## St. Cecilia's Public School Workshop on Teaching Phonics DATE: 29 March, 2023 ORGANISED BY: Cambridge University Press and Assessment ATTENDED BY: Pre-Primary and Primary teachers



A linguistically rich workshop on 'Teaching Phonics' was conducted in the school on March 29, 2023 from 9.30 to 11 a.m. The workshop was an important part of learning to read and write and being able to hear sounds in words.

The workshop's aim was to make children read by linking sounds and the symbols that represent them. It ensured to make young learners familiar with language chunks and sounds that do not exist in their mother tongue. The workshop ensured the above mentioned outcome by using various techniques. Decoding, blending and then encoding a novel word would be the incorporated method.

The workshop also had enriching methodologies in which one would explain opaque words like homophones to students by using flash cards, story-telling method that can be easily put into place.

The workshop was quite reinforcing for the learners that could develop their listening skills and in result enhance their communication spectrum also. It was an advantageous workshop for the teachers that would contribute fundamentally to student's upliftment.