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Dear Parents,

As part of our ongoing effort to guide students in making informed academic and career choices, the school organised an interactive session for Grade 9 students on "Skills Identification and Career Exploration" delivered by Mr Madhusudan Joshi.

The objective of the session was to help students:

- Understand what skills are and how they differ from knowledge and ability.
- Recognize the importance of developing both hard (technical/academic) and soft (interpersonal) skills.
- Reflect on their personal strengths through a self-assessment activity called "My Skill Map," where they identified what they enjoy doing, what they are good at, and how those skills can contribute to others.
- Explore how different skills connect to real-world careers.
- Learn about free online tools such as MyNextMove.org, CareerExplorer.com, and Onet.org, where they can further assess their interests and skills.

The session aimed to encourage self-awareness and introduce students to the idea that career planning begins with understanding themselves — their interests, strengths, and emerging abilities.

We encourage you to continue this conversation at home by asking your child:

- · Which skills have you discovered in yourself?
- Which career paths would you like to explore further?
- What new skill would you like to develop this year?

Your engagement and encouragement will greatly help your ward make confident and thoughtful choices in the years ahead.

Warm regards

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