

"The purpose of education is to build good, strong and talented personality. Spirituality is that which builds you into a wonderful personality." - Gurudev Sri Sri Ravishankar



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## MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOLS



Welcome Back! Dear Students, Parents, and Teachers, Welcome back to a brand-new academic year! As the fresh June breeze replaces the summer heat, our school gates open wide to welcome your vibrant smiles, energy, and enthusiasm. A new school year is a beautiful blank canvas. It is a fresh chapter filled with new friendships, inspiring lessons, and endless opportunities to grow. Whether you are returning to familiar corridors or stepping into our school for the very first time, you belong here, and we are thrilled to have you. This year, let us focus on learning with joy, lifting each other up with kindness, and striving for excellence in everything we do. Together, let us make this year an unforgettable journey of discovery and success. Wishing you all a wonderful and inspiring year ahead! Warm regards,

- M.S.Saravanan, Head of Schools.

## Celebrating Gurudev Sri Sri Ravi Shankar's 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday



At Shrishti Schools, we believe in nurturing both the mind and spirit. To celebrate the 70th birthday of Gurudev Sri Sri Ravi Shankar, our school community came together for a special event dedicated to peace, positivity, and mindfulness.

The celebration began with a traditional prayer service where students, teachers, and guests offered flowers and lit the ceremonial lamp before Gurudev's portrait. The serene atmosphere, enriched by devotional chants, inspired a sense of gratitude and reflection.

In keeping with Gurudev's vision of holistic well-being, students and

staff participated in a mass open-air yoga and meditation session. Guided by instructors, they practiced various asanas and breathing techniques, experiencing calmness, focus, and inner harmony.

As Gurudev often emphasizes, "*Yoga is not just exercise; it is a way to connect with your inner peace and positivity.*"

This meaningful celebration reflected Shrishti Schools' commitment to promoting wellness, harmony, and leadership among students. We thank all the coordinators, teachers, and students who made the event a memorable success.

# June.....

## Monsoon and Sun in Tune!

 Blazing summer afternoons quietly fade away, As cool monsoon clouds dance into the day.

 Sweet mangoes bid a delicious, juicy goodbye, While fresh school bags match the bright, morning sky.

 The first drops of rain kiss the heat-baked earth, Sparking nationwide joy and a season of rebirth.

### DO YOU KNOW?

June is named in honor of **Juno**, the Roman goddess who symbolized family bonds and new beginnings.



## International Best Principal Award 2026



Srishti School, Vellore, proudly announces that the Head of Schools, Mr. M. S. Saravanan, has been honoured with the prestigious International Best Principal Award 2026 presented by the Science Olympiad Foundation (SOF) at the 28th International Annual Award Ceremony held at Dr. Ambedkar International Centre, New Delhi.

The award was presented by Hon'ble Justice Sh. Vijay Bishnoi, Judge, Supreme Court of India, in recognition of outstanding contributions to educational leadership, innovation, and excellence in school administration.

The grand ceremony was attended by several distinguished dignitaries including Sh. Himanshu Gupta

(IAS), Secretary, CBSE – Ministry of Education, Prof. Y. S. Rajan, former distinguished scientist associated with ISRO, and Dr. Praveen Gupta, noted academic and neurologist.

The Science Olympiad Foundation (SOF) is an internationally renowned educational organization dedicated to promoting academic excellence through Olympiad examinations conducted across thousands of schools worldwide.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. M. S. Saravanan expressed gratitude and dedicated the recognition to the students, teachers, parents, and the entire Srishti School community whose continuous support and commitment made this achievement possible.

## Voices of Gratitude



**YUVANESH RAAJ PN**  
Grade - XII

**"Srishti has been more than a school-it has been a place that shaped my character, confidence, and aspirations."**

As I look back on my journey at Srishti, I feel immense gratitude for the opportunities and guidance that helped me grow. From inspiring teachers who supported us academically and personally to the many platforms that nurtured our talents, every experience contributed to our development.

The school's vibrant culture, through events such as Fresher's Day, Investiture Ceremony, Sports Day, Utsav, and the monthly **Srishti Herald**s, encouraged us to discover our strengths and pursue our passions. My own journey began with writing for the Herald, eventually leading to an opportunity to represent our region at a national-level residential program in Gujarat.

The values instilled in us continue to guide our path. One lesson I will always carry forward is the importance of knowing **what to win, why to win, and having the will to win**. Srishti has taught us that success is not merely about achieving goals, but about growing into responsible and resilient individuals. I will always remain grateful to my teachers, mentors, and the entire Srishti family for helping me become who I am today.



**SAMYUKTHA M**  
Grade - X

**"Srishti transformed me from a shy student into a confident individual ready to embrace the future."**

When I joined Srishti in Grade 6, I was quiet, timid, and hesitant to step out of my comfort zone. Today, I stand as a confident graduate, and that transformation is a testament to the nurturing environment the school provides.

Srishti is far more than a campus; it is a place where students are encouraged to explore new ideas, express their talents, build meaningful friendships, and create lifelong memories. The unwavering support of our teachers, especially during our board examination years, helped us stay focused and motivated even during the most challenging times.

The dedication of our Principal, Vice Principals, Coordinators, and teachers through continuous assessments, revisions, and guidance prepared us not only for examinations but also for life beyond the classroom. Looking back, I realize that every lesson, challenge, and experience contributed to my growth.

As we move forward into the next chapter of our lives, we carry with us the knowledge, confidence, values, and memories that Srishti has gifted us. It will always remain our second home and an integral part of who we are.



**Mrs. Reshma Mary Kuruville**  
Parent of **MATHEW KORAH KURUVILA (Grade XII)**

“As parents, choosing the right school for our child’s final years of schooling is one of the most important decisions we make. At Srishti, we found an institution that perfectly balances academic excellence, discipline, personal growth, and student well-being.

What stood out throughout our son’s journey was the unwavering commitment of the teachers, who went beyond textbooks to mentor, motivate, and support students at every step. Their dedication, coupled with a nurturing environment, helped students develop confidence, resilience, and strong values.

Srishti’s emphasis on holistic education, through academics, extracurricular activities, leadership opportunities, and meaningful friendships, ensured that learning remained both enriching and enjoyable. Over these two years, we witnessed remarkable growth in our child—not only academically but also in maturity, responsibility, and character.

We remain deeply grateful to the management, teachers, and staff for creating an environment where students feel encouraged to learn, explore, and thrive. Srishti has played a significant role in shaping our child’s future, and for that, we will always be thankful.”



**Dr. N. Raja**  
Parent of **ABINANDH VISAGAN R (Grade X)**

“Being part of the Srishti community has been a truly rewarding experience for our family. What distinguishes the school is its ability to create a positive, supportive, and disciplined environment where every child feels valued and encouraged.

The dedication of the teachers is exceptional. Their commitment extends far beyond classroom instruction, helping students build confidence, develop conceptual understanding, and approach challenges with resilience. The school’s culture of encouragement ensures that students are motivated to learn without fear of failure, fostering both academic growth and emotional well-being.

Equally commendable is the emphasis on safety, discipline, and happiness. The school has created an atmosphere where children look forward to coming to school each day, knowing they are supported by caring teachers, staff, and administrators.

As parents, we are grateful for the values, confidence, and life skills that Srishti has instilled in our children. The impact of a great school is measured not only by academic success but by the character and happiness of its students, and Srishti exemplifies this beautifully.”

## Small Action, Big Impact: Our Earth Day Seed Ball Initiative



On April 22nd, students of Srishti Vidyashram Sr. Sec. School celebrated World Earth Day with a hands-on initiative dedicated to making our planet greener. Embracing the theme “Small Action, Big Impact,” the school organized a Seed Ball Throwing event to promote afforestation and actively support Sustainable Development Goal 15, “Life on Land”. During the event, students learned about and utilized eco-friendly seed balls—small spheres made of compost, organic matter, and clay—which are specifically designed to protect seeds and provide essential nutrients for sprouting. Armed with these seeds of hope, the students enthusiastically scattered them across the Sanjeevarayar Hills in Brammapuram. As the seasons change, these seed balls will naturally water and grow into native wildflowers and plants that support local biodiversity. Beyond the activity itself, students took a collective pledge to grow more trees, reduce waste, and keep their surroundings clean. The event beautifully highlighted their commitment to environmental conservation, reminding the entire school community that small actions today truly create a greener tomorrow.

## Shraddha Orientation Programme 2026: Learning to Learn



The Shraddha Orientation Programme 2026, conducted from 27th May to 30th May, was a transformative and inspiring learning experience for the faculty members of Shrishti Vidyashram Sr. Sec. School. Centred on the theme “Learning to Learn,” a four-day programme encouraged educators to embrace continuous growth, reflective practice, and holistic education in alignment with the evolving needs of the 21st century.

The programme was graced by the esteemed Resource person Dr. Reshma Ganesh, who was warmly welcomed and honoured by Mrs. Thingal Johnson, Principal of Matric, Mrs. Hephzibah Paul, Vice Principal of CBSE, and Mrs. Geetha, Headmistress.

Through thought-provoking sessions and meaningful discussions, participants explored the deeper purpose of education and the pivotal role teachers play in shaping young minds.

Each day commenced at 6:45 a.m. with energising and refreshing yoga sessions, setting a positive tone for the day. The practice of yoga helped participants cultivate mindfulness, enhance focus, and experience the importance of physical and mental well-being—an essential aspect of holistic education.

Drawing inspiration from SSRVM’s educational philosophy and Gurudev Sri Sri Ravi Shankar’s Five Pillars of Learning—Information, Concepts, Attitude, Imagination, and Freedom, the sessions emphasized that true education extends beyond the acquisition of knowledge. It involves nurturing positive attitudes, encouraging creativity, developing critical thinking, and providing learners with the freedom to explore and discover their potential. Teachers were encouraged to create learning environments where students not only excel academically but also grow emotionally, socially, and spiritually.

A significant focus of the orientation was the concept of Pratyaksha, which encourages educators to develop deep faith in the learning process and become lifelong learners themselves. Participants were inspired to remain receptive to new ideas, broaden their perspectives, and deepen their roots in values and traditions. The sessions reinforced the belief that learning can happen anywhere

and from anyone, including children, colleagues, parents, and elders.

One of the most engaging activities of the programme was the “Spin a Tale Marathon.” Teachers were divided into groups of ten, and each member contributed two sentences to a story based on a theme assigned by another team. This collaborative storytelling challenge fostered creativity, teamwork, imagination, and effective communication. A total of 18 teams created 18 unique and captivating stories, which were subsequently compiled and printed as a special storybook and presented to Reshma Ji as a cherished memento of the orientation programme.


The programme also highlighted the vision of NEP 2020, which redefines the role of teachers from mere instructors to coaches, facilitators, mentors, and guides. In an era where information is readily accessible, teachers shoulder a far greater responsibility—to nurture emotionally strong, resilient, and compassionate individuals who are prepared to navigate the complexities of the real world. Educators were encouraged to focus on competency-based learning, critical thinking, collaboration, and character building, thereby empowering students to become confident and responsible global citizens.

Participants were further inspired to become true “King Makers,” shaping future leaders through their guidance, wisdom, and unwavering commitment to excellence. The orientation also underscored the importance of systematic documentation and quality education through the SQUAF framework, reaffirming the institution’s commitment to continuous improvement and holistic development.


Overall, the Shraddha Orientation Programme 2026 was a deeply enriching and motivational experience. It strengthened the faculty’s commitment to lifelong learning and served as a powerful reminder that when teachers continue to evolve, inspire, and lead with purpose, they create meaningful change in the lives of their students and contribute to building a brighter future for society.

## Meritorious Performance Continues... 2025-26

OUR NINETEENTH BATCH OF **GRADE-XII** STUDENTS MAKES US PROUD!



STUDENTS APPEARED / PASSED  
**473/469**



SCHOOL AVERAGE PERCENTAGE  
**74%**

**193**  
(41%)  
Students  
Scored  
**≥ 75%**

**25**  
(5.29%)  
Students  
Scored  
**≥ 90%**

**90%**  
422 Students  
Passed in  
**First**  
Division

**4**  
**Centums**  
Computer Science  
Business Studies  
Entrepreneurship (2)



NEHARIKHA C  
**478/500**  
**1st**  
Place



SAHITHI CHRISTINA S  
**476/500**  
**2nd**  
Place



S ABISHEK  
**474/500**  
**3rd**  
Place



MADHUMITA B R  
**474/500**  
**3rd**  
Place

### GRADE XII - TOPPERS



SAMHITHA PAARI  
**470/500**



MANISHA K  
**469/500**



S MONISH CHANDRAN  
**465/500**



S HEMAVARSHINI  
**461/500**



R TAANUSHYA  
**461/500**



JEEVITHA M  
**460/500**



NEHA S  
**459/500**



A SATHYA SUNDAR  
**459/500**



JAYASRI M  
**458/500**



DHARSHAN A  
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NANDA K V  
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NANNURU GEETHIKA  
**456/500**



DIMPLE M  
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S NITIN  
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ANUSHKA CHOUDHARY  
**454/500**



S ABISHEK DEVAKUMAR  
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AGATHIYA P  
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THARA S  
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P ANURAAG CHRISTOPHER  
**452/500**



RAHUL H  
**451/500**



S MONISH CHANDRAN  
**465/500**  
Centum in  
Computer Science



S VANSH  
**445/500**  
Centum in  
Business Studies



NEHARIKHA C  
**478/500**  
Centum in  
Entrepreneurship



ANUSHKA CHOUDHARY  
**454/500**

The Management congratulates and thanks all the students, parents and the teaching faculty for the excellent results

## Summer Coaching Camp 2026 – Building Fitness, Discipline and Team Spirit

Shrishti Schools conducted a Summer Coaching Camp 2026 for students of Grades V to IX from 20th to 30th April 2026. The camp provided expert training in various sports, including Football, Basketball, Volleyball, Badminton, Tennis, Handball, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Throwball and Athletics.

Students enthusiastically participated in the morning sessions, improving their fitness, stamina, teamwork

and discipline under the guidance of experienced coaches. The camp offered a wonderful opportunity for students to stay active, develop sports skills and make productive use of their summer holidays.

The programme was a great success, reflecting Shrishti Schools’ commitment to nurturing healthy, confident and well-rounded learners.



## Care Beyond Curriculum - Teachers Workshop

A workshop titled “Care Beyond Curriculum” was conducted by a team comprising six school counsellors – Mrs. V.A Rejina Ruby, Ms. Sandra Limpson, Ms. Anushka Anil, Ms. Anisha David, Ms. Madhubala Jayaraman, Ms. Smaranika Tudu from Shrishti Schools for teachers, focusing on students’ emotional and mental well-being. The session was based on insights gained from a three-day training programme at CMC Vellore, organized by Asha Foundation on “Empowering Teachers to Inspire and Transform Young Lives.” Key topics included understanding

oneself, labeling, classroom climate, types of parenting, and adolescent changes. Important issues such as bullying, body shaming, social media addiction, suicide awareness, child abuse, and mental health were discussed. The workshop emphasized creating a supportive classroom environment and responding sensitively to students’ needs. Overall, the session was interactive and insightful, equipping teachers to nurture students beyond academics.

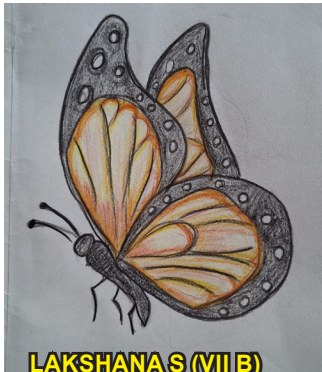


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# Art Corner



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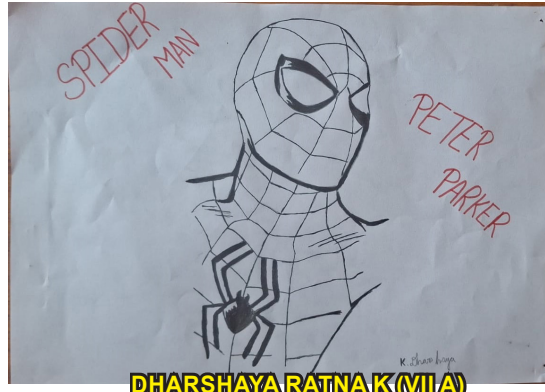
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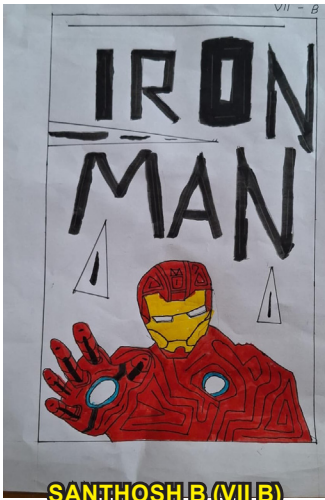
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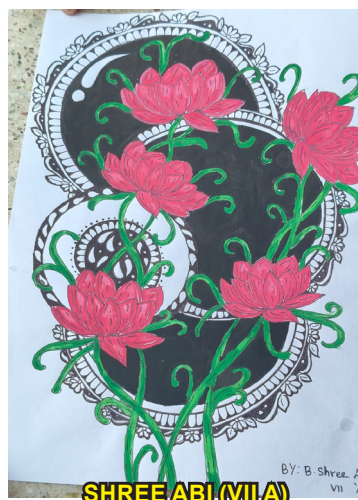
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SANTHOSH B (VII B)



SAYAM JAIN (VI C)



SHREE ABI (VII A)



SANAA G (X A)



"Like a butterfly,  
Her wings unfolded..."

P.SHRITHIKA (XII B2)



## GET IT PUBLISHED

Dear Students and Teachers,

Send your achievements / articles / stories / art work / poems / other creative work to [shnl22@shrishti.org](mailto:shnl22@shrishti.org)

### A New Beginning After Summer Vacation

Dear Students,

A warm welcome back to school after the summer vacation! I hope each one of you had a joyful and refreshing break with your family and loved ones. As we step into a new academic year, let us begin with renewed energy, positive thoughts, and a strong determination to achieve our goals.

Education is not something to be practiced only during examination days. True learning happens through regular study and consistent effort. Prepare a proper daily study schedule and follow it sincerely. Even a few focused hours every day can create a bright and successful future.

Always remember the importance of honesty and good character. Speak the truth, be respectful in your words, and maintain loyalty towards your friends and family. The values you develop today will shape the person you become tomorrow.

Choose positive company and surround yourself with people who inspire you to grow. A good friend is one who not only supports others but also guides them whenever they make mistakes. Correct one another with kindness and care.

Never forget the sacrifices made by your parents and family for your well-being and education. Respect them, take care of your siblings, and work hard to make your parents proud through your discipline, achievements, and behavior.

Students must also maintain proper grooming and discipline while coming to school. Boys should come with neatly groomed hair and a clean appearance. Girls should maintain tidy hair and present themselves neatly in accordance with the school rules. All students are expected to wear proper uniform, maintain personal hygiene, and carry themselves with dignity and confidence.

Let this year be filled with hard work, positivity, kindness, discipline, and success. Believe in yourself, stay focused on your dreams, and always strive to become the best version of yourself.

Wishing all my dear students a wonderful and successful academic year ahead.



– Mr. Prakash  
Sr. Sec. Coordinator  
Dept. of Mathematics

### Stars Await

Morning sun blazes bright,  
Yester eve indeed gloomy;  
Every dawn brings fresh delight,  
Turning sorrow into bloom.

Do not fear a stumble or fall,  
Great journeys begin that way;  
Rise again and stand up tall,  
With courage to greet the day.

Books may challenge, tasks may test,  
Yet effort never goes in vain;  
Those who strive and give their best,  
Harvest wisdom from their pain.

Keep your dreams before your eyes,  
Let perseverance be your guide;  
For those who arise await stars,  
With hope and confidence inside.



– Mr. Sureshkumar M  
Dept. of English

### Rules of Life

**1. Make peace with your past**  
it will not screw up your present.

**2. What others think of you**  
is none of your Business

**3. Time heals almost everything**  
Give it time

**4. Don't compare your life with others**  
You have no idea what their journey is all about.

**5. Don't Judge others**  
First remove the speck from your eye.

**6. Stop thinking too much and don't try to get answers for everything.**  
You will lose your peace and sleep.

**7. If you want to be happy only you can do it.**

Don't forget - no one can make you happy.

**8. Keep smiling - It doesn't cost anything**

You can help others smile.

**9. Appreciate others**

Will create positivity around you.

**10. Don't try to change others, it's a waste of time**

Instead you change, life becomes easier.

**11. Spend time with your family at the dining table without gadgets.**

A beautiful bond will be created

**12. Someone Criticizes you**

Best way is to Ignore



– Mrs. V.A. Rejina Ruby  
Dept. of English

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