

# ST.THERESE'S SCHOOL PADRAUNA

#### THERESIAN VOICE



# EDITORIAL

TT IS WITH GREAT PRIDE THAT WE PRESENT THIS EDITION OF THE SCHOOL MAGAZINE OF ST. THERESE'S SCHOOL, PADRAUNA. A SCHOOL MAGAZINE IS MORE THAN A COLLECTION OF ARTICLES; IT IS A REFLECTION OF OUR VALUES, OUR CREATIVITY, AND OUR VISION FOR THE FUTURE. EDUCATION ENLIGHTENS US, HELPS US GROW AS RESPONSIBLE INDIVIDUALS, AND GUIDES US ON THE PATH OF TRUTH. OUR MOTTO—"TO KNOW, TO LOVE, TO SERVE"—REMINDS US THAT KNOWLEDGE MUST BE JOINED WITH COMPASSION AND SERVICE TO BE TRULY MEANINGFUL.

DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR, WE HAVE CELEBRATED MANY IMPORTANT DAYS THAT INSPIRE US TO BECOME BETTER CITIZENS. REPUBLIC DAY AND INDEPENDENCE DAY FILLED US WITH PATRIOTIC PRIDE AND GRATITUDE FOR OUR NATION'S FREEDOM. TEACHERS' DAY STRENGTHENED THE SPECIAL BOND BETWEEN TEACHERS AND STUDENTS. WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY, EARTH DAY, AND INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY ENCOURAGED US TO CARE FOR NATURE AND OUR OWN WELL-BEING. EQUALLY, NATIONAL EDUCATION DAY, WORLD LITERACY DAY, AND HUMAN RIGHTS DAY REMINDED US THAT EDUCATION AND EQUALITY ARE THE FOUNDATION OF A JUST AND PROGRESSIVE SOCIETY.

THIS MAGAZINE IS THE VOICE OF OUR STUDENTS, SHOWCASING THEIR IDEAS, CREATIVITY, AND TALENTS THROUGH STORIES, POEMS, AND ARTWORK. MAY IT INSPIRE ALL OF US TO CONTINUE LEARNING WITH CURIOSITY, TO LOVE WITH KINDNESS, AND TO SERVE WITH DEDICATION. LET US CARRY FORWARD THE SPIRIT OF SAINT TERESA'S SCHOOL AND LIVE THE VALUES OF OUR MOTTO IN EVERY STEP OF LIFE.

PRINCE C J St. Therese's School, Padrauna.



## Silent Love

Love is serious, love is silent.

It doesn't believe in people violent.

It is sincere and really tolerant.

It doesn't seek but believes to give.

It fondles the one who is far away,
And waits for till every say.
Silent love is real power,
Which makes you empower.

Silent love is like a main,
If you get it is real gain.
It's a sweet breeze which bring aroma.

Janhvi Sharma Class 10th D

#### Awesome is the Day

Awesome is the day a child walks to school,
With books in her hands, and dreams as her fuel.
Her mother's blessing whispers in her ear,
"Go shine, my girl, the world is near."

Awesome is the day a boy lifts his head, With courage alive, and lessons well-read. His father's voice guides him through, "Stand tall, my son, the sky waits for you."

Awesome is the day when parents pray,
That their children rise brighter each day.
Their hopes are candles that never fall,
Their love, the greatest gift of all.

Awesome is the day when a teacher stands, Chalk in her grip, with wisdom in hands. Her words are bridges, her lessons light, She shapes tomorrow with patient might.

Awesome is the day when dreams take flight,
When students shine in the softest light.
For girl or boy, the truth will stay—
Life is learning, and awesome is the day.

Dhairy Jaiswal Class: 9<sup>th</sup> A

## From Chalk to Character: The Magic of Teachers

When we hear the word teacher, the first picture that comes to mind is of someone holding chalk and teaching on the blackboard. But the truth is, teachers do much more than that. They are not only people who explain lessons from books but also those who prepare us for life.

Behind every profession, whether a doctor, engineer, scientist or leader there is always a teacher who believed in that person first. They may not stand in the spotlight, but their work lives on in every achievement of their students. A teacher's greatest success is not only making us score well but in shaping us into good human beings.

What makes teachers truly magical is the way they guide and encourage us when we feel lost. Sometimes one kind word or even a smile from a teacher gives us the strength to try again. The internet may give us knowledge, but only teachers give us wisdom. They do not just tell us what to think, they teaches how to think and how to face challenges.

In classrooms, they teach us subjects like maths or history, but without saying it directly, they also teach us values like kindness, honesty, patience, and confidence. Years later ,we may forget the details of chapters, but we never forget the teacher who inspired us and the lessons they gave from the heart.

This September, as we celebrate Teacher's Day, we should not only thank them with words but also with our actions by respecting them ,following their guidance, and working hard to achieve our dreams. That is the best gift we can give back to them.

Teachers are not just once who write on blackboards. They are the ones who write on our hearts. From chalk to character, they create magic that never fades.

Disha Gupta Class: IX C

#### The Role of Youth in Nation Building

Youth are often called the torchbearers of a nation's future. Their passion, creativity, and determination play a pivotal role in shaping the destiny of any country. Throughout history, it has been the youth who have driven innovation, instigated social and political movements, and inspired hope for a better tomorrow.

Young people possess the courage to challenge outdated customs and the motivation to break down barriers that hinder progress. With access to quality education and opportunities for skill development, they are equipped to contribute significantly to a country's growth and transformation. Their fresh perspectives and eagerness to learn make them valuable assets in areas such as science, technology, arts, and entrepreneurship.

The contribution of youth in nation building can be seen in several important areas:

Preservers of Values: Young citizens promote unity, harmony, and empathy, strengthening the social fabric of the nation.

Innovators and Builders: With technical skills and new ideas, they drive advancements that pave the way for national progress.

Agents of Positive Change: Youth often lead movements, stand against injustice, and champion causes that improve society.

However, the true potential of youth can only be realized when they are empowered and guided by strong values, moral integrity, and purpose. It is the joint responsibility of families, educational institutions, and governments to nurture responsible, well-informed, and motivated young individuals who hold honesty, hard work, and communal harmony in high regard.

Today's youth must embrace their responsibilities wholeheartedly, channel their energies positively, and work towards shaping a brighter, just, and prosperous nation. When given the right environment and encouragement, youth become the architects of a country's success.

In conclusion, the hopes and aspirations of a nation rest on the shoulders of its young people. By fostering an environment that values growth, learning, and ethical conduct, we ensure that the youth are empowered to transform society and realize the dream of a vibrant, progressive, and united nation.

Rehan Ali

Class: 10<sup>th</sup> B

#### The Journey of Self-Discovery

Life is a beautiful journey full of moments that shape us. Every day, we learn, we grow, and we become better versions of ourselves. Embracing every experience, good or bad, helps us discover who we truly are and what we value most. In pursuing our passions and dreams, we light the way for others to find their own paths.

#### Kindness Makes the World Brighter

Kindness is a universal language that everyone understands. A smile, a helping hand, or a thoughtful word has the power to make someone's day brighter. The ripple effect of compassion and understanding can transform communities and foster a culture of empathy.

#### Dream Big, Act Bold

Great achievements begin with dreams. The courage to chase those dreams, despite challenges and doubts, defines our character. When we act boldly, we inspire others to break their own boundaries and pursue greatness. Success isn't instantaneous—it is the result of perseverance, resilience, and belief in oneself.

Ajimullah Ansari Class: X<sup>th</sup> B



### Ozone Day

Ozone is Earth's protective friend,
It keeps us safe from Sun's strong end.
If it breaks, what will we see?
Heat and sickness for you and me.

Let's plant trees and keep it clean,
Use less plastic, keep our Earth green.
Turn off lights when not in need,
Ride a bike, and plant a seed.

Small steps together, we all can take,
To save the Ozone for everyone's sake.
Take care of Earth, it's our only home,
Let's protect it, wherever we roam.

Clean air, fresh water, sky so blue, Healthy Earth for me and you. Let's promise now, from this day, To love our planet in every way.

> Yugratna Gupta Class :9<sup>th</sup> A











## INDEPENDENCE DAY





















#### **Autumn**

Autumn, I wonder how would she look and feel if it were a human. It's true that she's way too perfect to be even imagined as an ordinary human in this mundane world. Like, if you try to put her in a mould with the word HUMAN inscribed on it, she would simply slip out of it or flow out of the periphery, like a rebellious child who refuses to have his meal because he has been denied his favourite ice cream, and smudge the entire floor with her very essence. But still, how will she look? Let's see, she would be someone born from the womb of mother nature herself; among all her siblings, she would be the quietest yet the liveliest to those who wish to pay enough attention. With eyes amber in colour, she would have hair of crimson gold that would cascade down her back like a waterfall of lava. Cloaked in leaves, crimson and brown, that rustle softly when she moves, releasing scent of fallen leaves, woodsmoke, damp earth and forgotten memories, she would appear as a pacifist after the brutal torture of summer. People generally fail to understand her, they say she brings nothing but still never hesitates to take things away with her. Little do they know the beauty of letting go; it's true though that she Mark's endings, but isn't it the universally accepted fact that the only reason for new beginnings are endings. She comes every year, takes somethings, leaving behind the vibrant symphony of memories and hope, hope that something different is coming, even though it will be the same as every year, yet still it will be unique in it's own way. She would be a symbol of hope, longing, belief, and the fact we need to outgrow

certain things in order to experience new adventures and make new memories.





Even as you are reading this, she might be standing somewhere, in a corner, away from the crowd with beauty carelessly tucked away behind her ears along with the locks of hair, or in the creases of her gown, and she must be thinking that "Maybe you'll understand me, maybe you'll not, but that does not

change the way I hold depth in my shortlived life."

But now, when I think of it, she is, indeed, very much human, in the way she is often misunderstood and in the way she holds depth and beauty in her short-lived life which often goes unnoticed, just like you.

Shambhavi Pandey

Class:9th C





#### A voice of mutes

- Sign language has a long and meaningful history. It has been used for centuries, with the earliest records found in ancient Greece, where gestures were used to communicate with people who could not hear.
- Sign language is a unique and powerful form of communication that does not rely on spoken words. Instead, it uses hand gestures, facial expressions, and body movements to express ideas and emotions. For the deaf and hard-of-hearing community, it is not just a language but a bridge to the world, allowing them to share their thoughts, needs, and feelings with others.
- The beauty of sign language lies in its ability to go beyond sound. Every gesture has meaning, and every expression adds depth. It shows us that communication is not limited to the voice but can live through actions and expressions as well.
- Learning sign language can help build inclusiveness and break barriers between communities. It teaches patience, respect, and empathy while encouraging people to understand differences.
- Sign language is more than a method of speaking—it is an art of connection that reminds us that true communication comes from the heart.

Suryanshi Singh

Class: IX A

## LEARNING HOW TO FLY: LIFE LESSONS Confidence and Hard-work is the best medicine to kill FOR THE YOUTH



"Learning How to Fly" is an inspiring and motivational book written by Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, the former President of India and a renowned scientist. Aimed primarily at the youth, the book is a collection of personal anecdotes, real-life experiences, and reflections that encourage young minds to dream big, persevere through challenges, and serve the nation.

The central theme of the book revolves around the idea that every individual has the potential to achieve greatness if they are determined, disciplined, and guided by strong values. Dr. Kalam emphasizes that setbacks are a natural part of life and should be viewed as opportunities to grow stronger. Through stories from his own life — from his humble beginnings in Rameswaram to becoming India's "Missile Man" and later the President — he shows how courage, curiosity, and hard work can turn dreams into reality. Each chapter carries lessons on topics like overcoming fear, the power of education, the importance of creativity and innovation, and the value of integrity and leadership. He encourages students to set clear goals, maintain a positive attitude, and never give up in the face of failure. His interactions with students across India serve as the backbone of the book, reinforcing his belief in the power of youth to transform the future.

The title, "Learning How to Fly", is symbolic — referring not just to physical flight, but to the soaring of one's spirit, ambition, and aspirations. Dr. Kalam believed that with the right mindset, everyone can "fly", and his message is one of self-belief and hope.

In essence, this book is a motivational guide that blends wisdom with practicality, leaving readers with a sense of purpose and a call to action — to dream, to do, and to rise.

BY ANAY DALMIYA. CLASS- 6<sup>th</sup> A



<u>School</u>

My school is a place of joy and light,
Where every day feels warm and bright.
With books and pens, we start our day,
And chase our doubts and fears away.
The teachers guide with patience and care,
They teach us values and help us dare.
On playground fields we laugh and run,
Learning that work and play are one.
It's here I dream, it's here I grow,
It's here life's truths I start to know.
A temple grand, both kind and true.
My school's a gift the world once knew.

Rudransh Rai
Class: 9<sup>th</sup> E





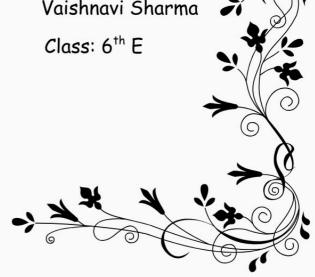


#### <u>Grandparents</u>, a treasure

Grandparents, oh so dear and kind, Their love and wisdom forever in our mind. With stories of past, they guide us through, Their gentle hands, a shelter pure and true.

Their smiles, ray of sunshine bright, Their laughter, music to our night. With every tale a memory shared, Their love a treasure forever spared Let's cherish them with all our might, And honour their love day and night. For Grandparents are a precious find, A blessing to our life, one of a kind.

Vaishnavi Sharma



#### The Day Bob Discovered Peace

Bob was an ordinary guy with an extraordinary ability to attract chaos. If there was a traffic jam, Bob was in it. If someone's dog barked all night, it was outside Bob's window. One day, while attempting to meditate using a YouTube video titled "Find Inner Peace in 3 Minutes", Bob fell asleep and dropped his phone on his face.

But something strange happened after that. He woke up... calm. Not because the video worked, but because his phone was now stuck on silent mode and no one could reach him.

For the rest of the day, Bob didn't check the news, didn't argue online about pineapple on pizza, and didn't scream when his coffee spilled. Instead, he took a walk, fed a duck (that bit him, but still), and smiled at a grumpy old man who suspiciously smiled back.

That night, Bob realized peace isn't some magical silence or a perfect world. It's more like accepting that the duck might bite, your coffee might spill, and your phone will betray you — but you're still okay.

And from that day on, Bob scheduled daily "silent phone" hours. The world was still messy, but Bob was a little less so. Peace, it turned out, had a great sense of humor

Deepika Madheshiya Class- 6th E



Teachers, often regarded as the architects of a nation, play an indispensable role in shaping individuals, communities, and the very fabric of society. Their influence transcends the boundaries of the classroom, extending to every aspect of a student's development and leaving a lasting legacy on generations to come.

At the core of a teacher's role is the transfer of knowledge and academic skills. However, their impact extends far beyond simply imparting information. Great teachers act as guides, illuminating the path for students by making learning engaging, relevant, and accessible. They break down complex concepts, drawing real-life connections to help students grasp the material and understand its application in the world around them. This dedication to making learning enjoyable and meaningful can ignite a lifelong love of knowledge in students.

Furthermore, teachers play a significant role in fostering civic consciousness and social responsibility in their students. They educate students about their rights and responsibilities as citizens, encouraging active participation in community affairs and promoting a sense of social justice. By instilling these values, teachers empower students to become responsible and thoughtful citizens who will contribute positively to society.

The impact of a great teacher often resonates long after students leave school. Students often remember the specific words of encouragement or moments of inspiration that profoundly influenced their lives. The lessons learned and values instilled can shape career choices, interests, and attitudes towards failure. The unwavering support and guidance from a beloved teacher can empower students to believe in themselves and pursue their dreams without fear.

Harshit Singh Class: 6<sup>th</sup> E

## हिंदी की उपयोगिता

भारतिविधिताओंका देश है – यहाँ हर सौ किलोमीटर पर भाषा, बोलीऔर संस्कृति बदल जाती है। इन सबको जोड़ने का काम अगर कोई भाषा करती है, तोवह है हिंदी । यह केवल संवाद का साधन नहीं , बिल्क हमारी सभ्यता, परंपराओंऔर आत्मा की भाषा है। हिंदी भाषा हमारी मातृभाषा है, औरहमारे देश की पहचान है।

"यदि राष्ट्रभाषा का अभाव हो, तो स्वतंत्रता केवल खोखला स्वप्न प्रतीत होती है।"

14 सतंबर 1949 को संविधान सभा ने हिंदी को भारत की राजभाषा घोषित किया। उसी ऐतिहासिक दिन के याद में हर साल 14 सितंबरको 'हिंदी दिवस' मनाया जाता है। इस दिन विद्यालयों, महाविद्यालयोंऔर संस्थानों में काव्य पाठ, निबंधप्रतियोगिता, वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता और सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम आयोजित किए जाते हैं।

आजिहंदी केवल भारत की ही नहीं, बल्कि विश्वकी चौथी सबसे अधिक बोली जाने वाली भाषा है। यह गर्व की बात है कि हमारी मातृभाषा विश्व पटल पर अपनी पहचान बना रही है।

आज के समय में हमें अंग्रेजी जैसी भाषाओं के साथ-साथ हिंदी का भी समान रूप से उपयोग करना चाहिए। यदि हम अपनी मातृभाषा को सम्मान देंगे तो दुनिया भी उसका महत्त्व समझेगी। अंग्रेजी का ज्ञान आवश्यक है, परंतुहिंदी हमारी जड़ों से जुड़ी हुई है।

हिंदी दिवस का उद्देश्य केवल हिंदी का प्रचार-प्रसार करना ही नहीं है, बल्कि लोगों में अपनी भाषा के प्रति गर्व और सम्मान की भावना जागृत करना भी है। यह हमें यह याद दिलाता है कि अपनी भाषा के बिना राष्ट्र अधूरा है। हिंदी को राजभाषा इसलिए माना गया है क्योंकि केवल वही भारत की सांस्कृतिक एकता व राजनीतिक अखंडता को अक्षुण्य बनाए रखने में समर्थ है।

"भारत भूमि की प्रत्येक भाषा आदर के योग्य है, किन्तु हिंदी तो ईश्वर का अनुपम वरदान, राष्ट्र की आत्मा और संस्कृति की पहचान है।"

हिंदी दिवसकेवल एक तिथि नहीं है, बल्कि यह हमारे लिए गौरव का उत्सव है। आइए, संकल्पलें कि हम हिंदी के प्रचार-प्रसारमें योगदान देंगे और इसे तकनीक, शिक्षा ,साहित्य तथा संवाद की दुनिया में और आगे बढाएँगे।

" वही भाषा जीवित और जागृत रह सकती है जो जनता को आसानी से समझ आ सके और उसका प्रतिनिधित्व कर सके।"

> नाम—आस्था शुक्ला कक्षा—दसवीं "ब"

# Imagination in Lines and Colors



Arpita Kumari 6th A

OLEKA I 101A SINDOR Amrit Kumar Srivastava 9th E Happy Jeather's Day Amrit Kumar Srivastava 9ª E Name- Saanvi

## Dust of Snow

The way a crow
Shook down on me
The dust of snow
From a hemlock tree
Has given my heart
A change of mood
And saved some part
Of a day I had rued

Shravya Agrawal
Class: 9<sup>th</sup> F

#### Anthem

St. Therese our dear Saint all hail

With fadeless glory crown

You are the model of our day

Simplicity in you all around

Chorus: Onwards onwards Theresian

Forward will we march always

Loyal will be to our school

Faithful and sincere in all our ways

St. Therese our dear Saint all hail

Let our pledge be always true

Throughout the world, throughout our life

Your standards will pursue

Anurag Ekka Music Teacher



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