

# **ST. THOMAS' SCHOOL**

**(Goyal Vihar, Near Sec -19, Dwarka)**

27<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (Friday)

Dear Parents,

Students have to learn the following words for the Spellathon on **31<sup>st</sup> January 2020 (Friday)**.

**Class -VII Spellathon No.-7 (Topic: Environment)**

S.No.	Words	Meaning	S.No.	Words	Meaning
1	accumulator	a voltage battery that holds electric charge	11	depletion	the act of decreasing something
2	antipodes	any two places or regions on diametrically opposite sides of the earth	12	deforestation	the removal of trees
3	biodiversity	the diversity of plant and animal life in a particular habitat	13	destruction	an event or result of event that completely destroyed something
4	butte	a hill that rises abruptly from the surrounding region; has a flat top and sloping sides	14	endangered	in immediate danger of extinction
5	contaminate	make something impure	15	escarpment	a long steep slope
6	carcinogen	any substance that produces cancer	16	elevation	something being raised upward
7	conservation	saving something for future	17	fumes	gases ejected from an engine as waste products
8	catastrophe	a state of extreme ruin	18	geothermal	heat in the interior of earth
9	desertification	the gradual transformation of habitable land into desert	19	tsunami	destructive sea wave caused by an earthquake or volcanic eruption
10	drought	shortage of rainfall	20	transmission	communication

## **Note:**

- ***It is compulsory to participate in Spellathon.***
- ***Only learn the words for Spellathon.***
- ***Spellathon will not be re-conducted under any circumstances.***