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Dear Principal,

At the outset let me convey my best wishes for a wonderful academic new year ahead. I am going to complete one year in this dynamic organization and I feel that now the time has come for me to share some of my thoughts based on my experiences here.

2. The role of a Principal in a school is extremely important and he is the torch bearer of knowledge and values for the teachers and students. I am sure all of you are aware of the extremely important role that you are expected to play in this organization. The main aim of education today is to equip our students with knowledge and skills which will enable them to face the challenges of the 21st century successfully and also make them citizens who contribute to national building and do their country proud. KVS is an organization which deals with a heterogeneous clientele full of diversity, be it geographic, regional, social, economic or cultural. This is a strength as well as challenge. Till now KVS has successfully met this challenge and today quality education has become synonymous with the Kendriya Vidyalayas. However, there is no limit for excellence and like any organisation or person who has reached the top, we have to guard against complacency because the downfall from the top is quick and does not require any effort. We have to continuously strive to scale new heights and bring further glory to the organisation.

3. I would like to highlight some of the issues which would require your attention -

The scheme of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE) is a step in the right direction to achieve our objectives listed above. However, successful implementation of the scheme requires a lot of effort on the part of the teachers and I am sure you would be paying due attention to this. The other challenge which we have to overcome is the successful implementation of Right to Education Act (RTE) without compromising on the quality of education delivered in the Kendriya Vidyalayas and maintaining the high standards set by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan. Use of latest technology (ICT) can help us in achieving our objectives so we must try and embrace this

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technology willingly and if required by upgrading our skills. Sometime back I have written to all of you about development of sports facilities and also having school teams in some of the games. I look forward to hearing about the progress made by you in this regard.

4. Though all the points listed above are important but the most important thing which will allow the school to succeed is the quality of leadership which is to be provided by each one of you. All the students and the teachers look up to their Principal for inspiration and guidance. I expect all of you to set an example by your own professional conduct and passion for delivering quality education to our students.

5. In the end I would like to emphasize that knowledge has always been associated with humility. We have to make sure that as an organisation we present a picture of humility in all our interactions whether with parents or with students or other people who visit our schools.

"Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one."

-- Malcolm Forbes --

Yours sincerely,



(Avinash Dikshit)

Principal
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