

INTERVIEW



Dr. N. N. Pandey

Principal

Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College (Malad)

- How would you describe your role as Principal?

“If we teach today's students as we taught yesterday's, we rob them of tomorrow” says the great educationist John Dewey. Keeping in mind the changing times, the changing technologies and the

mindsets of the present youth; we aim to provide our students with the best teaching-learning atmosphere. Our faculty is committed towards awakening the creativity of our youth – be it in the field of academics, sports or the cultural. The curricular and extra-curricular activities that we provide our students every year are a continuous process towards providing our young minds with opportunities that **“widen their horizons and inflame their intellect”**.

- What are the challenges you face as Principal?

Yes, I am designated as Principal but 60% of my time is spent in administrative duties pacifying parents, students, faculty, administrative staff, various government officials at every level and the good and bad elements of society.

- Besides Education, what are you passionate about?

My dream was to join the Union Public Service, but that was not to be. I came to Bombay and joined K.P.B.Hinduja College of Commerce where I taught for 29 years with great passion. Today, when I see the less fortunate Senior Citizens in the vicinity my heart goes out to them. On a monthly basis we have an interaction on the College premises. You could think of it as Seniors Day Out. I am of the strong opinion that it's my bounding duty to give back something constructive to society so once I finish off with my responsibility as Principal my next journey would begin.

**Sir, We wish you all the very best in your present position
and for the future too. Thank you.**



**Thanking and felicitating
the Principal of
Prahladrai Dalmia Lions College**

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