

# Sakshi Excellence Awards 2018

## CATEGORY: EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

Name of the Winner: MS. PERAVALI GAYATRI  
(Head-mistress, Zilla Parishad High School for Boys)

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Mahabubnagar

## PROFILE:

Peravali Gayatri was born in Wanaparthy in 1973 and was afflicted by congenital blindness. In 1978, she was admitted in Darul-Shifa blind school, Hyderabad. Despite her disability, she worked tirelessly towards realizing her dreams, surmounting all odds. Currently, she is working as a Gazetted Head Mistress in ZPHS (boys), Wanaparthy.

The school has 1234 students, 40 teaching staff members and 10 members of the non-teaching staff.

## AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS:

- P. Gayatri created a record in both the Telugu states by being the first Gazetted Head Mistress to have overcome her disability.
- With the support of her peer teachers and students, she performs her duties successfully with a sense of commitment and dedication.
- Gayatri motivates the school alumni to contribute to improving the facilities and infrastructure of the school.
- Gayatri was awarded District Best Woman Award by the District collector in 2016 and the District Best Woman Award by Telangana Jagruthi in 2016.
- She was also recognized for her contribution to the education department in the Golden Jubilee Celebrations at Neradagam, Mahabubnagar District.