#### **EXTENDED PROFILE**

#### INTRODUCTION

Shri Laxmandas Pitambardas Raval Education Trust's Shri L.P Raval College of Education and Research, Mira Road, Thane was established in 2006. Shri L.P Raval Education Trust was established in 1997 and is registered as a Charitable Trust to promote the noble cause of education. With an English Medium School - The Royal English High School (1997), a Junior College - Shri L.P Raval Junior College of Commerce and Science (2003); College of Education - Shri L. P. Raval College of Education and Research (2006); Degree College of Commerce Shri L.P Raval College of Mass Media and Management Studies (BAF, BMS, BMM, B.Sc Hospitality.)

Today the dreams of our founder Shri Surendra L. Raval are further fulfilled by sustained efforts of our visionary and professional management, dedicated team of administrators and qualified and experienced teaching staff have metamorphosised the L.P Raval Education Trust into 'Centre of Excellence' in Education in a commendable short span of time. Raval College of Education is affiliated to University of Mumbai. It is a self-financed, co-education institution and is recognised by the National Council for Teacher Education, envisions revolutionising the field of education by making it more holistic through interdisciplinary innovations and multidisciplinary values. Our motive as an institution of higher learning is to provide a wide range of choices in Graduate and Postgraduate education with a commitment to excellence in teaching-learning and fulfilling a long standing requirement of the community. The institution has provided the B.Ed programme since 2006, under University of Mumbai. Our commitment to quality is reflected in excellent results. We have trained and nurtured more than 1,800 students. They are well placed in various institutions, lead the educational organisations and also run their own schools and other educational enterprises. Our students participate actively in intra and intercollegiate events and competitions, community services, outreach programmes.

# **VISION:**

# To revolutionize the field of education by making it more holistic through innovations and multidisciplinary values.

To revolutionize the field of education and make it more holistic, it is important to introduce innovations and embrace a multi-disciplinary approach. This approach goes beyond traditional subject-based learning and focuses on developing well-rounded individuals who are equipped with a diverse skill set and knowledge base.

The TEI tries to achieve this by incorporating innovative teaching methods and technologies into the learning process. This includes the use of interactive digital platforms along with the traditional methods of teaching. The aim is not only to enhance students' engagement and motivation but also provide personalized learning experiences tailored to their individual needs and learning styles.

In addition, fostering a multi-disciplinary approach can further contribute to a holistic education. This involves integrating different subject areas and encouraging students to think critically and make connections across disciplines. For example, instead of studying subjects in isolation, students can explore real-world problems from multiple perspectives and incorporate knowledge from various fields to develop comprehensive solutions.

The TEI lays special emphasis on ensuring that the trainee teachers incorporate the concept of correlation among various subjects while teaching a topic that ultimately reflects the depth of their understanding of the respective pedagogy. This in turn leads to developing critical thinking, problem-solving, and creativity skills.

Moreover, innovation in education is when teaching is taken beyond the realms of intelligence and made to dive in the waters of social-emotional development of students as also values like inclusivity, diversity, and global citizenship.

The TEI strategizes how it can better prepare students for the challenges of the future and empower them to become well-rounded individuals who can contribute positively to society.

#### MISSION:

To create professional nurturers who will cater to the awakening and enlightenment of the Cognitive, Affective and Psychomotor domains of the future world citizens who will in turn make the world a heaven and haven for all.

The mission is to cultivate a generation of professional nurturers who will focus on the holistic development of individuals in order to create a future society that is awakened, enlightened, and supportive for all its citizens. This mission encompasses the development of three important domains: Cognitive, Affective, and Psychomotor.

## 1. Cognitive Domain:

The professional nurturers will prioritize the enhancement of cognitive abilities in individuals. They will foster critical thinking, problem-solving skills, and the ability to analyze and evaluate information.

### 2. Affective Domain:

The development of the affective domain involves nurturing emotional intelligence, empathy, and compassion. By fostering an emotionally intelligent society, future world citizens will be capable of building strong relationships, resolving conflicts, and being compassionate towards one another.

## 3. Psychomotor Domain:

The psychomotor domain focuses on physical and practical skills development. Professional nurturers will provide opportunities for individuals to engage in activities that enhance physical coordination, dexterity, and productivity. By developing psychomotor skills, future world citizens will be equipped with the ability to pursue their passions, contribute to their communities, and become self-sufficient.

The professional nurturers are the key facilitators in this vision. The TEI trains them in various disciplines such as education, psychology, counselling, and coaching. By having a deep understanding of human development and learning processes, they will be able to design and implement effective programs and interventions tailored to the unique needs of each individual. They will also serve as mentors, guides, and role models, supporting individuals in their journey towards awakening and enlightenment.

Ultimately, the aim is to create a world where every citizen has the opportunity to grow and thrive in all aspects of their being.