Javadekar to open Isha School’s annual conference

Coimbatore: The Union HRD minister, Mr. Prakash Javadekar and Andhra Pradesh HRD minister, Ghana Srinivas Rao would inaugurate ‘Isha Vidhya’s first annual conference on November 5 at Isha Yoga Center here. The conference titled, ‘Innovating India’s Schooling’, a gathering of India’s best minds in education is focused on reviving and transforming India's primary education landscape. Jaggi Vasudev, the founder of the Isha Foundation will also be present at the event. The grand event will mark the 10th anniversary of Isha Vidhya’s work in transforming the rural landscape. The conference will be attended by 700 noted educationists and policy makers along with teachers, school heads, CSR managers and NGO representatives, to innovate India’s education system with the objectives of nurturing modern thinking without losing sight of the traditional wisdom and diversity of India; addressing the unique needs of India in the 21st century; and focusing on promoting India’s growth story and leveraging its youth capital, said the release issued by the foundation. The conference has a panel of speakers like Professor J.S. Rajput, former director, National Council of Educational Research and Training; Dr R.S. Praveen Kumar, IPS, secretary, Telangana Social Welfare Residential Educational Institutions Society, and Professor H. Devaraj, former vice-chairman, University Grants Commission.