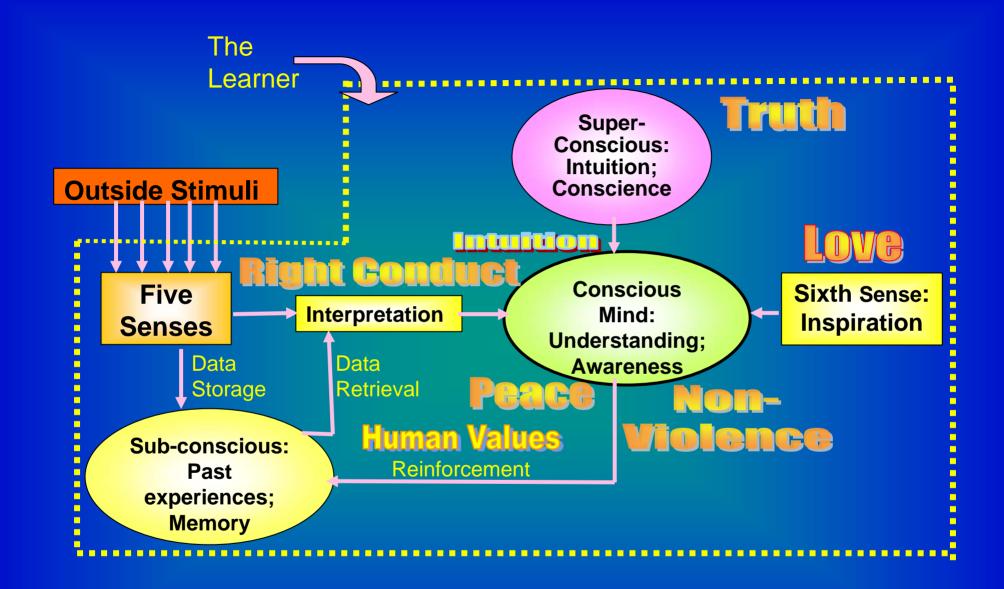


You must realize that greatness related to power, position or wealth is transient. It is lost when power and position go. But goodness is respected always. Therefore, dedicate your lives to goodness. What is goodness? It is living according to Dharma and justice, to love all and have faith in God, to help the needy and raise the lowly; all these constitute goodness.

- Sathya Sai Speaks, Vol.XXX., P.125/126.



**The Learning Process** 

### LOVE + PLANTS'

Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok



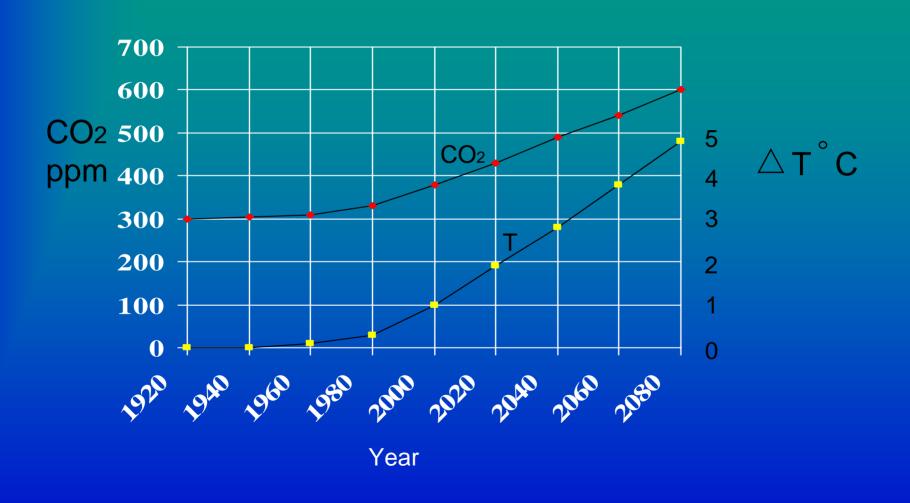






### CO2 vs Temperature Increase

National Academy of Sciences, U.S.A.



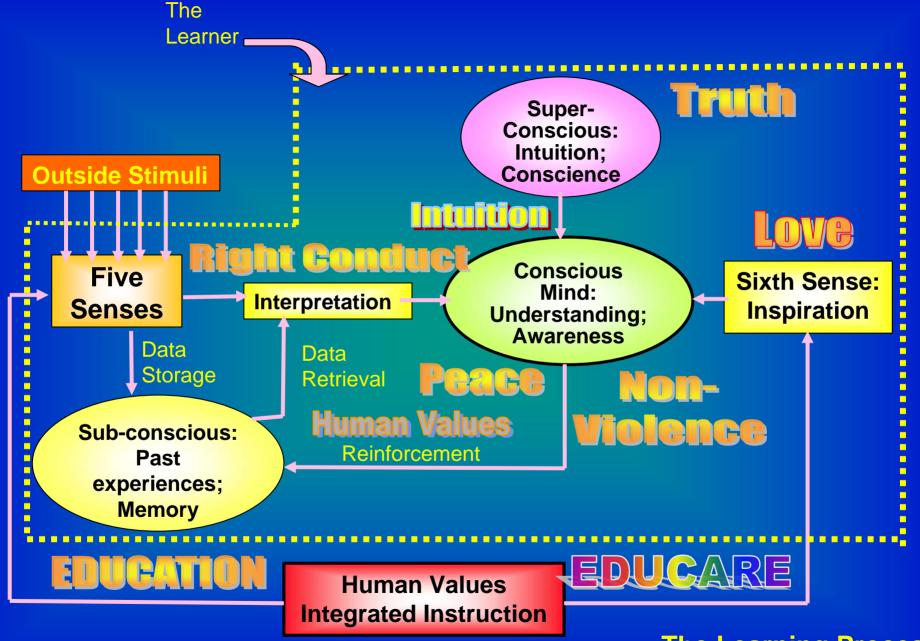
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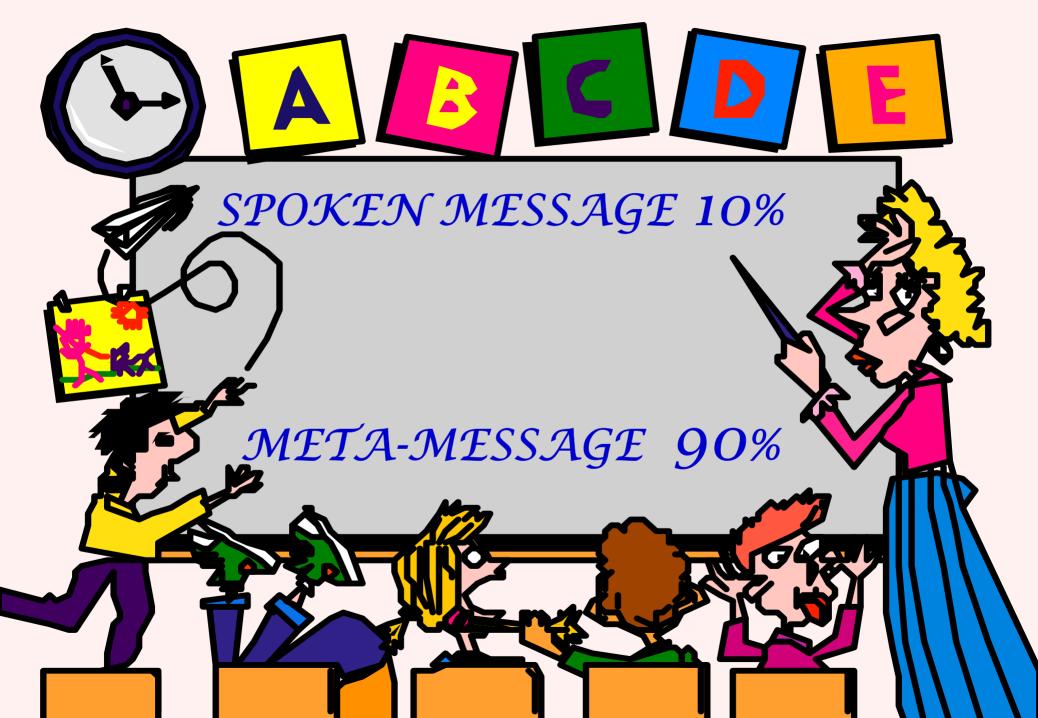








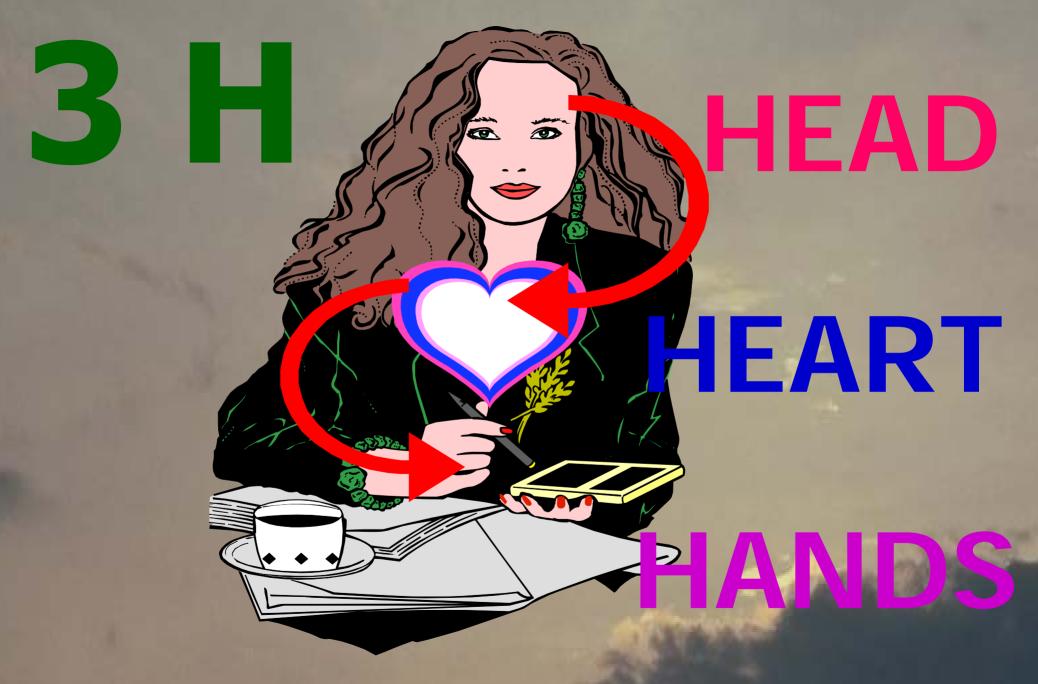
**The Learning Process** 











## 2 RULES FOR TEACHERS



## Outside World

**Education Act** 

Government's Role

Ministry of Education

Local Education Authority

TV, Internet, Media, Entertainment

Learning Centers, Museums etc.

**Universities** 

## The Community

1. Parents' Role

2. Temple/ Church/ Mosque

**Hospital** 

Police

Local Media

**Market** 

**Relatives** 

**Business** 

#### The School

1. The School

Climate

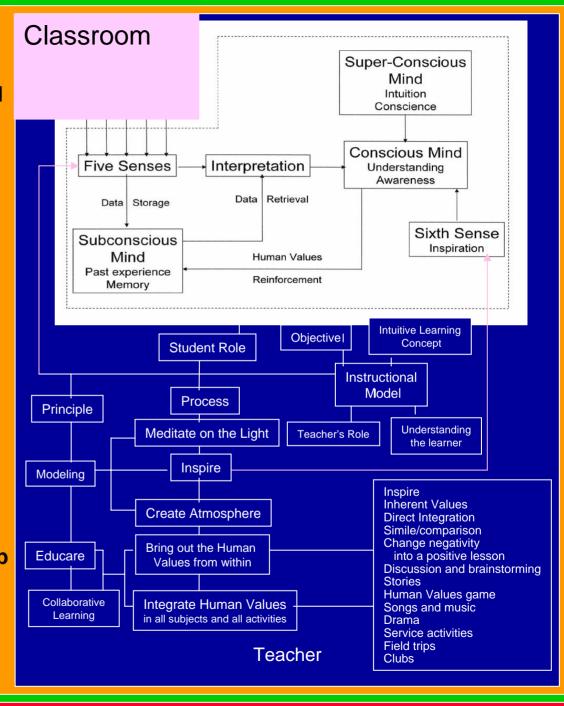
2. Objective

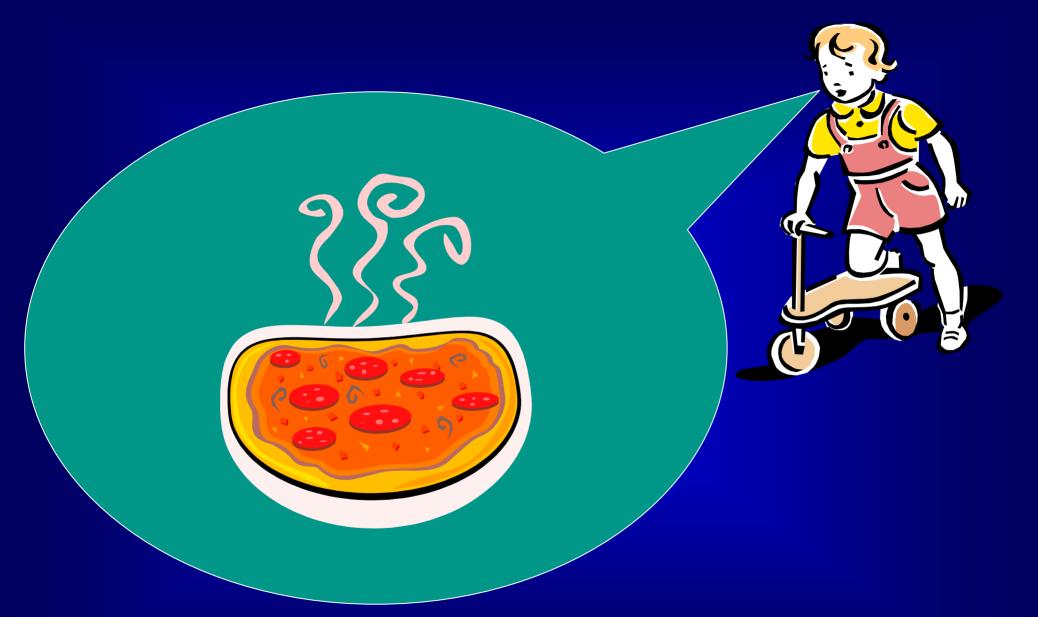
3. School

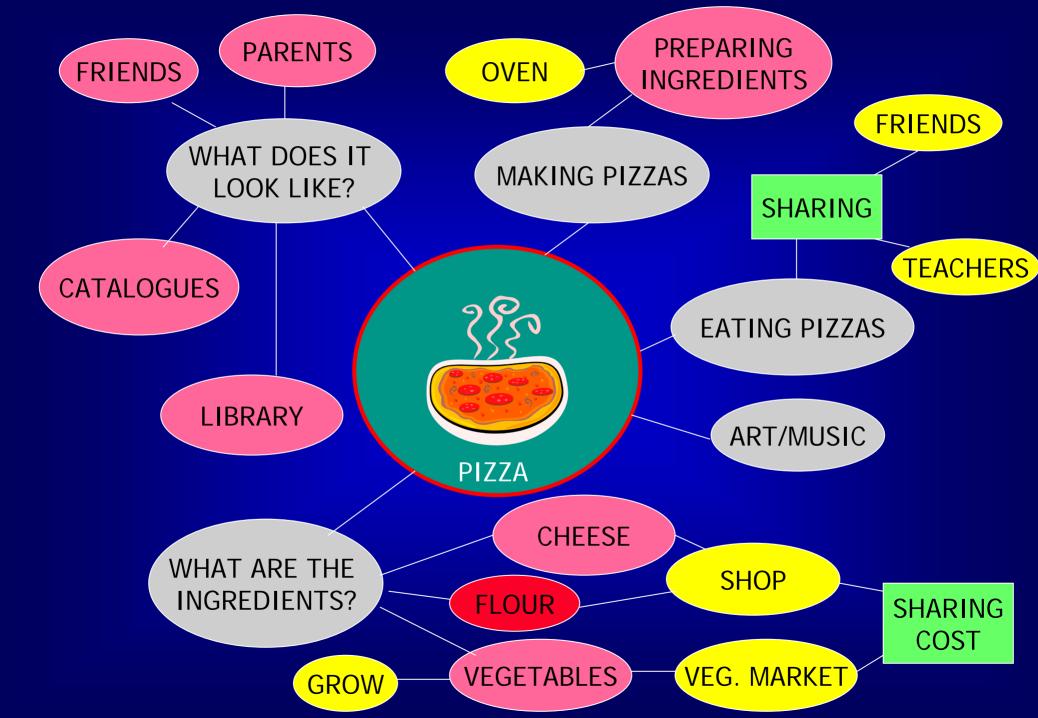
**Mission** 

4. School

Leadership







#### **HUMAN VALUES**

**RIGHT CONDUCT** 

Working together, helping one another, good manners, good behaviours.

**PEACE** 

Joy, happiness.

**TRUTH** 

Sense of inquiry.

**LOVE** 

Sharing, giving, loving one another.

**NON - VIOLENCE** 

Oneness, cooperation, growing plants, recycling water.

#### SUBJECTS LEARNED

LANGUAGES: THAI, ENGLISH

MATHEMATICS: BUYING INGREDIENTS,

CALCULATE/SHARING THE COST.

SCIENCE: BIOLOGY, ENVIRONMENT,

AGRICULTURE.

SOCIAL SUBJECTS: COOPERATION,

**HELPING ONE ANOTHER.** 

ART: DRAW PICTURES OF PIZZAS.

MUSIC: COMPOSING/SINGING SONG.

### PIZZA SONG

WE LOVE PIZZAS! (2X)
WE WORK TOGETHER, (2X)
TO MAKE TASTY PIZZAS, (2X)
FOR ONE AND ALL. (2X)

# Learning Theories used in the Development of the Model

- Plato and Aristotle: Bring out the knowledge latent in the student from within through some kind of stimulation.
- Socrates: asking questions to elicit the knowledge already present within.
- Carl Rogers: Non-directive instruction.
- Knowles: Students should be active participants in the learning process.
- Faire: Students should have full freedom in learning.
- Neil: Human development will be enhanced if environment of the learner is full of love and warmth.

# Learning Theories used in the Development of the Model

- Rousseau, Froebel and Pestalozzi: Theory of Natural Unfoldment - child centered education; natural surrounding; freedom to play; direct experience and real situation.
- Gardner: Theory of Multiple Intelligences
- Slavin, David Johnson and Roger Johnson: Theory of Cooperative or Collaborative Learning
- Klausmeier: Information Processing Theory
- Sathya Sai Baba, Chancellor of Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher learning, India: Educare

# TEST OF THE MODEL ON 2<sup>ND</sup> YEAR STUDENTS CHULALONGKORN UNIVERSITY

June 3 – July 1, 2003 10 hours of instruction

"What do you want most in your life?"

Marl	ks Criteria
0	Selfishness, doing everything for oneself
1	Doing things for oneself and family only
2	Doing things for oneself, family and society
3	Not thinking of oneself, but only for family
4	Not thinking of oneself but for family and society
5	Thinking of society
6	Thinking of society and country
7	Thinking of society, country and the whole world
8	Thinking of the whole world
9	Seek the Truth of Life - middle path - sense control
10	Complete detachment from the world
	<ul> <li>no desire for anything</li> </ul>

	Pretest	Posttest	Increase	% Increase
Average mark	1.95	7.00	5.05	259

## TEST OF THE MODEL ON CHILDREN IN AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN LAMNARAI

### 9 HOURS OF INSTRUCTION

Class taught: Grade 5/5 Control class: Grade 5/1



	Class 5/5 (Treated group)			Class 5/1(Control group)		
	Pre-test	Post-test	% Increase	Pre-test	Post-test	% Increase
Parents	49.61	53.89	+8.6%	43.13	41.88	-2.9%
Teachers	50.89	68.07	+33.8%	46.12	47.58	+3.2%

### Testing of the Model

- Thailand
- Kasakhstan
- China
- Indonesia
- Fiji Islands

**TOTAL NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS: 1602** 

#### TABLE 1. DETAILS OF THE RESPONDENTS

COUNTRY	RACE	RELIGION	LANGUAGES
THAILAND	THAI	BUDDHISM	THAI
KASAKHSTAN	RUSSIAN	CHRISTIANITY	RUSSIAN
	KASAKH	ISLAM	KASAKH
CHINA	CHINESE	BUDDHISM,	MADARIN
		TAOISM, CONFUCIANISM	CANTONESE
INDONESIA	INDONESIAN	ISLAM	BAHASA
	INDIAN	HINDUISM	INDONESIA
FIJI ISLANDS	INDIAN	HINDUISM	PUNJABI
	FIJIAN	CHRISTIANITY	HINDI
			FIJIAN

## TABLE 2. ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS OF THE RESPONDENTS

	%
Below Bachelor Degree	22.5
Bachelor Degree	62.8
Master Degree	10.0
Ph.D.	0.9
Not specified	4.1

#### TABLE 3. PROFESSION OF RESPONDENTS

Profession	%
Preschool Teacher	5.9
Primary School Teacher	33.7
Secondary School Teacher	23
Administrator	17
University Lecturer	3.7
University Students	9
Clergy	0.5
Parents	2.9
Others	3.9
Not specified	0.4

### Table 4. The result of the survey

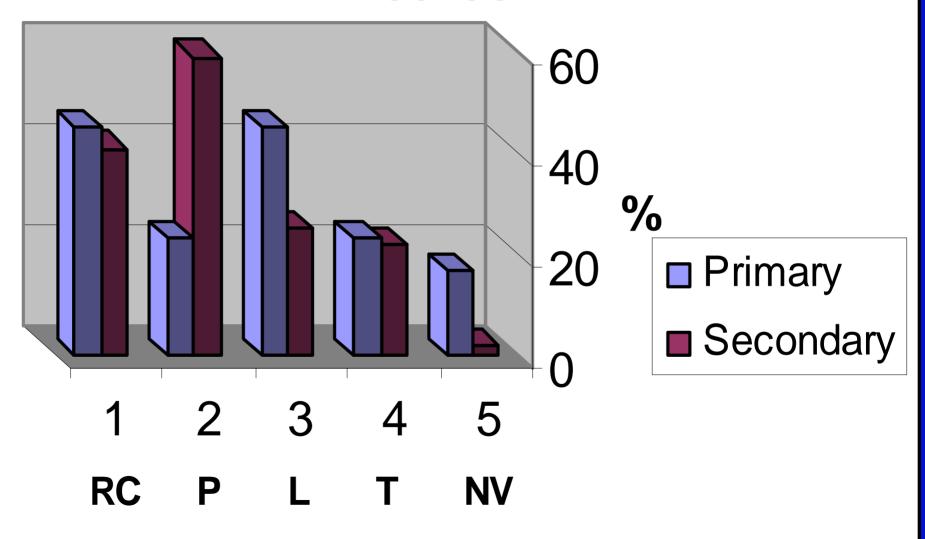
Statement	%
1. The Model can be usefully applied to teaching in the classroom.	89.5
2. You are inspired and motivated to apply this Model in your own daily life.	92.6

### Ex Post Facto Research

Study of all the students in the Sathya Sai School

All students from grade 1 to 12, 286 in total participated in the study.

## CHANGES TAKEN PLACE SINCE COMING TO THE SCHOOL



#### **RIGHT CONDUCT**

**PRIMARY** 

**SECONDARY** 

Humility

Cleanliness

**Punctuality** 

Save money

Good manners

Self dependence

Discipline

Speak politely

More responsible

Self-confidence

Work harder

Self reliance

Respect for the rights of others

Becoming leaders

#### **PEACE**

PRIMARY

Thinking before doing

Peaceful

Calmness

Concentration

Patience

SECONDARY

Good memory

Self control

#### LOVE

PRIMARY

**SECONDARY** 

Giving

Helping others

Less selfishness

Loving friends

Get on with others

Love & compassion

Sharing

Better understanding amongst friends

Love and unity amongst friends

#### **TRUTH**

Improved learning

**PRIMARY** 

Telling the truth

Understand the Process of learning

Greater faith in Buddhism

Determination to study

**SECONDARY** 

Better reasoning

Careful thinking

More effort in learning

Planning of life

Realize the purpose of Life

Ability to solve problems in life

#### **NON-VIOLENCE**

**PRIMARY** 

Friendliness (eg. Sharing sweets)

Not hurting/killing animals

Love of trees

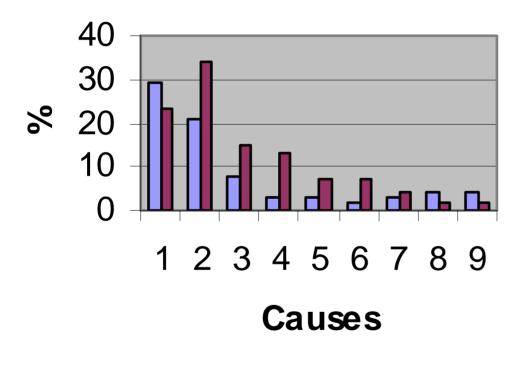
Not taking advantage of others

**SECONDARY** 

Better understanding of others

Unity between friends

# Factors that have created changes



- Primary School
- Secondary School

1. Good Teachers

2. Prayers & Meditation

3. Friends

4. Good Environment

5. Activities in the school

- 6. Human Values Instruction
- 7. Parents and Family
- 8. Listen to good stories

9. Self knowledge

**CAUSES** 

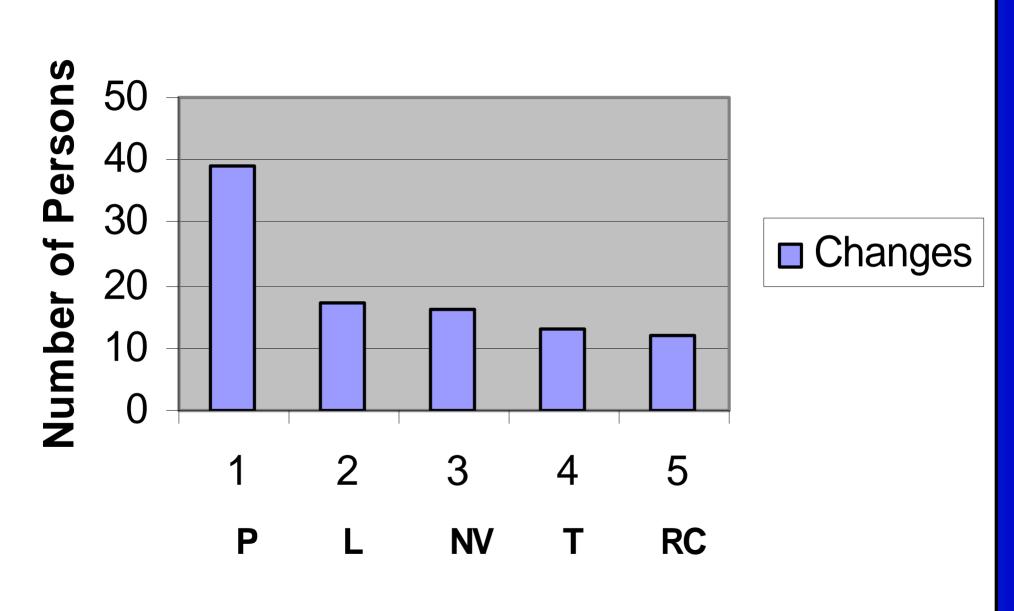
### Ex Post Facto Research

## Study of 28 Teachers in the Sathya Sai School

Changes that have taken place since becoming a teacher at the Sathya Sai School

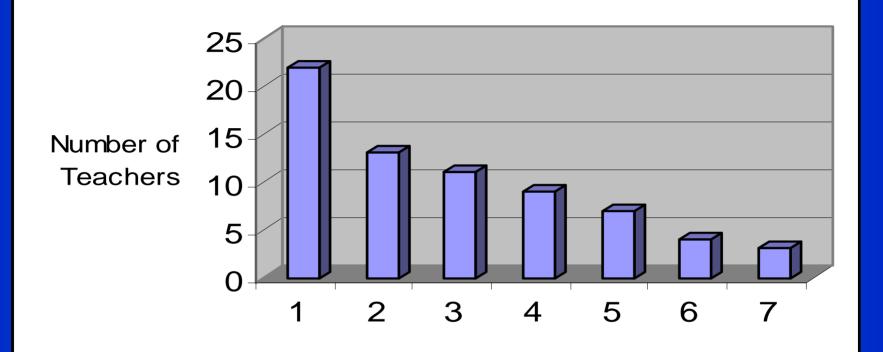
What are the causes of such changes





- Peace: Greater calmness and peace; greater control of the emotions; better concentration in their work; more self-confidence.
- Love: Greater love and compassion; giving service to others.
- Non-Violence: Greater feeling of unity in living together; seeing the good in children and others; wider world-view in a more positive light; save money and spend less.
- Truth: Greater understanding of life; seeing more value in life.
- Right Conduct: Greater feeling of responsibility; becoming good examples to others; more forgiveness.

#### Factors that have Created the Changes



- 1. Prayers and Meditation
- 2. Influence from other teachers and children
- 3. The school atmosphere
- 4. The good example of the administrator
- 5. Listen to advice/teachings of the administrator
- 6. The opportunities given
- 7. The teachings of Sathya Sai Baba