

**HON'BLE GOVERNOR OF TAMIL NADU THIRU R.N.RAVI, CHAIRED  
INAUGURATION OF SEMINAR ON NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY 2020 -  
IMPLEMENTATION, ORGANISED BY VIDYA BHARATI AT SRI GOKULAM  
PUBLIC SCHOOL, NENMELI, CHENGALPATTU, TODAY (05.09.2022)**

Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu Thiru R.N.Ravi chaired the inauguration of seminar on implementation of National Education Policy - 2020 organised by Vidya Bharati at Sri Gokulam Public School, Nenmeli, Chengalpattu today (10.9.22).

Hon'ble Governor in his inaugural address, congratulated Vidya Bharathi for their yeomen service to the Nation for the last four and half decades preserving civilisational values and ethos with dedication of serving the people even in the remote area of the country.

Hon'ble Governor outlined the National Educational Policy (NEP) - 2020 as the first Nationalised policy that has been rolled out for the Nation to bring about needed revolutionary transformation in our education so as to efficiently meet the challenges of present and future and restore the lost glories of the Nation.

He emphasised that NEP has been formulated with comprehensive ideas to meet future requirement. It has to be read thoroughly, to be understood and to be appreciated in its true spirit. Governor highlighted the enhanced roles of regional languages in learning and the Indian knowledge system which is far more comprehensive and relevant to the needs of the people and society than the prevailing system in the NEP 2020.

Under the visionary and dynamic central leadership, India has shown the way to gain from the opportunities and moving ahead with

renewed confidence and commitment to attain inclusive development. The look and opinion of the world countries upon India has been changed considerably from underdeveloped country to the fastest economically developing Nation.

Hon'ble Governor brought out that India's youth contribution towards its progress has been seen phenomenal. One of the incredible initiatives of youth minds in establishing a start up of 'Agnikul' that has been recently inaugurated with the Rocket Factory-1, the Nation's first rocket facility dedicated to 3D printing of rocket engines at IIT, Madras Research Park.

There has been visible and tangible achievements India succeeded in many fields such as agriculture, industry, medicines, education, economy, space etc with the true contribution by the youths and people. India helped more than 150 countries by providing free vaccines during COVID-19 pandemic in the crucial time.

Hon'ble Governor described why and how the Nation that was once prosperous and advanced in all fields, suffered a lot and was ruined potentially during colonisation. India had a great knowledge system and supporting institutions. In the 'Gurukul' system relations between Teachers and Students were far from transactional as it has become today. Teachers are intellectuals and spiritual guardians who were looked upon with utmost respect by the society.

He urged the teachers, faculty members and the experts to deep dive in the details with NEP-2020. They should take the ownership bond between teachers and students. He expressed the best wishes to the Teachers who have pivotal role to play in mentoring and shaping the young minds of the Nation.

Hon'ble Governor praised organisers for conducting the event and wished that the Seminar will provide much needed inputs for the timely and successful implementation of NEP-2020. Nation is marching towards its destiny of becoming Viswa Guru by 2047, when Nation will be celebrating 100<sup>th</sup> year of Independence. Amrit Kaal, the next 25 years are very crucial. NEP-2020 will be a game changer for Nation.

On this occasion, Hon'ble Governor released the first copy of Souvenir to mark the event.

In this occasion, Dr. Krishna Chetty, President, Dr. P. Kanagasabhapathi, Member, Indian Council of Social Science Research, Smt. Lijisha Praveen, Vice-Chairperson, Sri L. Ramamoorthy, Secretary, Vidya Bharati, the Principals, teachers, faculty members, educationalists, students and distinguished invitees participated in the seminar.

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