

# Tagore's educational philosophy and value formula

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## SUMMARY

*"Satyam Shivam Sundaram is the fact that education, philosophy and values are images of humanity, in which the reflection of the individual's personality is created. In the present context, education, philosophy and values are synonymous with each other. Words have different meanings, different meanings and nature, but being a 'whole human' is not complete without them. The sun of brilliance, the moon of greatness, and the innumerable stars of honor depend upon the above principles. Only then the 'human' can muster the courage to fly high in success. And the pole can shine like a star." This is the living mantra of Tagore" ie om bwomdamantamejjavhatmanjeemd loom ntmhatmanj pad ninundpajalwhich is the living path of inspiration-divine philosophy.*

## Foreword –

Talent or virtues cannot be kept hidden for a long time because there is a possibility of social and national harm in it. Immense divine power is hidden in human. There is a need to identify and explore it. The people who recognized it and expressed it in their work and behavior were able to establish their supremacy in the society and country and abroad and were successful in making their existence immortal. He also had to face many struggles in reaching the peak from zero and becoming a great man from human, but he became Kundan by penance in it. Rabindranath Tagore's name is known in such a wonderful personality. And grew up in a very educated family. His father Debendranath Tagore was a famous social reformer, scholar, lover of culture and a spiritual person. Tagore ji was a solar system of versatility. Angel, son of nature, educationist, pioneer of music-culture, creator of philosophy, values, literature etc. is such a great personality of the creator that it is impossible to describe in words.

Man has been a thinking creature since the beginning, this thinking is the root of philosophy, no matter how ancient a thought is, its usefulness never ends. There is an inevitable relationship between education and philosophical thinking. Philosophy determines the goal of our life. Education is the means to achieve that goal. Rabindranath Tagore was a great philosopher and educationist of the modern era. Made a significant contribution in the field of Indian education through his original and new ideas. On the basis of his Indian culture, he not only laid the foundation of Indian education, but later also established the ideals of East and West in a new form in education. The place of Mahakavi Kalidas in Sanskrit literature, the place of poet Kul Chudamani Tulsidas in Hindi literature, the same place is of Rabindranath Tagore in Bengal literature. Due to these great works of his, Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi honored him with the title of 'Gurudev'.

## Origin of education philosophy by Tagore ji:-

Literature writing is the mother of education principles, on the basis of which, according to time and circumstances, innovative ideas in philosophy and values start to emerge. Cover ensures. The world of education, philosophy and values is included in the literature, based on the story 'Parrot' in the session 1924, education philosophy values were born, focusing on all the elements of the story, then the time-calculation from the present to the future was obtained. can go. It is said that literature is the mirror of the society. On the basis of this point of view, Tagore ji discovered the values of philosophy in education. 'Kabuliwala', 'Bhikari', 'Precious gift', 'Orphan', 'Unfamiliar', 'Avgunthan', 'Kanchan', 'Pashani', 'New Light', 'Wife's letter', 'Last love' etc. Education is the source of principles. Glimpses of



Rabindranath Tagore's educational philosophy values were clearly visible in his writings such as 'Shiksha' (1908), 'Shanti-Niketan', 'Brahmacharya Ashram', 'Ashram Rerrup Wo Vikas' and 'Vishwa Bharati' etc. Gives, therefore it will not be an exaggeration to say a classical educationist. Because the light of words is twinkling like a star in the whole earth. According to Tagore, "True education consists in making use of every piece of useful knowledge accumulated, in knowing the true nature of that part and in building a true ashram for life." -Philosophy refers to principles which is reflected in word-2.

### Meaning of education: According to Tagore:-

Tagore used the word education in a 'wider sense', he wrote in his book 'Chmtevadanspajal'. "The highest education is that which harmonizes our life with the whole of creation. By the whole of creation, Tagore means all things, moving and immovable, inert and animate, animate and inanimate, in the world. Our life can be in harmony with these things only when all our powers are fully developed and reach the highest point. This is what Tagore has called humanity.

### Education-philosophy value of Rabindranath Tagore:-

The timeless words derived from Rabindranath Tagore's literary practice and cultural heritage are education-philosophy and values. Values are the cornerstone of education and philosophy. Which adorns the behavior and value of a person, their presence in human life only shows the difference between animal and human. A person feels incomplete in the absence of any one. Education itself is a value, education is for culture. 'Vidya Dadati Vinayam' or 'Shraddhavan Labhate Gyanam' these sayings are the identity of cultured and well-educated; philosophy is a balanced point of education and value, only then we do mathematical assessment from philosophy and keep trying to prove mathematical assessment. It would be necessary to clarify the meaning of the word value. Value is basically a moral concept. It is such a basis that makes us understand what is right and wrong. Values are the normative criteria, on the basis of which human choice process is affected, and they choose different actions according to their perception.

In simple words, value is not a new thing or idea but a strong spiritual will, what we respect, want, or consider important, that is the value. The garden of songs has values like worship, love, nature, strange. So somewhere there is a heritage of objective values in the titles like 'Nauka Doobi', 'Kabuliwala', 'Post Office', 'Upahar', 'Kashmakash' and Kashuchit Pashan (but), only then the directions of human life become alive as a result. Each work and creation, despite being a peacock, makes the living depiction stand up to education-philosophy-value, due to which there is a direct feeling. This is the motivational science of honorable structure. It is the source of inspiration for our behavior. Whether it is a divine gift or a human creation, education-philosophy-value is visible in both. This is the central meaning of education.

### Educational thought thinking:-

Born in the lap of nature, culture and culture, Rabindranath Tagore expressed educational ideas based on the story 'Parrot' which points towards building an educationist. Education is the process of acquiring knowledge, proper conduct, technical skill, learning etc. Education includes knowledge, proper conduct and technical proficiency, teaching and learning, thus it focuses on the cultivation of skills, trades, or professions and the cultivation of the mental, moral, and aesthetic. This thinking is the root of philosophy. No matter how ancient a thought is, its usefulness never ends.

Gurudev expressed his experiences in the form of educational ideas which are as follows-

- Yatra Vishwam BhavatyekNidak
- Indian Education – initiation of human creation



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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bond of nature and love</li> <li>• Rise of innate power</li> <li>• Social public opinion</li> <li>• Essentiality of mother tongue</li> <li>• Human feelings and love</li> <li>• Novelty and Originality</li> <li>• Indian independence</li> <li>• Foundation stone of Indian culture</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Concept of independence</li> <li>• Coordinating real life situations</li> <li>• Creative Consciousness</li> <li>• Divine experiments of simplicity and poverty</li> <li>• Primacy of Karma</li> <li>• Rule and Freedom</li> <li>• Belief in the spontaneity of life</li> <li>• Interaction between nature and humans</li> </ul> |
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Undoubtedly, it can be said that Tagore ji has expected to provide educational thought through curriculum, teacher, student, teaching methods, discipline and school.

### Philosophical thinking of Tagore ji:-

The word Darshan is derived from the root of Sanskrit "Drishyate Yatharth Tatvamanen" which means that through which one can experience the Reality, that is Darshan. The literal meaning of the English word philosophy is "affection for knowledge". In the broadest sense, philosophy is a way of looking at things, nature and man towards its rise and goal, a powerful belief about life, which sets it apart from others who hold it. That's why we get to see the philosophical ideologies found in Tagore's life. Which are written below-

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Idealism</li> <li>• Naturalism</li> <li>• Realism</li> <li>• Pragmatism</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Democracy</li> <li>• Humanism</li> <li>• Universalism</li> </ul> |
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Tagore's philosophy is an excellent combination of Indian spiritual worldview philosophy, naturalism and humanism. He believed in the existence of God and soul. He was an idealist. He considered nature to be real. He believed in the abode of God in the beauty of nature. He was influenced by the Upanishads and believed that the soul performs three functions. (1) To sensitize and inspire man for self-preservation (2) To seek knowledge and science (3) To contribute to the understanding and realization of God who is infinite and eternal.

Rabindranath Tagore ji has given birth to a new definition of philosophy with his thinking, meditation and insight. He did not choose words for definition, but made philosophy come alive through music, literature and his talent. Converted great thinking, foresight and subtle into broad outlook. Today our generation is identified with milestones in the form of guidelines whose thoughts are still present in Yuvavadam. as written below-

Thoughts related to 'mind'

Thoughts related to 'God'

Thoughts related to 'soul'

Ideology related to 'religion'

Thoughts related to 'meditation'

Ideology related to 'Kam Bhavana'

Rabindranath Tagore himself has propounded the basic principles of education philosophy. Because he was a great visionary. He researched all the principles of education. Tagore arranged education from Shantiniketan according to his philosophy. At this time, Rabindranath said in his thoughts that "I have in mind the image of an ideal school in such a way that it should be a part of the home and the soil where education should be a part of the life of worship." I have chosen this place, far away from the din of the city, resounding with the memory of religious life and spending the day in the company of God.

**Rabindranath Tagore Human Values Thoughts:-**

Values are being analyzed in Tagore ji's education philosophy and it is being indicated that through value education, we can prepare such a generation which is self-reliant through labor culture, can raise voice against corruption and indolence, casteism. To build a democratic society by rising above class discrimination and communalism, therefore there is a need for education philosophy as well as values. In fact, values are those that individuals can see. In the literal sense, this is the value of Tansanam. Tansanam is the Latin language word Valier which means merit, usefulness and importance, which emerges as an objective in Rabindra Shiksha Darshana. That's why purpose and ideals are dominant in various values of human life. If we think deeply about value then we can say that value is that which fulfills human desire. Why should human desires be fulfilled? The answer would be that in order to live, desires have to be fulfilled, but why do we want to live? In answer to this, we will tell some goals or objectives of our life for which we live, one person does it for the practice of art, another does it for the search of truth and the third one does it for attaining God. Self-values are considered fundamental, because they are the objectives of man, they are the means to achieve those objectives, which are 'value', the value of the value depends on the value of the objective, if the objective is valuable, then it is the means to achieve it. Tagore's philosophy of education also appears as the basis of the following points from value orientations.

**classification of values:-**

Intrinsic value- (the basis of desire values)

Extrinsic and superficial (values are not in the knowledge or the seer but in the object)

**Classification of roots according to Allport and Vernon**

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| a) Theoretical Value | d) Political value  |
| b) Economic Value    | e) Aesthetic Value  |
| c) Social Value      | f) Religious Values |

**Classification of value according to J.E. Turner**

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| a) Tangible Value | b) Intangible Value |
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**Classification of moles according to Golight Lee**

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| a) Required Value | b) Functional Value |
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**Classification of Mules according to W. Atban****1) Biological Value**

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| a) physical value | b) economic value | c) recreational value |
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**2) Social Value**

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| a) Character Values | b) associative value |
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**3) Parabiotic Value**

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| a) intellectual value | b) religious values | c) aesthetic value |
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- Indian Price
- Important place of Sat Chit Anand
- Experience of God is the ultimate goal of life
- Lower position of material things in comparison to spiritual values
- Human service is the true God service.

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- The spirit of Vasudev Kutumbakam

**Value based on attitude**

Positive values – non-violence, peace, patience

Realizable value

Negative values- violence, injustice, lust

Sadhana Value

Purpose based value

**Conclusion:-**

Rabindranath Tagore was an educationist with body, mind and wealth, that's why he kept trying to establish a balance between philosophy and values with the scales of principles to shine the form of education. Because the philosophy of education is able to provide timeless direction in the life cycle, that's why through Shanti Niketan, Shiksha Satra, Sri Niketan, Vishwabharati expressed the thoughts, imagination, and contemplation hidden in his mind temple and innovation in the field of education by many explorations. In the present scenario, proper education is our need. The experience gained of educational ideas led to new treatment, due to the coordination of philosophy and values, good manners in different stages of life, changes in thoughts, improvement and improvement in the educational background seemed to increase in assimilation, and this change became an ideal citizen of India. Create a history of glory.

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