

## **Biosketch of Prof. Ravi Toteja**

Prof. Ravi Toteja, is the officiating principal of AND college. He is also one of the accomplished Professors of Zoology department of this college. Prof. Toteja has done his graduation in Zoology (Honours) and Post-graduation with specialization in Cell Biology from University of Delhi. He did his MPhil in Tumor Immunology and Ph.D. in Molecular Parasitology from University of Delhi. He has been teaching Cell and Molecular Biology and Immunology since 2000. He is working on biodiversity of ciliates, stress response in ciliates and DNA barcoding of ciliates for species identification. He has several research papers published in peer-reviewed journals. He has attended several National and International Conferences to present his research findings. He has also authored books Textbook of Biotechnology, Textbook of Immunology and a Cell Biology Practical Manual. Besides, he has authored several chapters for ILLI and NSDL. He is a life member of Indian Parasitology and member of Association of Teachers in Biological Sciences. He was awarded with Meritorious Teachers' award in 2017 by Government of Delhi.