

Tanaya Sharad Bhalerao: Transforming Rural Education with Global Vision

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With the noble vision of providing rural students the same modern, high-quality and competitive education available in cities, **K.D. Bhalerao Educational & Social Institution, Lakhmapur** has emerged as a model educational center in Nashik district. The institution runs **K.D. Bhalerao International School & Junior College**, where nearly **1,700 students** study from Nursery to Class XII (Science).

Education Rooted in Quality and Values

The school believes that education is not limited to textbooks alone. Equal importance is given to **discipline, moral values, sports, competitive examinations, and overall personality development**. Along with an experienced teaching staff, eminent guest speakers regularly guide students, strengthening their confidence and shaping their future.

The foundation of this institution was laid by **Chairman Prof. Sharad Kisan Bhalerao**, who overcame several financial and social challenges to build this educational complex. His farsighted leadership has turned the school into a symbol of quality education in rural Maharashtra.

Visionary Leadership of Principal Tanaya Bhalerao

A major force behind this success is **Principal Tanaya Sharad Bhalerao**. She works tirelessly for the academic, mental, and moral growth of students. Understanding the demands of the modern competitive world, she continuously introduces **innovative teaching methods and new learning practices** so that no student is left behind.

Focus on Mental Health and Parenting Awareness

Tanaya Bhalerao strongly emphasizes the importance of mental health along with academics. In the digital age, she has guided parents and students through her writing. She has authored three English books—“**Words of Thoughts,**” “**Words of Life,**” and “**Words for Parenthood.**”

Her book *Words for Parenthood* has also been translated into Marathi as “**Sujan Palakatva,**” which is proving to be a valuable guide for parents.

Innovative Educational Initiatives

To ensure holistic development, the school successfully implements several unique activities such as:

- Ideal morning assemblies
- Bag-free school concept

- Project-based learning
- Sports and art programs
- E-learning facilities
- Competitive exam coaching
- Field visits and activity-based education

Proud Achievements of Students

Many students from the institution are today working in prestigious positions, while several have made their mark abroad. Strengthening **English-medium education in rural areas** has been one of the biggest contributions of Tanaya Bhalerao. Inspired by the thoughts of Savitribai Phule, she is also actively involved in **women empowerment and social responsibility initiatives**.

Major Awards and Recognitions

- German Institute – Best School Award (2017–18)
- Nashik District Clean & Beautiful School Award
- Maharashtra Police Youth Parliament – First Rank
- Best Discipline School Award
- National Teacher Award
- Sakal Gaurav – Bhoomiputra Award
- Kshitija Women’s Honor
- Best Dedicated Woman Award
- Girna Gaurav Award
- Rotary Club – Special Women Award

A Journey Guided by Values

Principal Tanaya Bhalerao credits every success to the guidance of **Chairman Prof. Sharad Bhalerao**. She firmly believes that with the right direction, discipline, and positive mindset, rural students can achieve **global-level excellence**.

Under her leadership, **K.D. Bhalerao International School & Jr. College** continues to shape the future of thousands of young minds, proving that world-class education can flourish even in the heart of rural India.

Selected for Maharashtra’s Prestigious Awards

Recognizing her dedication and achievements, she has been selected for the prestigious “**Maharashtra Business Icon 2025 / Maharashtra Style Icon 2025 / Maharashtra Fashion Icon 2025**” awards.

This honour is being presented by **Reseal.in and India Fashion Icon Magazine**, celebrating Maharashtra’s emerging entrepreneurs and artists.

The selection marks a proud moment not only for her, but also for the entire region.

Presence of Renowned Film Personalities

The grand award ceremony will be graced by celebrated film personalities:

- **Ms. Varsha Usgaonkar (Bollywood Actress)**
- **Ms. Sonalee Kulkarni (Indian Actress)**

- **Ms. Prarthana Behere (Indian Actress)**

Event Hosted Under Expert Leadership

The event is organized under the leadership of **Mr. Sudhir Kumar Pathade**, Founder & CEO of Reseal.in (Sure Me Multipurpose Pvt. Ltd.), who continues to provide a national platform for Maharashtra's rising entrepreneurs, designers, and creative talent.

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