Dr. Derek Cassells, the head of Maharishi School in England since its founding 23 years ago, explained the value of establishing a Consciousness-Based institution in this way:

"The atmosphere of a Consciousness-Based school is unique in everyone's experience. Teachers say that it doesn't matter how you feel when you get up in the morning, you feel better when you get into the school. One of the government inspectors, when evaluating the school, said 'this is the most harmonious group of teachers we've ever come across.'

"With Consciousness-Based Education, the MANAGEMENT of education is so easy and intuitive: when the pupils or students find learning a pleasure, the teacher naturally finds teaching a joy, resulting in the whole institution thriving, which is exactly what the Head teacher or Principal wants.

"Our academic achievements and prizes match the best selective independent schools in the UK; but our students also have an inner happiness and contentment, which is the basis for their success."