

Ms. Deepmala

Ms. Deepmala, Assistant Professor, NCERT since 2010. Her work profile comprises of various roles including research, training, teaching and development of materials. She has been involved as faculty and coordinated in the one year Diploma in Guidance and Counselling, run by the department. She has worked independently as well as in collaboration with others on a wide range of projects whereby giving inputs through addressing critical educational issues. She was also involved as expert in the nationwide training programme 'National Resource person for the NISHTHA (National Initiative for school Heads' and Teachers' Holistic advancement for integrated teacher training programme for school leaders and elementary teachers) apart from this she has also coordinated/ resource person in Training of Teacher educators, enrichment and capacity building programmes etc. Her inputs in the area of mental health and well-being are seen in the role as resource person in helplines, and sessions, on forums like Sahyog, NCERT Official (YouTube) etc.

Her research has been in the areas of promoting the adjustment and well-being of the students. Her primary research areas include "*A Study on Conflict Resolution Styles Amongst Adolescents*", and "*A Study on Student Engagement of Students Enrolled Through Age-Appropriate Admissions Under RTE-2009*". Her Masters dissertation "*Toward an Understanding of Dyslexia in Bilinguals: Reading, Spelling and Comprehension Skills*" was focused on finding interventions to help the children with reading disability. She also has received training in Neuro-Linguistic Programming and Hypnotherapeutic techniques for counselling.