"The vision of a divine society begins with strengthening education at the grassroots." - Gurudev Sri Sri Ravishankar



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## Voices of Victory – Journey of Board Toppers



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There's a story I once heard—about a weaver who sat at her loom each day, gently guiding threads of all kinds. Some were bold and bright, others soft and quiet. She never forced them into one shape. Instead, she paid attention to each strand, allowing the fabric to come together naturally. "The beauty of the tapestry," she said, "lies in the way every thread finds its place."

That story has stayed with me because, in many ways, it reminds me of Shrishti. This school has been our loom. And over the years, it has helped each of us grow into something unique, without ever asking us to be the same.

From the first day I walked through the gates, Shrishti felt like more than just a school. It was a space where I could try, fail, and try again. It wasn't just about marks or medals-it was about discovering who I am and who I could become.

Some of my favourite memories don't come from big moments, but from all the in-betweens—running across the field during PT class, preparing backstage at Utsav with shaking hands and a pounding heart, or simply laughing with friends in the corridor after a long day. Here, everyone found something that belonged to them. For some, it was sports or academics. For others, it was dance, drama, writing, or just being that dependable person everyone could count on during a group task.

Shrishti's campus is full of spaces that encouraged us to explore. Smart classrooms and labs made us think; the art rooms and music studios helped us express; the basketball courts and football field pushed us to compete and collaborate. It never mattered whether you were loud or quiet, confident or still figuring things out-there was always room for you here.

But what truly shaped me was the way the people here believed in us. Our teachers didn't just explain conceptsthey noticed the effort we put in and the growth between the lines. They encouraged us to speak when we were unsure, guided us gently when we needed help, and stood behind us when we finally found our stride. Their support wasn't always loud-but it was always there. Now, when I look back, I see how every small moment added a thread to the person I'm becoming. Some threads were strong and clear-winning a match, finishing a big project, performing on stage. Others were quieter-learning to listen, to lead, to work through doubt. But each one mattered.

Shrishti didn't just prepare us for exams—it prepared us for life. And like the weaver's cloth, the beauty of our time here lies in how different we all are, and yet, how connected. We've each been shaped in our own way, and together, we form something truly special.



### To Shrishti, A Letter from the Heart

As I reach the end of my school journey, it feels surreal to even try putting these years into words. It's hard to believe that the place I once walked into as a nervous child with a heavy bag and wide eyes has now become a part of who I am. Shrishti for me wasn't just about subjects and exams-it was about growing up, discovering who I am, and finding pieces of myself in the people, spaces, and small moments I'll never forget.

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## VIBHA NETHRA M A Grade - XII

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Looking back, I realize how much this school shaped me. I remember sitting in classrooms, watching the clock some days, but also getting completely lost in certain lessons that sparked something in me. I can still recall the quiet satisfaction of finally winning an inter school competition, the rush of handing in a well-done project, and the nervous excitement before giving a presentation. Every moment, whether big or small, was important to building myself as a person.

Some of the most meaningful parts of this journey came from my teachers. They didn't just teach—they noticed, they cared, and they encouraged me when I felt unsure of myself. There were times I doubted my abilities, but their support helped me believe in myself a little more, and for that, I'll always be grateful.

Moving onto friendships, where do I even start? My friends are the greatest gifts Shrishti has ever given me. We created memories that I know I'll look back on with a full heart. Some friendships were short-lived, others grew stronger with time but each one taught me something valuable. To have loving caring friends who only want the best for you is a privilege, and for that I'm truly grateful.

Of course, there were challenges too. There were days when everything felt overwhelming. But those moments were part of the process. They taught me how to be resilient, how to ask for help, and how to pick myself up when things didn't go as planned.

Now, as I have graduated and am moving on to the next phase of my life, there's a strange mix of excitement and sadness in me. I'm ready for what's next, but a part of me wishes I could slow down time—just a little—so I could sit in my favorite corner of the school once more, surrounded by people who feel like home.

To me, this school wasn't just a place. It was a space where I discovered my strengths, faced my fears, and quietly, slowly, became someone I'm proud of. It's hard to say goodbye, but I know the memories will stay with me—tucked somewhere safely in my heart, always.



My school experience has been quite enriching. I've had the opportunity to learn not only academically but also through co-curricular activities, teamwork, and various school events. The support from teachers and friends has played a big role in shaping both my skills and character. I'm truly grateful for all the learning and memories school has given me.

# 483/500 V HIRANMAYI Grade - XII



#### A Cherished Journey at Shrishti

Shrishti has been more than just a school for me-it's been a place of growth, discovery, and unforgettable memories. From the moment I stepped onto our sprawling campus, I felt a deep connection to its vibrant learning environment. The spacious classrooms, well-stocked library, advanced labs, and top-notch sports facilities ensure that every student's academic and co-curricular needs are met. What makes Shrishti even more special is its lush greenery and commitment to sustainability, recently recognized with the prestigious International Green School Award. The serene atmosphere fosters both learning and well-being. But the true heart of Shrishti lies in its dedicated teachers. Their constant encouragement, insightful guidance, and unwavering support have helped shape us into confident individuals ready to take on the world. I will always treasure my time at Shrishti-it has truly been a remarkable journey.

# 488/500 VARSHASRI Grade - X

#### My Journey at Shrishti

Three years ago, I walked into Shrishti, filled with excitement and curiosity. I still remember how unfamiliar everything feltthe corridors, classrooms and new faces; but that unfamiliarity didn't last long. Within a short period of time I began to feel a sense of belonging, thanks to my classmates, supportive teachers and nurturing environment. From day one, this school become more that just a place to learn. It became a space where I discovered my strengths and challenged my limits. As I look back, I realise how much I've grown and how Shrishti has become my second home. My journey here has been filled with learning- not just academic lessons but life lessons, values and experiences. I was fortunate to be surrounded by teachers who not only taught subjects but also boosted our confidence. Their constant encouragement helped me believe in myself and excel. Beyond academics, Shrishti has given me many opportunities to grow in various ways- whether it was speaking in events, taking part in various exciting competitions, these experiences have shaped me. The vibrant events held at Shrishti truly brought my school experience to life. Our UTSAV, Sports Day, all the celebrations and especially the Children's Day event made the entire school experience very enjoyable. Thank you Shrishti for all the amazing experiences and countless memories.

"A good teacher can inspire hope, ignite the imagination and instill a love of learning"

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## **P SHRITHIKA** Grade - X

#### SHRISHTI

One word, Eight letters, Millions of memories, Thousands of mistakes, Hundreds of stories, But.. Zero regrets, With.. Infinite joy and happiness!!

The saying of Paul Merton that "School memories are the happiest days of my life " turns true for me as it is for every other person.

Shrishti Vidyashram is the school where I had talented, supportive, compassionate and the most friendly teachers who inspired me in all the possible ways.

My parents, our management, the coordinators, amicable class teachers, my teaching staff and non teaching staff are the ones who made me feel that I am truly gifted!!

As they say "Parents' love is the foundation on which a child's world is built." My parents are the most supportive and understanding ones. I can't think of any moment where they failed to have concern on me and it absolutely made me realise that I am the most luckiest and blessed one.

My friends were the ones who made my school life more vibrant and joyous. They made my journey at Shrishti a memorable one.

I conclude by conveying my sincere gratitude to my teachers who helped me to gain a lot of knowledge and experience. The efforts that our school management and our teachers take is fascinating and magnificent.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to my parents and teachers for trusting me.

I would treasure and cherish my journey at Shrishti Vidyashram.

## 482/500

## **J SUJAN** Grade - X



"The Guru (Teacher) is the creator and protector of knowledge, and the destroyer of the weeds of ignorance" - Adi Shankaracharya

First of all, I would like to make use of this space to thank my teachers, parents, school administrators and well-

wishers for their continued support and encouragement throughout this academic year. We all have to acknowledge that making someone else perform better is enormously difficult compared to giving our own best performance. Behind the success story of every individual is the toil of his/her teacher/s whose only aim is to see their students succeed and Shrishti is filled with such teachers- teachers who view everything from the students' perspective. I once again thank my teachers for generously clearing even the silliest of my doubts with utmost patience. I also express my gratitude to our management for evolving effective strategies and providing insightful suggestions that greatly helped us in our preparation. Their relentless efforts in creating a holistic and ambient learning atmosphere is reflected in our school's unbeatable record of academic excellence. I feel proud of being a part of this memorable journey. I look forward to contribute more to my school's achievements and make my school even prouder.

# 481/500 S R HEMANTH Grade - X State of the s

to thank those who made it possible. My teachers didn't just teach me lessons—they inspired me to think deeper and never give up, even when things got tough. My family's steady support was my anchor. Their belief in me kept me grounded and motivated throughout this journey.

I'm also thankful to my school for creating a space where learning felt exciting and challenges became opportunities. The environment here helped me discover my strengths and grow as a person. This journey wasn't just about results—it was about the experiences, the lessons, and the people who stood by me. I'm ready and excited to keep moving forward.

## 481/500 R SIVANJANA Grade - X



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Every step of this journey taught me something new. The encouragement from my teachers was invaluable—they didn't just teach; they believed in me and challenged me to aim higher. My school provided the perfect setting to discover my potential. It wasn't just about books and exams, but about learning life skills and building confidence.

Behind all this, my family's support was my foundation. Their constant belief in me kept my spirits high, especially during tough times.

Looking back, I realize this accomplishment is a team effort. I'm thankful to everyone who played a role and helped me grow. I'm eager to keep learning and take on new challenges ahead. SHRISHTI HERALDS

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## A Note of Gratitude from the Parents of P. Shrithika — K. Purushothaman and P. Jansi Rani (Parents of P. Shrithika, Grade X)

We, the parents of P. Shrithika, are glad to share our daughter's experience at Shrishti Vidyashram.

As parents, we always wanted our children to study in a school that offers a safe, nurturing environment—one where they can grow, learn, and develop holistically. Shrishti turned out to be the perfect choice for us. The school provides high-quality education delivered by skilled and dedicated teachers.

The teachers maintained healthy communication with both our daughter and us. They provided her with enriching experiences through excursions, coscholastic programs, and inter-house activities. These opportunities helped create a well-balanced lifestyle for her, encouraging not only academics but also physical and social development.

Their consistent attention to her academic progress was commendable—one notable example being their home visits during board exams, which reflected their genuine concern and involvement.

Over the past three years, it has been a wonderful journey with Shrishti. This year, during her Grade 10 board exams, the management and teachers extended constant support—not only academically, but also emotionally. Rather than putting her under pressure, they planned everything in a structured and thoughtful manner. Regular assessments ensured she understood the concepts well, and the preboard exams gave her the confidence to face the boards successfully. On our part, we ensured that she had ample time to relax and refresh her mind. We maintained a serene and supportive home environment to promote her mental well-being. Though we never pressured her with expectations for high marks, we always had complete faith in her abilities. That trust, we believe, gave her the freedom to study without stress and achieve her goals with confidence.

We are sincerely thankful to the management and all her teachers who supported her through every situation.

We are truly happy to be a part of the Shrishti family!

## **Felicitation Ceremony**

In a grand celebration of academic brilliance, the school hosted a Felicitation Ceremony on 28th May 2025 to honour the achievements of the Board Toppers of Grades X and XII for the academic year 2024–25. The event was a proud moment that celebrated hard work, perseverance, and scholastic excellence. The ceremony was graced by the distinguished presence of Mr. Mahadevan Venkatesh, Trustee, and Mr. Saravanan, Head of Schools and other dignitaries. Our Trustee and Head of Schools congratulated the toppers and offered words of encouragement, inspiring students to continue striving for excellence in all their future endeavours. The Board Toppers were felicitated in the presence of their proud parents,

who shared in the joy of their children's well-deserved success. The atmosphere was filled with applause, pride, and admiration. The event was seamlessly compered by Mrs. Usha Paulson, Coscholastic Co-ordinator, whose graceful presentation ensured the smooth flow of the programme. The ceremony stood as a shining example of the school's commitment to celebrating achievement and fostering a culture of academic excellence. It was a day that will be fondly remembered by the school community as a celebration of dedication and success.

## **Orientation Programme**



An enlightening Orientation Programme was conducted on 27th May 2025 by M. S. Saravanan, Head of Mr. Shrishti Schools, on the vital theme of "Strengthening Parent-School Collaboration". The session aimed to equip teachers with insights and strategies to foster meaningful partnerships with parents, aligning with the evolving educational landscape and the directives of NEP 2020. The objective of the session was fourfold: to emphasize the importance of parent-school collaboration, introduce the CBSE Parenting Calendar, align teachers' roles with NEP 2020 goals, and inspire ownership and action across departments.

The profound impact of parental involvement on student performance and emotional well-being was highlighted. It was followed by the introduction of the **4Rs** Framework—**R**elationship Building, Reinforcement through Awareness, Reflection, and Rejoicing offering practical strategies to foster deeper connections with parents. From regular PTMs and workshops to support groups and family events, the framework encouraged a culture of openness, empathy, and shared responsibility. Teachers were encouraged to maintain consistent and empathetic communication, share holistic progress, and invite parental input.

The programme concluded with Shrishti Vidyashram's strategic plan for the academic year 2025–26, which includes a term-wise PTM and bonding calendar, grade-appropriate workshops, and celebrations recognizing parents as partners in the educational process. This session marked a significant step towards creating a collaborative and inclusive school environment that values and nurtures every child's full potential.

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## Shraddha Programme

As the dawn of a new academic year broke upon Shrishti Vidyashram, there was an air of excitement and anticipation among the teachers. The much-awaited Shraddha Training Programme, held from 28th to 31st May 2025, promised not just professional upliftment but also a journey of self-discovery and holistic well-being. Over the course of four transformative days, the teachers embarked on a profound journey of growth and renewal. Each morning commenced with serene yoga sessions led by Ms. Priyamvadha, Yoga Trainer of SSRVM South School, Bangalore, instilling a sense of calm, focus, and vitality that resonated throughout the day.

The resource person Mrs. B. Gayathri, Principal of SSRVM South School, Bangalore, was warmly greeted by the Head of Schools, Mr. M.S. Saravanan and other dignitaries. Mrs. Usha Paulson, the co-scholastic co ordinator introduced the guest, who was then felicitated by Mrs. Thingal Johnson, the Principal of Shrishti



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The programme's core was masterfully guided by the esteemed resource person whose insightful and inspiring discourse encouraged teachers to deepen their foundational values while expanding their vision to embrace innovative educational philosophies. The key concepts from the Yoga Sutras of Patanjali were elucidated focusing on the vrittis and their relevance to teaching.

A variety of interactive activities were conducted to enhance engagement and experiential learning. These included group discussions, role plays, collaborative tasks, and the presentation of lesson plans by the teachers, all of which encouraged reflection, creativity, and teamwork. Enriching the sessions further, Mrs. B.Gayathri shared insightful

## Honouring a Remarkable Journey

A heartfelt retirement function was organized on 27th May 2025 to honour Mrs. Prameela, one of the Social Science teachers of Shrishti Vidyashram (CBSE), on the occasion of her retirement. It was graced by Mr. M.S. Saravanan, the Head of Schools, Mrs. Hepzibah Paul, the Vice Principal – CBSE, Mrs. Geetha Srinivasan, Headmistress – CBSE, and Mrs. Usha Paulson, the Co-scholastic Coordinator.

The retirement function began on a serene and reverent note with a prayer song. Ms. Chithra, the comperer for the day, took the audience through Mrs. Prameela's journey at Shrishti with warmth and admiration. She also shared heartfelt messages sent by Mrs. Prameela's former colleagues and students, adding an emotional depth to the occasion.

A touching musical tribute was then presented by Ms. Savitha Varatharajan, followed by heartfelt speeches from her colleagues Mr. Dinakaran and Mrs. Shabiya, who shared fond memories and expressed their admiration for Mrs. Prameela's strength, honesty, and caring nature. The Head of Schools and the Vice Principal also spoke about her contributions, appreciating her sincerity and composed presence over the years. Mrs. Prameela was felicitated with gifts by the dignitaries as a mark of respect and love.

The Department of Social Science expressed their affection with a special gift. The highlight of the function was when Mrs. Prameela herself took the stage, recalling her beautiful journey at Shrishti and expressing heartfelt



gratitude to the management and her fellow teachers for their support and love. The function was filled with warmth, memories, and gratitude — a fitting farewell to a wonderful teacher who touched many lives with her dedication and quiet strength. real-life experiences from her own journey as an educator, offering practical wisdom that deeply resonated with the teachers and proved invaluable for their professional growth.

The programme concluded on a note of gratitude and joy. The Head of Schools Mr. M.S. Saravanan and other dignitaries honoured the resource persons by presenting thoughtful gifts as a token of love and appreciation. The programme left the teachers inspired, rejuvenated, and aligned with a deeper sense of purpose, ready to embrace the new academic year with renewed energy and vision.



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