

ROLE OF A TEACHER IN THE TEACHING LEARNING PROCESS

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Abstract

With the teacher, the whole society expects and thus we often hear several formulas to be followed by the teacher. In practice the only thing which a teacher need is the commitment. It is this commitment which bestows in him the leadership, self-confidence and readiness with the zeal of selfless actions. The role of a teacher expected from the society, state, Nation and the world is much more and only a committed teacher can satisfy it because a committed teacher is the combination of all the said roles, duties and responsibility.

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Teaching is not everybody's cup of tea. Teacher means a person who is talented, efficient, adorable, courteous, honest, exemplary and reliable. Obviously when teacher is defined as above then they have a key role and the whole society expects a lot from them. In such situation it is often heard about several formulas as such 3H, 4P, 5D, 6F etc. to be followed by the teacher which differs from person to person and expert to expert. Practically, what teacher needs is the commitment. It is this commitment which bestows in him the leadership, self-confidence and readiness with the zeal of selfless actions.

This article stresses upon commitment because it insists on performance of duty with responsibility, love and affection. Needless to say, duty; duty with responsibility; and duty with responsibility, love and affection entirely gives different output and the last one gives the best. The expectations from the teacher by the society, state, nation could be satisfied only with the committed teachers.

What is commitment?

According to the dictionary, *Commitment means to duty or pledge to something or someone, and can refer to, interaction dominated by obligations. These obligations may be mutual, or self-imposed, or explicitly stated, or may not.*

Commitment includes having a sound set of beliefs as well faithful adherence to those beliefs with your behaviour. It is persistence with a purpose which is important than life and death. It is training the mind, body and soul with a particular idea or ideology for a noble cause and thus turn it a part of behaviour and action.

Teacher and Commitment

Effective teacher is a committed teacher with lots of commitments. The first, and most basic, of these is a commitment to a set of values, principles or beliefs. These underlying principles define both the organization's uniqueness and the fundamental direction in which he wants to head. It leads to a common vision and purpose within the organization.

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The second commitment is to oneself, to how one act as a leader. An effective teacher possesses a strong sense of personal integrity and self-confidence. Another side to this commitment is a deliberate emphasis on continual self-improvement.

The combination of a strong, positive commitment to self and to a set of principles serves as a foundation to effectively maintain the remaining four commitments. These commitments are to: Students, Parents, School which constitute a Society, State, Nation and the World.

Commitment of a Teacher: Society is usually thought of as a group of people around oneself who needs your service. Teacher has a commitment to the Society i.e. Students, Parents, School. Teacher is committed to the Students to give the best i.e. develop a child into a civilized human. Commitment to student is treating student with respect, challenging them, and giving them effective feedback on how they are doing and manifesting the divinity and the perfection in them.

Commitment to the Society - students, parents and institution: Teacher commits the students to give them the best future and prepare them for the life and commit the parents to give an ideal child, a person to lead his life and his dependants with values, morals, pride and satisfaction. Teacher commits the school to deliver the civilized and cultured human with a great name and fame. Thus, a teacher commits the Society to turn a man into a social man, a human with humanistic approach.

Commitment to the State: All teachers are committed to State. Given the large number of demands placed on all of us, it is important to concentrate on achieving the most important goals and objectives. Teacher commits the state to give a worthy creative noble citizen who will contribute to the development of the state and feel proud about.

Commitment to the Nation and world: The final leadership commitment is to the Nation and the world. Nation deals with the feeling of Nationalism and Motherly affection. Teacher commits the Nation for the same to be developed and the world for Peace, feeling for others, eco-friendliness and International Brotherhood.

Teacher should be a friend, philosopher and a guide, a role model, a dedicated, devoted Personality with readiness, efficiency, honesty, patience, perseverance, Knowledge of teaching-learning process, current affairs & recent development, different methods, techniques, approaches, knowledge of psychology & various languages and subjects and an ignited mind, body and soul. He should have a combined approach of idealism, pragmatism, naturalism and realism and be a humanistic with a sole aim of the development of the child. He should be a good face reader, mild, soft, kind, gentle, polite, cool and kind person striving for the development of the child. He should be an inspirer with love, affection and emancipation, with effective speech, leadership, determined face and mind, and full of ability and potential. He should be unbiased, disciplined and practice discipline for peace and Integrity. He should have an all-round development, with novelty in ideas and thoughts, intelligent, creative, quality oriented. He should be a motivator with smiling face and positive attitude. He should be a responsible and duty-oriented person with values, morals and culture. He should be away of all the isms else than

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humanism. He should take the failure of the student as his failure and give the live examples especially related to his drawbacks and derive positive results from the same.

Conclusion

Whereas commitment is all about bearing an established sound set of beliefs acceptable to the society and its adherence to them, it is well demonstrated by patience, perseverance, determination, persistence, focussing on what adds value and taking the risk to make changes. The real test of commitment is holding oneself against all odds or moving on the pre-determined path against the easy choices. It is not about committing to others, it's all about commitment to oneself. You get only if you are willing to give it. Commit yourself and be a best teacher. To be a super power is in our hand provided we prepare the best citizen with wisdom.

As you take so shall you feel.

As you give so shall you get.