

## **CHALLENGING TRADITIONAL EDUCATION SYSTEM WITH OUTCOMES BASED EDUCATION**

Transformation has become a new variant – as we move advancing, the traditional education system loses its significance fast. Skill sets in call are remodeling as new job opportunities in the market are coupled with technological advancement, it puts a threat on the present system.

Hence, it is the need of the hour which wants educational institutions to change their outlines. The world now requires no absolute professionals in specific, it calls for graduates who are agile, adaptive and adept of surviving with the ever-changing demands of the industry. It appeals for life-long learners and it calls for a standard move in the way we instruct knowledge.

More than ever, it is imperative for these institutes to shift from the traditional education system to Outcome Based Education (OBE) system.

Traditional education emphasizes too much on what they explain rather than what their students learn – OBE, on the other hand, highlights learner-centric approach. It focuses on the real-world applicability of education – what the student takes away at the completion of a session or a course is more vital than what or how something is imparted. OBE is a liberal model that involves the reshuffling of curriculum, pedagogy and assessment practices to replicate the attainment of high-order education rather than mere gathering of course credits.

The purpose of our education scheme is to make learners for life. The focus of outcome-based approach is as much on the method of learning and the final outcome as on the knowledge, proficiency and outlook. For any education system to be effective, we need quality in its three components – content, pedagogy and assessment – and continuous improvement strategy is the key to success. OBE requires a mind shift in the curriculum procedure in addition to conveyance and evaluation methodology in a way that permits learners for accomplishment of the outcomes.