

## **Ten Point Oath for Teachers on “Teachers’ Day”**

(Administered by Hon Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, Our President)

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1. First and foremost, I will love teaching. Teaching will be my soul.
2. I realize that I am responsible for shaping not just students but ignited youth who are the most powerful resource under the earth, on the earth and above the earth. I will be fully committed to the great mission of teaching.
3. I will consider myself to be a great teacher only when I am capable of elevating the average student to the high performance.
4. I will organize and conduct my life, in such a way that my life itself is a message for my students.
5. I will encourage my students and children to ask questions and develop the spirit of enquiry, so that they blossom into creative enlightened citizens.
6. I will treat all the students equally and will not support any differentiation on account of religion, community or language.
7. I will continuously build the capacities in teaching so that I can impart quality education to my students.
8. I realize by being a teacher, I am making an important contribution to the efforts of national development.
9. I will constantly endeavour to fill my mind, with great thoughts and spread the nobility in thinking and action among my students.
10. I will always celebrate the success of my students.

My best wishes to all the teachers in their mission of making learning a pleasurable phenomenon for the students.

May God bless you.

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President