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92, S.P.MUKHERJEE ROAD, KOLKATA - 26

CELEBRATES 159th Birth Anniversary of SWAMI VIVEKANANDA



Swami Vivekananda (1863-1902) led India out of her spiritual morass, awakening the nation to the realities of the modern age, while at the same time, reminding us and the world about our glorious heritage.

Vivekananda believed in the immense potential of education. He believed that “education which does not help the common mass of people to equip themselves for the struggle for life, which does not bring out strength of character, a spirit of philanthropy, and the courage of a lion” is never real education.

“Real education is that which enables one to stand on one’s own legs.” He viewed education as a secular approach to character building.

Swamiji strongly advocated the need of motivation, goal-setting, and teamwork. He emphasized that the youth need to work together for a better tomorrow. With a strong faith in our youth, Swamiji said,

“Whatever you think, that you will be. If you think yourselves weak, weak you will be; if you think yourselves strong, strong you will be.” He believed that we must first learn to dream big in order to succeed. He said, “Seek for the highest, aim at that highest, and you shall reach the highest...Let positive, strong, helpful thoughts come to our minds from all sides.” In a world struggling through a pandemic for the last two years, Vivekananda’s words remind us that we must keep our hopes alive, believe that we shall overcome and commit ourselves to the service of others in these times of crisis.

His clarion call to the youth was-

“Work - work incessantly, Do your very best and leave the results to God.”

Since 1985, the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda has been celebrated as

“National Youth Day” in India.

Let us unite in paying tribute to one of India's greatest sons on his birth anniversary.

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