



ITL Organized Workshop on Effective Speech and Pronunciation along with Non-Verbal Communication in Teaching

- Date** : 30 June 2018
- Venue:** Candy floss (Basement)
- Organized by :** ITL Public School and Pitambara Publication.
- Conducted by:** Ms. Kiran Misra
- Attended by :** Teachers of Junior and Senior Classes of ITL Public School

A workshop on **Effective Speech and Communication along with Non-Verbal Communication in Teaching** was conducted at **ITL Public School** on **30 June 2018** by **Ms Kiran Misra**, a Senior English Broadcaster at All India Radio, the voice behind the success of A.I. R FM Rainbow, the translator for Prime Minister's Programme Mann ki.Batt, to mention a few of the glorious arenas amongst many in which she is associated.

The workshop on the very first working day of the School after the Summer Vacation was a stimulating session highlighting the fervour & importance of the art of effective communication for transmitting knowledge, skills and values cogently to the students. Teachers of both the Junior and Senior Wing of ITL Public School attended the educative session.

Ms Misra enlightened that in today's scenario, teachers have assumed the role of **Classroom Managers**. She emphatically stated the very significant role of body language in improving or harming attitudes of students. Now a day a teacher needs to successfully enact the role of a Public Relations Officer whose amicable countenance, cheerful disposition and an approachable demeanour goes a long way in creating profound impressions on the child's mind.

The teachers, divided into several groups, enacted situations conveying a powerful message. This activity depicted the **power of kinesics** the right use of postures and movements for effective nonverbal communication.

The resource person highlighted on the concept of **Spatial Communication or Proxemics** which emphasises on effective use of space by teachers and use of hands in a conspicuous manner for creating a powerful impression .Along with Proxemics, **Oculesics** or eye contact is an effective tool for monitoring students and getting feedback from them.The workshop also enlightened the facilitators of learning to understand about desired dress code to be adopted .Last but not the least useful tips were given to teachers on how to make the classroom atmosphere interesting by including the element of humour.

The workshop was indeed an informative and enriching session making the teachers realise that successful teachers blend verbal and nonverbal communication for best results.

