

Jayant Hari Har Lal, a product of The Doon School and of the IIT at Kanpur started his career as a Marketing Engineer and moved on to being an entrepreneur. He set up a very successful engineering unit at Dehra Dun and gradually moved towards his passion – teaching. After 7 years of voluntary teaching at his alma mater – The Doon School, he became a full time faculty member there teaching Maths and Physics. He has been a Housemaster and Deputy Headmaster at The Doon School and then was Founder Principal of the Sanskaar Valley School in Bhopal. He hung up his boots as Director Development at The Doon School in 2011 and is now engaged as an Education Consultant.

He is an avid reader, a sportsman having played competitive Basketball, Squash & Golf. Widely travelled he now lives in Dehra Dun and Delhi.

In his consultancy career, he has been an advisor to the Sehwag International School helping with the modification and restructuring of their academic programmes: was advisor and Senior Executive Director to the Shri Ram Education Trust where he led the program of setting up green field education projects. The task here ranged from identification of properties to starting and running of schools. The established projects are in Gurgaon, Rohtak, Agra, Indore, Patna, Siliguri, Dehra Dun, Bangalore, Ujjain, Khajuraho, Delhi and Tarapur. He recently worked on a schools' improvement program in a 45 year old Delhi school. He is currently engaged as a Board member and Executive Director to three of the recently established schools in Mumbai, Khajuraho and Dehra Dun. In addition to this, he is assisting a few organisations in greenfield school projects and has recently started advising a new premium school in Kathmandu.

Mr. Jayant Lal is an Honorary Member of Round Square International which is an organisation of over 100 schools worldwide. He is also a member of Global Connections which has senior school leaders from around the world as members. He participates in education conferences and meetings attached to these organisations. He was recently invited to a leading school in Austin, Texas as a 'visiting scholar in residence'. He was the keynote speaker at their prestigious Martin Luther King Day. In addition he has visited and spoken at schools in different parts of India and abroad.

Recently, Mr. Jayant Lal has been nominated as a board member and co chair of the School Member Committee of AFS India – an international organisation with a presence in 99 countries and has it's Head Quarters in USA. AFS India has over 90 schools as members in India alone.