

**GD Goenka Skills**, part of **GD Goenka Group**, An education conglomerate having over 150 schools nationwide has announced strategic partnerships with industry giants JSW, Spark Minda, and Havells etc to implement impactful skill development programs across India. These initiatives are part of it's continued commitment to contributing towards the Government of India's "Skill India" and "Viksit Bharat" missions through industry-aligned skilling programs.

GD Goenka Skills is executing the **Eklavya Skill Training Program** across North India in collaboration with JSW, targeting fabricators, masons, and engineers—particularly from underserved backgrounds—by providing them with technical training, hands-on practicals, and workplace readiness skills to enhance employability and create a pipeline of industry-ready professionals for India's growing infrastructure and manufacturing sectors.

In partnership with Spark Minda, it is implementing a **Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)** training program under PMKVY 4.0 to up-skill and certify the existing semi-skilled workforce in the automotive and manufacturing sectors, helping workers gain formal recognition for their skills, bridge competency gaps, and elevate their career growth opportunities in line with national standards and NSDC guidelines.

It is also the executing partner for Havells India Ltd.'s national-level **Electricians Training Program**, designed to equip electricians with updated technical knowledge, safety protocols, and smart electrical system expertise, rolled out in multiple states through the university's robust training infrastructure and expert faculty to ensure quality delivery and measurable outcomes, creating a future-ready pool of certified electrical professionals.

Speaking on the initiative, MD Nipun Goenka, GD Goenka Group, stated: "These partnerships reflect our vision to create a transformative impact in the skill development ecosystem. By collaborating with forward-looking companies like JSW, Spark Minda, and Havells, we are not only training individuals but helping shape a skilled India equipped for global competitiveness."

These programs reaffirm **GD Goenka Group's** position as a trusted learning and development partner for corporates across India, as the university continues to expand its skilling initiatives through academic excellence, technological integration, and deep engagement with industry stakeholders.