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HER STORY: *As the head of the C P Ramaswamy Aiyar Foundation, Dr Nanditha Krishna has conducted extensive research on the environment. Apart from this, she has published several works on iconography in the Indian context.*

HER TAKE ON INDEPENDENT INDIA: *Freedom to me means the freedom to think, write and make decisions without*



hurting people. Celebrating Independence Day with the children from Saraswati Kendra at the Grove School, is special to me. The Saraswati Kendra was established in 1985, to assist children with Attention Deficit Disorder, dyslexia and other special needs. Working with children of varying abilities gives me a sense of accomplishment. When I think about India I like to think of the time when one could spot tigers on the roads on the drive from Bangalore to Ooty. I miss the wild India, the India of the forests, where leopards could roam freely. I love the rivers... the Palar has now dried up... its waters are only knee-deep....