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## MESSAGE

Every year we celebrate the Foundation Day of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan on 15<sup>th</sup> December with great enthusiasm and fervour. Our organization has a glorious past, a very dynamic and vibrant present and a promising future. The past teaches us great lessons for an even more illustrious future. The Present is an indispensable link between past and future. The quality of efforts and degree of commitment during this important stage will decide where we will stand in future.

During this glorious journey of 53 years of service to society, KVS has always set new benchmarks in the field of school education and has performed well in its role as a pace setting organization. From a very humble beginning of 20 regimental schools, today we have more than 1140 schools dedicated to service of the nation. On this important day, we salute all those members of this great Parivar who have contributed to its rich legacy.

The expectations of the society are very high from us as we have proved ourselves in the past. We undertake periodic review of our policies and programmes to keep up with the challenges in the field of school education to continue serving the society with same excellence in the days to come as well. Together we are working as a team to maintain our position as the best educators in India by upgrading our classroom techniques and focusing on providing quality holistic education. We are open to new ideas and practices in order to remain contemporary in the world of education.

As a pace setting organization, let us resolve to gradually move towards a paperless education system. The beginning is to be made by the offices of schools/ROs and Hqrs by making optimum utilization of ICT services for collection, compilation, transmission and storage of data/ information on day today basis. The office files at all levels need to be digitized for accomplishing the target of e office by 31st March, 2017. This initiative is to be taken up as a mission from this momentous day to make this Foundation Day a memorable one.

Today, we are celebrating success stories of our identified teaching and non-teaching staff by honouring them with Incentive Awards at Regional and National level for their meritorious services and also with Innovation and Experimentation Awards for new ideas in teaching learning practices.

I am confident that with concerted efforts of our teaching and non-teaching staff of this great organization, we will be able to sustain the glory of the KVS and will achieve even greater heights in future.

I convey my greetings and best wishes to all teachers, officers, staff and their family members on this memorable day that gives us all an immense feeling of pride and honour to be associated with this unique organization- Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan.

My best wishes on this occasion to all members of KVS family.

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