

Report on

DILLI HAAT - INA VISIT

Organized by Institute of Vocational Studies on 30TH September, 2024

Institute of Vocational Studies organized a visit to Dilli Haat- INA with students of D.El.Ed. 1st Year and 2nd Year Batches on 30th September, 2024. Faculties and students reached Dilli Haat at 10.30 AM and got tickets from counter and entered to explore the various crafts from different states showcasing their culture.

Dilli Haat is in South Delhi opposite to INA Market. This place is well connected with INA Metro Station. It was established jointly by Delhi Tourism and NDMC, D.C. (Handicrafts) & D.C. (handlooms), Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India & Ministry of Tourism, Govt. of India in March 1994. It aims at providing encouragement to the needy artists from all over the country in order to sustain and preserve the rich heritage of India.

It has been visualized as a showpiece of traditional Indian culture, where rural life and folk art are brought closer to an urban clientele. It is here that the crafts persons find an opportunity to demonstrate their artistic skills to thousands of visitors every day. Dilli Haat has been home to thousands of handicraft and handloom artisans.

We all visited Food stalls from various states such as Assam, Andhra Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Bihar, Maharashtra, Rajasthan and many more. They offered variety of foods in an ecofriendly manner. Apart from this, we purchased some handicrafts made up of wood, marble, bamboo, and clay.

We also witnessed the “Pre Puja-Expo 2024” going on in Dilli Haat from 17th – 30th September, 2024. The Expo showcased the idols of Goddess Durga. The expo is a celebration of Bengal’s crafts, cuisine, and culture. To enrich the experience of visitors, various cultural activities such as folk dance, folk songs and many more were happening there.

We all enjoyed the visit to Dilli Haat, as we got to know the arts of various states, interact with artisans, relish the cuisines of various parts of India, watch the folk dance, folk songs and had a great time together.

Glimpses of the Day

