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REPORT ON THE ACADEMIC EXPOSURE VISIT TO ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, OMR ON 28.11.2025 (FRIDAY)

257 students of the Science Stream of classes XI & XII of D.A.V. Public School, Velachery, visited *St. Joseph's College of Engineering, OMR*, on 28.11.2025 (Friday) for an *Expertise Sharing Programme*. 12 staff members accompanied them. The programme was inaugurated by the Dean, *Dr. Vallinayagam*, who warmly welcomed the students and outlined the objectives of the event.

This was followed by an inspiring and highly engaging Motivational Talk by *Mr. Raghavan Sridhar*, Distinguished Speaker, Toastmaster, and Change Leader at *Ericsson Pvt. Ltd.* Through relatable anecdotes, interactive games, and sharp insights, he kept the audience captivated while emphasising the importance of Making Informed Decisions about one's career. He also introduced the acronym "GAMER", encouraging students to reflect deeply on their strengths, goals, and future choices.

Post the session, students were taken in batches for specialised exposure. Computer Science students visited the *Robotics Lab*, *AICTE Idea Lab*, and the *Embedded Systems Lab*, where they observed demonstrations and interacted with faculty members and students who explained the practical applications of emerging technologies. Meanwhile, Biology students attended short lectures and demonstrations in the *Biotechnology Labs*, gaining first hand insight into research techniques and real-world applications of Biological Sciences.

The programme was both enriching and highly informative, giving students a clearer understanding of academic pathways and industry expectations. Refreshments and a sumptuous vegetarian lunch were provided by the organisers, making the visit comfortable and well-structured. Overall, the Expertise Sharing Programme proved to be a meaningful learning experience that broadened students' perspectives and strengthened their motivation to plan their futures wisely.

All the Students received a certificate in recognition of their enthusiastic participation in the Social initiative of the organizers to mentor students in making informed decisions.

Expertise Sharing Programme at St. Joseph's College of Engineering enabled Students of Std. XI and XII deliberate with Professors, Senior Graduates and College Students on Career Pathways

