



NATIONAL PUBLIC SCHOOL, Kengeri, Bengaluru

Report on One-Day CPD Training on Value Education

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Education is the knowledge not of facts but of values.

Value education promotes tolerance and understanding above and beyond our political, cultural and religious differences. To achieve the pledged endeavor of promoting Value Based Education in schools, a Capacity Building Programme was organized by NPS, Kengeri in association with COE Bengaluru Regional on 6th January, 2023 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Prasad S.D, Principal, KLE School and Anuradha Ramesh, Principal, NPS Agara were the Resource Person. The workshop was attended by forty teachers.

First session was conducted by Mrs. Anuradha Ramesh. She underlined the importance of values and their necessary application for a meaningful and successful life. It was accented that CBSE's vision of Value Education is to make classrooms a congenial place for children to express themselves, learn forms of interaction and resolve conflicts mutually. Teachers acquired the requisite expertise for utilizing it in their classrooms through activities of connecting with values and From 'me' to 'we'. The activity on 5 steps approach for lesson plan designing to focus on what specific skills and knowledge they require over to 'up skill' or 're-skill' themselves to implement in class.

Post Lunch session was taken over by Prasad S. D who specified about devising strategies to take forward the notion of values from individual to interpersonal and then infiltrating in the community, thereby nurturing students to become responsible global citizens. The activities engaged, Educators to develop and enhance their abilities. These activities definitely enable learning to become conscious and proactive, rather than passive and reactive.

The workshop was conducted in an interactive manner, where each participant was encouraged to share a viewpoint pertaining to a particular value. They were asked to identify one value with which they associate themselves or feel strongly about. Next, the teachers were asked why and how they feel that the topic under discussion is relevant in today's scenario. They were motivated to identify the values which can be taught through the subject lessons.

The workshop was a good learning experience as the teachers were exposed to an array of aids and tools like role-play, storytelling, value cards etc., as strategies for imparting value education in their classes.

"When values, thoughts, feelings, and actions are in alignment, a person becomes focused and character is strengthened."

-John C. Maxwell.

