

Morning Speech (17th November 2024)

The importance of reading

Good morning, teachers, and students.

Today, I would like to talk about the profound importance of reading in our lives. In this digital age, reading may seem overshadowed by technology, but its value remains unparalleled.

Reading allows us to experience multiple realities. We all have a unique role in life. However, many of us, even if satisfied with that role, often wonder what it would be like to live in a different place, work at a different job, or even be a completely different person. For brief moments in time, books release us from the constraints of our reality. They take us beyond our world and into someone else's real or imaginary one.

Reading challenges our perspectives. When you experience life through the eyes of another, you encounter diverse angles on life's most common situations. Talented authors naturally inspire empathy for their characters. While reading does not mean that you will agree with different perspectives, it does offer you the opportunity to understand them.

Reading equips us with essential skills for success. Beyond personal growth, reading enhances communication, critical thinking, and problem-solving abilities, guiding us through an abundance of information. Furthermore, reading promotes well-being and reduces stress.

The English department and the library have begun ordering many online books, and we will not only renovate the library but also implement a new system of borrowing books. We hope that students will have the opportunity to experience the treasures of books in an improved environment and through a better system.

In conclusion, let us recognize the profound importance of reading—its power to enlighten, transform, and shape our world. Embrace the written word & unlock its wonders.

Thank you.