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## IDiscoveri holds workshop

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iDiscoveri, the innovative education enterprise focused on learning and leadership, organised Child of Tomorrow, XSEED workshop that helps a parent understand and identify the child's true potential.

Child of Tomorrow was addressed by Ashish Rajpal, founder & managing director, iDiscoveri Education and Senthil Ganesh, managing trustee, RVS Educational Trust. Over 350 parents and along with children attended the workshop.

The workshop highlighted how good parenting could help shape the child's future in today's competitive times. Ashish shared his experience in child development and stressed on the role of par-

ents' in context of education and learning. Senthil emphasized the changes that has been witnessed in the education system over the past two decades and challenges faced by parents at Coimbatore. Senthil also spoke on his choice of XSEED and how it can help in modernizing school education.

iDiscoveri Education has been working closely with schools in Tamilnadu since 2007 to improve the quality of school education in the state, curriculum and assessment services. iDiscoveri's XSEED program has demonstrated a visible difference in children's academic performance, English language skills and personal confidence across the state. Teachers' trained by iDiscoveri have adopted

experiential teaching practices that has made learning a fun filled experience for students.

iDiscoveri is also working towards in bringing cutting-edge research insights to improve the knowledge base of school leaders. The organization has started work on educating parents on their role in school education, and Child of Tomorrow was a significant step in that direction.

Focus group discussions organised with parents' of children in the age-group of 4-11 years in Chennai and Coimbatore, highlighted that parents would like to know their children better to prepare them for the future. Bringing up a child in today's time is a challenge and parents are in the lookout for effective solutions for the same.