

## **Vice Head Boy – Shardul Singh**

It's difficult to fathom that the podium I find myself standing on currently was just a mere figment of my imagination just a few years back.

But the past dwindles and here I am standing prouder than ever before, more committed than ever before to stand true to the philosophy of our school.

Fourteen years ago, I entered the school from gate number three with my sister Sanvi crying as she innocently tried to calm me down. I entered my classroom LKGF, still sobbing. But at home time, I ran happily back to my mother.

Well, uh, it's a ripple, I guess.

And now I find myself finally, I find myself in the final year of school and I think I would still be sobbing the same way.

I read somewhere that the human body changes itself by about 98% every year and makes a complete new version of itself. But in the indiscriminate two portion of me is the desire to serve and revert to every experience the school has provided me with in the past 13 years.

And by service I also mean to continue every senior's legacy who stood here before me. Everyone whose ethos contributes to some of mine.

Here now, as I'm levied upon by the duties of a vice head boy, I promise to be approachable to everyone, to stoop at a level where I can hear each and everyone's voice and become a mouth to it.

And by stooping I also mean to be worthy enough to do my best and to ensure fair, unbiased and equal opportunities to each and every individual.

I wish to take every next person, I wish that every next person standing over here considers me as a worthy inspiration.

As I stand here, I would also like to take a moment to thank everyone who considered me worthy of this post and provided me with this magnificent opportunity.

I would like to extend my sincere regards to my parents for their unwavering support, my teachers for their resolute confidence which they bestowed upon me, and very importantly my friends who've had an indelible role in shaping me to what I am now.

Finally, to the pillar of my dreams, to the source of my tenacity and to the ineffable foundation of my achievements, thank you Sanvi.

If this speech or this mere paper conveys the sense of happiness and commitment I feel today, then the actual sense of ecstasy and the responsibility I feel for this position is an entire language.

This is Shardul Singh about to begin his service as your vice head boy from this very moment. I'll do all in my power to make sure that you all have an incredible year.

Thank you.