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The workshop by iDiscoveri offered every parent a first-hand account of the child's strengths and weaknesses

# Know your child better



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 A parent must understand and identify the potentials of children to help them perform better. This was the focus of 'Child of Tomorrow', a workshop for parents by iDiscoveri held recently. It targeted the parents of students in the age group of 4 to 11 years.

Ashish Rajpal, founder and MD, iDiscoveri Education and Senthil Ganesh, managing trustee, RVS Educational Trust addressed the gathering. Over 350 parents

along with children attended the workshop.

Good parenting could help shape the child's future in today's competitive times. Rajpal shared his experience in child development and stressed on the role of 'parents' in context of education and learning.

"The pre-middle school stage, in particular, assumes more significance, since children start grasping the fundamentals of learning, which serve as a base for the

rest of their student life," he added.

Ganesh highlighted the changes in the education system over the past two decades and the challenges faced by parents.

Focus group discussions were organised with parents. This gave them an insight into preparing children for the future. Bringing up a child today is a challenge and parents got some effective solutions for the same.

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