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MESSAGE

The birth anniversary of our former President Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, a philosopher, an educationist and an illustrious teacher, is celebrated every year as Teachers' Day on 5th September.

Teachers' Day is a special day on which we honour the practitioners of one of the noblest professions – a profession whose core value is to give the light of knowledge.

A teacher is a role model who shows students the way to become good human beings and infuses a goal and a mission for life in them. It is the teacher who moulds the lives of students and contributes to enhancing quality of life in society. Society should therefore appreciate and acknowledge the service rendered by the teaching profession and give them respect.

On this day, teachers should resolve to take up the responsibility of developing in our children the spirit of inquiry, creativity and moral leadership.

On this occasion, I extend my greetings and felicitations to all the teachers of our nation and wish them every success.

Pratibha Patil

(Pratibha Devisingh Patil)

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