Report on E- story Podcast

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Classes: VIII- IX

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"Narrating is not the work of a parrot but of absorbing into oneself the beautiful thought from the book making it one's own and then giving it forth again with that little touch that comes from one's own mind"

- Charlotte Mason

ITL Public School in its endeavor to constantly engage students in various constructive activities organized an E- story Podcast Competition for the students of classes VIII and IX wherein the students had to tell a story in the audio format. The students chose the stories they had already read and narrated them in their own unique ways with the **use of inflection of voice**. The students made good **use of intonation and rhythm to lay emphasis** on their narrative. The students made it a point to highlight the important elements of a story. The **characters and the plot** of the story **were distinctly described**. The conflict in the story was also presented in an engaging manner where the **music playing in the background** created a deep impact on the listeners. This made their story telling even more graceful. The students showed immense enthusiasm while participating and the following students came up as winners **Lavanya Khandelwal (VIII E)**, **Tanirika Yadav (IX D) and Riyaana Gulati (IX B)**.

The activity aimed at sharpening the **oral presentation skills** of the students. It also encouraged students to communicate their emotions and **increase their verbal proficiency**. The activity turned out to be a great platform for the students to exhibit their brilliance at story narration.