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News Letter

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Vision & Mission of Institute of Vocational Studies

The best form of human empowerment is education and with this vision, Institute of Vocational Studies is committed to provide quality education to all. To accomplish its goal, the IVS aims to provide mindfulness practices that can also improve students' academic life, besides, educating the socially backward and minority community. Here, at Institute of Vocational Studies, we believe in bringing excellence in all our endeavors. This initiative in future will act as a buffer against the depressive symptoms associated with discrimination and can help an individual express their character strength in a balanced way.



"There are no secrets to success. It is the result of preparation, hard work and learning from failure. We don't know what the future holds, so we must make this work"Colin Powell

From Principal's Desk.....

The newsletter in the hands of the reader is not just a tool to communicating departmental activities, but this is the progress bar of our commitment to the stakeholders. The newsletter *AYCON* is published bi-annually in an academic year conveying the success stories and events of Institute of Vocational Studies (Awadh Centre of Education). This newsletter is a medium to acknowledge the efforts of all those who contributed it directly or indirectly. Activities published in this edition are sufficient to express that IVS is progressing at an exponential rate and the credit and thanks go to the contribution and dedication of Management, Faculty Members, Non-teaching staff and students of ACE whose constant support shaped the newsletter in its final form.

As a Chief Editor, I express my deep gratitude to Mr. Abdul Khaliq, Chairman, Mr. Naushad Khalid, our Managing Trustee, Prof. (Dr.) Ilyas Husain, Director, ACE for giving me this opportunity to showcase the events apprehended in campus.

I congratulate the Team IVS for its sincerity and dedication to exhibit various festivities in guise of newsletter. This maiden issue of newsletter should inspire all of us for a new beginning enlighten with hope, confidence and faith in each other in the road ahead..... Happy Reading!

Dr. Mandira Gupta
Principal

**Educating
the mind
without
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World Paper Bag Day (12th July, 2021)

***The future will either be green or not at all.
~ Bob Brown.***

An online Paper Bag Making inter-college competition on the theme line “Less Plastic, More Life” was organized by Institute of Vocational Studies from 7th July to 9th July 2021, to celebrate World Paper Bag Day under the ace guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS.



Students from various colleges took part enthusiastically. The students mostly used newspaper and recyclable material to promote recycling of a normal newspaper. Students showed their creativity and gratitude towards the environment and expressed how a clean environment can lead to a greener future. The results were declared on 12th July, 2021 to commemorate the special day. E-Certificates were given to all the participants and the winners. The participation and the zest of all was worth appreciating.

Table Mat Making Activity (16th July, 2021)

A mirthful activity ‘Table Mat Making’ was arranged by our Institute on 16th July, 2021. The activity was organized under the esteemed guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS with an aim of developing creativity and aesthetics among future teachers via MS Teams online meeting platform. The activity was performed by

using paper collage technique with a thrust on utilizing waste paper and to sensitizing prospective teachers towards environment and its sustainability. Construction of paper based table mats produced a very gorgeous artwork which was prised by everyone.



Kargil Vijay Diwas (26th July, 2021)

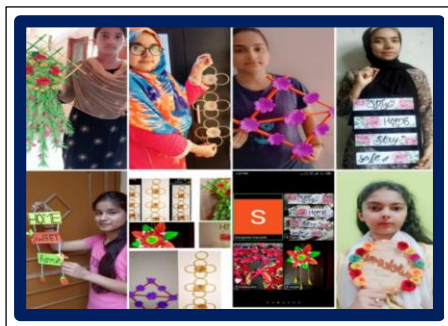
To awaken the feeling of patriotism, valor and courage, Delhi State Bharat Scouts and Guides in collaboration with Institute of Vocational Studies, organized Kargil Vijay Diwas under the leadership of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS on 26th July, 2021 through Zoom Online meeting platform. Students made it a memorable day by singing patriotic songs and poster making. Mr. Anesh Kumar, representative, Delhi State Bharat Scouts and Guides supported in organizing the event and recalling the sacrifice of soldiers. The event and efforts of everyone was highly appreciated. The event ended with oath ceremony .



Wall Hanging Craft Activity (30th July, 2021)

“Vibes speak louder than the words.”

Wall Hanging Craft is a large decorative piece of fabric or any other material hung on the wall of a room to make it look more aesthetic. Thus, a Wall Hanging Craft Activity was organized in our college on 30th July, 2021 in online mode through MS Teams to make the students learn about decorating the walls around them as per the instructions of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS with an aim of making the best out of waste material and to teach the students about environmental sustainability. The future teachers participated enthusiastically in this activity and enjoyed a lot while performing as winners were also declared.

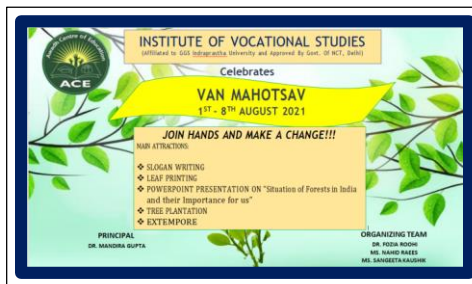


Van Mahotsav (8th August, 2021)

“Save trees, save Earth, we are the guardians of mother nature's birth.”

With this thought our College celebrated Van Mahotsav for one week with high enthusiasm, greenery and love for the nature from 1st to 8th August, 2021. The event was organized under the guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS by using online Zoom meeting platform. Attractive Slogans reflecting creativity and devotion of prospective teachers towards mother nature, Tree Plantation, Leaf Painting, Power Point

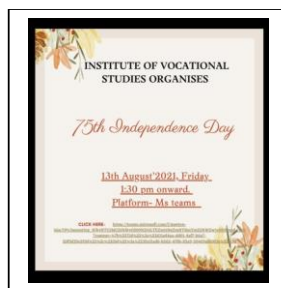
Presentation showing significance of forests in our life and extempore on concerned theme remained major highlights of the event. The programme was assumed of extreme significance in current scenario of highly polluted environment of nation especially of Delhi.



Independence Day (13th August, 2021)

Thousands sacrificed their lives, so that our country can breathe on this day, never forget their sacrifice!

Institute of Vocational Studies celebrated the 75th Independence Day to mark Unity in Diversity, with patriotic fervor on 13th August, 2021 under the leadership of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS and its organizing team via online mode of Microsoft Teams. Flag hoisting and march past by NCC cadets, followed by beautiful cultural performances like dancing, singing, speech etc. made the programme mesmerising. Students dressed with tricolor expressed their love for nation by preparing tricolor delicious dishes and handmade posters. The function came to an end with national anthem recitation and encouraging words by the Principal, IVS.



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Webinar on Language and Literacy Learning in Multicultural Classroom (3rd September, 2021)

“Success in diverse classroom comes from balance of student, self-awareness and community acceptance of others”.

Looking into above mentioned quote, an online webinar on “Language and Literacy Learning in Multicultural classroom” was planned on 3rd September 2021 using Google Meet under the guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS in collaboration with Prof. Usha Sharma, In charge, CNCL, NCERT, New Delhi. She beautifully described the major and minors of spoken language in various States of India at primary and upper primary level in a highly versatile manner. The session winded up with great discussion over the lecture and provided all a deep insight of multicultural classroom.



Awareness Campaign- Ban on Chinese Manjha (27 August, 2021)

“National Social Services (NSS) works for humanity, society and for nation. A teacher is expected to be community conscious, aware and problem solving.”

To develop a sense of community support, Institute of Vocational Studies motivated its NSS volunteers to participate in awareness campaign to “BAN CHINESE MANJHA” under NSS Cell, GGSIP University on 27th August, 2021. Students from D.EL.ED 2nd year participated in this program through online mode of



Zoom meeting platform under the guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS and Ms. Nahid Raees, NSS Coordinator, IVS. Prospective teachers were made aware of harmful effects of Chinese Manjha through impressive PowerPoint Presentation and video presentation depicting harsh consequence of such threads on humans and other creatures of the earth. The program was exceedingly valued by all the teachers and viewers as everyone decided to give their best to curb the use of this deadly manjha.

Teacher’s Day Celebration (4th September, 2021)

“Being a teacher is a privilege, having a teacher is a blessing.”

Institute of Vocational Studies celebrated an event full of enthusiasm, respect and love for the most important people in our lives; Teachers. The event was celebrated on 4th September 2021 under the able supervision of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, Institute of Vocational Studies. The celebration began with recitation of Qura’anic verses, Saraswati Vandana, Guru Vandana. Teachers along with prospective teachers enjoyed title distribution, chit-bowl and song



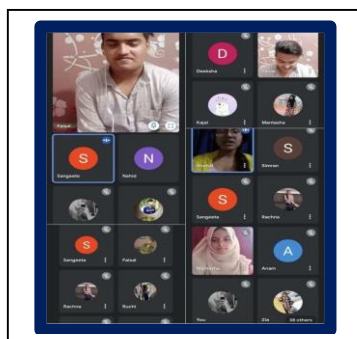
translation games organized by students for teachers. They also exhibited their feelings and regard towards their teachers in the form of songs, dance performances, posters, speeches, poem recitation etc. It was full of cherish and delight.



Hindi Diwas Celebration (14th September, 2021)

Hindi Diwas is nationally celebrated every year on 14th September to recognize the significance of Hindi as our mother tongue. Likewise, our college also planned Hasya Kavita Samaroh to celebrate Hindi Diwas in online mode of Google Meet with great passion and eagerness on 10th September 2021 as per the direction of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. Mesmerizing speeches and beautifully written slogan displayed on the screen were the major highlights

of the event. The activities helped the students to learn the skill of poem writing, building Hindi vocabulary and boosting their level of confidence. Everyone praised the activity and the talent of prospective teachers.

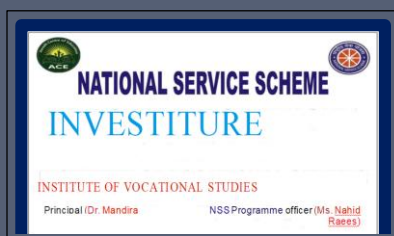


Investiture Ceremony (11th October, 2021)

“Leadership is the capacity to translate vision into reality” ~ Warren Bennis

The investiture ceremony of Institute of Vocational Studies for the academic session 2020-22 was held with great pomp and dignity at the College Auditorium hall on 11th October, 2021. The activity was conducted under the able leadership Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. The Investiture ceremony signifies reliance and confidence that the institute consigns in the newly invested office bearers. On this occasion, NSS Coordinators, Scouts and Guides volunteers were also selected for smooth functioning of

NSS Cell and building confidence among the volunteers. The work done by the council members over the year were displayed on the screen. Volunteers were conferred with badges and sashes by the Principal, IVS. The function concluded with appreciating words of Principal, IVS, National Anthem and vote of thanks.



Gandhi Jayanti (1st October, 2021)

The event of Gandhi Jayanti was conducted by Institute of Vocational Studies on 1st October 2021 in memory of Mahatma Gandhi- The Father of Nation on his birth anniversary (2nd October) under the supervision Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. The activity was planned and organized on blended mode of communication, i.e., via online mode of MS Teams as well as in offline mode. Poster making, slogan writing, speeches oriented prospective teachers with the principles of Mahatma Gandhi- Truth (satya), Non-Violence (Ahimsa) and Cleanliness (Swachhta). It was a pronounced experience for everyone to observe the relevance of his teaching in our daily life.



**Intelligence
plus
character;
that is the
goal of
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education**



Diwali Inter College Competition (11th October, 2021 to 29th October, 2021)

“Deep Deepawali... Roshni Ka Aaghaaz”

India is the land of festival. Diwali is one of the biggest festivals of India signifying the triumph of good over evil, light over darkness and knowledge over ignorance. Considering this, a virtual Diwali Inter-College competition was conducted by the Institute of Vocational Studies on 29th October, 2021 under the able guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta. Principal, IVS and Team IVS with an aim of keeping the spirits of the festival high despite the current pandemic situation. The event covered three segments namely, Diya and Thali decoration, Rangoli Making (with paper pasting) and Handmade Wind Chimes making competition on virtual platform of Google Meet. Students from diverse associations took part with high enthusiasm. The result of competition was declared on 29th October, 2021 and E-certificates were provided to all the winners and participants.



Workshop on CTET Orientation: Tips and Tricks (22nd October, 2021)

Sufficient supply of well qualified and well-trained teachers is the most important, contributing factor to quality of learning. The Ministry of Education, Government of India conducts the Central Teacher Eligibility Test for appointment of teachers.

Keeping this in view, Institute of Vocational Studies provided a platform of CTET orientation by organizing a CTET: Tips and Tricks workshop on 22nd October, 2021 for final year students in collaboration with MPowerUrge with Shubh Study as per the direction of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS in its auditorium with all social distancing norms of COVID-19. The target of this workshop was to orient the students with technicalities, structure and pattern of CTET exam and explaining majors and minors of cracking the exam. The workshop ended with open questioning interactive session with students and was valued by all prospective teachers.



Mehendi Making Activity (22nd October, 2021)

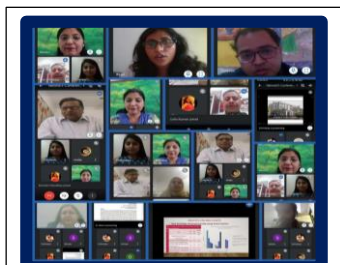
***“Inspiration comes during
work, not before it.”***

Mehandi Making- an activity full of enthusiasm, fun and creativity was arranged in the premises of Institute of Vocational Studies on 22nd October, 2021 with students of D.EL.ED programme as per the instructions of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. Students applied Mehendi with each other in small groups. The activity proved to be supportive in developing eye-hand coordination, creativity and team work along with better peer relations as well.

National e-Conference on “Entrepreneurship Education: Building Job Creators” (29th October, 2021)

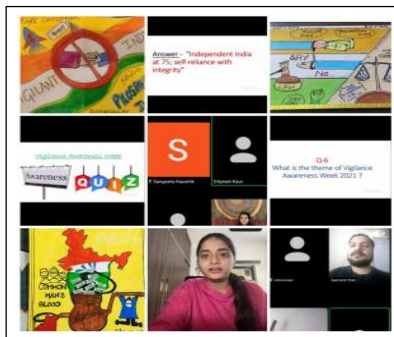
***Education is not preparation for life;
education is life itself. ~ John Dewey***

In continuation of initiatives towards bringing quality in education and research in education, Institute of Vocational Studies lead the step of organizing a national e-conference on “Entrepreneurship Education: Building Job Creators” on 29th October 2021. The conference was conducted through online platform of Google Meet under the able guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. The event was chaired by Prof. Mohd. Miyan, Prof. Dhananjay Joshi, currently Dean, Education Department, GGSIPU, New Delhi and Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS and was followed by paper presentation on vastly demanding areas like: role of community participation to develop the concept of entrepreneurship in school education, competency-based entrepreneurship education, entrepreneurship education of Jan Shikshan Sansthan and empowerment of women etc. The participants were given e-certificate for their contribution. The conference rendered an opportunity for whole teacher fraternity to think and reflect on such an area in an innovative way.



Vigilance Awareness Week (26th October, 2021)

Vigilance Awareness Week (VAW) is being celebrated every year and coincides with the birthday of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, known to be a man of high integrity. In pursuit of the vision of the awareness, Institute of Vocational Studies conducted Vigilance Awareness Week in blended mode from 26th October, 2021 to 2nd November, 2021 under able guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. The theme of this year's celebration was Independent India @ 75: Self Reliance with Integrity. Under the event, six programmes, namely, slogan activity, quiz activity, poster making, cartoon making, painting, folk song were planned and organized by pupil teachers with an aim of developing core value of removal of corruption from the spirit and actions of future generation. The program ended with an oath ceremony by every member of the Institute to stay away from corruption. Students enjoyed a lot and participated enthusiastically. Their efforts and initiative was appreciated by one and all.



Alumni Meet (22nd November, 2021)

Alumni Meet is a recalling of memories, hence, Institute of Vocational Studies provided a virtual platform for Alumni Meet, full of nostalgia, fun and emotions on 22nd November, 2021 under the able supervision of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS.

***The mind
is not
a vessel to
be filled,
but a
fire to be
kindled***

Faculty Development Programme 2021 (7th December, 2021 to 13th December, 2021)

“Change is the end result of a true learning!”

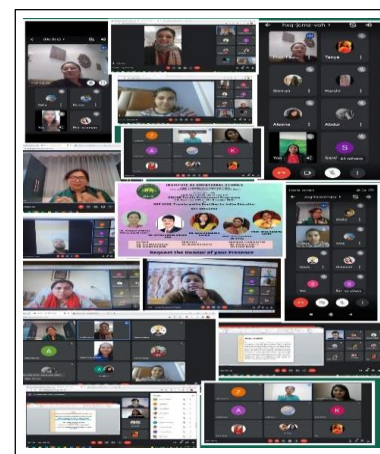
“Teachers truly shape the future of our children – and, therefore, the future of our nation, thus, Institute of Vocational Studies makes efforts to stimulate the professional grooming of teacher educators. Likewise, a highly comprehensive virtual Faculty Development Programme was organized by the college from 7th to 13th December, 2021 using Google Meet as online meeting platform. Targeting NEP-2020, FDP simplified various aspects like-Significance of multilingualism and language foundation in NEP2020, The Vision of Equitable and Inclusive education in NEP2020, The Impact of NEP 2020 on Higher Education Sector, Interlinking School Education and Teacher Education and Value Education in NEP2020. Whole FDP was significantly enriching programme to develop an insight about new education policy and its implementation. The programme winded up with distribution of e- certificates to all participants.



With lots of positive vibes of prayers, event included many interesting games, fun activities, videos and ideas shared by alumni about their journey in IVS and current status of placement and higher education. The occasion provided an opportunity to students to interact with one another and the alma mater were delighted and rejoiced to relive their memories of the college with their batch mates, teachers, the ongoing batch as well as the new entrants. Students of present batch indeed felt inspired to hear from the alumni. The Principal and the teachers addressed the alumni which made them feel nostalgic.



It was indeed one of a kind experience with happiness all around to see the alumni together.



IVS Voting Awareness Campaign (25th November, 2021)

With an aim of inspiring youth to exercise their vote intelligently and propagating necessary details related to Voting System, Institute of Vocational Studies run a special virtual drive to make student Aware of Delhi Election and the provisions that is available to them to be an eligible Voter on 25th November, 2021 under its IVS Voter Awareness Club as per the direction of Dr. Madira Gupta, Principal, IVS. The drive included PPT Slide show presentation on SSR 2022, You Tube Video Screening by Dr. Ranbir Singh, the Chief Election

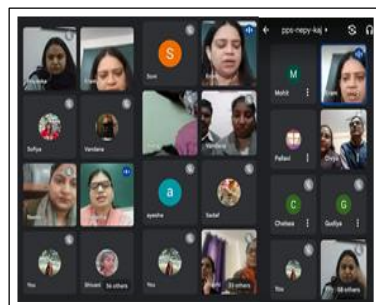
Commissioner, Delhi and RJ Naved, Discussion, and Quiz competition. The event proved to be an opportunity for prospective teachers and upcoming generation in making them aware of Voting System and necessary requirements to become a part of the electoral list and contributing the development of nation. It was an appreciable contribution of IVS to sensitize the students with the ease created by Election Commission of India for hassle free digital registration for voting and Voter Helpline App.



Christmas Celebration (25th December, 2021)

IVS is a mini multicultural society where people from different faiths and culture enter, enjoy and respect each other. To promote democracy, unity with integrity, we celebrate all festivals so that prospective teachers could realize the significance of a multicultural society. Similarly, to spread the message of hope, love and life given through Christmas, our college celebrated the festive on 25th December, 2021 in virtual (MS Teams) as well as physical mode in campus under ace guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. On this occasion, Solo

Singing, Mimicry (virtual mode) and Christmas Tree Decoration with minimum use of plastic (physical mode) were organized. Everybody enjoyed the programme and wound up by Christmas Carol.



Parent- Teacher Meeting (27th & 31st December, 2021)

Holistic development of a learner depends upon the hard work of student, parent and teacher. These three stakeholders' integrated efforts give the best learning outcomes.

Parent Teacher Meeting covers the distance among three stakeholders and opens a communication channel for overall grooming of students. Realizing this, our college organized two separate meetings with parents of B.Ed 1st Year and 2nd Yr. in virtual mode on Google Meet on 27th December, 2021 and 31st December, 2021 respectively. The parents shared their concerns relating to assignments, online platform to teach and learn, study material, placement provided by the Institute etc. Faculties addressed their queries, guided and clarified their doubts. The meeting ended on a positive note with the vision that more such meetings will be held in the future too, to strengthen the parent teacher bond and helping learners to achieve their potential to the fullest.

SHINING STARS OF IVS

Students' Name	Programme	% Age	Position
❖ Ms. DIVYA MALIK	B.ED. (2019-21)	84.40 %	First
❖ Ms. SADIYAJAMAL	B.ED. (2019-21)	84.29 %	Second
❖ Ms. SAMIKSHA MISHRA	B.ED. (2020-22)	83.87 %	First
❖ Ms. CHINMEYA CHOUDHARY	B.ED. (2020-22)	83.5 %	Second
❖ Ms. KHUSBOO GUPTA	D.EL.ED. (201-21)	91.69 %	First
❖ Ms. SANA SAIFI	D.EL.ED. (201-21)	91.30 %	Second
❖ Ms. KANIKA	D.EL.ED. (2020-22)	90.17 %	First
❖ Ms. TABASSUM KHATOON	D.EL.ED. (2020-22)	89.65 %	Second

Upcoming Events:

- E-waste management drive
- Environmental conservation

Editorial Team:

Dr. Mandira Gupta

Dr. Fozia Roohi

Inter College Poetry Recitation Competition organized by Bhavan's Leelawati Munshi College of Education :

S. No.	Student Name	College Name	Position Achieved
1.	Samiksha Mishra	Institute of Vocational Studies	Second

Events organized by Institute of Vocational Studies

Diya and Thali Decoration Competition:

S. No.	Student Name	College Name	Position Achieved
1.	Prachi Baloni	Institute of Vocational Studies	First
2.	Vidhi Mehrishi	Bhavan's Leelawati Munshi College of Education	Second
3.	Aanchal	Bhavan's Leelawati Munshi College of Education	Third

Rangoli Making (with Paper pasting) Competition:

S. No.	Student Name	College Name	Position Achieved
1.	Tripti Jain	Bhavan's Leelawati Munshi College of Education	First
2.	Anjali	Institute of Vocational Studies	Second
3.	Supriya Dung	Kasturi Ram College of Higher Education	Third

Handmade Wind Chimes Making Competition:

S. No.	Student Name	College Name	Position Achieved
1.	Supriya Dung	Kasturi Ram College of Higher Education	First
2.	Tanvi Rawat	Bhavan's Leelawati Munshi College of Education	Second
3.	Ritu Singh	Institute of Vocational Studies	Third

Paper Bag Competition:

S. No.	Student Name	College Name	Position Achieved
1.	Supriya Dung	Kasturi Ram College of Higher Education	First
2.	Tanvi Rawat	Bhavan's Leelawati Munshi College of Education	Second
3.	Ritu Singh	Institute of Vocational Studies	Third

Glimpses of the Events...



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