## EFFECTIVE TEACHING STRATEGIES WORKSHOP CONDUCTED BY Dr. ANURADHA GOVIND



As they say "The curious mind is the learning mind" was the crux of this seminar. Teaching, as layman person thinks as just reading the content and explaining it to the other one is the very basic definition of teaching learning experience. Rather actually it is educating minds by means of being observant, curious, creative, effective communicator, dramatic and having reservoir of tricks, tools, methods, planning so that osmosis of all these can take place and students as a result lead towards holistic development.

It all starts with strong and positive purpose, a plan to achieve that, its long term and short term



milestones so
that one can
measure one's
 progress,
effective action
plan and most
 importantly
follow up. A
teacher also
needs to be allrounder herself/

himself to develop the overall personality of his/her students. She needs to think like an effective mother, life coach, counsellor, facilitator, value educator leader, academic skill expert. And once all these qualities are developed in a teacher he/she can be the transformational guru and that is a person having the power of changing the lives of students in an irreversible positive manner just like a sorcerer's stone which touches anything and turns it into gold.

This level is the ultimate, pinnacle for the teacher's life and every teacher must try to attain that and constantly work for it. And it all will start with self-awareness. Unless and until teachers knows themselves inside out , accepts their strength and weaknesses, and focuses on mitigating all the obstacles which will help them to connect better with students , win their confidence, redefine success for each child and guiding them towards it , they should not stop.

In the end ,it all starts with right intent and a teacher should always remember that, this path is never-ending as this is the path of learning.

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