

Teacher Training Workshop by Er. Samir Rathi



To offer a refreshing break from the routine of teaching, grading, and the stress of a teacher's life, the school organized a one-day Teacher Training Workshop on 19th October 2024, by renowned inspirational speaker Er. Samir Rathi. Mr. Rathi, an educational trainer and career

counsellor with over 15 years of experience, has been a guiding force in the education and training sector. Through his personal counseling, motivational talks, and leadership training, he has influenced over a million people across the nation through more than 2,000 talks.



In his three-hour motivational session, Mr. Rathi spoke about the abundance of opportunities that surround us, emphasizing that the key lies in how we seize them. He reinforced that while hard work is crucial, smart work plays an equally important role in achieving success. A key message of his talk was that "Great Teachers Inspire," and he outlined eight

essential qualities of a great teacher: confidence, lifelong learning, adaptability, a respectful attitude, active listening, empathy, communication, and leadership. He also highlighted the importance

of patience when dealing with students, stressing that teaching involves 16 unique personality traits.

Mr. Rathi engaged the teachers in several interactive, action-based activities, keeping the atmosphere lively and energizing. One of the core ideas he shared was that "Our thoughts shape our lives." He concluded the



session by sharing a mantra for success: the combination of Attitude, Skill, and Knowledge is what leads to true achievement. He also introduced the concept of the "Law of Gestation," encouraging teachers to take the time after the workshop to reflect, learn, and stay active in their professional growth. His parting advice was to measure success using personal parameters and growth milestones.



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Sister Lizy also praised his powerful message: "What others think of you costs nothing, but what you think of yourself costs everything."

Principal Sister Lizy expressed her gratitude to Mr. Rathi, appreciating his ability to blend humour with motivational lessons and how he won the hearts of all the teachers with his engaging and humorous approach.

The workshop concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks by Senior Teacher Ms. Jeyanthi, followed by a delightful lunch.