



**DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL
SIDDHARTH VIHAR**

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From the Principal's Desk

**Living Each Day with Meaning:
A Reflection on Life's Fragility**

Dear Parents, Students, and Esteemed
Members of the DPS Siddharth Vihar Family,

Every once in a while, life confronts us with moments that shake us to the core—events that remind us of how unpredictable, delicate, and precious our existence truly is. The recent Ahmedabad plane crash has been one such tragic incident that has left the entire nation shocked and heartbroken. What was meant to be a routine journey turned into a horrifying event that ended lives, shattered families, and left behind a trail of grief and unanswered questions.

As we join in mourning this devastating loss, our thoughts and prayers are with the victims and their loved ones.





But beyond the mourning lies a deeper call to reflection—for all of us. In our pursuit of success, perfection, and future milestones, we often forget the simple truth: Tomorrow is promised to none of us. What we have is today—this very moment.

At DPS Siddharth Vihar, we have always believed in preparing our children not just for exams or careers, but for life itself. And life, as we are reminded once again, is full of uncertainties. We must instill in our young minds the importance of living each day with mindfulness, gratitude, and courage. It is not enough to teach them to chase goals; we must also teach them to pause and breathe, to express love, to forgive quickly, to find joy in small things, and to treat each day as a priceless gift.

Let this tragedy serve as a somber yet powerful lesson.

Let us not wait for the 'right time' to call a friend, help a stranger, spend time with family, or tell someone we love them.





Let us learn to live in the present moment—more aware, more compassionate, more grateful.

To our Students,
I say this: Life may not always go as planned, but every experience—good or bad—teaches you something. Embrace each day with open hearts and curious minds. Don't be afraid to dream, but also remember to live the dream that is today.

To our Parents and Educators,
Let us model the values of resilience, kindness, and presence. Let us be more available—not just physically but emotionally—for our children. Let us teach them not only how to face life but how to cherish it.

In closing, I urge each one of us to hold our loved ones a little closer, to walk a little slower, and to live a little fuller.





Life is uncertain, yes—but it is also endlessly beautiful, if we choose to truly live it.

May those who lost their lives in the Ahmedabad crash find eternal peace. And may we, the living, honour their memory by embracing life with renewed purpose and heartfelt presence.

With deep empathy and hope,
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