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## Principal's Desk

**Dear students,**

As we embark on a new academic year, I extend a warm welcome to each of you. This is the perfect time to set your goals and aspirations for the months ahead. From the very first day, I urge you to focus on your studies with unwavering dedication. Your education is the foundation upon which you will build your future, and it deserves your utmost attention and effort.

Time management is crucial. Organize your schedule to balance academics, extracurricular activities, and personal time. Effective time management will not only help you keep up with your coursework but also allow you to pursue your passions and hobbies. Remember, every moment is precious; use it wisely.

Our school values are the compass that will guide you through your educational journey. Respect, integrity, responsibility, and kindness should be at the core of everything you do. These values will help you become not just successful students, but also responsible and compassionate members of society.

Equally important is your health. A healthy mind resides in a healthy body. Make sure to maintain a balanced diet, get regular exercise, and ensure adequate sleep. Physical well-being is intrinsically linked to your academic performance and overall happiness. Lastly, avoid wasting time on non-productive activities. In this digital age, distractions are plentiful, but staying focused on your goals will set you apart. Prioritize tasks that contribute to your growth and success.

Let's make this year productive, meaningful, and fulfilling. Together, we can achieve great things.

Warm regards,

**Mr. Atul Runthala**

Principal  
TIPSE CBSE



**LET'S LEARN TO BE MORE CONFIDENT!**

Dear Students,

Do you know what is the most essential trait, you need to hone in pursuit of academic and overall excellence?

It is Confidence!!!

Confidence is one of the most imperative human characteristics that sets an individual apart from the rest of the world. One cannot progress well in the developmental scale if one lacks confidence. When you have confidence, you can approach anything without fear and can get things done as per your passion, without the fear of getting rejected by others.

Confidence is not decided by any external factors but it comes from within. If you are good at something, you may feel confident in doing it, but your confidence level gets constricted when you shift to tasks that you may not be good at. In reality, it's not so.

If you feel confident, it will open your mind up to comprehend fresh new ideas and concepts and would broaden your knowledge base. You may not be good at Math or Science or Humanities but that has nothing to do with your confidence level to apprehend the subject in a deeper way and mend on those weaker areas.

On the other hand, though you may be good at all the subjects, but, lack confidence, then you may not be a better performer or high achiever in your areas of interest too.

Irrespective of your "Achievements and Accolades", if you cannot find confidence within, then all the external achievements simply don't mean anything.

In short, true confidence is the belief you have in your own self that regardless of any circumstances, you will face every obstacle as a stepping stone to achieve your aim. It doesn't consider your actions to achieve a target; rather it reflects your willingness to act.

Being confident and over-confident are two extreme poles. Your lack of confidence makes you see every opportunity as an obstacle and every winning situation as a failure simply because you are not confident to face the reality. On the other hand, by being over confident you ignore all chances of failure as your beliefs or feelings exceed your capabilities and tend to underestimate the risks to which you are vulnerable.

So, let's hone our confidence and avoid being over-confident to realise our true potentials to reach our goals.



**S.SWARNALATHA**  
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## The Transformative Power of Small Habits

Never underestimate the power of small habits. No doubt that small droplets of water make a big ocean. These seemingly minor actions, when practiced consistently, can lead to monumental changes over time. Imagine committing to just five minutes of reading each day. Over a year, that's more than 30 hours of self-improvement! Small habits are manageable and sustainable, making them easier to incorporate into our daily routines.

Have small achievable goals and try to accomplish them. The joy of accomplishment will serve a motivation for you to achieve further. Go one step at a time. It is not possible to have a giant leap at the start. They build momentum and foster a sense of accomplishment, encouraging us to take on bigger challenges. Whether it's drinking a glass of water each morning, or taking a short walk, or writing a few lines in a journal, these small acts compound to create significant, positive transformations in our lives.

Moreover, small habits can also serve as a gateway to developing larger, more impactful habits. For example, starting with a brief daily meditation can gradually evolve into a deeper mindfulness practice that profoundly enhances your mental well-being.

By focusing on tiny, consistent steps, we avoid overwhelm and set ourselves up for long-term success. Remember, it's not the grand gestures but the small, persistent efforts that lead to lasting change. Start small, stay consistent, and watch your life transform! Your journey to greatness begins with just one small step.



**Mrs. Radhai Shanmugam**  
Chief Editor



We are thrilled to share that our first Parent-Led Session of MasterMinds Series 2024 was a resounding success!

Mr. Sathish, Chief Engineer at Gulf Energy Maritime and a proud parent from our community, captivated our Grade 11 and 12 students with his insights on nautical science, the merchant navy, and marine engineering. He discussed educational requirements, pros and cons of the fields, and much more.

The session was highly interactive, with students eagerly engaging and asking questions. Their enthusiasm and curiosity were truly commendable! We thank Mr. Sathish for this inspiring session and look forward to more enriching experiences in the MasterMinds Series 2024.



# Kaleidoscope

9B led today's assembly based on the topic "Respect is for deserving, not for demanding." The assembly began with the Prayer. Today's history, the thought of the day, and a reading from the news article came next. Mr. Gerald, the English teacher, told the kids a story that was meaningful and full of morals. The students finally performed a mime based on the theme "Respect".The gathering was dispersed after the national anthem.



# Clicks and Pics

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Colours and Shades

Sri Sai Sithanya-11A2



# Teacher's Corner

## Rose show

The Rose Show 2024 held in Ooty showcased a stunning array of rose varieties, drawing enthusiasts and horticulturists alike. The event highlighted the beauty and diversity of roses, featuring competitions, exhibitions, and expert talks on cultivation and care. It was a delightful celebration of nature's splendor and the artistry of rose cultivation.

Mrs. Isabella K J  
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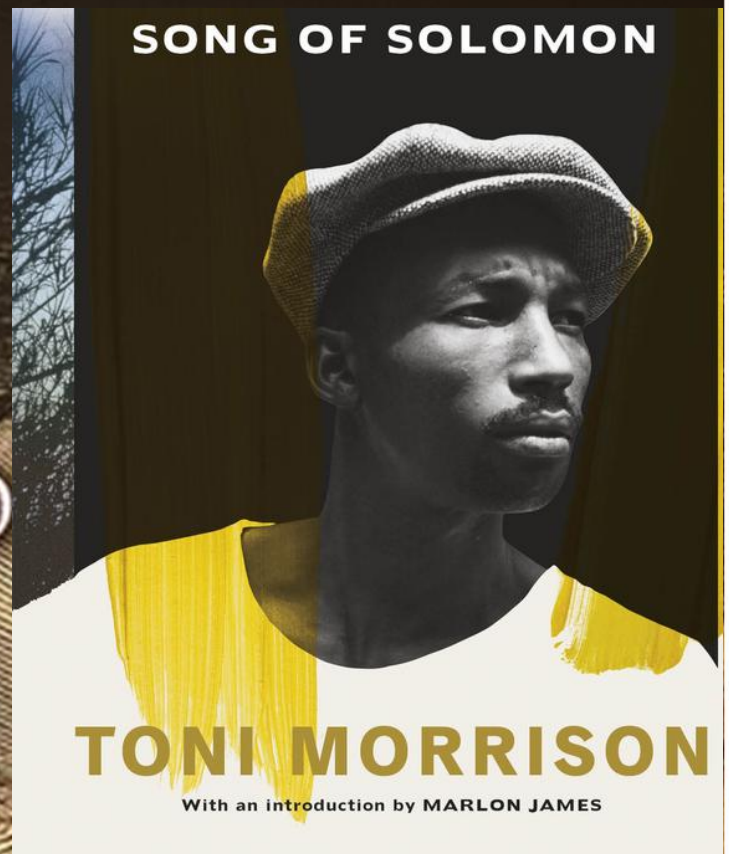
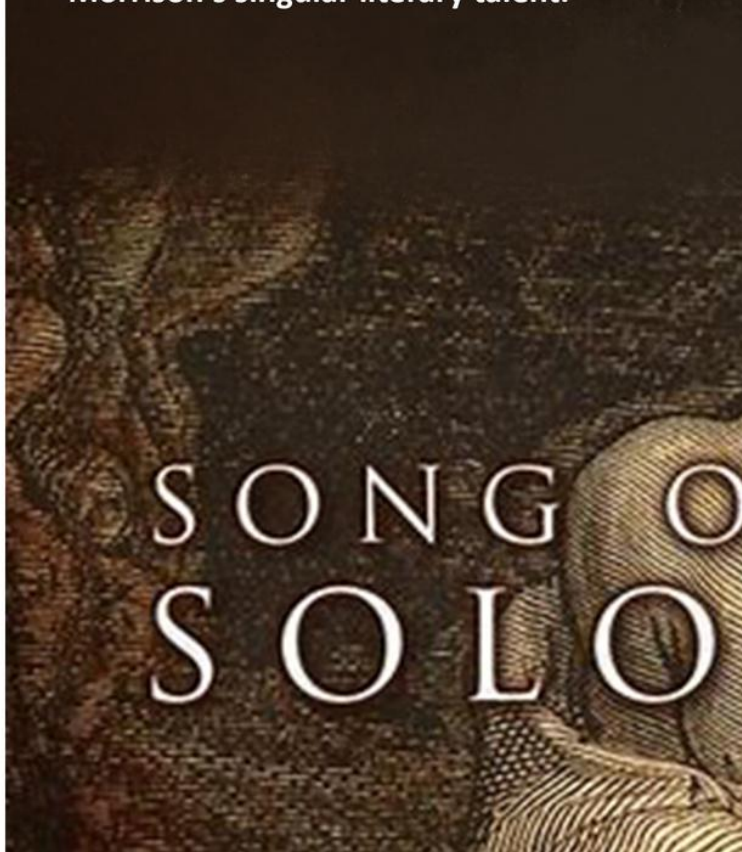


**The Song of Solomon** is a powerful and complex novel by acclaimed author Toni Morrison, first published in 1977. It is considered one of Morrison's masterpieces and a landmark work of 20th century American literature.

The novel follows the story of Macon "Milkman" Dead III, a young man searching for his family's history and his own identity. Set primarily in 1950s and 1960s Michigan, the book weaves together elements of realism, fantasy, and allegory as Milkman uncovers the secrets and tragedies of his family's past.

Reviewers praise the novel's rich characterization, lyrical language, and thematic depth. Morrison skillfully explores themes of identity, family, race, and the legacy of slavery in African American life. The book is noted for its intricate structure, with the narrative shifting perspectives and spiraling in complexity.

Many consider Song of Solomon to be one of Morrison's finest works, demonstrating her mastery of the novel form and her ability to weave together the personal and the historical. The book is regarded as a landmark in 20th century American fiction and a testament to Morrison's singular literary talent.



## Know your English!

Anthropomorphism is the attribution of human traits, emotions, or intentions to non-human entities, such as animals, inanimate objects, or natural phenomena. This concept is often used in literature, art, and everyday language.

### "Animal Farm" by George Orwell:

In this political allegory, animals on a farm overthrow their human owner and run the farm themselves. The animals exhibit human traits, form a government, and engage in complex political manoeuvres. Characters like Napoleon the pig display human traits such as ambition, cunning, and corruption.

### "Winnie-the-Pooh" by A.A. Milne:

The characters in the Hundred Acre Wood, such as Pooh Bear, Piglet, Tigger, and Eeyore, all display human-like emotions and behaviours. They speak, have friendships, and go on various adventures, displaying traits such as curiosity, fear, and joy.

### "The Jungle Book" by Rudyard Kipling:

The animals in this story, such as Baloo the bear, Bagheera the panther, and Shere Khan the tiger, all talk and have distinct personalities. They mentor and interact with the human boy Mowgli, showing human-like wisdom, bravery, and malice.

### "Charlotte's Web" by E.B. White:

The story features a spider named Charlotte who speaks and forms a deep friendship with a pig named Wilbur. Charlotte's actions, like writing messages in her web to save Wilbur, show intelligence, compassion, and creativity, which are human traits.

### "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland" by Lewis Carroll:

This classic features numerous anthropomorphized creatures, such as the White Rabbit, the Cheshire Cat, and the Queen of Hearts. These characters speak and behave like humans, with their own unique personalities and roles within the whimsical world of Wonderland.



## Vocab Voyage

**Perspicacious** - describes someone who has a keen understanding and quick insight into things. It is often used to characterize individuals who are perceptive and able to grasp complex ideas or notice things that are not immediately obvious.

**Parts of Speech** - Adjective

**Example in a Sentence** - The perspicacious detective quickly identified the key clues that would solve the mystery.

**Etymology** - "Perspicacious" originates from the Latin word "perspicax," meaning "sharp-sighted" or "perceptive." This is derived from "perspicere," which combines "per-" (through) and "specere" (to look). It entered English in the early 17th century, retaining its meaning related to keen mental perception and insight. The term essentially reflects the ability to "see through" complex and subtle matters with clarity.



## **Birthday Bonanza**

1. Hanshika Varasa SM 9E June 23
2. Rithulan KS 9F June 22
3. Pranav E 10E June 26
4. Kanishka RS 11A1 June 23
5. Samrith JS 11A2 June 24
6. Sanjai S 11AI June 26
7. Suthan S 11AI June 24
8. Yogen Pranesh E 11AI June 25
9. Mishalline B 11C June 26
10. Tharun Pranav T 11D June 25
11. Nithin Selva MB 12A2 June 27
12. Madhumitha CS 12B June 20



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