## Class XII Assembly-7.3.24 'Every Goal Needs a Plan'

A class assembly was conducted by the students of class XII-J on the topic 'Every Goal Needs a Plan'. Students shared the importance of planning in achieving goals, with their batch mates, through a presentation and self-composed poem in an interesting manner.

A Presentation on 'The Eisenhower Decision Matrix'- a simple decision-making tool, which guides in making effective decisions and consequently planning for the future was used to put across the message. The thoughts shared in the assembly not only reinforced the importance of setting goals, but also ignited a sense of purpose and determination among the students.

It culminated with the address by the Director Principal, Ms. Aditi Misra. She applauded the students for conducting an assembly on such a relevant topic.

The acronym 'GROW'- Goals, Reality, Opportunities and Way Forward, was shared by her with the students, which further reinforced the message of the assembly. She encouraged the students to plan and work accordingly to achieve their goals.

The assembly was both interesting and enriching for the students.











## HOUGHT TOR THEDAY

"Give me six hours to chop down a tree and I will spend the first four sharpening the axe." – Abraham Lincoln



Think about it—landing on the moon, erecting skyscrapers, acing exams—these triumphs aren't the result of chance or idle wishing. No, they're born from deliberate, strategic planning. Imagine a ship setting sail without a map or destination. Would it reach its intended port? Unlikely. Similarly, as students embarking on our academic voyage, lacking clear goals and meticulously constructed plans, our journey risks wandering aimlessly amidst the vast sea of opportunities and challenges.



## Poem

In the realm where dreams take flight

Amidst the darkness and the light

Every goal both big and small

Requires a plan to heed it's all

Like a sailor with a map at sea

Or a gardener planting a tree

We draft our ambitions with care and with grace

Knowing that preparation leads to the winning race

Through trials and tests, we may stumble and fall,
Bur with a plan as our anchor, we rise above as
For every setback becomes a lesson learned
And with each new challenge, our wisdom is earned

So-let us not falter, nor veer from our aim
For every goal needs a plan to claim
With dedication, effort and steadfast will
We'll conquer the peaks, and our dreams fulfil





Hi. I am a grade 12 student with 6 subjects to study, a good physique to be maintained, mental sanity to be achieved, family dramas to be managed, etc, etc. Phew! This too with a willpower which keeps shaking, beliefs which change colours faster than a chameleon and a mind so complicated yet so beautiful it baffles. Amidst this chaos, I'm left wondering...I have goals... What next? This "what next" troubled my soul for 12 long nights spent dwelling till I finally had enough. I asked people what to do. I got stupid answers. So I to my gaze to my knights in shining armour, "stranger angels".... Ted talk speakers. I know. Cliche..... All of them mentioned the importance of little steps.

As a child, did any of us believe we could ride a bicycle without supportive wheels? NOOO

It was that initial push, then those first 10 metres, gradually 20, ,50 and a 100! And we achieved

a feat. Planning is that initial push without which you'll just remain with your feet on the pedals

daydreaming of reaching till the end of the road.

I have found for you all a tool so simple yet so effective it blows my mind. It is the Eisenhower Matrix.

Famous speaker Tony Robbins once said,"It is in your moments of decision that your destiny is shaped." I couldn't agree more. Decision making and planning are two brothers which can't exist without each other. And this magical tool called the Eisenhower matrix helps us organise our goals, aiding us to make effective decisions and consequently plan our future.It's a very simple exercise which takes mere 5 minutes per day yet so powerful it can turn your life around. So how to use it? Simple.

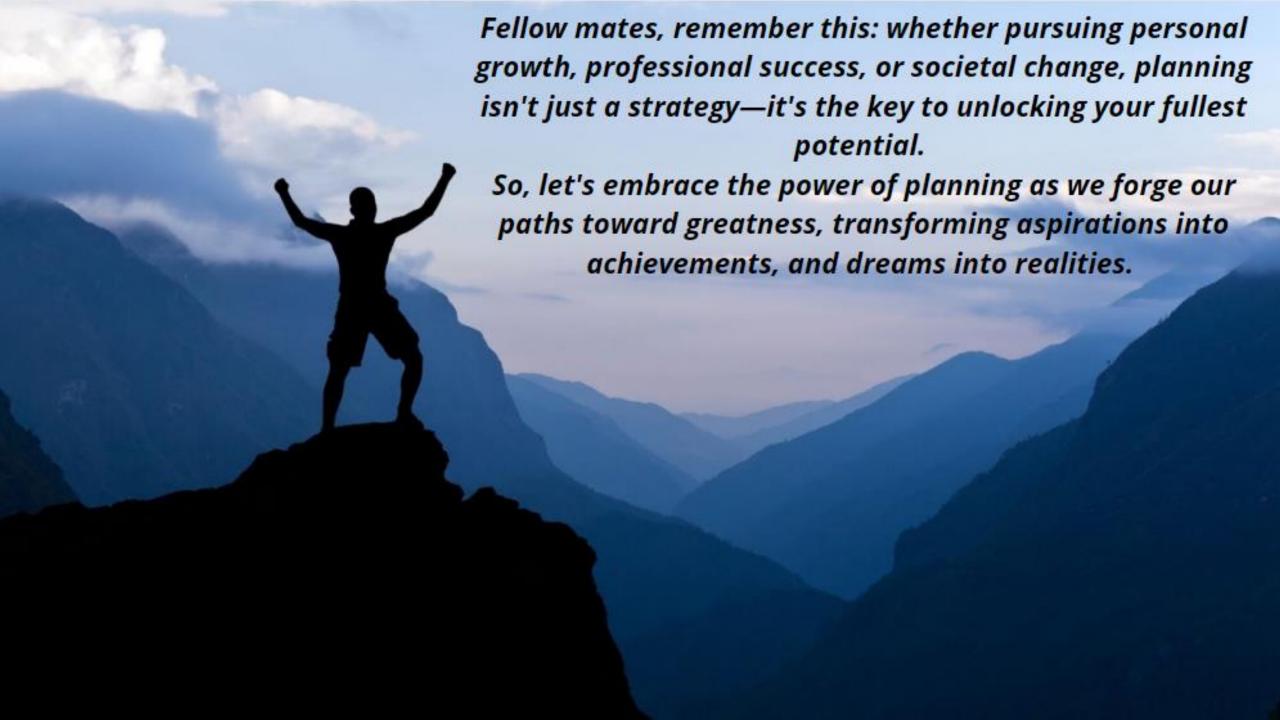
## THE EISENHOWER DECISION MATRIX

Urgent Not Urgent Important DO DECIDE Schedule a time to do it. DO it now. Not Important DELETE DELEGATE

Eliminate it.

Who can do it for you?





Let us not forget the words of Stephan A. Brennar: "Our objectives are attainable solely through the vehicle of a meticulously crafted plan, one we must passionately embrace and vigorously pursue. There exists no alternative pathway to achievement.

