## Developing Effective Teaching and Facilitating Skills

A one day Faculty Development Programme was organised by Aggarwal College Ballabgargh on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2018 for teaching staff of the college on the topic 'Developing Effective Teaching and Facilitating Skills'. The Keynote speakers of the workshop were Acharya Sandeep (Deputy Secretary Vanprashth Sadhak Ashram, Rojad, Gujarat and Deputy Secretary Vedic Adyatmiv Nayas, Rojad, Gujarat), and Mr. Balbir Singh Malik (Member Governing Body, Gurukul Indraprastha, Faridabad).

Principal Dr. Krishan Kant delivered the Inaugural Address in which he stressed on the development of thoughts, creativity and Intellect rather than on biological development of body which is natural. He also said that development of faculties of our body requires efforts and congenial environment. He emphasised on the social acceptance of a person which is more important than educational degrees. He further added that development of faculties helps one to understand other's feelings. He wished all the teachers on the occasion of Eid and said that teachers should have a secular outlook as befitting their profession.

Mr. Balbir Malik in his address said that one should not allow materialism and sensual pleasures to overtake one's mind and soul.

Acharya Sandeep in his address considered teachers as torchbearers of humanity who alone can educate mankind through knowledge of body and soul and help in spiritual upliftment and character building. He exhorted all to explore different dimensions of student's personality. The programme was interactive and was conducted in 2 technical sessions which concluded with Valedictory Ceremony.