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OUR RESOURCE PERSONS

Sh. E. V. Swaminathan

Trainer, Teacher, Counsellor and Consultant with a clear focus on creating a Value Based Society

E. V. Swaminathan has trained students at IIT (Kharagpur), IIT (Mumbai), IIT Kanpur and Centre of Excellence - IIM Calicut and IIM, Lucknow. He has also appeared on numerous television talk shows which are being aired on Zee Jagaran, Aastha, Sanskar and Peace of Mind channels. He has a unique distinction of conducting Training at the highest battle field of the world at - Siachen Battle School. He is well conversed and has perfect knowledge of topics like Emotional Engineering, Make Mind your Best Friend, Diluting Stress, Total Quality Life, Journey with Harmony, Empathetic Communication, Holistic Safety, Memory Management, The Art of Leadership, Purpose of Life etc. He has been an Engineering & Management Faculty for 15 years and a corporate trainer for 12 years.



Pandit Abhik Kumar Sarkar

Pandit. Abhik Kumar Sarkar was initiated in Indian Classical Music from father Shri Shyamal Krishna Sarkar, disciple of Late Ustad Hafiz Ali Khan of Gwalior. Later since childhood, Abhikji has been learning from Padmavibhushan Ustad Amjad Ali Khan under Guru Shishya Parampara (Indian Tradition) at New Delhi, India. Abhik also had the opportunity to learn Carnatic Music ragas from Violin Exponent Sangeet Vidwan Shri D. Nageshwaran. One of the finest Sarod players,

Abhikji has developed a unique style of his own blending both the Senia gharanas of Sarod. He is a reputed teacher of music and has worked in leading residential schools. In 2016, Abhikji was conferred with Sangeet Shiromani, Sangeet Sadhak Samman, Tarana Samman (Senior), Felicitated by Minister, House of Commons, Canada with a Certificate for his contribution to Music and other felicitations.

Sh. G. Balasubramanian

G. Balasubramanian started his career as a Post-graduate Teacher in Chemistry in a public school, he took over as a Principal of Hindu Senior secondary School, Chennai. He joined the Central Board of Secondary Education as a Joint Secretary in 1984 and has worked in several capacities in Academics, Examination, Confidential and Administration branches of CBSE. Elevated to the Post of Director (Academic) in 1997, he held the additional charge of the Chief Vigilance Officer of the Board. He retired from the services of the Board on 28th Feb, 2006. Presently he has his own consultancy services under the banner Educational Systems and Innovations.

He obtained a diploma in German from University of Madras, a Certificate in Project Technology from Trent College of Education, Nottingham U.K and a certificate in Computer Education from Leeds University, U.K. He has authored several books for schools in science and information technology. He has authored several books for teachers, academicians and educational administrators. The three popular titles are: Mindscaping Education, Case Studies in Classrooms, Quality Spectrum- a School's bandwidth.



Dr. Rama Kant Shukla

Dr. Rama Kant Shukla is a renowned personality in the world of Sanskrit and Hindi Literature. Apart from being a popular Hindi Teacher for more than four decades in Agra, Meerut & Delhi University, Dr. Shukla is a famous Sanskrit Poet, Play Wright, Author and Editor. His signature poem 'Bh,ti Me Bh,ratam' depicting the glory of India is well known among the students and erudite scholars of the world. In 2013, The President of India awarded Dr. Rama Kant Shukla 'Padmashree'. Akashvani and Doordarshan broadcast and telecast Dr. Shukla's Sanskrit poems on 25 June 2016. A hour long programme of his poetry recitation was telecast by the

DD National channel of Doordarshan. His Sanskrit poems on YouTube and Facebook are liked by a large number of viewers. His Sanskrit poems accentuate the pride and glory of India among the masses all over the world.

Mrs. Salony Priya

Mrs. Salony Priya is a counseling psychologist working in the area of Education Management, Human Development & Training, student empowerment & comprehensive counseling for nearly 18 years and her interventions have reached out to several educational institutions, corporate and social organizations. She is founder Director of Ummeed Counselling & Consulting services, a multispecialty positive psychology institution based in Calcutta where she empowers, enables and energizes populace with therapies, workshops trainings and individualized sessions. She is a life member American counselling association.



Mr. K. N. Dar

Mr. K. N. Dar is Chairman of Cambridge School, Indrapuram and Vice Chairman of Shreejee International School, Sonipat. Besides, he is on the boards of several schools in Delhi and Gurgaon. He taught at St.Paul's School, Darjeeling, where he became a Housemaster within two years of joining the school.

Mr. Dar has a flair for establishing new schools and turning around old schools, which are getting jaded.

Ms. Anita Bahadur

A teacher/trainer for the last twenty-five years, Anita Bahadur is a freelance consultant with vast experience in teacher-training and conducting ELT, CCE, ASL, Business Communication and Personality Development workshops. A dynamic speaker, trainer, presenter and published author; she employs clarity, innovation and humour in presentations to a large variety of audiences at different organizational levels. Five years with an eLearning company have given her vast exposure to e-learning technology including virtual classrooms. She is an Examiner certified by the University of Cambridge for their ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) exams.



Mrs. A Versha Manku

A Versha Manku, is a teacher, an administrator, an author and a trainer. She completed her education from Delhi University with a Masters in Political Science and B Ed. from CIE. She has taught classes K-12 for 20 years. Her main subjects are Social Science and Political Science. She also worked as a Headmistress for the Nursery Wing of Kulachi Hansraj Model School, a reputed school of Delhi. She trained in computer technology to keep abreast with the changes in the field of education and won the 'Teach to the Future Award' for technology-aided learning. She worked closely with CBSE as a Master Trainer, member of curriculum

development and support material committee. She has also worked with NCERT, CBSE-i, NIOS, SCERT and DAV.

Mr. Divesh Bathija

Divesh hails from Mumbai with a Graduate degree from HR College; followed by masters from University of Westminster, London on Full Scholarship. After brief stints in the financial space, Dinasim Learning was formed in 2012. For a firm that combines learning with fun, it is only natural for its leading light to be someone who is passionate about both.

Backed by multi-cultural experiences and vision to make math fun, he serves to be the perfect kick starter behind Dinasim Learning. His natural aptitude of tutoring and guiding students backed by an awareness of western culture trends makes him an engaging personality for students and teachers. Over the last 5 years he has trained over 29,000 students and trained over 350 teachers across India and Nepal, catering to over 25 Institutions till date.

