Conducted by Mr. Pankaj Sahijwani

Venue – Auditorium

Attended by: Teachers of Infant wing, Prep, activity teachers associated with Prep and Junior Wing Teachers

A workshop 'Axe your Tax' on how to save tax and invest smartly was held in Delhi Public School, Sector 45, Gurgaon on 26<sup>th</sup> May 23. It was conducted by Mr. Pankaj Sahijwani, a renowned finance, HR and business consultant, for the teachers of Infant wing, Prep, Activity teachers associated with Prep and teachers of the junior school.

Mr. Sahijwani spoke about various kinds of investment instruments in which we can invest for different durations. He also spoke about optimum tax savings and tax saving options.

The trainer elaborated on how to make our money work for us through proper asset allocation and systematic investment Plan (SIP) while safeguarding against the effects of inflation. The key points highlighted were that investments should always be made keeping in mind the objectives of the long run and hence for long durations - only then it reflects true growth.

He also guided the participants on Tax Saving Funds. For optimum tax savings, one can choose to invest in tax saving options, make voluntary donations, take a home loan or ask your employer to restructure your salary. One must always remember to plan early for tax savings, preferably at the beginning of the financial year, to prevent any stress or hassle while filling the annual Income Tax Return.

A key takeaway was - "Do not save what is left after spending; rather spend what is left after saving".



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