



# केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA SANGATHAN

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Commissioner

## GREETINGS....

The constitution of our country has laid down the Right to Equality as a Fundamental Right. Women and men have equal rights and opportunities in matter of employment, education. Women's Day is a celebration of this right - the Right of Women to change society through their talents and abilities.

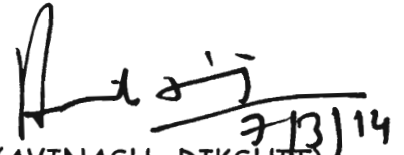
Education plays a crucial role in ensuring equality for women in all walks of life. As more and more girls are educated, they become aware of their rights and are empowered to fight against any injustice which may be inflicted on them. The Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan has played a pioneering role in ensuring that the number of girls receiving education steadily increases. In fact, there are more than 43% girl students who are a part of the educational, sports and creative activities of the schools.

The girl child is, however, still very vulnerable. To make the school and society at large a safe place for her and to enable her to achieve her full potential, there is an urgent need for change in attitude. Gender sensitization has been introduced as part of curriculum and this will certainly create a positive impact on the school environment. To reinforce this, teachers and Principals must play an active role.

Women comprise a big part of the teaching and non teaching staff. Almost 50% of our teachers are women. To ensure that they are allowed to flourish and give their best to the Sangathan each one of them must be treated with respect and dignity.

On this Women's Day (8<sup>th</sup> March, 2014), I would like to felicitate the women working in the Sangathan and extend my gratitude to them for being such sincere and dedicated individual in guiding our youth in their quest for glory.

Thank You

  
(AVINASH DIKSHIT)

All the Women Employees of KVS