

Aum Sri Sairam



# Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Educare

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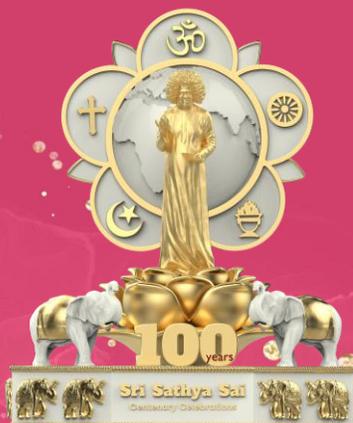
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**47 Years of Character Development with Academic Excellence**



## ACHIEVEMENTS REPORT 2024-25





**PREFACE**

*The academic year 2024–25 was truly a blessed and memorable one for SSSIE, as it opened enhanced avenues for students to nurture their personality development. Alongside vibrant co-curricular activities, which enriched their cultural and spiritual growth, the institution ensured that academic excellence remained uncompromised.*

*Every class received focused attention to excel in scholastic pursuits while simultaneously encouraging students to explore their talents through research and innovation. Literary skills were sharpened through debates, writing competitions, and creative forums that inspired expression and clarity. Scientific curiosity was ignited through exhibitions, experiments, and collaborative projects that fostered innovation and discovery. Mathematical abilities were strengthened by problem-solving contests and participative events that challenged analytical thinking.*

*The holistic approach ensured that students experienced both exhilarating competition and joyful participation, balancing achievement with inclusivity. Sports and physical education added vigor, discipline, and teamwork to their daily lives, while fine arts cultivated creativity and aesthetic appreciation. Value-based education and spiritual practices provided a strong moral foundation, guiding students toward humility, service, and devotion. Infrastructure upgrades further supported this growth, offering modern facilities that complemented traditional values.*

*Together, these domains created a harmonious blend of academics, arts, sports, and spirituality. Let us now explore in detail the SSSIE Annual Report, which beautifully presents this journey of excellence across all spheres of development. It stands as a testimony to the institution's commitment to shaping well-rounded individuals grounded in values and vision. Truly, the year 2024–25 will be remembered as a milestone in the school's pursuit of holistic education.*


**ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**
**COMMENDABLE CBSE BOARD EXAM RESULTS**

SSSIE, under Swami's Divine Blessings, secured centum results in Class X and remarkable achievements in Class XII during the March 2025 CBSE Board examinations. In each subject, the students achieved scores exceeding 95%. These accomplishments stand as a shining testimony to the dedication of the teaching faculty and the sincere diligence of students nurtured in the Gurukula system of values-based education.


**100%**

## CLASS X & XII CBSE BOARD EXAM SUBJECT-WISE TOP SCORES



### CLASS X

| SUBJECT        | NAME               | SCORE |
|----------------|--------------------|-------|
| SCIENCE        | L KAUSHIK          | 99    |
| HINDI          | GOKUL GANESH       | 98    |
| MATHS          | SAI SMARAN PATNAIK | 98    |
| SOCIAL SCIENCE | GOKUL GANESH       | 97    |
| ENGLISH        | S SATHYA NARAYANAN | 97    |
|                | SOHAM BOTHRA       | 97    |
| TAMIL          | L KAUSHIK          | 97    |



### CLASS XII

| SUBJECT          | NAME                    | SCORE |
|------------------|-------------------------|-------|
| COMPUTER SCIENCE | MUHILARASAN R           | 98    |
|                  | PRANESH V A             | 98    |
| ENGLISH          | CHAITANYA R             | 97    |
| BUSINESS STUDIES | CHAITANYA R             | 97    |
| CHEMISTRY        | SAIRAM S                | 95    |
| ACCOUNTANCY      | PINNAMSHETTYSAI VIGNESH | 94    |
| BIOLOGY          | SAIRAM S                | 92    |
| ECONOMICS        | CHAITANYA R             | 91    |
| MATHEMATICS      | SOMESH KRISHNA B        | 82    |
| PHYSICS          | SAIRAM S                | 81    |



## ADMISSIONS SECURED IN PROFESSIONAL COURSES

Students who completed Class XII have successfully embarked on diverse professional courses across the country. Commerce stream students have commenced specialized coaching to prepare for CPT and CA entrance examinations, while others have secured admission into prestigious institutions to pursue their chosen fields of study.



## SAI GROOMING FOR EXCELLENCE & ADMISSIONS @ SSSIHL

Students regularly attend SAI GROOMING FOR EXCELLENCE online sessions organized by SSSSO, TN in XI & XII subjects along with personality development classes. For SSSIE family, true success lies not merely in academic scores, but in the sacred opportunity to continue one's journey at the Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning – Swami's University. During 2025-26, Inspired by the SAI GROOMING classes, guided by the Management and dedicated personal efforts, this year 8 students have been blessed to enter this Divine University, founded by Bhagawan to nurture character, wisdom, and spiritual strength. Having been nurtured in the soil of values at SSSIE, these young aspirants now carry the fragrance of devotion and discipline into the hallowed halls of SSSIHL, destined to blossom as torchbearers of Sai ideals.



| S.No. | Name                     | Course Joined                              | Campus            |
|-------|--------------------------|--|-------------------|
| 1     | SAIRAM A                 | B.S (Hons.) in Biosciences & Biotechnology | Prasanthi Nilayam |
| 2     | DHANUSH S                | B.S (Hons.) in AI & Computational Biology  | Prasanthi Nilayam |
| 3     | PRANESH V A              | B.S (Hons.) in Actuarial Data Science      | Brindavan         |
| 4     | RUTHWIKANN P G           | B.S (Hons.) in Actuarial Data Science      | Brindavan         |
| 5     | SOMESH KRISHNA B         | B.Com (Hons)                               | Brindavan         |
| 6     | PRAJWEL VINAYAK S M      | BBA (Hons),                                | Brindavan         |
| 7     | PINNAMSHETTY SAI VIGNESH | BBA (Hons),                                | Brindavan         |
| 8     | CHAITANYA R              | BBA (Hons),                                | Brindavan         |

## IIT-JEE AND NEET COACHING

The school has initiated a collaboration with Santhoshni Academy to deliver structured coaching for IIT-JEE and NEET, supplementing the academic program. Students of Class XI who opted for this training received intensive weekend classes and regular assessments to sharpen their skills. Their success in the competitive examinations enabled them to gain admission into professional courses, marking another milestone in the school's commitment to holistic education.



## 2 SECTIONS IN CLASSES LKG & UKG

To accommodate the growing interest of parents wishing to enroll their children in the early grades, the Management has set in motion a gradual expansion strategy by adding an extra section to each class. The process advanced with the inclusion of an additional section in Class UKG during 2024-25. These thoughtful steps have brought comfort and happiness to families who hold in high regard the distinctive Sai approach to holistic, value-based education offered at SSSIE.



## BEST TEACHER AWARD

During the Teachers' Day celebrations on September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024, Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Educare rejoiced in a proud moment of recognition. Three of its dedicated educators were honored with the prestigious Best Teacher Award for their outstanding contributions. Mr. C. Manikandan, Headmaster (Middle and Secondary), was felicitated by the Jaigopal Karodia Trust; Mrs. N. Keerthana, TGT (Science), received the award from the Chennai Sahodaya Schools Complex; and Mrs. V. Jayalakshmi, Assistant Headmistress (Primary), was recognized by the CSSC Kanchi Cluster. These honors highlight their tireless commitment, sincerity, and devotion in shaping young minds into ideal Sai students. The awards stand as a shining testimony to the institution's mission of nurturing education as a sacred path of values and excellence.



**Mr. Manikandan, Headmaster (Middle & Secondary)**



**Mrs. Vijayalakshmi, Asst. Headmistress (Primary)**



**Mrs. N. Keerthana, TGT (Science)**

**BEST TEACHER AWARDEES  
2024-25**

## HINDI DIWAS CELEBRATION

Hindi Diwas was celebrated with patriotic fervour on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2024. Under the able guidance of Mrs. S. Pramila, students of the Hindi Department from all classes showcased their vibrant talents and eloquence in the Hindi language. The programme featured thought-provoking talks, soulful poem recitations, an inspiring value-based skit, and a captivating group dance performed to a devotional Hindi song dedicated to Lord Ganesha. The event reflected both cultural pride and linguistic excellence. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan commended the sincere efforts of the students and staff, appreciating their dedication in upholding the spirit of Hindi Diwas.



Hindi Diwas Celebration

## SSSVV SOPAAN TRAINING

SOPAAN is a bilingual foundational learning program that inspires children's passion for reading and builds confidence for lifelong learning, while nurturing human values and 21st-century skills like critical thinking and creativity. Fully aligned with the NEP 2020 and the NIPUN Bharat Mission, it addresses the urgent need for universal foundational literacy and numeracy by 2025. During their campus visit on 5<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024, Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vahini core team members Sri Sairamkumar Jayaraman, Smt. Rajashree Natarajan and Sri Adithya trained teachers with rich resource materials, equipping them with practical strategies and insights to implement SOPAAN effectively in classrooms

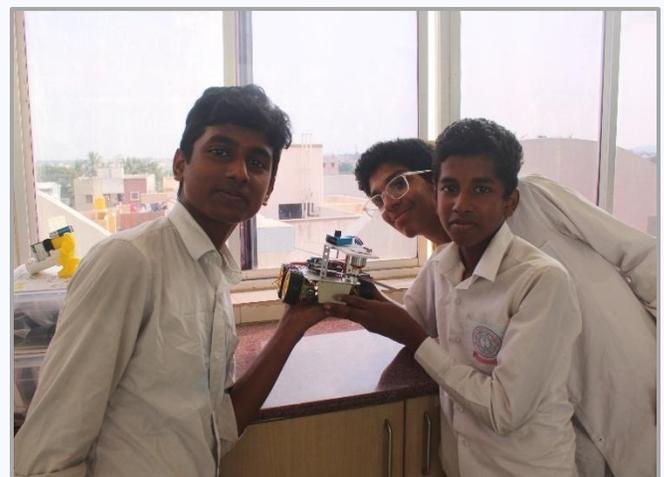
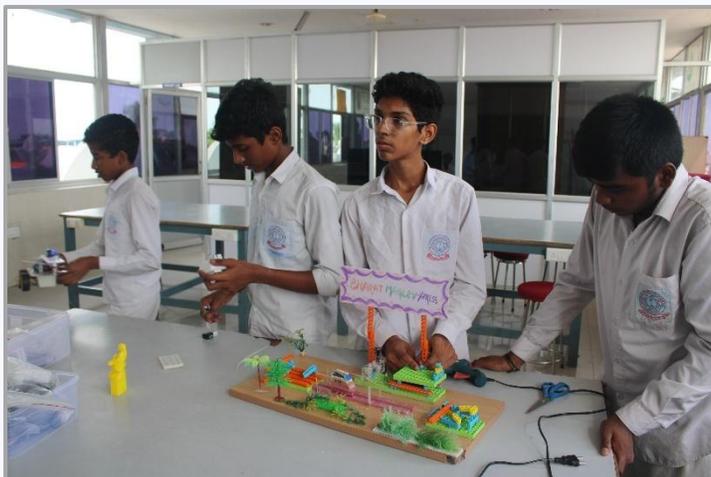




**SSSVV SOPAAN Training**

## EXCELLENCE IN ATAL TINKERING LAB PROJECTS

Atal Tinkering Labs (ATLs) are established in schools by the Government of India through the Atal Innovation Mission (AIM), functioning under NITI Aayog. These labs form a cornerstone of a national initiative aimed at nurturing innovation, creativity, and scientific temper among students from grades 6 to 12. Since their inception under government sponsorship, the labs have been actively utilized by students to design and develop innovative projects, many of which have been showcased in contests, exhibitions, and competitions at various levels. Students have enthusiastically engaged in training sessions and hands-on practice, applying STEM concepts to bring their ideas to life and cultivate problem-solving skills.



**Students engaged in making innovative projects at the SSSIE Atal Tinkering**

## NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK CELEBRATION

The National Library Week was celebrated on campus during the last week of November 2024, highlighting the vital role of libraries in a student's growth and development. A variety of engaging activities—including inspiring talks, soulful song renditions, poem recitations, and a thought-provoking skit—brought out the noble support that libraries and books extend to a learner's journey. The SSSIE library team, led by Mrs. Deivanai and Ms. Gowsalya, was warmly appreciated for their dedication and service by the correspondent, Sri S. Loganathan.



**National Library Week Celebration activities**

## WORKSHOP ON ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS

On 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024, our campus hosted a vibrant Road Safety Awareness Workshop organized by the TSL Foundation in collaboration with Ford. The session began with a compelling digital presentation highlighting the alarming statistics of road accidents in India. Ford's engaging "Kids Driving School" simulation allowed children to drive toy cars along marked paths, learning traffic rules through playful interaction. Their excitement was palpable as they navigated signals and cones, absorbing safety lessons with joy. Students also participated in contests and worksheets that reinforced key road safety concepts. We sincerely thank TSL Foundation and Ford for their dedication to this noble cause.



**Insightful workshop on Road Safety Awareness**



Children enjoying a demo drive on Ford's Kids Driving School

## TAMIL WEEK CELEBRATION

Tamil Week was celebrated with vibrant cultural fervor and enthusiastic student participation during the second week of December 2024. Children delivered eloquent speeches, devotional songs, and graceful traditional dances that highlighted the grandeur of Tamil heritage.



Glimpses of Tamil Week Celebration

Dramatic enactments of saints and poets brought timeless history and values alive on stage. Activities on Tamil words, Poem recitation, storytelling, and Thirukkural recitation deepened linguistic pride and creativity. The celebration held under the guidance of Correspondent Sri S.Loganathan and the SSSIE Tamil Department headed by Sri C.Manikandan, Headmaster (Middle and Secondary) concluded with reverence and respect for Tamil—the eternal classical language of Bharath.

## PRIMARY SCIENCE EXHIBITION

The Primary Science Exhibition was held on 16th December 2024 with enthusiastic participation from young students, who showcased creative models on diverse themes such as human anatomy, environmental conservation, urban planning, and noise pollution. Each project reflected innovation, clarity of thought, and hands-on learning guided by their teachers. Parents and guests admired the confident presentations and thoughtful solutions offered by the children, making the event both educational and inspiring. The exhibition fostered scientific curiosity leaving a lasting impression on all who attended.



Primary Science Exhibition

## FIELD VISIT BY SSSVV INSPECTION TEAM

Members from the Tamil Nadu Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vahini Team, led by State Joint Co-ordinator Mrs. Rajeswari, visited SSSIE on 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 2024 to observe the ongoing SSSVV activities. The team engaged in primary classes observations, interacted with teachers and students, and appreciated the STEM activities showcased by the senior students at the SSSIE Atal Lab. They admired the corridor and classroom displays that reflected creativity and values. A Maths Exhibition was also attended, where students demonstrated various fun-filled mathematical activities. The visit was well-planned by Mrs. K. Poongothai, Headmistress (Primary) and SSSVV School Relationship Co-ordinator, who guided the teachers and students. The team shared valuable feedback highlighting areas of excellence and suggesting further scope for improvement.



Field visit by SSSVV Inspection Team



Maths Exhibition presented by primary children

## SUCCESS IN BOARD EXAMS – MOTIVATIONAL TALK

On 9<sup>th</sup> February 2025, a special motivational talk was conducted at SSSIE for Class X and XII students by Sri Poorna Chandran, a stalwart academician with a vast experience. The session focused on motivating students to prepare diligently for their upcoming Board Examinations and to score well. Practical guidance on time management, confidence building, and overcoming exam stress was shared. Students also gained valuable insights into how good academic performance can help them choose a meaningful career path. The Satsang proved highly beneficial, leaving the students inspired and determined to excel.



Motivational Talk by Sri Poorna Chandran, SSSIE Well-wisher

## ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE – AWARDS & PRIZES

### NATIONAL LEVEL 4TH & 8TH RANKING IN SPELLING BEE CONTEST

Mahathisri P (Class IV) secured 4th Rank at the National Spelling Bee Contest. Satyajit (Class IV) achieved 8th Rank at the same national level competition. Organized by VK Educational Solution, Warangal, this achievement brings pride to our institution.



Mahathisri, VII and Sathyajit, IV receiving their awards for winning at the National level Spelling Bee

## 'VEETTUKKORU VIGNAANI' EXHIBITION BY PUTHIYA THALAIMURAI TV

Sai Smaran Patnaik, Shreyas Samanta, Soham Bothra, Gokul Ganesh (Class X) and Nithish Balaji, Sai Thenappan S (Class IX) participated in the 'Veettukkoru Vignani' Science Exhibition. The event was hosted by the popular Tamil TV Channel Puthiya Thalaimurai. Their commendable presentation earned appreciation from the judges.



Students who participated in the 'Veettukkoru Vignani' Science Exhibition

## YES – YOUNG ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENTIST

Students participated in the YES – Young Environmental Scientist Contest held at IIT Madras, organized by the Industrial Waste Management Association. Out of the three projects presented, the theme 'One Man Farming' stood out. The innovative project presented by SSSIE students received appreciations from all.



The YES of SSSIE

## WINNERS AT THE CBSE REGIONAL LEVEL SCIENCE EXHIBITION

SSSIE participated in the CBSE Regional Science Exhibition on 17-18 Nov 2024. Out of 58 schools and 98 projects, the team of Gokul Ganesh (Class X) and Vaibhav Srinivas (Class IX) was selected for the National level exhibition. Their project on “Airborne Waste Particle Capture and Tracking” brought laurels to the school. The team with their mentor teacher Mrs. N.Keerthana, TGT(Science) participated in the National level CBSE Science Exhibition held at Amity International School, Sector 46, Gurugram, Haryana and received appreciations from all.



The winners of the CBSE Regional Level Science Exhibition

## FIRST PRIZE IN PHILATELIC QUIZ CONTEST BY INDIAN POSTAL DEPT

Rikshit C (Class VI), Sailesh P (Class VII), and Athukuri Jnanendra (Class IX) participated in the Divisional Level Philatelic Quiz Competition. The event was organized by the Indian Postal Department. They proudly secured the First Prize, bringing honor to our school.



Divisional level Philatelic quiz competition winners

## FELICITATION TO CLASS-WISE ACADEMIC TOPPERS

The school balances co-curricular skills with uncompromised academic excellence. Character moulding stands alongside scholastic growth as a core priority. Under the vision of Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, students were graded G++, G+, G1, G2. Academic toppers were honoured with a joyous boat ride at Muttukkadu Boat House, Chennai on 15<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024.



Special boat trip offered to the SSSIE academic toppers at Muttukkadu Boat House, Chennai

## ACADEMIC TOPPERS TRIP TO NEELANKARAI BEACH

Once again, an academic toppers outside trip was arranged by the Management. The Unit Test II toppers, along with students who showed commendable improvement in their performance, were rewarded with a joyful outing to Neelankarai beach on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2025. The day was filled with fun, games, and laughter, leaving every student with cherished memories of the session.



The academic toppers enjoying the lap of mother nature at Neelankarai beach, Chennai

## VEDIC MATHS TRAINING PARTICIPANTS & COMPETITION WINNERS

Vedic Mathematics, rooted in ancient Indian wisdom, makes arithmetic faster, simpler, and more enjoyable through unique mental techniques. At SSSIE, Ideal Play Abacus India Pvt. Ltd., Chennai provides regular training to all the middle class students in Vedic Maths, boosting confidence



and speed. Successful participants were awarded certificates, and winners of the internal competition were felicitated. It is to be noted here that the primary students are given abacus training by SSSIE Maths faculties.

## SPORTS & FINE ARTS EXCELLENCE

SSSIE goes far beyond being a center for scholastic achievement. The hallmark of the Sai philosophy of integral education practiced here is the nurturing of the complete personality of every child. Alongside classroom learning, equal weight is placed on physical education, cultural pursuits such as music and literature, and a wide range of creative activities. Students receive dedicated training that empowers them to shine in diverse co-curricular fields. Let us now explore the accomplishments of SSSIEans in sports and the fine arts.

### SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS



At SSSIE, students receive training across more than ten diverse sporting disciplines, including Cricket, Volleyball, Carrom, Chess, Yoga, Gymnastics, Skating, Kho-Kho, Athletics, and several others. Experienced professionals and seasoned coaches frequently visit the institution, guiding learners with dedicated instruction and helping them sharpen their skills through consistent practice. Organized teams are created, and participants are prepared to showcase their abilities in competitions at district, state, national, and even international levels, thereby discovering and nurturing their natural talents.

## TN STATE LEVEL MALKHAMB CHAMPIONSHIP

Master Nethrakanthan of Class XI and Master M. Dharshan of Class VIII brought laurels to our institution by participating in the Tamil Nadu State Level Malkhamb Championship. Competing against numerous teams from across the state, they displayed remarkable skill, discipline, and dedication, securing the Second Prize.

**Tamil Nadu State level  
Malkhamb champions of SSSIE**



## COMMENDABLE PERFORMANCE AT THE CBSE CLUSTER VI EVENTS

Students of our institution enthusiastically participated in the prestigious CBSE Cluster VI Events, showcasing their talents in Chess, Skating, Yoga, Badminton, and Volleyball. The competitions provided them with a valuable platform for learning, teamwork, and self-discipline. Their shining performances drew appreciation at every level, reflecting both their dedication and the guidance of their mentors.



**Students who were felicitated for their exemplary performances at the CBSE Clusters VI**

## SILVER MEDALS WON IN INTER-SCHOOL GYMNASTICS EVENT

Lohethsivaa J P of Class VI, Dharshan M and Vijay Prasad of Class VIII have won silver medals at the 6th inter-school Adventure Gymnastics event in Floor Gymnastics Category, while Sanjay K of Class VII secured a bronze medal in the same category, making the school proud with their achievements.



Winners of the Adventure Gymnastics Trophy event

## STATE LEVEL CHESS TOURNAMENT – CAME OUT AS TOP 20 PLAYERS

The young chess wizards of SSSIE proudly participated in the State-Level Chess Tournament organized by Balu Academy. Demonstrating skill, focus, and determination, our students secured positions among the Top 20 players of the contest, bringing honor to the institution.



State level Chess Tournament winners

## APPRECIABLE PERFORMANCE AT THE CHENGALPATTU DISTRICT LEVEL CARROM EVENT

Students of SSSIE took part in the Chengalpattu District Level Carrom Tournament. They performed creditably and gained valuable experience through the competition. The event added to their exposure and growth in the game.



Students who participated at the District level Carrom event

## SRI HAYAGRIVAR CHESS ACADEMY'S STATE LEVEL CHESS TOURNAMENT

Students of SSSIE participated in the State Level Chess Tournament conducted by Sri Hayagrivar Chess Academy. They delivered an excellent performance and secured commendable positions in the contest.



SSSIE Chess Champions

## COMMENDABLE PERFORMANCE AT THE INTER-SCHOOL THROW BALL EVENT

The Mahila students showcased commendable performance at the Throw Ball Event organized by the Jaigopal Karodia Trust. Their spirited participation earned appreciation from everyone.



Mahila children of SSSIE felicitated for their excellent participation at the inter-school throw ball event

## FELICITATION TO SSSIE KARATE BLACK BELT CHAMPIONS

Regular Karate training is given to interested hostellers and day-scholars under the banner of Okinawa Goju-Ryu Karate-Do India, conducted by Master Saravanam of Gurushetra Institute of Martial Arts. Students who passed the black-belt grading were felicitated on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2025.



SSSIE Karate Black Belt Champions

## CCA CERTIFICATES DISTRIBUTION

Apart from outside competitions and tournaments, in-house co-curricular activities are regularly organized at SSSIE. Primary students who excelled in these CCAs were felicitated on 11th March 2025.



CCA Certificates distribution to primary children

## EXCELLENCE IN ARCHERY

Regular Archery training is provided to all the hostellers. Students participated in the CROWN FANTASY LEAGUE Archery Contest on 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025 and received Gold, Bronz & Silver Medals for their appreciable performance.



Archery contest medals & certificates

## FINE ARTS ACHIEVEMENTS

All students are encouraged to develop proficiency in at least one of the ten fine art disciplines offered on campus. Experienced professionals visit regularly to provide training in Carnatic Vocal, Veena, Flute, Violin, Keyboard, Drums, Mridangam, Tabla, Bharatanatyam, and Art & Craft. In partnership with Bridge Academy, Chennai, learners are guided to prepare for Fine Arts Grade Examinations. Every celebration and festival conducted within the institution carries the distinctive presence of student talent, with fine arts performances and creative displays forming an integral part of campus life.



## GLOBAL VOICES – INTERNATIONAL ARTLINK EVENT

SSSIE has partnered with ARTLINK, an international cultural exchange program run by Creative Connections, a USA-based NGO that brings together students from more than 56 countries. As part of this collaboration, Master V. Pranesh (Class XII), Athukuri Gnanendra (Class IX), and H. P. Lallith Saie (Class X) were felicitated for receiving the Certificate of Appreciation from Creative Connections in recognition of their exceptional drawing contributions to the prestigious 'Global Voices' event, a platform celebrating creativity and cultural harmony across the world.

Through Creative Connections, regular video conferencing sessions are organized between SSSIE and partner schools in the USA, fostering vibrant art and cultural exchange. These interactive sessions have sparked enormous enthusiasm among students, inspiring them to enhance their artistic expression and communication skills. The initiative has opened a global window for young minds to share, learn, and grow through creativity and collaboration.



**Global Art Voices of SSSIE**

## **ARTLINK VIDEO CONFERENCING WITH USA SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Creative Connections ARTLINK cultural exchange programme was organised on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2024 between SSSIE and Kershaw County School, South Carolina, USA. Students shared diverse cultural and fine arts activities including singing, drawing, and instrumental music. The programme provided a meaningful platform to explore the language and cultural identities of India and the USA. Under the guidance of Ms. Deepa, Faculty, Art & Craft Department, SSSIE students captivated their counterparts in the USA with a rich variety of cultural and artistic presentations.



**Glimpse of the ARTLINK cultural exchange video conferencing session with USA school students**

## BALA KALA RATHNA AWARDEES & SILVER AWARDS

Many students exhibited their excellence in the drawing and handwriting competition organized by Kalabharathi Child Art Institute, Maharashtra and received certificates for the Bala Kala Rathna Award. The institution proudly felicitated Mrs. K. Poongothai, Headmistress (Primary) with the Active Teacher Award and Ms. N. Vedhanayagi, Principal-in-charge with the Dronacharya Award, in recognition of their dedicated service and inspiring contributions to education.



**SSSIE Bala Kala Rathna Awardees**

## RECEIVED SILVER AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN HAND-WRITING

Kalabharathi Child Art Institute, Maharashtra conducted a national level drawing and handwriting contest. Out of thousands of students participated in the contests, other than the winners, 100 students were selected for a special gift of 20 grams Silver award due to their exceptional skill. P Lajni Renuga of class II is one among the 100 students selected for their exceptional hand-writing.



**Kumari Lajni Renuga P of class II receiving the special silver award for exceptional hand-writing**

## TALENT KIDS DRAWING CONTEST WINNERS

Students who secured the First Prize in the *Talent Kids Drawing Contest* organized by the Global Event Managers Association were felicitated with certificates and medals, celebrating their remarkable creativity and artistic excellence.



**Budding artists who received first prize in the Talent Kids Drawing Contest**

## MELLIFLOUS PERFORMANCE AT ARVIND BHARATI BHAJAN SINGING EVENT

Students delivered a mellifluous performance at the Arvind Bharati Bhajan Singing Event, enchanting the audience with their soulful renditions. Their bhajans reflected deep devotion, musical finesse, and heartfelt expression. The event served as a platform to showcase their spiritual artistry and vocal discipline. Their participation was warmly appreciated, bringing pride to the institution and joy to the devotees.



**Students who rendered their enchanting Bhajan singing at Arvind Bharati**

## BRIDGE ACADEMY FINE ARTS EXAMINATION

The annual Fine Arts Grade Examination conducted by Bridge Academy, Chennai was successfully held on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2025. Renowned external examiners specializing in Carnatic Music, Drums, Mridangam, and Tabla visited the institution and conducted one-on-one assessments for each student. This enriching experience enabled the students to absorb invaluable insights from the experts and significantly boosted their confidence through commendable performances in both practical and theory segments.



Annual Bridge Academy Fine Arts Examination



Bridge Academy Grade Exam Certificates distribution

# VALUES & SPIRITUAL EXCELLENCE

Rooted in the guiding vision of the Sai Mission, every endeavor on the campus is infused with spirituality, serving as the foundation upon which values take shape and bloom within each child's heart.

The following pages present a detailed account of the spiritual and value-oriented programs conducted at SSSIE, along with the accomplishments of our students during the academic year 2024–25.



## VALUE-BASED & SPIRITUAL EVENTS 2024-25

### SUMMER COURSE IN INDIAN CULTURE & SPIRITUALITY

JUNE 2024

With the divine blessings of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba, SSSIE organized a three-day Summer Course in Indian Culture and Spirituality from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> June 2024 on the theme "Sadhana, Seva, Vidya as demonstrated by Bhagawan." Day 1, focusing on Sadhana, began with student compering, Prasanthi Flag hoisting by the **Chief Guest Sri Kandaswamy Bharathan, Kavithalaya Productions** lamp lighting, Veda Parayanam, and a welcome address by Director Sri P. Kumarasamy, followed by an inspiring talk on spiritual sadhana and prayer and a value-based address by Mrs. Radha Sai Sredhar; the day also included the Investiture Ceremony led by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, Kavi Sammelanam, value games, and a Bharatanatyam performance by Kumari Meenakshi. Day 2, centered on Seva, commenced with Veda chanting and featured an enlightening address by Dr. Prasanna Venkatesh, State Youth Coordinator, SSSSO, on the organization's service activities, followed by Sri P. Kumaraswamy's talk on the inner significance of selfless service, house-wise value games, and a melodious Carnatic music concert by SSSIE Fine Art Masters.



**Inaugural Chief Guest Sri Kandaswamy Bharathan, Kavithalaya Productions**



**Sathsang by Mrs. Radha Sai Sredhar, BV Guru**



**Bharathanatyam by Kumari Meenakshi**

Day 3, themed Vidya, included a thought-provoking session on Education and Educare by Smt. R. Vimala, student panel discussions, debates, and an exhibition on Sadhana, Seva, and Vidya, culminating in the valedictory function graced by **Smt. Malini Chandrasekharan**, the Summer Course Oath, World Environment Day sapling planting, Mangala Aarathi, and a reaffirmation of commitment to live as ideal Sai students.



**Satsang by Dr. Prasanna Venkatesh, State Youth Co-ordinator, SSSSO-TN**



**Glimpse of a value game session**



**Panel Discussion**



**Sadhana, Seva, Vidya - Exhibition**



**Values-based house-wise Skit contest**



**Valedictory chief guest Dr. Malini Chandrasekharan**

## INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA

SSSIE celebrated the International Day of Yoga on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024, highlighting the importance of yoga for a healthy body and mind. The programme commenced with a mass Surya Namaskar, followed by an inspiring address by Yoga coach Smt. Ramani on the benefits of regular yoga practice. SSSIE yoga students presented a synchronized group yoga performance showcasing various pyramid yogas, complemented by a video on the glory of yoga as an ancient Indian tradition. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan appreciated the achievements of the students and the efforts of the trainers, and the programme concluded with Mangala Arathi to Bhagawan.



Yoga Formations presented by SSSIE Yogis on the International Day of Yoga

## PARENTS ORIENTATON SESSSION ON SSSIE SYSTEM OF SCHOOLING

The School Management organized separate orientation programmes for hostel and day scholar parents on 15<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2024. The school heads addressed them on the Sai system of education, the sadhanas practised by hostel students, and the techniques of value-based learning. Rules and regulations were also explained to ensure clarity and mutual understanding. The sessions proved to be eye-openers, helping parents appreciate the holistic approach of the institution.



Parents are explained about the SSSIE System

## KG CHILDREN'S FIRST DAY AT SSSIE

The tiny tots of Class LKG took their very first step into the world of learning with a rousing welcome on 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024. The school band set the tone for a day of joy, while special snacks, lively dances, and engaging video shows created an atmosphere of joy. With the management joining hands with teachers, the children were embraced with love and comfort, making their entry into the happy campus of SSSIE truly memorable.



First day of schooling for the tiny tots of SSSIE

## HOSTEL FRESHERS' DAY

On June 16, 2024, SSSIE hosted a vibrant Freshers' Day organized by the spirited 12th graders. The event was graced by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan and Vice Principal Ms. N. Vedhanayagi. New students shared heartfelt reasons for choosing SSSIE, dissolving nervousness with laughter and cheers. A lively talent showcase followed, with songs and dances highlighting the diverse abilities of the freshers. The celebration fostered camaraderie and belonging, marking a joyful new beginning in the school community.



## NITHYA NARAYANA SEVA

With the kind support of *Shree Banaskantha Palanpur Jain Association*, SSSIE has been offering nutritious free noon meals under the **Nithya Narayana Seva** programme to all the primary children and staff. This initiative, sustained by the voluntary support of parents & SSSIE Kitchen, has been a true boon to families engaged in daily labour, ensuring that no child studies on an empty stomach. As part of the **academic year inaugural session** on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2024, special dishes were lovingly prepared and served to the students, marking the occasion with joy and gratitude.



JULY 2024

## DISASTER MANAGEMENT TRAINING

On 13<sup>th</sup> July 2024, Sri Anand Velu and his team from the Sri Sathya Sai Disaster Management Wing, Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organization conducted an intensive disaster management training programme for all the hostel students. The session covered vital rescue techniques to be employed during emergencies such as floods and fire accidents. Detailed explanations were accompanied by practical demonstrations, ensuring that students gained hands-on experience in quick response methods.



Training for disaster preparedness and safety

## GURU POORNIMA CELEBRATION

Gurupoornima was celebrated on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2024 with devotion at the lotus feet of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. Students rendered the Guru Paduka Stotram and receiving Swami's blessings. Sri K.N. Shekar, Trust Member of Sai Educare Trust, graced the occasion as chief guest and spoke on the significance of the Guru in our transformation. He distinguished between the teacher who imparts external knowledge and the Guru—the inner Ātma guiding us always. Sharing his own journey, he recalled how the Chromepet Samithi's free tuition programme shaped him into an ideal Sai Samithi member. Children who won outside competitions were felicitated, and the session concluded with Mangala Arathi offered in reverence

**Chief Guest Sri K.N.Shekar, Member, Sai Educare Trust  
felicitated by Correspondent Sri S.Loganathan on Gurupoornima**



## SWADHYAYA - 21<sup>st</sup> SEMINAR ON HUMAN VALUES

With the noble aim of instilling human values in daily life, SSSIE has been conducting *Swadhyaya* – an inter-school seminar on human values – for the past 20 years. The 21<sup>st</sup> Seminar, held on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024, was themed “*Duty without love is deplorable. Duty with love is desirable. Love without duty is Divine*” and saw vibrant participation from schools across Chennai, assessed by a judges panel. The inaugural session was graced by **Dr. Sudha Seshayyan**, Director, Sastra University, Chennai Campus, who emphasized the unifying power of love, the essentiality of truth, and the deeper meaning of education beyond mere marks. Eminent judges evaluated performances in role play, presentations, Q&A, teamwork, and poster painting, while the valedictory session featured **Justice Vaiyapuri Periyakarupiah, Madras High Court (Retd.)** who highlighted honesty and the guiding force of Sathya, Dharma, Shanthi, and Prema. DAV School, Adambakkam won the overall championship, with NSN Matriculation and SRDF Vivekananda Vidyalaya securing second and third places. The seminar concluded with felicitations, distribution of medals and certificates, and Mangala Arathi to Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.



DAV School, Adambakkam receiving the Swadhyaya 2024 Championship shield



**Swadhyaya 2024 - Second place received by NSN Mat. Hr. Sec. School, Chromepet**



**Swadhyaya 2024 - Third place received by SRDF Vivekananda Vidyalaya, Chromepet**

## **PILGRIMAGE TO PRASANTHI NILAYAM**

Sairam. With the Divine Grace of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba, the students and staff undertook a 3-day pilgrimage to Prasanthi Nilayam from 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> July 2024 and received His blessings. The journey began with prayers and bhajans from the campus, and on arrival the group was accommodated at Sai Bhaktha Nivas. On the 27<sup>th</sup>, students joined Veda chanting and bhajans in Sai Kulwant Hall, had Maha Samadhi Darshan, and offered letters of gratitude and prayers. They visited sacred places including Eswaramma Samadhi, Chitravathi River, Hanuman temple, and Swami's birthplace, and were inspired by Satsangs from Sri B. Sai Surendranath and Smt. Sundaravalli. Cultural programmes by Himachal Pradesh youth and visits to Chaitanya Jothi Museum enriched the experience, while friendly sports matches with SSSIHL students added joy. The pilgrimage concluded on 29<sup>th</sup> July with Mangala Arathi at SSSIE, and all students received Swami's Vibhuti Prasadam and a pocket photograph of Bhagawan.





Glimpses of the sacred pilgrimage to Prasanthi Nilayam

## WELCOMING SWAMI'S DIVINE ROBE

AUGUST 2024

Loving Sairam. With Bhagawan's Divine Blessings, the earnest wish of the SSSIE family to receive Swami's Divine Robe was fulfilled on Aadi Perukku day, 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2024. Sri K.P. Sai Sredhar, State Vice President, SSSSO, TN brought the robe from Prasanthi Nilayam, received on Gurupoornima, and it was welcomed in Ramsai Hall with Veda Parayanam, band procession, and devotional songs. Students offered "Madhura Mohana Ghana Shyama..." at Swami's lotus feet. In his address, Sri Sai Sredhar narrated divine incidents leading to the robe's arrival, affirming Swami's Paripurna Kataksham and permanent presence with the students. The event concluded with a vote of thanks and Mangala Arathi to Bhagawan.





Receiving Swami's Divine Robe at SSSIE by Correspondent Sri S.Loganathan and students & Address by Sri K.P. Sai Sredhar, State Vice President, SSSSO, TN

### 78<sup>TH</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

SSSIE Chromepet celebrated the 78<sup>th</sup> Independence Day with patriotic fervour on 15<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024, graced by chief guest Smt. Mala Sarat Chandra. The outdoor programme began with a majestic march-past by the four houses, followed by flag-hoisting, patriotic songs, and the pledge. The indoor events in Ramsai Hall included Veda chanting, speeches, cultural performances, and vibrant dances portraying freedom fighters and the spirit of sacrifice. Sai Ganapriya Fine Arts presented a powerful fusion on *Thyaga Bharatham*, while Saimax screened an inspiring video on freedom fighters. The celebration concluded with prize distribution, Mangala Arathi to Bhagawan, and Prasadam.



Glimpses of the 78<sup>th</sup> Independence Day Celebration

## AVANI AVITTAM & GAYATRI JAPAM

With Bhagawan's Divine Grace, Avani Avittam was observed at SSSIE on 18<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 in traditional sanctity. Students renewed their sacred thread after Sandhya Vandanam, chanting Vedic hymns under priestly guidance. Austerities, Homam, Achamanam, and Pranayamam with Gayatri Mantra marked each step of the rituals. The ceremony concluded with Mangala Arathi, followed next morning by 1008 Gayatri Japam invoking Divine Blessings.



Students performing Avani Avittam worship before changing the sacred thread

## KRISHNASHTAMI CELEBRATION

The holy Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated on 26<sup>th</sup> August 2024 with devotion and fervour. The programme began with sacred Veda chanting, followed by students offering the Madhuraashtakam and staff rendering soulful bhajans. A Tamil speech by Deva Sai Prasad highlighted Lord Krishna's divine Leelas and the message of the Bhagawath Gita. LKG and UKG children presented a Human Golu dressed as Krishna, Radha, and Vishnu Avatars, receiving appreciation from the dignitaries. The day concluded with Value Games, Uriadi, Mangala Aarthi at Sai Brindavan, and distribution of special Prasadam.



Glimpses of the Krishnashtami Celebrations

## TALENT GALORE

The SSSIE campus came alive with joy and excitement during the Talent Galore programme on 31<sup>st</sup> Aug 2024 by the Primary children of LKG to Class II. The event, designed to highlight the innate abilities of the little ones and reflect the spirit of experiential learning at SSSIE, turned out to be a delightful success with captivating performances across various themes. Primary Headmistress Smt. K. Poongothai expressed heartfelt gratitude to the parents for their dedicated support in preparing the children. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, in his address, lauded the students for their enthusiasm, commitment, and sincerity throughout the programme.



Talent Galore event presented by Primary children

On 5<sup>th</sup> September 2024, Teachers’ Day was celebrated in a vibrant manner, with students welcoming teachers through a lively band performance. In Ramsai Hall, collective wishes and a cheerful balloon-bursting marked the joy of the occasion, centred on the theme “Kanave Kanave” symbolising teachers as dream role models. Handmade greeting cards, a special video introduction, and a fun Q&A session added warmth and creativity to the programme. Teachers enjoyed indoor and outdoor games, value-based group activities, and a delicious lunch arranged by the Management. The celebration concluded with a thanking address by Sri S. Loganathan, heartfelt appreciation for the senior secondary students’ efforts, and Mangala Arathi offered to Bhagawan. A rose plant sapling was offered to all the teachers and the staff by the Management.



**Kanave Kanave – Teachers Day Celebration**

## GANESH CHATURTHI CELEBRATION

On 7<sup>th</sup> September 2024, SSSIE celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi in a grand manner. The programme began with the sacred chanting of Sri Rudram and the Yagnam performed by staff and students. This was followed by the Abhishekam of Lord Sri Vidya Ganesh, lovingly carried out by Class XII students and staff, accompanied by melodious bhajans and devotional songs. Nearly twenty traditional materials were offered during the Abhishekam, symbolising purity and devotion. On 9<sup>th</sup> September, Ganesh Visarjan was celebrated at Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Educare with devotion and festive spirit. The atmosphere was filled with enthusiastic participation and vibrant chant “Ganapati Bappa Morya, Mangala Murthi Vinayaka.” Lord Ganesha was reverentially taken in a decorated chariot procession accompanied by Veda Parayanam and lively band music, and was immersed at the nearby Shiva temple pond amidst joy and gratitude. The holy celebration concluded with Mangala Aarthi and the distribution of sanctified Prasadam to all.



Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration Glimpses

## SSSVV GANESH CHATURTHI ACTIVITIES

As per the guidelines received from Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vahini, a variety of enriching activities were organized between 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Sep 2024 in connection with Ganesh Chaturthi. The celebrations included an inspiring alumnus talk on Ganesh Chaturthi, creative clay model making of Lord Ganesha, and a thought-provoking discussion on “What will you do to expand your knowledge like Ganesha?”, a panel discussion on ‘India: a role model to the world for Ethics and Moral Values’, etc.



Students also participated enthusiastically in a Ganesh drawing contest and staged a lively skit on Lord Sri Ganesh, all with the wholehearted support of the staff. These diverse activities added a colourful flavour and joyful spirit to the Ganesh Chaturthi celebrations, making the occasion truly memorable.



**SSSVV Ganesh Chaturthi activities**

## HINDI DIWAS

The Hindi Department at SSSIE regularly undertakes creative initiatives to promote awareness of the Hindi language. Hindi Diwas became a grand occasion to witness the splendour of students presenting a variety of events in Hindi. On 14<sup>th</sup> Sep 2024, students showcased their talents in dance, music, poetry recitation, skit presentation and inspiring speeches on the significance of Hindi language and patriotism. The highlight of the festivities was the spectacular group dance “Deva Sri Ganesh”, which mesmerised the audience and added a divine touch to the celebrations.



**Vibrant Hindi Diwas Celebration**

## SSSNCS INSPECTION FOR ACCREDITATION 2.0

SSSIE has once again upheld its tradition of excellence. In 2004, during the first round of Sri Sathya Sai Schools accreditation in India, SSSIE was the first school to be awarded the prestigious A+ level by the expert panel for its proper implementation of the Common Minimum Programme (CMP) prepared by the Institute of Sathya Sai Education, Mumbai. In line with the instructions of the Sri Sathya Sai National Council for Schools, SSSIE applied for the Accreditation 2.0 process. A panel comprising Mr. Prabhakar G. Dhantal (Mumbai), Mrs. K. Nagamani (Visakhapatnam), and Mrs. Indu Sharma (Mohali, Punjab) visited the campus from 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> September 2024. The team observed the school’s ambiance, assembly activities, Jyothi meditation, value education practices, hostel routine, fine arts, sports coaching, and classroom and laboratory sessions.

The panel interacted with students, teachers, parents, alumni, and management to understand the ground reality. The experiential learning presentation by primary students received special appreciation. The panel remarked: "SSSIE is one of the best Sai schools we have visited!"

## GLIMPSES – INSPECTION BY SSSNCS



Welcoming the SSSNCS inspection team followed by Assembly observation



Experiential Learning Presentation



Festival Celebration



Malkhamb Yoga display



Patriotic dance presentation by Mahila children



SSSNCS Panel Members with SSSIE Family

## LORD SRI SHIRDI SAI BABA BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Lord Shirdi Sai Baba's Birthday was celebrated joyously on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024. Sri Sai Nivas, the Shirdi Sai Mandir at SSSIE, was decorated with festoons, lights, and flower garlands. Veda chanting and Sri Shirdi Sai Ashtothra Namavali Parayanam were performed, followed by a reverberant Shirdi Sai Bhajans session. A senior student narrated divine incidents that highlighted the glory of Lord Sai. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan advised the students to take up any one message of Lord Sai such as 'Shraddha' – 'Saburi' as a birthday resolution and follow it daily to please Bhagawan. The programme concluded with Kakad Arathi, Mangala Arathi, and Prasadam distribution.



Joyous celebration of Bhagawan Sri Shirdi Sai's Birthday

Hridaya Bandham – SSSIE Alumni Meet was held grandly at SSSIE, Chromepet on 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2024, rekindling sweet memories of alumni brothers and sisters. The program began with lamp lighting and Veda chanting, followed by a motivating welcome address by Warden Sri Sandip Samanta. Sai Bhajans offering, a PPT presentation of achievements, and an inspiring talk by Director Sri P. Kumarasamy enriched the gathering. Alumni engaged in group discussions, offering valuable suggestions including career guidance, training in AI, and forming an alumni association. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan shared school developments such as the new primary block and girl’s wing, while alumni recalled cherished hostel life; the meet concluded with Mangala Arathi and lunch.



Hridaya Bandham – SSSIE Alumni Meet

## NAVARATRI CELEBRATIONS

SSSIE celebrated Navaratri 2024 with devotion and grandeur on the theme “**Iccha Sakthi, Kriya Sakthi and Gnana Sakthi** – the Triune Sakthis immanent in all.” The sacred Kalasa Puja on 2<sup>nd</sup> October marked the beginning, followed by the vibrant Golu display in the assembly hall. Each day carried a unique Sadhana, joyfully practiced by students and staff, enriched through value-based Navaratri Pravachan. The fine arts department offered creative performances during Navaratri Chaturyam, while primary students showcased talents in morning assembly. Evenings came alive with Navaratri Vaibhavam, featuring professional music and dance concerts, while hostel students added sanctity with Stotra Parayanam at dawn. On Saraswati Puja day, all rooms, departments, and equipment were cleaned, decorated, and worshipped, as the nine-day celebrations radiated spiritual fervor and cultural richness at Bhagawan’s Divine Lotus Feet.



Icha Shakti; Kriya Shakti; Gnana Shakti – Navaratri Celebrations 2024

## VIJAYA DASAMI & SSSIE 46<sup>TH</sup> BIRTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

On the holy occasion of Vijaya Dasami 2024, SSSIE celebrated its 46th birthday with a special Homam. Founded on Vijaya Dasami in 1978 by the Divine Sankalpa of Bhagawan, the institution has grown under His guidance and blessings. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan expressed gratitude to Bhagawan and appreciation to all staff for their dedicated support. The celebrations were marked by the inauguration of a Junior Computer Lab cum e-Library and a new Maths Lab. These additions enrich the infrastructure and aid students' holistic personality development. The day radiated devotion, gratitude, and progress at the Divine Lotus Feet.





**Glimpses - Vijaya Dasami & SSSIE 46<sup>th</sup> Birth anniversary celebrations**

## DIWALI CELEBRATIONS

SSSIE family joyfully celebrated Diwali with devotion and delight ON 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 2024. The festivities commenced with a prayer lead by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan. With all safety measures in place, students of each class lit colourful crackers, greeting one another with cheerful wishes of 'Happy Diwali'. The dazzling sky bursts, radiant flowerpots, and spinning Chakkars filled the campus with excitement and wonder. The celebration concluded on a serene note with the chanting of the Shanti Mantra, invoking peace and harmony.



**Diwali Celebration by SSSIE Family**

SSSIE hostelers and staff went on an excursion to the holy city of Thiruvannamalai on 9<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Beginning their journey early in the morning on three buses, the group travelled with prayers and Bhajans, enjoying the sceneries and the joy of discovering new places and people. They received the blissful Darshan of Lord Sri Arunachala and Goddess Sri Unnamulai Amman, and later visited the serene Ramanashramam, where a delicious lunch was offered and all merged with the profound vibrations of Lord Ramana in a peaceful ambiance that inspired meditation upon the Self. The visit to Sathanur Dam was an unforgettable experience, as students climbed to the top and witnessed the grandeur of nature and the man-made marvel, with the meeting of sky and waters around the hills creating a poetic impact.



**Glimpses - Hostel Tour to Thiruvannamalai Sri Arunchaleshwara temple, Ramanashram & Sathanur Dam**

**AKHANDA BHAJAN**

As part of the 99th Birthday celebrations, the students and staff joined together in a special three-hour Bhajan session, held on the sacred occasion of the Global Akhanda Bhajan on 10<sup>th</sup> Nov 2024. With devotion and enthusiasm, each class offered Bhajans, collectively praying to Swami to shower His Divine Blessings upon all.



**Students participating in the Global Akhanda Bhajan**

## CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

Children's Day was celebrated on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2024 with immense joy as children enjoyed the occasion wholeheartedly. Numerous creative, value-based, and fun-filled games were organized, while a thought-provoking debate on the need for spiritual sadhanas added depth to the festivities. House-wise games further strengthened unity and teamwork among students. Special value-based songs were sung by the teachers to inspire the children to lead a life rooted in values. Correspondent S. Loganathan advised everyone to retain the innocence of a child always, and the teachers along with school heads wished the children, encouraging them to analyze their mistakes and boost their confidence through positive actions



Joy-filled children's day celebration

## SWAMI'S 99<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

The 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Bhagawan was celebrated with deep love and devotion by the students and staff of SSSIE. The week-long festivities comprised Mahilas Day on the 19<sup>th</sup>, Grama Seva on the 20<sup>th</sup>, Laksharchana on the 21<sup>st</sup>, and a Group Prayer for Universal Peace on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, culminating in the grand birthday celebration on the 23<sup>rd</sup> November. On the auspicious day, Swami was welcomed in a procession, and the beautiful Rangoli of Bhagawan created by the art and craft students became the centre of attraction. Students expressed their gratitude through a captivating cultural presentation of dance, drama, fine arts fusion, and devotional songs. The chief guest Brother P. Sridhar, Senior Vice President, Standard Chartered Bank, along with Guests of Honour Brother Sai Mahesh, Finance Controller, Ford Motors, and Brother Gautam Nayak, Business Head, Kaleesuwari Group—all alumni of SSSIHL, Prasanthi Nilayam—graced the occasion. The Satsang by the chief guest was truly inspiring who guided the students on various value-based topics related to students such as the characteristics of a real Sai student, the real purpose of education, the role of Sai alumni in society. A prize distribution ceremony honoured achievers in various competitions, and the grand program concluded with Jhula Seva, Mangala Arathi, and Prasadam distribution, filling the campus with joy, devotion, and spiritual fervour.



**Grand celebration of Swami's 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday**

## GRAMA SEVA

Grama Seva was performed by the students and staff on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2024, as part of the 99<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations of Swami. Students practiced the Ceiling on Desires Project during Diwali by reducing expenses on crackers, dresses, and food, and the savings were used for the Seva. Senior students prepared food packets the previous night, and the procession carrying Swami's portrait reached Nanmangalam village with Sai Gayatri chanting. They visited the old age home, offered Bhajans at the Shirdi Sai Mandir, and listened to Sri S. Loganathan explain the significance of Grama Seva in Swami's system of education and educare.

Lunch Prasadam was served to the inmates, followed by loving interactions where elders blessed the students. Another group served food and Laddu Prasadam at Ambedkar Colony, visited a Sai Mandir maintained by a Muslim devotee, and returned to campus by foot, concluding with Mangala Arathi.



Grama Seva rendered by students as a part of Swami's 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration

## INSTALLATION OF SWAMI'S DIVINE STATUE

Sri Rudra Ekadashinee with Vasordhara Homam and the installation of the Divine statue of Bhagawan were conducted on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2024 under the guidance of Pandit Sri Sadasivam. The sacred rituals began at 5:30 am with Ganapathi Puja and Sankalpam, and concluded at 12:30 pm with Poornahuti. Ekadasa Rudra Parayanam, Vasordhara Homam, Mahanyasam chanting, Trishathi Archana, Namaskaras, Pradakshinam of Kalasams and Chamakam chanting were performed as per tradition. After Poornahuti, the Divine statue of Bhagawan was installed and Abhishekam was offered with holy Kalasa waters. **SSSIE family would like to proudly announce that in the whole world, it was at SSSIE that the Divine statue of Bhagawan was inaugurated first, during the very first event organized during Swami's Centenary birthday year celebrations, at 12:00 am on 23<sup>rd</sup> November.** Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan expressed gratitude to Bhagawan, the Pandits, Trust Members, students and parents, and the programme concluded with Mangala Arati and Prasadam distribution.



Glimpses - Sri Rudra Ekadashinee with Vasordhara Homam



**Installation of Swami's Divine Statue at Ram Sai Hall, SSSIE**

**SAI PARENTING PROGRAM BY DR. C.S.RAJU**

**DECEMBER 2024**

On 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2024, Dr. C. S. Raju, a renowned motivational speaker and an author of famous books on parenting, addressed the parents on the importance of nurturing a value-based child right from the early stages of life. He elaborated on the principles of Sai Dynamic Parenting, emphasizing that parents must serve as role models for their children. As a gesture of inspiration, he presented to the school his book “30 Motivational Stories for Teenagers”, authored by him. The session concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks, followed by the offering of Mangala Arathi.



**SSSNCS EFFECTIVE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP @ DHARMAKSHETRA**

Under the guidance of Dr. B. G. Pitre of the Institute of Sathya Sai Education, Dharmakshetra, Mumbai, the Sri Sathya Sai National Council for Schools organised a three-day workshop for Management members and School Heads between 23<sup>rd</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024. From SSSIE, Sri S. Loganathan, Correspondent, and Sri V. Thyagarajan, Senior Teacher, attended and gained valuable insights into running a Sai School effectively. Dr. Pitre shared his rich administrative experience, highlighting how challenges were resolved in harmony with the Management. Each day featured group discussions on the topics covered, followed by participant presentations. Sri Nimesh Pandya, All India President, addressed the financial needs of schools and the support extended by the Central and State Trusts, while elders such as Sri Tribhuvan Sachdeva, SSSNCS also shared their wisdom. The workshop concluded on 25th December with a joyful Christmas celebration at Dharmakshetra, where Sri S. Loganathan dressed as Santa Claus, spreading cheer and distributing sweets with love to all.



**SSSNCS Effective Management Workshop held at Dharmakshetra, Mumbai**

**SSSVV ACTION RESEARCH PROGRAM**

On 25<sup>th</sup> December 2024, Ms. N. Vedhanayagi, Principal in charge of SSSIE, along with Mrs. K. Poongothai, Primary Headmistress and School Relationship Co-ordinator, and Mrs. N. Keerthana, TGT (Science), attended a workshop at the Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vahini Centre, Prasanthi Nilayam. Guided by Ms. Karuna Munshi, Director, SSSVV, the programme brought together school heads and teachers from across the nation. The sessions focused on the Action Research Program, which enables teachers to integrate human values into academics through reflective classroom practices. The representatives from SSSIE benefitted greatly from the discussions and returned inspired to implement the learnings in their school.



**SSSVV Action Research Program held at SSSVV Centre, Prasanthi Nilayam**

## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The holy festival of Christmas was celebrated with love and devotion at the lotus feet of Bhagawan, with the Christmas Crib of baby Christ on stage enchanting everyone. The tiny tots of SSSIE offered a captivating dance performance on the life of Jesus Christ, followed by a skit of three trees blessed to be associated with the Avatar, emphasising complete trust in God. Senior students rendered melodious carols with graceful dance movements, accompanied by drums and keyboard, and the cheerful entry of two Santa Clauses added delight as they lovingly distributed gifts and sweets. After the cultural offerings, Chief Guest Sri Ravishankar, Advocate, Madras High Court, addressed the gathering with inspiring words. He reminded the students of Bhagawan's teaching that "Love is the only religion" and shared personal experiences of Swami's grace, including how he was blessed to buy a new house and how his bypass surgery was miraculously cancelled through surrender and devotion. The programme concluded with prize distribution, Mangala Arathi, and prasadam, leaving everyone inspired and spiritually uplifted.



Love-filled Christmas Celebration

## HANUMAN JAYANTHI

Hanuman Jayanthi was celebrated with love and devotion to Lord Sri Bala Hanuman of SSSIE on 30<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024. The programme began with the reverential rendering of the Hanuman Chalisa, followed by soulful bhajans that filled the atmosphere with divine vibrations. Senior Teachers addressed the students, highlighting the noble values to be imbibed from Lord Hanuman's life. The Hanuman statue was adorned with a traditional Vada mala offering, symbolising devotion and surrender. The celebration concluded with Mangala Arathi and distribution of prasadam, leaving all participants spiritually uplifted.



Hanuman Jayanti celebration glimpses

## NEW YEAR DAY 2025 CELEBRATION

JANUARY 2025

SSSIE students and staff ushered in New Year 2025 with deep devotion and joy, beginning with temple visits on January 1st to Kumaran Kundram Sri Swaminatha Swami Temple and Sri Prasanna Venkatesa Perumal Temple in Chromepet, where they walked in procession, received divine blessings, chanted the first Anuvaka of Sri Rudram Namakam, and sang soulful Muruga Bhajans that set a spiritually uplifting tone for the year ahead. The celebrations commenced the previous evening at the hostel with a vibrant New Year's Eve program featuring skits, songs, dances, and games, graced by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan's presence and guidance. A campfire symbolized the burning away of negativity, around which students joyfully performed and took heartfelt resolutions to shed negative qualities and strive to embody Sai values of truth, righteousness, peace, and love. Together, these sacred and celebratory moments marked a memorable and inspiring beginning to 2025.



New Year Day 2025 Celebration & Visit to Sri Kumaran Kundram Subramanya Swami Temple

## IDEAL SAI STUDENTS DAY

SSSIE is devoted to nurturing students into ideal Sai students, guided by the values of truth, righteousness, peace, and love. The late Mrs. K. Saimeera, who served as Principal for over 19 years, dedicated her life to instilling these values in every child. In her memory, the institution observes Ideal Sai Students Day annually on 2nd January 2025, featuring a house-wise drama competition where each house represents one core value. Students creatively portrayed how Sathya, Dharma, Shanti, and Prema can be practiced in daily life, while teachers and peers shared inspiring speeches and fond memories of Mrs. Saimeera.



House-wise values-based drama contest on Ideal Sai Students Day

## TRIP TO VGP UNIVERSAL KINGDOM THEME PARK

The 5<sup>th</sup> of January 2025 marked a day filled with happiness and joy for the students and staff of SSSIE Hostel. They had the privilege of participating in the heart warming 'Apna Bana Lo' event, organized by RYA Metro Foodbank, which brought smiles to the faces of 5,000 school children from Chennai and its surrounding areas. The event was a grand celebration of generosity and community spirit. The children, along with SSSIE students and staff, were treated to an unforgettable day at the VGP Universal Kingdom Theme Park. They enjoyed unlimited access to a variety of thrilling rides, including the Rollercoaster, Ferris Wheel, Dodgems, Pendulum Ride, Merry-Go-Round, and Water Rides, all free of charge.





Glimpses of students trying out different rides at VGP Universal Kingdom

## SAI TAPOVANAM - 45<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SPORTS & CULTURAL MEET

On the auspicious occasion of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba's centenary birthday, SSSIE hosted its 45th Annual Sports and Cultural Meet on January 11, 2025, themed *Sai Tapovanam*, reflecting Baba's divine legacy of love, service, and unity. The evening began with Veda Parayanam and a grand procession, followed by a spirited march past led by the SSSIE Band Team. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan delivered a heartfelt welcome, lauding Director Sri P. Kumarasamy's visionary leadership and announcing the continuation of the day-scholar system, reaffirming inclusivity. Dr. K. Hariharan, Managing Trustee, praised the institute's dynamic growth, while the annual report highlighted Academic, Co-Curricular, and Human Excellence. Chief Guest Dr. Srinath Yeshwanth inspired the gathering, joined by Guests of Honour Mrs. J. Saai Lavanya and Mrs. Hildegard Elisabeth Maria van de Loo. Awards including the Best House Shield and Rathna recognitions honoured student achievements in academics, arts, service, and spirituality. The evening's highlight was the skit *Sai Tapovanam* with enthralling dances and displays of Archery, Karate, Silambam, Gymnastics, Rope Yoga, Skating, Human Pyramid, and Lezim Dance, concluding with Mangala Arathi that enveloped the campus in divine grace.



Dignitaries First row (from left) 1. Sri P.Kumarasamy, Director 2. Dr. Srinath Yeshwanth P V, Chief Guest 3. Dr.K.Hariharan, Managing Trustee, Sai Educare Trust 4. Sri S.Loganathan, Correspondent



Sri Sai Tapovanam – March Past & Cultural events



Sri Sai Tapovanam – daring adventurous events

**AWARDS DISTRIBUTION GLIMPSES**



**Master Pradesh S, Class V receiving 'SAI BALA RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in character and academics at primary level**



**Sathya House receiving the best house shield in Juniors category**



**Dharma House receiving the best house shield in Seniors category**



**Master Premkumaar.U, XII receiving the 'SAI KHEL RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in Sports and Games**



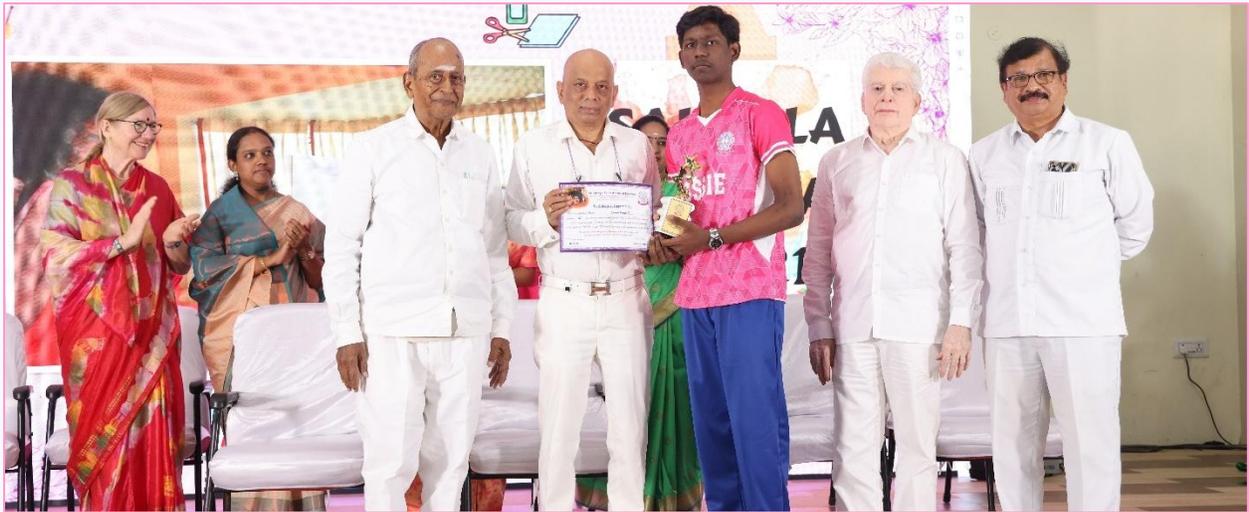
**Master Marla Sai Sameer, XII receiving the 'SAI SEVA RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in contribution through selfless service activities**



**Master Chaitanya R, XII receiving the 'SAI ADHYATMA RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in spiritual Sadhanas**



**Master Muhilarasan R, XII receiving the 'SAI TECH RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in contribution through multimedia service activities**



**Master Jeevan Kumar K, XII receiving the 'SAI KALA RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in contribution through Art & Craft activities**



**Master Pranesh V A, XII receiving the 'SAI SANGEETHA RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in contribution through musical activities and performances**



**Master Dinesh M, XII receiving the 'SAI NISWARTHA RATHNA AWARD' for excellence in Seva activities through Hostel's Selfless Hands Service Department - P A System**



**Master Somesh Krishna B ,XII receiving the 'SAI VIDYARTHI AWARD' (BEST STUDENT) for excellence in overall personality development nurtured through his dedicated stay at the SSSIE Gurukulam**

## PONGAL CELEBRATION

SSSIE family joyously celebrated Pongal and Makar Sankranti, marking the school's reopening after the festive break. The celebrations followed a successful annual sports and cultural meet and were filled with fun and traditional activities. Students participated enthusiastically in house-based competitions, showcasing their skills in Rangoli making, Pongal preparation, and a spirited Tug-of-War. The delicious Pongal prepared during the contest was shared by everyone. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan and other school heads joined the students in the festivities, which commenced with Veda Parayanam and concluded with Mangala Arathi to Bhagawan, invoking his blessings.



**Fun-filled House-wise Pongal celebration with enthralling group contests**

## 76<sup>TH</sup> REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION

SSSIE joyously celebrated India's 76<sup>th</sup> Republic Day on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025 with a vibrant band march and house-wise parade. Students rendered Tamil Thaaai Vaazhthu, took the National Pledge, and sang "Vande Mataram" and the National Anthem. The cultural program in Ram Sai hall featured Veda Parayanam, spirited compering by Mahila students as Velu Nachiyar and a Sai student, patriotic dance, speeches, and a fine arts fusion entitled 'Bharath – the land of values'. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan urged reverence for the motherland and discipline as the basis of progress. Chief guest Sri Mohan, Sri Mohan, Correspondent, Vela School for Special Children, Villupuram,, likened the campus to Prasanthi Nilayam, advised all to follow Swami's Message "Love all; Serve all," urged gratitude to Swami, and praised students' self-management.



Saluting the Nation on the 76<sup>th</sup> Republic Day Celebration

## TRIP TO VANDALUR ZOOLOGICAL PARK



KG children's thrilling visit to Vandalur Zoological Park, Chennai

All the KG tiny tots of SSSIE enjoyed a joyful field trip to Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2025, where they were thrilled to watch majestic forest animals up close, sparking wonder and excitement. The outing nurtured curiosity and gave children a memorable learning experience in nature's lap.

## TRIP TO GUINDY CHILDREN'S PARK

FEBRUARY 2025

As part of the annual outing for primary class children, the class I and II students embarked on an exciting 1-day visit to Guindy Children's Park, Chennai on 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025, accompanied by their dedicated escorting staff. The young explorers delighted in observing various animals, immersing themselves in the wonders of nature, and enjoying a fun-filled trip that sparked curiosity and joy.



Primary Children's fun-filled trip to Guindy Children's Park

## GRATITUDE DAY

Gratitude Day at SSSIE is celebrated as a heartfelt tribute to Bhagawan, offering thanks for His boundless love and blessings upon the students, and expressing sincere appreciation to the Gurus and staff for their constant guidance and support. On 11<sup>th</sup> February 2025, Class XI students grandly organized the programme *Marakkumaa Nenjam!* ("Will the Heart Forget?") as a mark of gratitude, while the institution also bid farewell to the outgoing Class XII students with a meaningful celebration. The event commenced with the ceremonial lighting of the Lamp of Love and Veda chanting, followed by vibrant dance and skit performances by hostel students, beautifully blending gratitude to Bhagawan with heartfelt farewells to their senior brothers. A touching segment featured interviews with Class XII students, who fondly recalled their cherished hostel and school memories, expressing deep gratitude to Swami and their teachers for their love and guidance, while Director Sri P. Kumarasamy and Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan inspired students to uphold values and appreciated the collective efforts of staff and students in shaping the success of SSSIE. The evening concluded with a special song dedicated by Class XI, presentation of mementos, Mangala Harathi, and a delightful dinner, marking a soulful celebration of gratitude and friendship.



**Gratitude Day – Expression of heartfelt gratitude to the Almighty**

### **PADA PUJA FOR PARENTS**

A sacred Pada Puja was held on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at SSSIE, honouring the parents of Class X and XII students preparing for their CBSE Board examinations. The ceremony began with Veda Parayanam, including the Siksha Valli, Maha Vakyas—“Mathru Devo Bhava” and “Pitru Devo Bhava” imparting profound wisdom. Principal-in-Charge Ms. Vedhanayagi welcomed the parents, after which students reverentially performed Pada Puja with Chandan, Kumkum, flowers, and Pradakshina, seeking blessings for strength and success. The gathering was deeply moved by the reminder of the sacred duty to honour parents who selflessly nurture their children. The event concluded with a vote of thanks, Mangala Arathi, and Pada Namaskaram to Bhagawan, invoking His Divine Grace for a bright and spiritually enriched future.



**Class X & XII students performing Pada Puja to their parents**

## THAIPOOSAM SPECIAL WORSHIP TO LORD SRI BALA MURUGA, SSSIE

A special Abhishekam was performed for Lord Sri Sai Balamuruga at the SSSIE Campus on the sacred Thaipposam day, 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2025, marking Lord Subramanya's victory over the asura Soorapadman with the divine Vel bestowed by Goddess Parvati. Lord Muruga was then beautifully adorned with Alankaram, followed by soulful Bhajans and devotional songs by teachers and students. The auspicious celebration concluded with Mangala Arthi offered by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan and distribution of Prasadam, spreading divine blessings to all devotees present.



Abhishekam & Worship to Lord Sri Bala Muruga, SSSIE

## TAPOVANA PARAYANAM

The Tapovana Parayana Saptaham served as a spiritual offering by Class XI students, undertaken with prayers for the success of their Class X and XII brothers in the forthcoming CBSE Board examinations. Conducted between 13<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> February 2025, the Parayanam commenced with the auspicious Purna Kumbha procession and concluded reverentially on the final day. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, in his address, commended the students for their noble effort and urged them to draw inspiration from the miraculous life story of Bhagawan.



Tapovana Parayanam procession

## TRIP TO MAHABALIPURAM

On February 22, 2025, students of Class III and IV embarked on an enriching excursion to Mahabalipuram, a site renowned for its ancient monuments and temples. Led by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, the group included Primary Headmistress Smt. K. Poongothai, along with other assisting staff, ensuring a well-guided and insightful experience for the young learners. A local guide provided fascinating explanations about the history and significance of the various statues and temples, offering students a deeper understanding of the architectural and cultural heritage of Mahabalipuram. The awe-inspiring cave temples and the intricate, realistic carvings on the rocks left the students mesmerized, immersing them in the grandeur of Bharatiya culture.



**Awe-inspiring trip to Mahabalipuram**

## MAHASHIVARATRI CELEBRATION

SSSIE celebrated Maha Shivaratri with week-long chants of Aum Nama Shivaya, filling the campus with divine vibrations. Continuing with the divine energy gained through Sri Rudram chanting virtual participation in the Ati Rudra Maha Yagnam held at Prasanthi Nilayam, on 26<sup>th</sup> February 2025 – the Maha Shivaratri day, students offered Bhajans in the morning, followed by Lingabhishekam and Eka Dasa Rudra Parayanam, enriched with explanations of Sri Rudram and the Shivalinga. Musical renditions like Lingashtakam, Bilvakshtakam, and “Bho Shambho...” preceded Mangala Arathi and Prasadam. The celebrations culminated in the Akhanda Bhajan, a night-long vigil from 10 PM to 6 AM, where each class sang at Bhagawan’s lotus feet. The event concluded with Mangala Arathi by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, who praised the students’ devotion and sacrifice.



**Lingabhishekam, Ekadasa Rudra Parayanam & Akhanda Bhajan on the holy night of Maha Shivaratri**

Students from *Wings of Hope*, a children’s charity in London, visited SSSIE from 3rd to 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025, led by Mrs. Rajni Sriram and an escorting teacher. They were warmly welcomed by the management with a band and engaged children in creative writing sessions, motivating them to build vocabulary and compose stories. The team contributed valuable books to the school library, taught French and value-based rhymes, and interacted enthusiastically with primary students. They admired the exhibits during the Maths exhibition and shared their knowledge generously. On the final day, a cultural exchange program was held where UK students presented songs with guitar and spoke about London’s heritage and environment. SSSIE students showcased mesmerizing performances including Malkhamb yoga, patriotic and devotional dances. Mrs. Rajni, in her address, appreciated the school’s progress, remembered Late Mrs. K. Saimeera, and commended the IAS achievement of an alumnus. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan expressed heartfelt gratitude for Wings of Hope’s two-decade support, gifted student artworks, and the session concluded with Mangala Arathi.



Cultural & Knowledge exchange session by Wings of Hope Team, London

## HOLI CELEBRATION

The festival of Holi was celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2024 with colour and cheer. A special assembly highlighted its cultural significance, and Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan urged students to live with brightness and positivity. Teachers and staff offered colours at Swami's Divine lotus feet, after which students joyfully sprinkled colours and played value-based games, making the day memorable.



Colour-filled Holi celebration

## TRIP TO CHENNAI BEACH

On 19<sup>th</sup> March 2025, during the holidays preceding the final board examinations, Class XII students were taken on a refreshing trip to Chennai beach, where they spent the day joyfully with staff, engaging in fun activities and games. The outing provided relaxation and bonding, creating cherished memories for all. As part of the trip, the students also visited the Chennai ISKCON temple, where they offered prayers and received Divine Blessings, making the experience both delightful and spiritually uplifting.



Trip to Chennai Beach by Class XII senior students

The Phase II Teacher Training Workshop for over fifteen resource persons from across the Nation was conducted at SSSIE by the Sri Sathya Sai National Council for Schools between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> April 2025. The inaugural session was graced online by **Brother Umesh Dang, SSSNCS** who inspired and motivated the participants, while the sessions were blessed with the presence of **Dr. B. G. Pitre, Mentor, SSSNCS**, along with respected elders **Mrs. Pankti Patel** and **Mrs. Padmaja Bhonsale** as faculty members. The Phase II topics were presented in detail, and the teachers actively engaged in discussions, community service activities, and group-wise festival celebrations that highlighted their creativity and teamwork. A memorable trip to Mahabalipuram and Chennai Beach was arranged by the Management under the guidance Sri S.Loganathan, Correspondent, bringing joy and fellowship to all participants. The workshop concluded with the valedictory ceremony and distribution of Phase II certificates by Dr. B. G. Pitre.



SSSNCS Phase II Workshop for Resource Persons



Group pose of Phase II Certificate Recipients from SSSIE with elders





Ganesh Chaturthi & Onam Celebrations



Pongal & Christmas Celebrations



**Mahabalipuram outing arranged for the participants**

## RAMA NAVAMI CELEBRATION

On 6<sup>th</sup> April 2025, Rama Navami was celebrated with deep love and devotion to Lord Sri Sai Rama. Students recited Narayana Upanishad Veda and offered special Rama Bhajans, filling the atmosphere with spiritual fervor. Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan addressed the gathering, encouraging the students to adopt and practice at least one noble value exemplified by Lord Rama. The celebration concluded with Mangala Arathi offered by Admin. Officer Sri J.Karthikeyan and the distribution of special Rama Navami Prasadam.



**Special worship to Lord Sri Rama on Rama Navami**

## TEACHERS' PICNIC @ BLUE LAGOON

On 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025, the teaching and non-teaching staff, together with the Management members, enjoyed a recreational picnic at the Blue Lagoon beach resort in Chennai. The team set out from the school in the morning by van, beginning a day filled with joy and togetherness. The programme included lively value-based games and an inspiring Satsang session led by senior members, which added depth to the occasion. Hospitality was graciously extended by Sri Nirvaan Farooq, Director of Blue Lagoon, who arranged food and accommodation for the entire group.



Picnic - Fun & Joy @ Blue Lagoon Beach Resort

## TEACHERS ASSEMBLY ON SRI SATHYA SAI SUPRABHATAM

Every year, the assembly during the month of April will be conducted wholly by the teaching and the non-teaching staff choosing a value-based or spiritual theme and conducting explanation session with creative activities to the students on the significance of Sadhanas or the Slokas related to the theme chosen. This year, Sri Sathya Sai Suprabhatam with Sai Bhajans was the theme chosen for activities. Teachers divided into 3 groups, mesmerized the students with their brilliant enacting on the meaning and the significance of each sloka of Suprabhatam.



Teachers enacting as Lord Shiva and a devotee



**Creative Skit plays by the teachers during Teachers Assembly on Sri Sathya Sai Suprabhatam**

## TAMIL NEW YEAR CELEBRATION

On Tamil New Year day 2025, the hostelers marked the occasion with devotion and tradition. Dressed in the traditional dhoti, they gathered for special worship in the assembly, invoking blessings for the year ahead. The Management arranged a festive banana leaf lunch, featuring authentic New Year delicacies, making the celebration both spiritually uplifting and culturally rich.



**Tamil New Year celebration at SSSIE hostel**

## SSSNCS PHASE II TEACHER TRAINING WORKSHOP

The Sri Sathya Sai National Council for Schools conducted the Phase II Teacher Training Workshop from 21<sup>st</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> April 2025 for 17 SSSIE teachers who had successfully completed Phase I the previous year. Ms. Vasumathi and Mrs. Uma Maheswari served as resource persons, conducting the sessions in strict alignment with SSSNCS guidelines. The training was delivered in video mode, with expert-led recorded lectures covering Phase II topics. Teachers actively participated in community seva and festival celebrations as part of the training. On the valedictory day, all participants received certificates marking the successful completion of the course.



SSSNCS Phase II Teacher Training Workshop for SSSIE Teachers

## SSSVV SOPAAN TRAINING, MADURAI

SSSIE teachers attended the SOPAAN and Vidya Vahini training programme held on 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> April 2025 at Mahatma School, Madurai, focusing on the effective implementation of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The sessions guided participants on preparing structured lesson plans and subject-specific activities, while also equipping them with strategies to keep students meaningfully engaged throughout the class period. The training was practical and insightful, empowering teachers with tools to enhance classroom delivery in alignment with NEP objectives. The SSSIE team was accompanied by Correspondent Sri S.Loganathan.



Teachers at Mahatma School, Madurai – SSSVV SOPAAN workshop venue

## TRIP TO CHENNAI BEACH

At the close of the pre-vacation session of their academic year on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2025, the junior Class X and XII students were taken on a refreshing trip to Chennai beach. The students enjoyed a spirited game of Kabaddi on the sands and spent the day in joyful camaraderie. They were accompanied by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan, Principal-in-charge Ms. N. Vedhanayagi, and the hostel staff. The outing offered a serene experience, as all hearts blended with the beauty and rhythm of Mother Nature by the seashore.



Joyful Chennai Beach Trip to Junior X and XII students

## SWAMI'S ARADHANA DAY

On 24th April 2025, hearts overflowed with love and gratitude as students and staff solemnly observed the sacred day of Bhagawan's Maha Samadhi, when He chose to become omnipresent, leaving His physical form. A special assembly was held in reverent homage to the Divine Sadhguru of our hearts. Mrs. L. Sridevi, PGT (Maths) and alumna of SSSIHL, shared her cherished experiences with Bhagawan, reflecting His boundless love for His students. Director Sri P.Kumarasamy and Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan urged students to live by Swami's guiding message: "Your life is My Message"—the truest tribute to offer at His Divine Lotus Feet. The session concluded with devotional songs rendered by students as heartfelt offerings of prayer and remembrance.



SSSIE family offering its sincere homage to Bhagawan on the Aradhana Day

## SATURDAY SATHSANG

During the academic year 2024–25, Satsang sessions were held almost every Saturday. Eminent members of the Sai fraternity, Swami's alumni, and devoted followers addressed the students, sharing their sacred experiences with Bhagawan. These sessions inspired the students, strengthening their faith in Bhagawan and helping them absorb the essence of Sai philosophy.



Sai Elders who lovingly addressed the students during the Saturday Satsang event

## ADDRESS BY PROF. SANJAY SAHNI, SSSIHL



On **Saturday, 11 August 2024**, Prof. **Sanjay Sahni**, Associate Professor at SSSHL, visited the campus and delivered a memorable Satsang. He was warmly introduced by **Sri Sandip Samanta**, the Warden. Prof. Sahni began in an interactive manner, asking students to share their thoughts on the difference between SSSIE and other schools. He reminded them of the profound message inscribed at the entrance of the Brindavan hostel: *“A home is a place where each lives for the other and all live for God.”* He narrated how he first came to Swami through his college admission, recalling the loving gesture of younger brothers who offered to carry his luggage from the Mandir to the hostel. He compared this spirit of service to an incident where even a champion swimmer once sought help to avoid drowning, emphasizing that true strength lies in humility and service. He then connected this to the message of Jesus Christ to his disciples: *“I have loved all of you; now you must love each other in the same way.”*

Prof. Sahni stressed that for Swami, **age is no barrier** in service. He narrated an incident from **Narayana Seva on 18 November**, when younger students of Class 8 felt left out because seniors had taken all the opportunities. Swami lovingly told them: *“If you cannot do anything else, at least serve water to the Narayanas and earn Punya.”* He then enquired about the various kinds of seva undertaken by the students at SSSIE. With admiration, he noted that many were engaged in teaching Vedas to their juniors, while others were serving food or even performing dhobi seva. He emphasized that every act of service, however simple, is sacred and carries immense value in Swami’s eyes. He also shared Swami’s analogy of **Samsara Sagara** (the ocean of worldly life). To a devotee troubled by family issues, Swami said: *“All of you have entered the waters of Samsara Sagara. At times you may drown, but don’t worry. As you pray, I will lift you up from the water.”*

Prof. Sahni narrated several memorable anecdotes of Swami’s wisdom. He recalled how **Sachin Tendulkar** once confessed to Swami that anger often arose when facing bowlers, making him want to hit the ball out of the stadium, which led to his dismissal. Swami advised him: *“Don’t look at the bowler with anger. Focus only on the ball and play according to it.”* He also shared an incident from **Swami’s 60th Birthday**, when the Prime Minister of Italy wanted to gift 60 gold coins. Swami refused, asking if it was declared to the government. When the PM admitted it was not, Swami said: *“Then it is against the rules of your country. How can I accept it?”* The PM wept, saying it was the first time someone had corrected him. Swami told him to convey the same message to the Indian Prime Minister, Rajiv Gandhi. In one stroke, Swami gave a lesson to both leaders.

He emphasized that Sai education is about **building character**, which means *doing the right thing at the right time*. He asked: *“How do you know you are a Sai student?”* Swami had defined two traits: **talk less, work more** and **maintain minimum connections**.

He narrated how a boy, red-eyed and crying, told him Swami appeared at the Brindavan altar, reminding him to “talk less.” The boy asked if he should take a vow of silence. Prof. Sahni advised moderation instead of complete silence. The next day, the boy joyfully reported that Swami appeared again and was pleased. Prof. Sahni explained that controlling speech increases memory power, concentration, and exam performance. Swami often told students who excelled in exams: *“You did well because you talk less.”* He also reminded students to recall why their parents admitted them here: to grow spiritually. While friendships are natural, Swami taught that God should be the only true friend. Swami said: *“Walk beside me and be my friend, not before or after me.”* He explained that coming near to Swami is not enough; one must become dear to Swami.



Prof. Sahni then spoke about the **symbolism of the lotus**. Swami once explained to a third-class boy why lotus structures were placed around the campus: *“Lotus attracts positive energy and repels negative energy. It is for your protection.”* Swami also compared devotees: foreigners come like bees to take nectar from the lotus, while some remain like frogs under the lotus, failing to realize its value. The easiest way to become dear to Swami is through **love**.

In the **Q&A session**, students asked Prof. Sahni about his unforgettable experiences with Swami. He shared that the greatest lesson he learnt was: *“Happiness is a choice. In the best circumstances, you can choose unhappiness; in the worst, you can choose happiness.”* Swami assured: *“Even if you forget me, I will never forget you.”* He recalled conducting examinations at **60 centres worldwide (including Santiago)** during the pandemic, when borders were closed. With the help of Sevadals, all students graduated without losing a year. He credited this to Swami’s grace. He also narrated how during **Rama Navami**, when asked what special food was prepared, he said Kashmiri Pulav. Swami explained the deeper reason: *“Kaikeyi was from Kashmir.”* Prof. Sahni advised students to pray at Swami’s altar whenever they see people in distress, as Swami values their prayers highly. During calamities like tsunamis or earthquakes, such prayers reach Swami and help those in need.

He explained the **three stages of true learning: Shravanam** (listening), **Mananam** (reflecting), and **Nidhidhyasanam** (practicing and making it part of life). When asked why Swami said *“There is only one religion, the religion of love,”* he explained that all avatars across religions spread only love. He narrated the story of Prophet Mohammed, who compassionately enquired about a woman who stopped throwing dust on him one day, showing love even in adversity.

The session concluded with **Sri S. Loganathan, Correspondent**, thanking Prof. Sahni for his inspiring visit. He remarked: *“Last week we received Swami’s divine robe, and this week you have come as Swami’s messenger. Everything is Swami’s blessing.”* He expressed gratitude to Swami and to Warden Sri Sandip Samanta for bringing the guest.

Prof. Sahni’s talk was a treasure of personal experiences, Swami’s anecdotes, practical guidance, and spiritual lessons. From service and character-building to prayer, discipline, and love, every incident conveyed how Sai education transforms students into true instruments of Swami.

## TEACHERS HOUSE BHAJAN

As part of the ongoing Spiritual Sadhana initiatives by the Management to nurture personal spiritual practices among the teaching and non-teaching staff, regular house Bhajans continued through 2024–25. Held on Thursdays and special occasions at the residences of staff members, these sessions were prayerfully attended by members of the SSSIE family, fostering unity and devotion. For the non-teaching staff, exclusive Thursday Bhajans were also organised in the assembly hall, ensuring inclusive participation in the collective Sadhana.



Glimpse of the Teachers House Bhajan Sessions 2024-25

## SSSIE HEADS & TEACHERS AS SSSNCS RESOURCE PERSONS

In May 2025, the Heads and teachers of SSSIE—including Principal-in-charge Ms. N. Vedhanayagi, Primary Headmistress Mrs. K. Poongothai, Assistant Headmistress Mrs. V. Jayalakshmi, Mr. C. Manikandan, Middle and Secondary Headmaster, and Mr. V. Thyagarajan, Spiritual Co-ordinator—visited Sai Schools in Salem, Erode, Krishnagiri, Tirupur, and Ambattur. They were blessed to conduct the Phase I and Phase II Teacher Training Workshops, under the guidance of Mrs. J. Sai Laavanya, State Co-ordinator, SSSNCS. The SSSIE family humbly thanks the Sri Sathya Sai National Council for all its support and guidance in this noble endeavour.



SSSNCS Resource Persons from SSSIE

## GUEST OBSERVATION SESSIONS

SSSIE stands as a pioneer and role model in spiritual and values-based education. The campus welcomed esteemed guests, sharing its activities, infrastructure, and hostel routine. The interaction gave the guests valuable insights into the Sai system of education implemented at SSSIE.

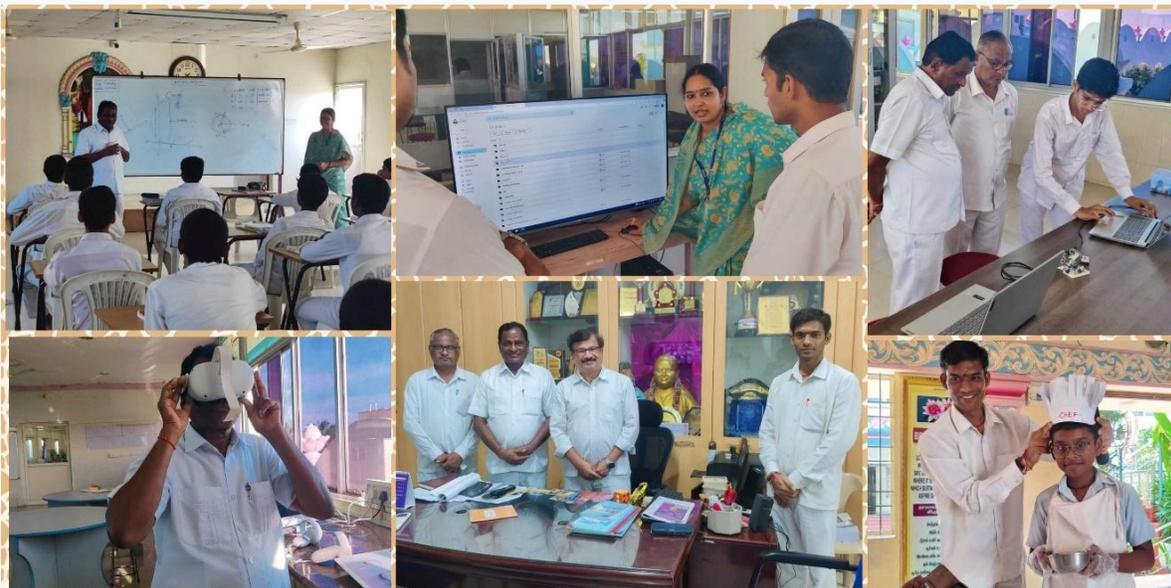
### VISIT BY MEMBERS FROM SAI SANKALP NURSERY & PRIMARY SCHOOL, ARASANKAZHANI

Sri S.Arumugam, Academic Director and Smt. K.Sangeetha, Sai Sankalp Nursery & Primary School, Arasankazhani visited SSSIE on 13<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024 and learned about various techniques of integrating values and spirituality in the school curriculum.



### VISIT BY MEMBERS FROM SRI SATHYA SAI GURUKULA VIDYA NIKETAN, BEJJANKI, TELANGANA

On 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024, Correspondent Sri B.Venkateshwar Rao, Principal Sri K. Sampath Kumar, and Staff Sri N.Srikanth of Sri Sathya Sai Gurukula Vidya Niketan, Bejjanki visited the campus under the guidance of SSSGVN Convenor Sri Prabhakar Dhantal. They observed the activities and infrastructure with keen interest and commended the SSSIE unique features.



GLIMPSES OF THE VISIT BY TEAM MEMBERS FROM SAI SCHOOL, BEJJANKI

## VISIT BY SWAMI YAGNAPURUSHANANDA, RAMAKRISHNA MISSION, CHENGALPATTU, TN

On 19<sup>th</sup> March 2025, Swami Yagna Purushananda of the Ramakrishna Mission, Chengalpattu, visited our campus and observed the spiritual and value-based activities being carried out. He expressed his deep appreciation and was immensely impressed with the Sai system of education being followed.



SWAMI YAGNAPURUSHANANDA & TEAM WITH SSSIE MANAGEMENT

## BUTTERMILK DISTRIBUTION SEVA

Every summer, SSSIE undertakes the seva of serving buttermilk to those journeying on the Nemilchery highway, easing their thirst in the intense heat. The Shree Banaskantha Palanpur Jain Association, Chennai, has been a steadfast supporter of this service. Blessed by Swami's Grace, the tradition continued this year during April & May 2025 with students and staff bringing coolness and delight to hundreds.



Buttermilk distribution Seva - Quenching the thirst with Love

## VALUE-BASED & SPIRITUAL ACHIEVEMENTS 2024-25

### SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF ALL INDIA BALVIKAS EXAMINATIONS

23 students came out with flying colours at the All-India Balvikas Group II and Group III Examinations and received certificates for the same.



Students who successfully cleared the All-India Balvikas Group II & III Examinations

### DISTRICT LEVEL BALVIKAS TALENT SEARCH WINNERS

Many students participated in the Samithi-level Balvikas Talent Search and were selected for the district-level event. Out of them, 13 excelled and won laurels: securing 1st prizes in Group I Storytelling, Group I Drawing, Group II Bhajan Singing, Group II Tamil Elocution, Group II Drawing, and Group III Sloka Chanting; 2nd prizes in Group I Tamil Chants and Group III Namakam Chanting; and 3rd prizes in Group II Bhajan Singing and Group III Tamil Elocution.





**District Level Balvikas Talent Search Winners**

## SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF BHAJAN VIKAS TRAINING BY SSSSO, TN

Selected students attended the Bhajan Vikas Course organized by the *Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organization, Kanchipuram North District*. Under the guidance of expert trainers, they received excellent instruction in the proper rendition of Sai Bhajans and the finer nuances of devotional singing. After the successful completion of the 10-week program, which included regular practice schedules, all participants were awarded certificates, marking their accomplishment in this spiritually enriching training.



**Students who completed Bhajan Vikas training by SSSSO, Kanchipuram North District**

## AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PROMOTING VALUE-BASED EDUCATION

Sri P.Kumarasamy, Former Director, SSSIE was awarded in the category of excellence in promoting value-based education by ELDROK India Pvt. Ltd. - a leading educational research company, New Delhi. During a grand award ceremony held at ITC Grand Chola, Chennai on 7<sup>th</sup> August 2024, the award was presented in the august gathering of Principals and Management members from schools across Chennai.



**Award for Values Excellence**

## SSSIE ACCREDITED A+ BY SSSNCS

With Swami's Divine Grace, SSSIE was awarded the prestigious A+ Grade by the Sri Sathya Sai National Council for Schools in the divine presence of Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba at Prasanthi Nilayam on 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 2024, recognizing the outstanding implementation of Sai values-based education.



**Correspondent Sri S.Loganathan receiving the 'A+' Accreditation certificate from the hands of Sri K. Chakravarthi Garu, Chancellor, SSSIHL**

An accreditation panel of three members stayed at SSSIE from 19<sup>th</sup>–21<sup>st</sup> Sep 2024, observing campus ambiance, assembly activities, Jyothi meditation, cleanliness practices, hostel routine, and classroom sessions, while interacting with students, staff, parents, alumni, and management. At the end of their visit, the panel joyfully declared, "This is one of the best Sai schools we have ever seen!" The certificate was awarded by Sri K. Chakravarthi Garu, Chancellor, SSSIHL, during the National Convention of Sai Schools, and received by Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan in the presence of Sri Nimish Pandya and National Council members.

SSSIE's contributions to national projects such as SSS Research on Indian Knowledge System and Sai Prerana were also highlighted. Principal-in-charge Ms. N. Vedhanayagi, Primary Headmistress Mrs. K. Poongothai, and Spiritual Co-ordinator Sri V. Thyagarajan attended the convention, gaining valuable insights from the elders' thought-provoking talks.



Glimpses during the SSSNCS National Convention of Sri Sathya Sai Schools in India

### STATE LEVEL BALVIKAS TALENT SEARCH WINNERS

After winning at the Samithi and District level Balvikas Talent Search contest, 6 of SSSIE students brought glory to Bhagawan by winning at the State Level Talent Search contest in various events, held at Coimbatore on 25<sup>th</sup> Dec 2024. Sai Prakruthi S of Class III secured the 1st prize in Group I Drawing. Rikshith C of Class VI won the 1st prize in Group II Tamil Elocution, while P. Sailesh of Class VII earned the 3rd prize in Group II Drawing. Niranjana Chakravarthi K S of Class VII was awarded the 2nd prize in Group III Sloka Chanting.



Students who came out with flying colours at the State Level Balvikas Talent Search

## CERTIFICATE OF VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION IN THE ATI RUDRA MAHA YAGNAM, PUTTAPARTHI

Regular Sri Rudram chanting is a cherished practice at SSSIE. On the holy festival of Mahashivaratri, the students reverently rendered the Ekadasa Rura Parayanama with Lingabhishekam. Further, during the Ati Rudra Maha Yagnam held at Prasanthi Nilayam between 14<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025 as part of Bhagawan's centenary birthday celebrations, SSSIE was blessed to register its Rudram chanting virtually through the online portal offered by Sri Sathya Sai Media Centre. In recognition of this sacred offering, the school received a certificate, which was graciously presented to Sri S. Loganathan by Mrs. Rajni Sriram of Wings of Hope, London, during her visit to SSSIE on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025.



Students and Staff witnessing the ARMY – Ati Rudra Maha Yagnam and chanting Sri Rudram



Correspondent Sri S. Loganathan receiving the Sri Rudram virtual chanting certificate from Mrs. Rajni Sriram, Wings of Hope, London

# INFRASTRUCTURE & FACILITIES EXCELLENCE

“If you take one step, I will take a hundred steps towards you,” assures our beloved Bhagawan. SSSIE was blessed with abundant grace during the academic year 2024–25, which the SSSIE family cherishes as a divine gift from the Almighty through the well-wishers, owing to the efficient implementation of the Sai system of integral, values-based education on the campus. Let us now look into the infrastructural and facilities excellence at SSSIE during 2024–25 that contributed to the holistic personality development and comfortable learning of the children.

## HIGH QUALITY VALUE-BASED EDUCATION AT SUBSIDIZED CHARGES



“Education is not a commodity to be sold in the market,” says our beloved Swami. With the generous support of well-wishers, SSSIE is blessed with state-of-the-art e-learning infrastructure that enables high-standard teaching and learning, alongside the Gurukula system of residential education. For all the poor and middle-class families, such quality education would otherwise be far beyond their means. Yet, at SSSIE, owing to the non-commercial and charitable nature of the Sai Educare Trust, this high-quality, values-based education is offered at an affordable, subsidized cost. The campus embraces children from diverse family backgrounds—daily labourers, first-generation learners, and single-parent households. For each of them, SSSIE stands as Lord Sai’s gift, providing the best of spiritual, values-based, high-quality education at a modest charge.

## NITHYA NARAYANA SEVA – FREE NOON MEALS SCHEME



In order to ensure that every child receives wholesome and Sathwik nourishment, while also easing the burden of working parents from preparing daily lunch, SSSIE initiated the Nithya Narayana Seva—a free noon meals programme—through the gracious support of Shree Banaskantha Palanpur Association. Throughout the academic year 2023–24, this noble initiative continued uninterrupted, serving over 300 students. The Seva was further enriched by the heartfelt participation of local parents, who offered their time and energy in cutting vegetables, maintaining the dining space, lovingly serving the meals to the children and washing the plates.

## NEW MATHS LAB INAUGURAITON



**Puja performed for the new Math Lab**

SSSIE established a Math Lab a few years ago, equipped with essential models aligned to the CBSE curriculum. The lab has been a valuable aid, offering clarity in concepts through practical demonstrations and activities.

Recently, it was shifted to a new location with enhanced facilities and upgraded infrastructure, enriching the learning environment. On Vijaya Dasami day, the Math Department teachers performed a special Puja to inaugurate it.

## JUNIOR COMPUTER SCIENCE LAB CUM DIGITAL LIBRARY

The existing digital library, which enabled students to read and access multimedia content through an interactive application, was upgraded into a Junior Computer Science Lab with NVME SSD, 7th generation processor, 8GB RAM computers. On Vijaya Dasami day, the lab was inaugurated with a special Puja. The lab is equipped with high-capacity systems that can accommodate 30 students at a time. It is being actively used for hands-on computer learning, coding practice, and digital skill development, thereby enhancing the technological exposure of the children. The initiative marks a significant step towards integrating value-based education with modern digital literacy.



**Inauguration of Junior Computer Science Lab cum Digital Library**

## NEW UPGRADED SERVER FACILITY FOR SCHOOL MANAGEMENT



A new Dell Precision Tower T780 workstation, powered by Intel Xeon E5 dual processors with 32 cores, 64 GB RAM, and 2 TB storage capacity, has been added to the existing e-infrastructure.

This high-performance system facilitates faster sharing and secure storage of e-resources, greatly supporting both teachers and students in their curricular and co-curricular pursuits.

## HIGH-PERFORMANCE COMPUTERS INSTALLED FOR HEAVY WORKLOADS



To streamline administrative operations and support demanding tasks, SSSIE has installed new high-performance Dell PCs featuring Intel i5 10th Gen processors, 8 GB DDR4 RAM, 256 GB SSDs, and 19" Acer monitors.

These systems are dedicated to easing the work of the school heads and the accounts section, ensuring faster processing and improved efficiency.

## e-TAB FACILITY FOR BOARD EXAM PREPARATION



Enabling access of numerous e-resources, sample papers and other multimedia content available on the local e-Library, all class X and XII students are provided e-tablet to use the same.

The tablets connected wirelessly to the school e-Library server through router facility enables the students to access the content as well as go through the assignments given by the teachers subject-wise and chapter-wise. In 2024-25, the tabs were updated with the latest features with usage monitoring.

## SCHOOL AUTOMATION THROUGH MCB APPLICATION



Almost all school operations have now been digitalized and automated through our tie-up with the MyClassBoard App. Teachers regularly update students' attendance, assessment results, circulars, Library issues, case studies, hostel records etc. which are instantly communicated to parents.

This seamless integration ensures transparency, efficiency, and personalized engagement between the school and the parents.

## 15 KW SOLAR PANELS FACILITY ADDED



SSSIE, a green campus, is powered by a 90 KW solar facility established with the support of well-wishers through CSR initiatives. This renewable energy system has significantly reduced the electricity budget while serving its purpose efficiently.

Adding another petal to this green flower, an additional 15 KW solar facility has been implemented with the support of Nematik Aluminium Castings India Pvt. Ltd., Chennai.

## NEW GIRLS SAI SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION INITIATIVE



Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Educare, renowned for nurturing ideal Sai students of character and calibre, now seeks to fulfil the long-cherished dream of extending higher education to girl students.

To create the needed classrooms and facilities, Sai Educare Trust has resolved to acquire 30 cents of adjoining land with financial support from the well-wishers. With devotion, the SSSIE family offers its prayers at Bhagawan's lotus feet for His divine grace on this noble endeavour.

## DENTAL CAMPS ORGANIZED FOR STUDENTS & STAFF

Sri Sathya Sai Seva Samithi, Chitlapakkam, in association with Bharathi Dental Clinic, Chromepet, organized a free dental camp for students and staff on 29<sup>th</sup> Aug 2024. The camp was led by Dr. Pratibha and her team, who provided diagnosis and guidance for further treatment. Children were educated on the importance of maintaining proper oral hygiene for overall health. The initiative ensured awareness and preventive care among all participants. The camp concluded with Mangala Arathi to Bhagawan.

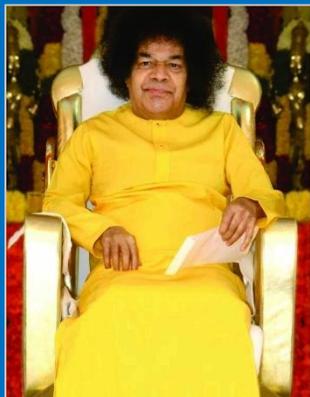


**Dental Camp organized for students and staff by Dr. Pratibha and team**

On 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025, Junior X and XII students, along with the staff, were provided a free dental consultation by Dr. Yogeshwaran. Individual dental concerns were given special attention, and the doctors emphasized the importance of maintaining proper oral hygiene to prevent any dental problems.



**Dental consultation to students and staff by Dr. Yogeshwaran and team**



What is the end of education? People answer this question by saying there is no end to education. Definitely there is an end to what we study from books. The end of education is character. Education without character is useless. Earlier in Gurukulas the sages took the students along with them wherever they went and taught them without conforming to any time schedule. This education was a continuous learning process. But today in the schools and colleges education is limited to strict time schedules. Therefore, education has become limited. But true education, which moulds character, has no limits. When we learn about that which is 'limitless' we attain the end of education. Our character is reflected in our words, behaviour and conduct in daily life. So we should speak pleasantly and not hurt others with our harsh words. It is true that we cannot always oblige but we can speak obligingly. - **Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba**

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"Very divine and peaceful environment for Educare! "*

03 JUN 2024

SRI KANDASWAMY BHARATHAN, KAVITHALAYA PRODUCTIONS

*"Wonderful experience with the children."*

03 JUN 2024

SMT. RADHA SAI SREDHAR, BALVIKAS GURU, KANCHI NORTH DIST.

*"It has been a great experience and learning to be with the children of Sai Maa."*

04 JUN 2024

DR. R. PRASANNA VENKATESH, STATE YOUTH CO-ORDINATOR, SSSSO, TN

*"Blessed educational institute. Swami's Divine presence is felt here always."*

05 JUN 2024

SMT. VIMALA RAMESH, BALVIKAS GURU, CHENNAI METRO

*"Very blessed to be here today"*

05 JUN 2024

DR. MALINI CHANDRASEKHARAN, SSSIE WELL-WISHER

*"Honoured to be here to witness the events."*

05 JUN 2024

'PRANA SAKHA' EASWAR S S, SSSIE WELL-WISHER

*"Very blessed and happy."*

08 JUN 2024

MRS. SANGEETHA IYER, SSSIE WELL-WISHER, MUMBAI

# GUEST COMMENTS



15 JUN 2024

*"Very inspiring story! "*

**DR. KALYANA RAMA PRASAD NERIYANURI, Director, CSR, PwC, BENGALURU**

22 JUN 2024

*"Very inspiring school."*

**SRI VARADA RAJAN P N, CHENGALPATTU - SATHSANG SPEAKER**

29 JUN 2024

*"Highly impressed by the conduct of the children."*

**SRI K N MEENAKSHI SUNDARAM, RADIOSAI – SATHSANG SPEAKER**

06 JUL 2024

*"Blessed educational institute. Swami's Divine presence is felt here always."*

**DR. A.DURGADEVI, SANSKRIT PROFESSOR – SATHSANG SPEAKER**

10 JUL 2024

*"I always get charged when I see the school like yours"*

**BHARAT B.GUPTA, DIRECTOR, DCM GROUP OF SCHOOLS, HARYANA**

20 JUL 2024

*"Very enchanting and energizing ambience. Pranams to Bhagawan. Wishes to the school to grow more and more."*

**DR. SUDHA SESHAYAN, DIRECTOR, SASTRA UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI CAMPUS**

20 JUL 2024

*"By Swami's Grace, I am fortunate to attend this function (Seminar on human values)."*

**HON. JUSTICE V.PERIYA KARUPPIAH , MADRAS HIGH COURT (RETD.)**

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"Gratitude to Swami for giving me this opportunity. Congrats to school Management for all the Prasadam. Feeling elated and blissful! "*

20 JUL 2024

SMT. SRIVIDYA RAMESH, ALUMNA, SSSIHL, JUDGE - SEMINAR ON HUMAN VALUES

*"Gratitude to swami."*

20 JUL 2024

SMT. ANITHA R, ALUMNA, SSSIHL, JUDGE - SEMINAR ON HUMAN VALUES

*"I could see the divine presence of Swami through the children assembled for prayer. Thank you for the opportunity."*

22 JUL 2024

SRI K N SEKAR, TRUSTEE, SAI EDUCARE TRUST

*"It was heart-warming to hear students across classes echo the purpose for which every Sai school is started."*

11 AUG 2024

SRI SANJAY SAHNI, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, SSSIHL, PRASANTHI NILAYAM

*"I can feel the presence of Sai."*

13 AUG 2024

SMT. K.SANGEETHA, HEADMISTRESS, SAI SANKALP SCHOOL, ARASANKAZHANI

*"Very impressed with the value-based education."*

13 AUG 2024

SRI S ARUMUGUAM, ACADMIC DIRECTOR, SAI SANKALP SCHOOL, ARASANKAZHANI

*"Enjoyed the presentations (Independence Day). Congratulations."*

15 AUG 2024

MALA SARAT CHANDRA, NEMAK INDIA, SSSIE WELL-WISHER

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"Very much impressed with the school atmosphere which is almost like Puttaparthi."*

17 AUG 2024

SRI K.N.SWAMINATHAN, CHENNAI – SATHSANG SPEAKER

*"I feel very blessed to visit and witness this school and its students, teachers, volunteers and administrators."*

10 SEP 2024

SMT. SOUMYA SIVAKUMAR, USA, SSSIE WELL-WISHER

*"I am very much thrilled for the participation."*

21 SEP 2024

SRI S.RAMAMURTHY, SATHSANG SPEAKER, CHENNAI

*"Coming to this institution of Educare is just coming to pilgrimage. Anandam."*

21 SEP 2024

SMT. INDU SHARMA, CHANDIGARH, SSSNCS ACCREDITATION PANEL

*"This institution is contributing a lot in the Mission of Swami. Every minute details are taken care off for providing the best environment for the students. Management and all the teachers are dedicated in SWAMI'S MISSION. One of the good Sai schools."*

21 SEP 2024

SRI PRABHAKAR G.DHANTAL, MUMBAI, SSSNCS ACCREDITATION PANEL

*"I am most blessed to be here today, by Swami's abundant grace. Thank you."*

28 SEP 2024

SMT. AMUDHA K N, CHENNAI – SATHSANG SPEAKER

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"I feel that it is my great luck and I am blessed by Bhagawan to visit this Divine institution. I have learned so many things and want to adopt them in our school. I pray Swami to bless me to have the co-operation of the Management and also I appeal the Management for their full support in all aspects. "*

08 OCT 2024

SRI B.VENKATESHWAR RAO, CORRESPONDENT, SSS GURUKULA VIDYA NIKETAN, BEJJANKI

*"Very nice. Excellence in Educare. Students are in great level in spirituality same as Management. Thanks to Swami for showing us a good role model."*

08 OCT 2024

SRI K.SAMPATH KUMAR, PRINCIPAL,SSS GURUKULA VIDYA NIKETAN, BEJJANKI

*"It is my fortune that I visited this place. My take away message from this place: 'Grow and allow others to grow'"*

08 OCT 2024

SRI NADENDLA SRIKANTH, SSS GURUKULA VIDYA NIKETAN, BEJJANKI

*"Happy to visit all the classes. All the Best!"*

11 NOV 2024

SMT. T R RAJESWARI, JOINT STATE CO-ORDINATOR, SSSVV, CHENNAI

*"Congratulations and may the school grow further!"*

11 NOV 2024

SMT. VIDYA SWAMINATHAN, SSSVV,CHENNAI

*"Everything as per Swami's saying. Congrats."*

11 NOV 2024

SRI THIAGARAJAN G, SSSVV, CHENNAI

*"Great service. Felt the presence of Swami.."*

11 NOV 2024

SMT. LATHA GIRIDHARAN,SSSVV, CHENNAI

# GUEST COMMENTS



11 NOV 2024

*"The academic quality is so nice and appreciable."*

SRI V.GIRIDHARAN, SSSVV, CHENNAI

16 NOV 2024

*"Excellent children. Their response to questions show great transformation.  
Great work!!!"*

SMT. PRIYA SRIDHAR, BALVIKAS GURU, CHENNAI METRO

23 NOV 2024

*"Ideal institution that lays foundations for a noble life during early years of a child."*

SRI D.SAI MAHESH, ALUMNUS, SSSIHL

23 NOV 2024

*"It was heart-warming to hear students across classes echo the purpose for which  
every Sai school is started."*

SRI SHRIDHAR PAIDICHETTY, ALUMNUS, SSSIHL

23 NOV 2024

*"Always a matter of privilege when I visit this school. With Swami's Blessings,  
the good work will continue."*

SRI GAUTAM NAYAK, ALUMNUS, SSSIHL

24 NOV 2024

*"Conducted SRI RUDRA EKADASHINEE with Mahanyasam with His Divine Blessings."*

SRI M.SADASHIVAM, VEDIC PANDIT, CHENNAI

06 DEC 2024

*"Being a visitor of this school, gives me wonderful divine experience."*

SRI A R RAJAGOPALAN, SSSIE WELL-WISHER, CHENNAI

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"I am blessed to be in this Swami's institution."*

07 DEC 2024

SRI R.SARVESWARAN, CHENNAI - SATHSANG SPEAKER

*"Excellent service to younger generations in giving value education."*

22 DEC 2024

DR. C.S.RAJU, MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER

*"Christmas function was well organised. The students performed and behaved well."*

25 DEC 2024

SRI G.RAVISANKAR, ADVOCATE, CHENNAI

*"A divine session and excellent attention by the students."*

28 DEC 2024

SRI G.GANESH, SSS SAMITHI, VGP RAJAKILPAKKAM – SATHSANG SPEAKER

*"SSSIE echoes the message of Swami in letter and spirit and in intent."*

11 JAN 2025

DR. P.V.SRINATH YESHWANT, CHIEF GUEST, ANNUAL SPORTS & CULTURAL MEET

*"The sports and cultural meet is fantastic, so joyful."*

11 JAN 2025

SMT. HILDE VAN DE LOO, SSSIE WELL-WISHER, NETHERLANDS

*"Excellent school and fantastic environment."*

11 JAN 2025

SRI D J AJITH, OLIVE PUBLIC SCHOOL, CHENNAI

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"Excellent and outstanding school."*

22 JAN 2025

SRI SUBHI KISHORE, TSL FOUNDATION, CHENNAI

*"Really wonderful atmosphere for learning."*

22 JAN 2025

SRI JIBBY MATHEW, FORD MOTOR COMPANY

*"Divine experience to see Swami in action."*

25 JAN 2025

SRI R.SAI SUNDAR, CHENNAI – SATHSANG SPEAKER

*"Blissful experience. Memories here will be cherished eternally."*

01 FEB 2025

PROF. MS. K.JAYASHREE, CHENNAI – SATHSANG SPEAKER

*"It was a wonderful experience. Committed students and Correspondent. Hats off.  
My blessings to the children.."*

09 FEB 2025

SRI R.POORNACHANDRAN, PRINCIPAL (RETD.), VELS HR. SEC. SCHOOL, PALLAVARAM

*"The school is going to the next level."*

28 FEB 2025

DR. S.KISHORE, PROFESSOR, SATHYABAMA UNIVERSITY

*"Such a heartwarming school. Thank you for a beautiful welcome and  
event by the students."*

05 MAR 2025

SARAH HOGG, WINGS OF HOPE, LONDON

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"An amazing school, such special children. They are going places!"*

05 MAR 2025

MARTHA EMINSON, WINGS OF HOPE, LONDON

*"An outstanding school with welcoming and talented students and staff."*

05 MAR 2025

GRACE EMINSON, WINGS OF HOPE, LONDON

*"Glad to see that real value education along with culture and sports is being imparted to the future citizens of our country. My prayers and best wishes."*

19 MAR 2025

SWAMI YAJNAPURUSHANANDA, RAMAKRISHNA MISSION, CHENGALPATTU

*"Swami's presence is felt here every moment."*

04 APR 2025

SMT. G.LAKSHMI SAROJA, SSS VIDYA VIHAR, VISAKAPATNAM

*"I felt very happy about accommodation, hospitality, staff. Every moment, I enjoyed."*

10 APR 2025

MS. PRAJNAKUMARI M R, SAI SCHOOL, CHOKKADY, KARNATAKA

*"Most loving and helpful people I found here. Excellent staff and management. Everything was organized very well."*

10 APR 2025

MS. ISHA DUGGAL, DC MODEL SCHOOL, PANCHKULA, HARYANA

*"Amazing, divine experience. Felt like entering Prashanthi Nilayam. It is the abode of peace."*

10 APR 2025

MRS.MAMATHA SUNDAR RAM, RESOURE PERSON, SSSNCS, MANGALORE, KARNATAKA

# GUEST COMMENTS



*"You have showed us in practice - 'Athithi Devo Bhava'. Our love and gratitude."*

10 APR 2025

SRI SAI VIGNESH PRABHU R, MANAGEMENT, SAI SCHOOL,

*"All arrangements and hospitality are commendable. It is an example for all to emulate."*

10 APR 2025

SMT. R.MANGAI, MANAGEMENT, SAI SCHOOL, TIRUPUR

*"Felt love like we get from Swami. This is a 2<sup>nd</sup> home now."*

10 APR 2025

SMT. PANKTI PATEL, SSSNCS, AHMEDABAD, GUJARAT

*"Very happy. Lots of loving service. Joyful experience."*

10 APR 2025

Dr. B.G.PITRE, DIRECTOR, ISSE, DHARMAKSHETRA, MUMBAI

*"Felt divine vibrations in the Sai Meera Block. This institution appears to be a blend of the gurukula system + modern education + value- based learning. Ambience is so beautiful and aesthetic. Such a blissful and happy experience. The hard work is every evident.  
May Swami bless all of you.."*

30 MAY 2025

SMT. REKHA AGRAWAL, SSSNCS, NEW DELHI

*"Wonderful meeting all the trustees of the school. Had a heart to heart meeting with them. May the school grow from strength to strength."*

31 MAY 2025

SRI B.RAMESH, CONVENOR, SSS TRUST, TN





Students lighting 100 lamps of love around the Rangoli of Bhagawan on His 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration

Living with God is True Education - Baba



Offered at His Divine Lotus Feet! Jai Sairam!