

RAJENDER KUMAR SHARMA

PRINCIPAL | EDUCATIONAL LEADER | ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATOR

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EXECUTIVE PROFILE

School principal and academic administrator with three decades in education, rising from science teacher to head of institution across CBSE, ICSE/ISC and DAV-affiliated schools in Haryana, Uttarakhand and Gujarat. Principal of Tatachem DAV Public School, Mithapur (1,500+ students) since 2016, with full responsibility for academics, administration, finance, staff and pastoral care. His schools have set 9 Guinness World Records, secured a Rs. 20 lakh NITI Aayog Atal Tinkering Lab grant, achieved 100% ICSE/ISC results and won national science honours. Postgraduate in Zoology and Education; State Youth Award recipient for social service.

AREAS OF LEADERSHIP

School Leadership & Administration	Academic Planning & Board Results	Financial & Resource Management
Faculty Leadership & Mentoring	Examination Management	STEM & Innovation Programmes
Student Development & Pastoral Care	Co-curricular Excellence	Community Engagement

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Principal **2016 – Present**

Tatachem DAV Public School (TCDAVPS), Mithapur, Gujarat · affiliated to DAV College Managing Committee

- Heads a 1,500+ student school, accountable for academics, administration, finance, staff and pastoral care.
- Led the school to **9 Guinness World Records**, **2 India Book of Records** entries and **1 Limca Book of Records** entry, including the Largest Tree Hug (1,316 participants, 2016), four records set by students on 11 October 2025, and the *Save Birds* campaign (1,215 participants, 8,999 slogans, 2017).
- Secured a **Rs. 20 lakh** Government grant under NITI Aayog's Atal Tinkering Lab initiative to establish the school's Atal Tinkering Lab (2018).
- School team reached the 24th National Children's Science Congress (2016); 3 students won the Governor's Award (2016–17).

Principal **2013 – 2016**

GRD World School, Dehradun, Uttarakhand · ICSE/ISC

- Achieved **100% results** in ICSE and ISC Board Examinations (2014, 2015); commended by the Trust Chairman.
- Hosted the State-Level National Children's Science Congress 2013 for child scientists from 14 districts of Uttarakhand; the school represented the state at the national congress, Bhopal.
- Student distinctions: 4 gold medals, International Mathematics Olympiad (2014); 5 gold and 4 silver, National Martial Arts Championship (2015); national and state awards, Ministry of Power painting competitions.

Officiating Vice-Principal · Academic Coordinator · Head of Science **2000 – 2013**

Cambridge School, Rewari, Haryana · CBSE · joined as PGT Biology

- Rose from PGT Biology to Officiating Vice-Principal; Science HOD, Academic Coordinator, Examination In-charge.
- Guided student teams to national honours: National Level Science Exhibition, Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources (2003), and National Award, 17th National Children's Science Congress, Ahmedabad (2009).

Early Career: Science Teacher

Sarvodaya High School, N. Mundi, Rewari (BSEH) **1998 – 2000**

Jain Public School, Rewari (CBSE); House In-charge, organised science exhibitions **1994 – 1996**

HONOURS & RECOGNITION

- **District Best Principal Award**, Science Olympiad Foundation, 2019.
- **Aadarsh Pradhanacharya Puraskar**, Mahatma Gandhi Rashtrabhasha Hindi Prachar Sanstha, Pune, 2019.
- **CBSE/ICSE Pariksha Awards 2009**, Rachna Sagar Pvt. Ltd., honoured for students' examination performance.
- **State Youth Award 2002–03** (State and District levels), Government of Haryana, for outstanding voluntary work in developmental activities and social service; **Certificate of Merit for Best Youth Work**, Nehru Yuva Kendra, Rewari, Govt. of India (1995, 1999); **Outstanding Youth Organisation Award**, JAGRITI NGO (2002).

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

M.A. Education , Periyar University, Salem	2010	M.Ed. , Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak	1996
M.Phil. Zoology , Annamalai University	2006	B.Ed. , Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak	1993
M.Sc. Zoology , Annamalai University	1998	B.Sc. (Medical) , Maharshi Dayanand University	1992
Diploma in Naturopathy & Yoga • DAV Induction Programme for New School Heads (2017) • ICTRC Principals' Summits (2017, 2018) • NACO Nodal Officer Training			