**Shloka - 5**

**क्षणश: कणस्चैव विद्याम् अर्थम् च साधयेत I**

**क्षणे नष्टे कुतो विद्या कणे नष्टे कुतो धनं II**

क्षणश: = a moment of time, a second, कणस्चैव = कण: +च+ ऐव, and every bit , विद्याम् = knowledge, अर्थम् = wealth च = and, साधयेत = to earn, नष्टे = wasted, कुतो = where is, धनम् = money, wealth

Every moment of time and every bit should be used to learn and earn knowledge and wealth, respectively. If time is wasted, how will one get knowledge, and if money is wasted, even small amount of money, how will one accumulate wealth.

Knowledge is wealth, it is more important than money itself, since with its help, one can earn wealth, position and respect. One should not waste time and wealth.

In today’s parlance, we find the youth, busy in non productive activity like facebook, whatsapp, internet etc, without really gaining any knowedge or improving one’s competence. In today’s advanced world, these things important and useful, but one should not forget that these are “means” and not an “end” in itself. One should use these instruments to gain wider knowledge in the field they are pursuing and not to become addicted or slave to its use and spend time on it which is not useful. Because, actually speaking, time lost, is lost forever, there is no “action reply “possible to live life differently, even when one wants to do that. He/ she can only live a different life from the time one has realised, but not regain the time lost.

Similarly money wasted in buying things which are not necessary, but bought only since others have them, as a social symbol, is never regained, but lost.