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Quote of the Week:

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*“The need for imagination, as a sense of truth, and as a feeling of responsibility –these are the three forces which are the very nerve of education.”*

*- Rudolph Steiner*

# THINK OUTSIDE THE BAG – SAY NO TO PLASTIC

*“The purpose of life is a life with a purpose.” – Robert Byrne*

On the occasion of International Plastic Bag Free Day, Sagarians have joined the global pledge to be loyal to the planet and not to plastic. The environmentally aware community residing in the green oasis of the TSS campus has chosen to ban Single-Use Plastic.



Stanzin Shakya, XII



Illustrations dedicated to  
the cause

Celestia Ripamchi D. Sangma, XII



Kago Mimung, XII

To mark the importance of this day and to create awareness about the threat caused by plastic pollution, the students have prepared posters and shared videos. It is time – to Reduce, Reuse, Refuse and Recycle Plastic.

# ROUND SQUARE HALL OF FAME

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## VIRTUAL READING FEST

In celebration of National Reading Day, Sagarians participated in a Round Square initiative – "Booktopia". The aim was to heighten the drive to read and help balance out the rising influx of screen time usage in teenagers. The participants were encouraged to think out of the box, start book clubs and even plan their own virtual book fair.



The participants, namely – Celestia Ripamchi D. Sangma (XII), Mharon Elisha Ngully (XII), Dishita Mukherji (XI), Alyna Gupta (XI), Ayushraj Yengkhom (XI), Khushi Bairwa (IX), Nityarani Lourembam (IX), Glory Grace Basnett (IX), Aanshul Sharma (IX) – prepared a digital illustration to accompany their inspiring bibliophilic journey.

### *My vade Mecum*

As a whimsical child, I always dreamed about becoming an archaeologist and hunting treasures. Bringing the past back to life, understanding our ancestors, searching without knowing what we will find, I find all this magical! It almost felt like I had a destiny, a destiny to accomplish such things. But the harsh reality in which we live deemed such things almost impossible.

As I grew up, my parents, as the executive heads of their insurance company, were constantly being transferred from city to city and I was constantly changing schools. After settling in Bangalore for about five months, they were transferred again, this time to Indore.

Indore is quite a big metropolitan city. It offers a spectacle of majestic palaces co-existing with commercial centers. It is also known for its mouth watering culinary experience. But the thing there that attracted me the most was the local archaeological museum which was quite unrecognized in my opinion. I went there every weekend and spent time acknowledging the collections.

One weekend, whence coming out of the museum, I noticed a distinguished book being displayed in the nearby bookstore. It was "The Alchemist" by Paulo Coelho. Its illustrative cover copy caught my attention and I ended up buying it. The Alchemist is one of the fiction books that changed my life, and for a good reason. While it might not be based in fact, it is most certainly based in truth.

The Alchemist is a beautiful tale about discovering one's destiny and never losing faith. This parable is a page-turning account of a young shepherd on a journey to discover that there is more to life than meets the eye. Santiago sets out to discover his personal legend by embarking on a journey to find an unknown treasure that has been showing up in a reoccurring dream. Every encounter that Santiago makes during his journey serves as a pivotal moment in helping him achieve his personal legend. Ultimately, by listening to his heart and letting his intuition guide him, he discovers much more than just treasure.

This seismic novel, at its crux, taught me how to transform the obstacles in my life into opportunities to embrace who I really am. The Alchemist reinforced this desire in me to never be afraid to think big. -- "It's the possibility of having a dream come true that makes life interesting".

Santiago's journey never came without its challenges, but he never gave up. In a way, we are all like Santiago, on our own journey of self-discovery. The book is filled with profound meanings has given me a new perspective on my life's purpose.

Turns out, gratitude is alchemy for the soul, helping to connect us to divinity in all things.

*"And, when you want something, all the universe conspires in helping you to achieve it"*

# FOR A BETTER, GREENER TOMORROW



Sheloka Vusshe, X



Zoya Tandon, VII



Samaahita Mahadani, V



Chandni Pamani, VIII



Dhanraj Hidam, XII



Sahil Dayma, XII



Mariyam Fatma, VI

Posters to uphold the value of a sustainable Earth as created by the young artists

## Poster Making Results (Earth Day)

### Senior Category

Sahil Dayma, XII	1 <sup>st</sup>
Dhanraj Hidam, XII	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Sheloka Vusshe, X	3 <sup>rd</sup>

### Junior Category

Samaahita Mahadani, V	1 <sup>st</sup>
Zoya Tandon, VII	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Mariyam Fatma, VI	3 <sup>rd</sup>
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