm ignored, trampled with pride.  
No loving hands to catch my fall,  
Just the cold ground, after all!

Please take me back to my tree's warm light,  
Where leaves danced together day and night  
Growth brings change, and tears its true!  
But memories of joy, I'll hold always a new!"

Deepti R K  
XB

# KRISHNA JANMASHTAMI



## HINDI DIWAS & EKTHA DIWAS

Students actively participated showcasing their talents and enthusiasm for the Hindi language.



## TEACHERS DAY CELEBRATION





## **STUDENT CORNER**

### **My Life and my aspirations**

Aspiring is the most important part of our life. Aspirations are very common to all the humans but fulfilling it is very important. This is the same case with me, I have many aspirations and one of that is to make my parents proud, having many aspirations looks good, it motivates us to do more hard work. Like everyone even I face many difficulties to fulfill them. One must not ask God to remove all the problems from our life, we should ask him to give us courage to fight those problems.

“Don’t run from the problems, great them. They are just like most of our relatives whom you give respect and you know how they treat you. Problems come to your life and so do relatives. Everyone has to resolve their problems and go on with life.

**Harith Agarwal**  
**XB**

### **Good Leader**

When we speak of being a good leader, there are a lot of things we can say about it in our opinion that what makes a good leader? Whether one is an office manager or a project manager. A leader should be able to clearly explain others everything about organizational goals, specific task, etc. leaders should be regularly available for everyone in the group. Good leaders support others and bring others into their circle. A good leader should have their own idea. He should more creative. Even our friends have their own idea of being a good leader. He should encourage his team to bring out the best in themselves. He should identify the best resource person to guide and train his team. They should realize how important is their task and need to generate support which is vital for success. There are a lot of things to define a good leader.



**Srinidhi Shenoy**  
**VII B**

## STUDENT CORNER



### Those Unheard Voices

The agitation of horrors,  
That left me in the lurch,  
Through a whole of defamation  
Doubting a comeback  
Doubting acceptance  
Doubting my fault  
Leaving my soul grieving  
Leaving it nerve-wracking  
I buried myself as a sun.  
With all the brutal scars and behold,  
And melancholy unaltered and shattered  
I shall say it with a sigh  
I am a woman  
And that's what empowers me.

Tejaswini V  
XB



### Hand in Hand heart to heart

In the tapestry of life, thread intertwine,  
A true friend's laughter, a melody divine.  
In silence, they listen, in chaos they calm,  
A soothing presence, a comforting balm.

With trust as the root, and loyalty's grace,  
They offer a smile and a warm place.  
Through laughter and tears, they stand by your side,  
In moments of joy, and when you've cried.

With secrets shared softly and dreams that take flight,  
A true friend's embrace feels just so right.  
Cherish the moments, both big and small,  
A friend is the greatest gift of all.

Prerana P  
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# RAINBOW WEEK







# STUDENT CORNER

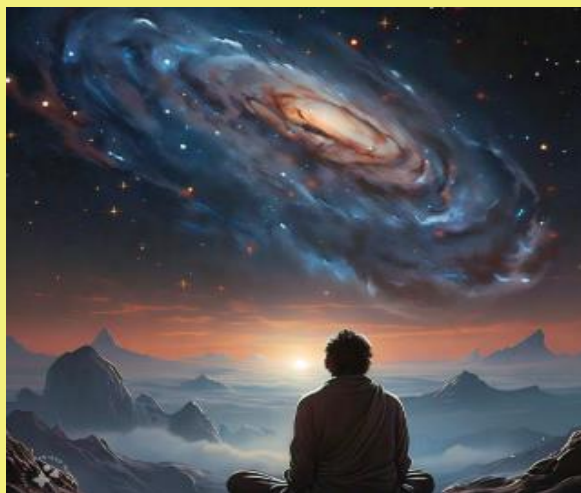
## Dawn of Aspirations

In the glow of dawn, dreams start to ignite,  
Radiant and hopeful, shining ever bright.  
Whispers of success, dancing in the air,  
Blessed dreams bloom, free from despair.

Premises fulfilled, like stars in the sky,  
Echoes of triumph, soaring high.  
In the melody of the heart, a joyful song,  
Blessed dreams flourish, carrying us along.

In the light, a beacon of hope so clear,  
A future of possibilities, drawing near.  
From the seeds of dreams, a garden so grand,  
where aspirations blossom, hand in hand.

**Anvitha Hegde**  
**XB**



# JOYFUL MOMENTS



## STUDENT CORNER



### **SCHOOL**

School is a place where minds grow wide,  
Where books and dreams kept side by side.  
Friends and laughter fill the air,  
With teachers guiding everywhere.

Lessons learned, both big and small,  
A journey of success shared by one and all.  
Through every test, each page we turn,  
School is where we live and learn.

**Adarsh SK**  
**IX B**



### **VEILED SMILES**

They walk beside with smiles wide  
Words like honey, hearts that hide  
Promises soft, yet thin as air  
Gone in the winds of life's despair  
Fake friends shine bright in easy light  
But vanish fast in shadows night.

I have learnt to see through empty cheer,  
To find the ones who stay sincere.  
True friends are rare, like gold refined,  
Their loyalty steady, unconfined.  
So I hold close the honest few  
And let the false fade out of view.

**Sarika H**  
**VIII B**

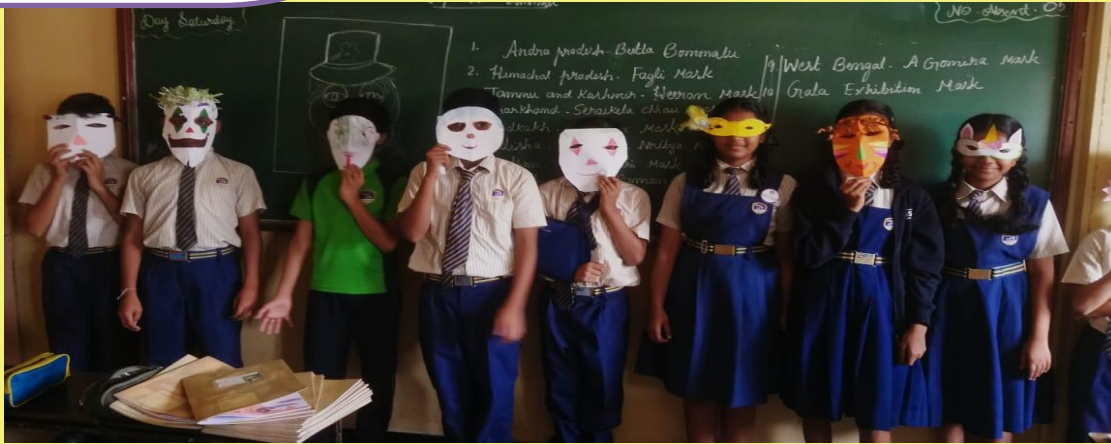
## KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA

As part of school's commitment for fostering cultural awareness and regional pride, we celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava with great enthusiasm and reverence. The program began with hoisting of the Kannada flag, followed by the singing of the Kannada anthem. Students from various grades participated in cultural performances, including traditional dance, folk music and skits that highlighted the history, culture and achievements of Karnataka.



## SKILL EDUCATION

CBSE Skill education is a program that helps students develop skills for jobs and life, including practical, manual and employability skills.



## LITERARY CLUB



Students spoke about the origin of proverbs and its usage in English language in the school assembly. Many charts elaborating English proverbs were displayed.

## STUDENT CORNER

### THE WORLD INSIDE A COLOURFUL STONE



Once upon a time, there lived a girl named Amy. One afternoon, all the girls of her class were playing Kho-Kho match. While playing, Amy's leg was struck by something under sand. She dug the ground to see what struck her leg. She found an ancient box. It had precious stones, gems, gold and silver coins. She found a colourful stone. She touched it, no sooner she was pulled inside.

There was a desert land inside! She saw huge chocolate house, she ran inside. There were candies hung from its roof. She plucked one and ate it. It was very delicious. Then there was a giant fountain of waffles, chocolate syrup, sprinkles, cherries, Choco chips. That seemed so tasty!! She came out of the house, there was mountain of ice cake, she stuffed a piece of it into her mouth. There was a river flowing with chocolate syrup and ice cream, she touched it suddenly a mermaid came out. She was very beautiful. My was scared after seeing mermaid yet attracted by mermaid's charm. The mermaid said that her name Rita, not to be scared she is a mermaid. Once she was cursed for disobeying god that until a human touches her, she will be submerged under water. She thanked Amy for relieving her curse. The mermaid took Amy to unique world filled with nature's beauty and greenery.

They went through forest. The first forest they went was silver forest. All trees and their leaves were made of silver. There was river which they crossed by sailing. Then they went into gold forest. There only branches were made of gold, the leaves were made of Ruby. There was barbed wires which they both crossed by crawling. Next was diamond forest. There trees were made of gold and leaves were embedded with diamond. They both passed on floating ice. They passed through great difficulty. Then, Amy saw a huge palace made of gold.

They both entered the forest. The king, his throne and his family members were frozen. Amy went near the frozen king the mermaid asked her to touch him. Amy touched him, the king came back to life. The mermaid touched the other family members, they all came back to life. The king said that the mermaid was the protector of his kingdom. As soon as the mermaid was submerged under water, the king's whole empire was frozen. Now when the mermaid was relieved from her curse and when she arrived, touched the family members of king, his kingdom came back to its original form.

The king thanked both of them. They all celebrated in joy as their Kingdom is in original form. All the people of kingdom, Amy, mermaid, King's family members played together, shared stories of their world, they all had supper together. Amy suddenly realized that she had to go back to her world. She asked the king the way to go back to her world.

The mermaid showed her a hole. If Amy jumped inside, she would reach to her world. Amy greeted all of them and jumped into the hole. She came back to the playground. Suddenly the ancient box had disappeared. It all seemed like a fantasy for Amy yet it was a good experience and adventure.

**Varsha Shrinivas**  
**IX B**

## FIELD TRIP - A VISIT TO KMF



The purpose of the visit was to gain insights into the operations and processes at Karnataka Milk Federation, understand their dairy production practices, and explore their role in the state's dairy industry.



# INTERSCHOOL COMPETITIONS

*Sevak*



Pravallika and Tejaswini of class X have bagged 2<sup>nd</sup> place of 1minute Impromptu speaking contest



Kannada Prathibha Parikshe



CBSE Activity  
"Gratitude for all"



## STUDENT CORNER

THE  
INVISIBLE  
PATH  
TO  
SUCCESS

### **“THE UNSEEN FORCE: JOURNEY TO SELF-DISCOVERY”**

The luxurious conference room filled with esteemed journalists and camera crews. The billionaire dressed impeccably, walked in with confidence and humility. As he took his seat, the room fell silent, awaiting his words. The billionaire saw his watch and waved his hand up signing to start the interview. One of the anchors started to give introduction and the show began. She started “welcome to Inspiring success stories”. Tonight, we have the privilege of hosting the world's youngest billionaire Mr. Ram. Sir, congratulations on your remarkable achievements. What drives your success?”.

The billionaire sighed, closed his eyes and in namaskar position he chanted some sacred Vedic verses or mantras. It took about 2 minutes to complete his chanting and he opened his eyes and began to say his story about becoming success. He started "I was born into a middle-class family. My father worked as a secretary in a private company. My mother was a housewife. At childhood, I was sent to school. But, I was a bad pupil in my school. I didn't score good marks in my exams. I failed in various subjects. My parents and teachers scolded for my poor performance. My parents would beat me at some instance. I lost hope in my life and thought of doing something in sports, but I wasn't successful”.

During my Vacation, I travelled to Chicago with my elder sister. It was my cousin's house which was situated at the heart of Chicago – ‘beautiful city and beautiful house’. The house was old, brown in colour, it was a wooden house, for me it stood like the symbol of wisdom and nature's beauty as trees represent them. It was a big house with twelve rooms. It is six times bigger than my house. There were numerous places dedicated to books, clothes, toys, antiques etc... As a shopping mall they were divided into different compartments based on commodities.

One day, I wandered into the books compartment hoping to get some unwanted and uninterested books. I found an old dusty, brown book with a green wrapper, English book, written, in bold words 'The Indian Swamiji'. I was curious because I wasn't knowing much about India and its history so, without wasting any time, I picked the book and began to read. The book consisted of over 460 pages. I don't know how many hours passed by, but I wasn't able to stop reading. After finishing the book, I began to know value of my life and I fixed my goal to become a businessman.

"From that day, I think I was studying at grade eight. And my life was changed completely. I worked hard in my studies and gave my best in all activities. I studied at late night and I got 97% in my 10th Std. Later I joined the business college and now I'm the world's youngest billionaire, 'The Swamiji' is none other than 'Swami Vivekananda'. I'm grateful, thankful to swamiji and India for making me successful. I always remember his famous quotes, '**Arise, Awake and reach your goal**', 'The greatest sin is to think ourselves weak: And Never, ever, stop until you reach your goal. The unseen force for me is 'Swamiji' and that lead to my self-discovery.

**Shreelakshmi S Kashyap**

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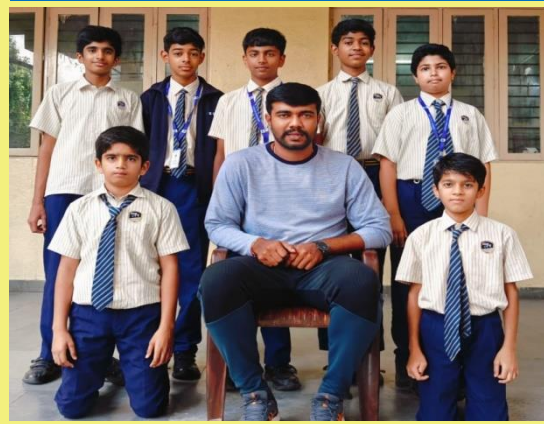
# INTER HOUSE BADMINTON TOURNAMENT



# ANNUAL SPORTS



# OUR VOLLEYBALL TEAM



# SCHOOL EXCURSION PHOTOS







# CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME FOR TEACHERS

Capacity building program for teachers is a training program that helps teachers improve their skills and knowledge to better educate students. These programs can include training on a variety of topics, such as: Teaching methodologies, Social and emotional learning, Technology, Classroom management, Values education, Inclusive strategies, Career guidance, Gender sensitivity, Life skills.



**Learning Outcomes and Pedagogies:** The workshop threw light on the difference between Learning Objectives and Learning Outcomes. The resource people then conducted an elaborate discussion about the 21st Century Skills, mainly, Learning skills Literacy Skills, and Life Skills.

**Active learning:** The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) offers a capacity building program on active learning for teachers. The program is designed to help teachers improve their teaching skills and keep up with the changing needs of students.



## **Educating Parents about Education**

View life as a continuous learning experience.” No one can agree to this statement more than the teachers, who work on continuously developing skills in their area of expertise. In order to provide one such platform, CBSE organized a Capacity Building Program on 'Educating Parents about Education'.

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# SSLC TOPPERS 2023-24



97%  
SAMEEKSHA U



95.4%  
NEHAL R ACHAR



94.6%  
SHARANYA H V



93.6%  
AARAV PAI



93.6%  
HAMSINI M



93%  
ABHINANDAN N S



93%  
DHANUJ S



92.2%  
NEETU PATIL



91.8%  
DAKSHA H



## Science 99%



DHANUJ S



DHANUJ S

## Hindi 94%



GANAVI C

## Kannada 99%



SAMEEKSHA U



AKASH V YADAV

## Mathematics 97%



DHANUJ S



ASHVATH SUBRAMANIAM

## Social Studies 99%



SAMEEKSHA U



AARAV PAI

# CLASS TOPPERS OF 2023-24



Vidvat Bhatt Joshi 99.2% **Class I**



99.6%



Kshitija G 100% **Class II**



Sarayu B 99.8%



Sudhanva N 99.6% **Class III**



98%



Khushi Shet 99% **Class IV**



98%



Keshava Rao 96% **Class V**



Prerana A 92%



Arnab A 92%



Vaishnavi N 95% **Class VI**



Sinchana V 95.5% **Class VII**



Kushal P Srinivas 95.6%



Sai Raksha K A 97.9% **Class VIII**



Varsha Srinivas 98.3%



Trishala C 96.4% **Class IX**



Harith Agarwal 96%

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