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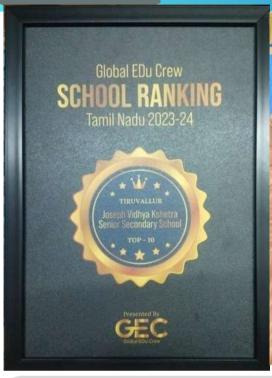


# JVK'S BULLETIN

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## Principal's Desk

JVK's science exhibition, Splendid Eureka, was a resounding success, with over 30 schools participating in a grand display of innovation and creativity. The event showcased diverse projects, from cutting-edge technological advancements to eco-friendly solutions, highlighting students' enthusiasm for science and research. The interactive exhibits, live demonstrations, thought-provoking models left including impression attendees, on educators, and science enthusiasts. The exhibition fostered collaboration and curiosity, encouraging young minds to push boundaries in scientific exploration. Splendid Eureka was a vibrant celebration of scientific curiosity and educational excellence, culminating in a day of inspiration. Thanks to all the schools and participants who have been part of our journey for the last three years.



# JVK HONORED AS ONE OF THE TOP 10 SCHOOLS IN SOUTH INDIA

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra has recently achieved a remarkable milestone by being recognized as one of the top 10 schools in South India by Global Edu Crew. This prestigious recognition reflects the institution's unwavering commitment to academic excellence, holistic development, and innovative educational practices.

At JVK, the emphasis extends beyond academic achievement to nurturing a passion for learning. The school's curriculum, tailored to meet the varied needs of 21st-century learners, combines contemporary teaching approaches with a solid base in traditional education. Supported by highly skilled faculty and advanced resources, students are inspired to explore, question, and enhance their critical thinking abilities.

For the past three years, JVK has prioritized experiential learning through project-based assignments, workshops, and educational trips, equipping students to face real-world challenges.

JVK believes in nurturing well-rounded individuals. The school offers a wide range of extracurricular activities, including sports, arts, music, drama, and leadership programs. These opportunities enable students to discover and hone their talents beyond the classroom.

"Education is the most powerful weapon for changing the world"

JVK has embraced educational technology to enhance teaching and learning experiences. The school integrates digital tools and resources, such as smart classrooms, online platforms, and virtual labs, ensuring that students stay ahead in an increasingly digital world. The focus on STEM education, combined with initiatives such as coding workshops and robotics clubs, equips students with future-ready skills.

Being ranked among the top 10 schools in South India is a significant achievement that recognizes JVK's dedication to providing a world-class education. This accolade is not only a moment of pride for the school's management, faculty, students, and parents but also a motivation to continue striving for excellence.

As Joseph Vidhya Kshetra looks toward the future, the school remains dedicated to empowering students to become leaders, innovators, and responsible citizens who will contribute to building a better tomorrow.





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At JVK, we believe that the collaboration between parents and teachers is essential for the holistic development of students. To foster this connection, our regular Parent-Teacher Meetings (PTM) provide a valuable platform for meaningful interaction, constructive feedback, and a shared commitment to the success of every child. The event was held on October 26th for students from KG to Grade IX. The PTM was designed to keep parents informed about their child's academic progress, behavior, and overall development.

These meetings provided parents with the chance to discuss their child's strengths and areas for growth directly with educators. Through open communication, parents and teachers collaborated to ensure students receive the necessary support to excel both academically and personally.

Key Highlights of PTM were

Individualized Feedback provided by educators gave a detailed insights into each student's academic performance, including test scores,

Together may we give our children the roots to grow and the wings to fly

project work, and classroom participation. This feedback helped parents to understand their child's learning journey and areas where they can offer additional guidance at home.

Beyond academics facilitators also discussed about Behavioral and Emotional Development of students

During PTMs, parents and facilitators collaborated to set achievable goals for the student, focusing on both short-term and long-term improvement. These goals help them to guide the child's learning path and ensure continued progress.

It also gave an opportunity for parents to learn about new initiatives, extracurricular activities, and upcoming events.

In JVK, we encourage open and honest communication, where parents can share their perspectives, concerns, and suggestions, ensuring that they play an active role in their child's education.

Parent-Teacher Meetings at Joseph Vidhya Kshetra was an integral part of our educational philosophy. We provide an essential opportunity for parents and teachers to work together in guiding students toward success. Through these regular interactions, we ensure that the academic, social, and emotional needs of every child are met, and that they are empowered to reach their full potential.



# PEDAGOGY TRAINING: ENGAGING STUDENTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY

In a recent initiative aimed at enhancing teaching practices, a comprehensive training session on pedagogy and student engagement was conducted by a skilled KG teacher of Joseph Vidhya Kshetra for educators from various DFT group of schools on 19th of October. This training focused on effective strategies to keep students actively engaged and motivated throughout the school day.

Key Focus Areas of the Training were:

- •The session emphasized modern pedagogical methods tailored to meet the diverse learning needs of students. The KG teacher, known for their expertise in early childhood education, introduced creative and hands-on teaching techniques that can be adapted across different age groups and subjects.
- ·Keeping students engaged throughout the day can be a challenge, especially with varying attention spans. The training focused on practical strategies such as incorporating playbased learning, interactive activities, and short, energizing breaks. These methods help to maintain student interest and energy levels, making learning both fun and effective.
- •The KG mentors highlighted the importance of fostering positive relationships between educators and students. They shared insights on creating a nurturing and inclusive classroom environment, where students feel valued and encouraged to participate actively.
- ·One of the key takeaways was the use of

activity-based learning to keep students physically and mentally engaged. Teachers were introduced to various classroom activities such as group discussions, role-playing, and hands-on experiments that stimulate curiosity and creativity.

·Establishing a well-structured daily routine was another important aspect discussed during the session. The KG teacher emphasized the need for a balanced timetable that alternates between academic tasks, creative projects, and physical activities, ensuring that students remain focused without feeling overwhelmed.

The pedagogy training was highly interactive, with educators from different DFT group of school actively participating in discussions and role-play exercises. The KG teacher's experience in managing young learners provided valuable insights into how similar strategies can be adapted for older students. Educators left the session equipped with new ideas and practical tools to make their classrooms more engaging and dynamic.

This training session on pedagogy and student engagement marked an important step toward creating more interactive and student-centered classrooms within the DFT group of schools. With a renewed focus on innovative teaching techniques, educators are now better prepared to keep their students engaged, motivated, and eager to learn from the start to the end of the school day.



### VIJAYADASHAMI ADMISSIONS SUCCESSFULLY HELD AT JVK

The Vijayadashami celebrations at JVK were marked by a successful and joyous admission process, welcoming a new batch of young learners into our academic community. Vijayadashami, celebrated on 12th of October was an auspicious day for new beginnings and the pursuit of knowledge, provided the perfect occasion for families to enroll their children and embark on their educational journey.

Standout Aspects of the Event were:

The admission process took place with great enthusiasm and reverence for tradition. Families gathered at the school, eager to initiate their children's learning on this sacred day. The school campus was beautifully decorated to reflect the spirit of Vijayadashami, with vibrant colors and traditional symbols symbolizing the triumph of good over ignorance.

The admissions began with a prayer to invoke blessings for the students as they embark on their educational path. Students traced the letter  $\mathfrak{A}$  in the grains, symbolizing the beginning of their academic journey.

New students were warmly welcomed by the JVK staff. Special activities were arranged to make the children feel comfortable and excited about beginning of the school.

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today." – Malcolm X JVK has long upheld this tradition, believing that it fosters positive energy and motivation for students as they take their first steps into formal education.

Looking ahead with the successful completion of Vijayadashami admissions. The Joseph Vidya Kshetra remains committed to providing quality education, a nurturing environment, and a holistic approach to learning, ensuring that each child grows into a confident, curious, and compassionate individual.

As the new students settle into their routines, we look forward to seeing them flourish, both academically and personally, with the support and guidance of their teachers, parents, and the entire school community.





#### CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM

session "Learning Outcomes and on Pedagogical Approaches" was conducted as part of a capacity-building program for educators by Central board of Secondary Education. The session aimed to equip facilitators with a deeper understanding of how clearly defined learning outcomes and effective pedagogical strategies enhance student can engagement achievement. The program was held at St. Joseph's Residential School in Sriperumbudur on October 18th. The resource persons for the sessions were Ms. Radhika J. Mohan, Academic Coordinator at BV Bhavans Rajaji Vidyashram, Kilpauk, and Mr. V. Vishwanathan, PGT at Vidya Mandir Sr. Sec. School, Mylapore, Chennai."

The session began with a comprehensive overview of learning outcomes—what they are and why they are essential in the teachinglearning process. The resource persons emphasized the importance of framing clear, measurable, and student-centered learning teaching outcomes to guide both assessment. It was highlighted that well-defined learning outcomes allow educators to:

- Focus on what students should be able to do by the end of a lesson or course.
- Ensure that instructional activities are aligned with desired goals.
- Use outcomes to assess student progress and modify teaching strategies as needed.

Participants engaged in practical exercises, where they were asked to frame learning outcomes for specific subjects and grade levels. The session provided examples from various disciplines, demonstrating how to create outcomes that address knowledge acquisition, skill development, and higher-order thinking skills.

The next part of the session delved into pedagogical approaches—the methods and strategies used by teachers to facilitate student learning. The facilitators discussed various approaches and their alignment with learning outcomes, underscoring the need to adopt methods that cater to diverse learner needs. Key approaches discussed included:

- 1. The facilitator provided strategies for making direct instruction more interactive and engaging.
- 2. Inquiry-Based Learning were encouraged to design lessons that allow students to explore questions and find answers through investigation.
- 3. Educators were shown how to structure Collaborative Learning activities that promote teamwork and problem-solving skills.
- 4. The mentor emphasized on Experiential Learning Ideas such as project-based learning, field trips, and simulations were discussed as ways to connect theory to real-world practice, making learning more meaningful for students.
- 5. The instructor quoted the importance of Differentiated Instruction approach to ensure that all students, regardless of their starting point, can achieve the learning outcomes.





To deepen understanding, the session included group discussions and activities. The educators worked in teams to design lesson plans that incorporated well-defined learning outcomes and matched them with suitable pedagogical approaches. This exercise helped participants see how theoretical concepts could be applied in real classroom settings.

Participants also shared challenges they face in their classrooms, such as handling mixed-ability groups, limited resources, or time constraints. The resource persons offered practical tips on how to overcome these issues, like simplifying learning outcomes or using blended approaches to reach different learners.

The session concluded with a reflection on the critical role of aligning learning outcomes with pedagogical approaches. Key takeaways for educators included:

- The necessity of making learning outcomes clear, specific, and measurable.
- How the choice of pedagogical approach can significantly influence student success.
- The value of incorporating diverse teaching strategies to engage students with different learning preferences.

Overall, the session was highly interactive and provided valuable insights into how learning outcomes and pedagogical approaches can be used effectively to improve student performance and engagement. Educators left the session equipped with new tools and strategies to implement in their classrooms.

### ORIENTATION ON CAREER COUNSELING FOR GRADE XII **STUDENTS**

An insightful Orientation on Career Counseling was conducted for the Grade XII students, aiming to guide them in making informed decisions about their future careers. As students approach the final phase of their school education, the session was designed to address their academic and career-related concerns, providing clarity on various career options, courses, and higher education opportunities. This session, held on October 23rd, was led by PL. Joseph Raj, an NLP practitioner and soft skills trainer from St. Joseph University.

The main objective of the orientation was to guide students in exploring the vast array of career options available to them and the necessary steps to reach their professional aspirations. In a rapidly changing job market and with numerous higher education opportunities, students often experience uncertainty about which path to follow.

Key Highlights of the Session

• Career **Exploration:** The orientation importance ofselfemphasized the exploration before selecting a career path. Students were guided to assess their own skills, interests, and values, which can serve as a foundation for making career decisions. Tools like career assessment tests and



aptitude evaluations were introduced to help students identify their strengths.

- Stream-wise Career Options: The session covered a range of career options across different academic streams:
  - Science: Careers in engineering, medicine, biotechnology, and emerging technologies like AI, robotics, and environmental sciences.
  - Commerce: Pathways in finance, accounting, business management, economics, and entrepreneurship.
  - Arts & Humanities: Careers in journalism, law, education, design, media, psychology, and public administration.
- Entrance Exams and University **Admissions:** A detailed explanation of the various entrance exams, such as JEE, NEET, CLAT, and CAT, was provided. The session highlighted the importance of preparing early for these competitive Additionally, the resource person shared tips on navigating the university application process, including preparing for interviews and writing compelling personal statements.
- Soft Skills and Personality Development: Alongside academic and career planning, the orientation stressed the importance of developing soft skills like communication, leadership, critical thinking, and teamwork.
- Career Trends and Opportunities: Students were made aware of the changing landscape of jobs in the 21st century. The rise of digital platforms, automation, and sustainability-

focused careers were highlighted as areas with growing opportunities. The facilitator discussed how students can prepare themselves for these evolving fields through internships, extracurricular activities, and skill development programs.

• Parental and Peer Support: The session also addressed the role of parents and peers in career decision-making. Students were encouraged to seek advice but were reminded to make choices based on their personal interests and goals, rather than external pressures.

The orientation concluded with an interactive Q&A session where students were encouraged to ask questions about their specific career interests and concerns. The facilitator provided practical advice on how to research various careers and encouraged students to seek additional counseling if needed.

Key Takeaways of the session were Self-Assessment, Informed Choices, Early Preparation for college admission and adaptability.

The Orientation on Career Counseling was an enriching session that equipped the Grade 12 students with knowledge about career options, higher education opportunities, and essential skills, the session empowered students to take their first steps towards a fulfilling professional journey.

"The future depends on what you do today."



# IN-HOUSE PEDAGOGY: ENHANCING TEACHING PRACTICES WITHIN THE JVK

Microteaching sessions are being conducted regularly each month at JVK, with active participation from educators teaching across KG to Grade IX.

The key objectives of microteaching sessions conducted in the JVK was:

- To facilitate teachers to practice and enhance specific teaching skills such as classroom management, questioning techniques, and time management.
- To offer a platform for teachers to receive constructive feedback from their peers and supervisors.
- To create an environment where teachers can engage in self-evaluation and reflection.
- To improve the overall effectiveness of teaching strategies, especially for new teachers entering the profession.
- To promote collaboration and shared learning among teachers.

Teachers incorporated technology, such as digital presentations, and other teaching aids into their lessons. Feedback encouraged them to experiment with different tools and methods to enhance student understanding. This session helped the facilitators in Skill Development, Confidence Building & Collaboration

In Conclusion Microteaching has proven to be an effective method of professional development

It offered the teachers a chance to improve their teaching techniques in a structured, supportive environment. By receiving immediate feedback and engaging in self-reflection, teachers were able to sharpen their skills and improve their classroom performance. While there are related challenges, particularly to time constraints and the artificial environment, the benefits of microteaching far outweigh these difficulties. Future sessions could expand on this by incorporating more opportunities for extended teaching practice and feedback.

By integrating microteaching into the professional development program, JVK has enhanced the quality of education and ensure continuous growth for their educators.

# IGNITING CURIOSITY AND INNOVATION: A DAY OF DISCOVERY AT SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON III

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra successfully orchestrated the third edition of its prestigious event, SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON III, under the engaging theme "Unleashing curiosity, igniting innovations." This vibrant gathering brought together students, educators, and innovators for a day filled with creativity, scientific exploration, and technological advancement, reinforcing JVK's commitment to nurturing the next generation of thinkers.



#### **INAUGURATION CEREMONY**

The event commenced promptly at 9:30 AM with an elaborate inauguration attended by esteemed guests and dignitaries. Among the notable figures present were Mr. R. Elango, former scientist at the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) Tmt. Kanchana S, Chairman of Poonamallee Municipality, serving as a Special Guest, Sr. Gnana Selvam, Managing Trustee of the DFT Group of Schools, Mr. Jebastin Robert, Academic Director of DFT Group of Schools, Mr. Mohanamoorthi, a representative from iSPARK along with JVK's leadership team, including School Director Mr. Ignatius Xavier, Correspondent Sr. Sasikala, and Principal Mr. Manoj VA.

The festivities began with a vibrant welcome dance, setting a celebratory tone for the day. A video presentation showcased highlights from the previous seasons of Splendid Eureka, emphasizing JVK's unwavering dedication to fostering innovation in education.

**iSPARK's AI Teacher:** A Glimpse into the Future One of the key highlights of the morning session was the introduction of an AI-powered teacher developed by the iSPARK team. This cuttingedge technology engaged in an interactive session with \*Mr. Elango\*, providing attendees with a firsthand look at how artificial intelligence could redefine traditional educational The ΑI teacher practices. demonstrated various teaching techniques, showcasing its ability to personalize learning experiences and enhance student engagement. This demonstration served as a powerful

reminder of the essential role technology plays in modern education, encouraging participants to embrace and integrate innovative tools into their learning environments.

#### **Cultural and Inspirational Moments**

Following the initial festivities, Mr. Elango delivered a motivational address to an audience composed of eager students, educators, and parents. He spoke passionately about the critical importance of scientific exploration and innovation in shaping future leaders. His call to action encouraged participants to harness their curiosity and creativity in their academic and personal pursuits.

Principal Mr. Manoj VA followed suit, emphasizing the event's significance in fostering a culture of inquiry and excellence among students. His remarks further inspired attendees to actively participate in the day's competitions and activities.

#### **Competitions and Activities**

SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON III featured an extensive array of competitions designed to engage students from various educational backgrounds. The carefully curated events aimed to challenge and stimulate the intellects of participants, including:

- Spectacle: A science-based presentation competition that allowed students to showcase their knowledge and creativity.
- Poster Making: An artistic competition where students designed informative posters on



scientific topics.

- Ted Talk: A public speaking competition that encouraged participants to articulate their ideas on innovative subjects.
- Pop Quiz: A fast-paced quiz competition testing participants' general knowledge and quick thinking.
- Buzz Word: A vocabulary challenge that engaged students' linguistic skills.
- Adzap: A fun advertising competition that required participants to create compelling advertisements for imaginary products.
- Avant Garde: An innovative design competition that showcased students' creativity in addressing real-world problems.
- Walk and Talk: An interactive interviewstyle competition that fostered communication skills and critical thinking.

In total, approximately 120 student projects were displayed, ranging from Kindergarten to Grade 12. These projects exemplified the ingenuity and dedication of students, covering a diverse range of scientific and technological innovations. The exhibits not only demonstrated creativity but also promoted critical thinking and problem-solving abilities among participants.

#### **Judging and Mentorship**

Each competition was meticulously organized and overseen by JVK's dedicated teachers, with judges drawn from various esteemed educational institutions. These judges evaluated the performances based on creativity, originality, and the depth of thought demonstrated in each entry. The judges expressed admiration for the quality of the projects, noting that the event successfully promoted scientific inquiry and artistic expression among young minds.

Additionally, mentorship sessions were offered throughout the competitions, allowing participants to interact with industry professionals and educators. This engagement provided valuable insights and encouragement, further enhancing the educational experience.

#### **Valediction Ceremony**

As the day transitioned into the afternoon, Joseph Vidhya Kshetra hosted a grand valediction ceremony to conclude SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON III. The event was marked by an atmosphere of celebration and recognition, bringing together dignitaries, students, and educators to honor the achievements of participants.

The ceremony began in the presence of esteemed guests, including Mr. R. Elango\*\*, former scientist at CSIR, who previously inspired the audience with his address, Mr. Muralidaran Thirumalai\*\*, MBA, MHRM, ML, Director of HR India at Antolin Pvt Ltd., who served as the chief guest for the ceremony, Sr. Jehani, Secretary of the DFT Group of Schools, who has been a strong advocate for educational excellence along with the JVK leadership team.

#### **Welcoming Remarks and Performances**

The valediction ceremony commenced with a



warm welcome speech resonated with enthusiasm and encouragement, highlighting the importance of collaboration and innovation in education. Following the welcome, students showcased a vibrant western dance performance, captivating the audience with their energy and talent. This lively act set a celebratory tone for the awards presentation that followed.

#### **Honoring the Dignitaries and Winners**

As the ceremony progressed, the dignitaries were honored with tokens of appreciation, recognizing their contributions to the event and to education as a whole. Their presence served as an inspiration for students and educators alike.

The highlight of the ceremony was the awards presentation, where winners of various competitions were celebrated. Each winner was called to the stage, where they were honored by the dignitaries, acknowledging their hard work and creativity. The atmosphere was filled with excitement and pride as students received their awards amidst cheers from their peers and supporters.

#### **Overall Championship Award**

The crowning moment of the event was the announcement of the overall championship winner. With great anticipation, it was revealed that Velammal Bodhi Campus School had emerged as the overall champion of SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON III. The jubilant team from Velammal Bodhi Campus celebrated their victory, embodying the spirit of excellence that the event aimed to promote.

The ceremony concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks expressed gratitude to all participants for their enthusiasm, creativity, and dedication, emphasizing that every contribution had made the event a resounding success. He also acknowledged the hard work of the organizing team, teachers, and volunteers who ensured a smooth execution of the day's activities.

As the event wrapped up, the spirit of innovation and collaboration lingered in the air, inspiring all present to continue their journey of discovery and learning. SPLENDID EUREKA SEASON III not only celebrated achievements but also set the stage for future exploration and creativity in education, reaffirming Joseph Vidhya Kshetra's commitment to shaping the leaders of tomorrow.

#### COMPREHENSIVE REVISION EXAMS FOR GRADES X AND XII

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra School has officially commenced its first revision exams for Grades X and XII, running from October 21 to October 26, 2024. In a bid to ensure students are wellprepared, implemented the school comprehensive strategy leading up to the exams. To facilitate effective revision. conducted multiple-choice question (MCQ) tests across all subjects from October 14 to October 18. These assessments were designed to help students familiarize themselves with the exam format and reinforce their understanding of



crucial concepts. The MCQs not only served as a practice tool but also enabled students to identify areas needing further attention, significantly boosting their confidence as they approached the revision exams.

Feedback from students indicates that the MCQ tests were beneficial, as they helped them organize their study schedules and focus on key topics. Many expressed appreciation for the structured approach, which made their preparation more manageable and effective.

As the revision exams began, students continued their preparation each afternoon under the guidance of their respective subject teachers. This focused approach allows students to address any lingering doubts and solidify their understanding of the material, ensuring they are ready for the next day's exam.

Teachers at JVK are concentrating more than ever on students' academic progress, providing personalized feedback and additional support as needed. This commitment to student success has fostered a collaborative learning environment, where students feel encouraged and motivated to excel.

With the first revision exams underway, the school community remains optimistic about the outcomes, confident that the extensive preparation and support will yield positive results. Joseph Vidhya Kshetra's dedication to academic excellence continues to shine through, empowering students to achieve their full potential.

# BEST ACHIEVERS AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

The senior secondary teachers of Joseph Vidhya Kshetra School were celebrated at a prestigious awards ceremony hosted by the Tamil Nadu Private Teachers Forum, where they received the esteemed Best Achievers Award for their exceptional performance in the academic year 2023–24. This recognition comes as a result of their remarkable achievement of producing centum results, a testament to their dedication and effective teaching methodologies.

The ceremony was a vibrant gathering that highlighted the significant role educators play in shaping the future of their students. It featured inspiring speeches from educational leaders and fellow educators, underscoring the importance of commitment to academic excellence. The atmosphere was filled with pride and enthusiasm as the contributions of teachers were celebrated, reinforcing the message that dedicated educators are the backbone of successful learning environments.

In addition to honoring the teachers, the event also recognized the exemplary leadership of JVK School. Principal Mr. Manoj VA was awarded the Best Principal title, while Vice Principal Mrs Lalitha received the Best Vice Principal award. Their visionary leadership and unwavering commitment to fostering a nurturing and intellectually stimulating environment have been



crucial in guiding both teachers and students towards achieving their best.

The awards reflect not only the hard work and passion of the individual educators but also the collaborative spirit of the entire JVK community. From dedicated teachers to supportive administrative staff, everyone plays a vital role in the school's journey toward excellence. This recognition emphasizes JVK School's steadfast commitment to providing quality education and inspiring students to reach their full potential.

As JVK School continues to innovate and inspire, this accolade serves as a powerful reminder of the collective efforts and achievements of its staff and students. The school's legacy of excellence in education is further solidified by these honors, motivating all members of the JVK community to strive for continued success in the future.

### STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS IN INTRA-SCHOOL AND INTER-SCHOOL COMPETITIONS

The Intra-School Science Competition at JVK culminated in an exciting prize distribution ceremony on 28th of October, celebrating the hard work, creativity, and innovative thinking of the students. The event aimed to encourage scientific curiosity and foster a spirit of healthy competition among participants from various grades.

The ceremony commenced with an inspiring speech from the principal, who emphasized the importance of critical thinking and scientific inquiry in today's rapidly evolving world. The competition had drawn participation from students across different age groups, ranging from KG to Grades XI, each presenting projects on diverse scientific topics such as renewable energy, robotics, and environmental sustainability.

Teachers and judges, who evaluated the projects, were impressed by the ingenuity and depth of understanding demonstrated by the students. The winners were selected based on criteria such as creativity, technical accuracy, and presentation skills.

Medals, certificates, and trophies were awarded to the top performers in different categories.

In addition to excelling in intra-school competitions, students also actively participate in inter-school events like Upheaval 7.0, hosted by SRM Institute of Science and Technology in Kattangulathur. They took part in multiple contests, demonstrating their passion and talent for creativity. Notably, Berish from Grade 11 won prizes in the comic writing competition.

JVKians continuous participation and success in these events demonstrate the school's commitment to nurturing young minds and preparing them for future challenges.





# CELEBRATING YOUNG MINDS: JVK'S TRIUMPH AT DISTO 2024

Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Sr. Sec. School proudly announced the outstanding achievements of its students at the DMI Interschool Science Talent Olympiad (DISTO) Phase I, held in September 2024. This prestigious competition showcased remarkable talent from schools across the region, highlighting the enthusiasm and innovative spirit of young scientists.

Among the school's shining stars, Mithra Devi SV from Grade IX A secured the Top Rank, a testament to her exceptional scientific acumen and determination. Her hard work and dedication to her studies have set a high standard for her peers. Additionally, Prajeet Krishna A from Grade IX B and Paula Winifred S from Grade IX A made significant strides, with Paula earning the distinguished State Level Rank

In the junior categories, the school also excelled. Destain Koil D from Grade VI C achieved the coveted State Rank 1, showcasing his remarkable understanding of complex scientific concepts at a young age. Meanwhile, Aditri R Varma from Grade VI A secured State Rank 2, further demonstrating the depth of talent within the school.

The principal and teachers commended the students for their hard work, dedication, and tenacity. These results are a testament to our students' commitment to excellence in science and their unwavering determination to push the

boundaries of knowledge.

The school community is abuzz with excitement as it celebrates these significant achievements. Students, teachers, and parents alike are proud of the hard work that has led to such success, fostering an environment that encourages academic excellence.

As the school looks forward to future competitions, it remains committed to nurturing the talents of its students and inspiring a passion Congratulations for science. to all participants for their remarkable efforts, and best wishes for continued success in their academic journeys!

# EMPOWERING EXCELLENCE: WEEKLY MEETINGS FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

In an inspiring initiative designed to motivate students and enhance academic performance, the principal of Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Sr. Sec. School conducts weekly meetings every Wednesday with the top-performing students of Grades X and XII. These sessions serve as a vital platform for students to share their challenges, seek guidance, and foster a sense of community among high achievers.

During these meetings, the principal encourages students to openly discuss their difficulties, creating an environment of trust and collaboration. By actively listening to their concerns, he emphasizes the importance of addressing academic hurdles, whether they are related to understanding complex subjects, time





management, or exam preparation. The principal offers practical solutions tailored to each student's needs, ensuring they feel supported in their academic endeavors.

Moreover, he advocates for thorough preparation by urging students to review previous years' question papers. This strategy not only helps students gain clarity on the content but also familiarizes them with the exam format, reducing anxiety and building confidence in tackling examination challenges. The principal often shares insights on effective time management techniques and strategies, equipping students with the tools they need to excel.

By engaging directly with these high achievers, the principal aims to cultivate a culture of excellence and continuous improvement within the school. He believes that by nurturing leadership qualities and resilience among top students, they can inspire their peers and contribute positively to the school environment. These weekly meetings are more than just discussions; they represent a vital step in supporting students on their academic journeys. By ensuring that they feel empowered and equipped to succeed, the principal is laying the groundwork for a generation of confident, capable learners ready to meet future challenges head-on.

"Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out." – Robert Collier

# JVK ENSURES ACCURATE REGISTRATION FOR CBSE LOC PORTAL

In a meticulous effort to ensure the accuracy of student information, Joseph Vidhya Kshetra Sr. Sec. School has undertaken a comprehensive review of the details for students in Grades 9 to 12 in preparation for registration in the CBSE LOC (List of Candidates) portal. This crucial process reflects the school's commitment to maintaining academic integrity and ensuring that all student data is correct and up-to-date.

The registration process began with students individually verifying their own information, which empowered them to take responsibility for their academic records. Following this initial verification, class teachers conducted a thorough scrutiny of each student's details, ensuring that any discrepancies were addressed promptly. The coordinator played a vital role in overseeing this process, coordinating efforts to streamline communication and ensure that every detail was accurately reviewed.

To further bolster the accuracy of the data, the vice principal participated in the review process, providing an additional layer of oversight. Recognizing the importance of parental involvement, the school invited parents to confirm their child's details, thereby fostering collaboration between home and school. This inclusion not only enhances the accuracy of the



registration but also strengthens the relationship between parents and educators.

After this comprehensive examination, the information was successfully registered in the LOC portal, marking a significant achievement for the school. The meticulous nature of this process ensured that all data was accurate, reducing the likelihood of issues during examinations or assessments.

This diligent approach not only highlights Joseph Vidhya Kshetra's unwavering commitment to academic integrity but also fosters a culture of responsibility and transparency among students, teachers, and parents alike. By engaging all stakeholders in this critical process, the school demonstrates its dedication to creating a supportive and collaborative educational environment, ultimately preparing students for success in their academic journeys.



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