

# Speculo Launch Report

TOPIC: LAUNCH OF SPECULO, THE ANNUAL

DEPARTMENTAL MAGAZINE

TIME: 4 pm

MODE: Online

DESCRIPTION: On 15<sup>th</sup> May, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC launched its departmental magazine SPECULO on the topic "Fake News, Real Rights: Humans in between perception and reality". The launch of the magazine was conducted in an online mode via Google meet where The Principal, Prof. Swati Pal addressed the attendees and shared that the magazine has a place close to her heart. The TIC of the department Dr. Poonam Kanwal gave her words of appreciation and gratitude to the team and the mentor. Following this the mentor Prof. Rajshree Chandra talked about the magazine and introduced all the sections and its members who had worked dedicately towards the completion of the magazine. The Editorial Head Mehak Gupta gave Vote of Thanks.

The event witnessed enthusiastic presence from the students. The magazine formulates the journey of creativity and collaboration which amplifies the voice of the youth.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: The students learnt about the knowledge of rights and rationale of truth

# RELEVANCE WITH THE SUBJECT: Human Rights





# **Orientation Session Report**

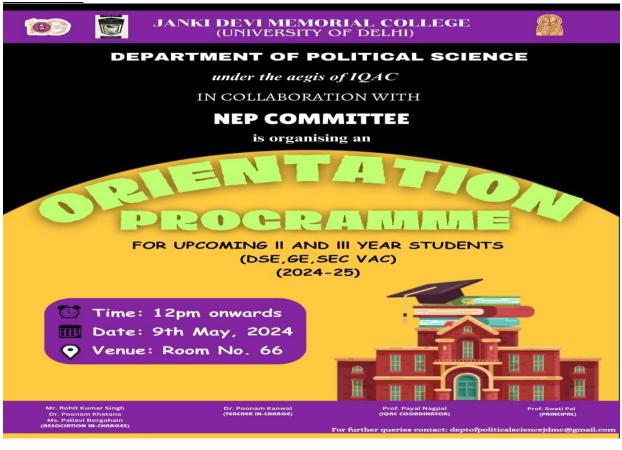
TOPIC: ORIENTATION SESSION FOR UPCOMING II & III YEAR STUDENTS

TIME: 12 am onwards VENUE:

**ROOM NO.66** 

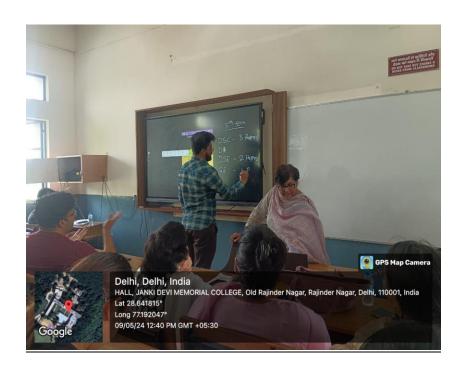
DESCRIPTION: On 9<sup>th</sup> May 2024, the Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College organized an Orientation Programme for the upcoming students of the second and third year for the session 2024-25. The session commenced with Dr. Poonam Kanwal's address, who is the Teacher Incharge of the department. Dr. Kanwal welcomed the students and introduced the papers provided by the department to the students. It began with the explanation of compulsory core papers of the third years for the upcoming session. Dr. Kanwal explained to the students details of the DSE, GE, SEC and VAC papers to be provided by the department. The Faculty members also guided the upcoming students of second year in choosing the papers being offered by the department. They also interacted with the students and encouraged them to make optimum use of the papers provided by the department to secure their career. The session was well received by the students and was followed by an informal discussion with the teachers of the department.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: The students of the upcoming second and third year were made familiar with papers provided by the department for the session 2024-25.











# FAREWELL, 2024

TOPIC: Farewell'24
TIME: 3pm onwards
DATE: 7<sup>th</sup> May, 2024
VENUE: Auditorium

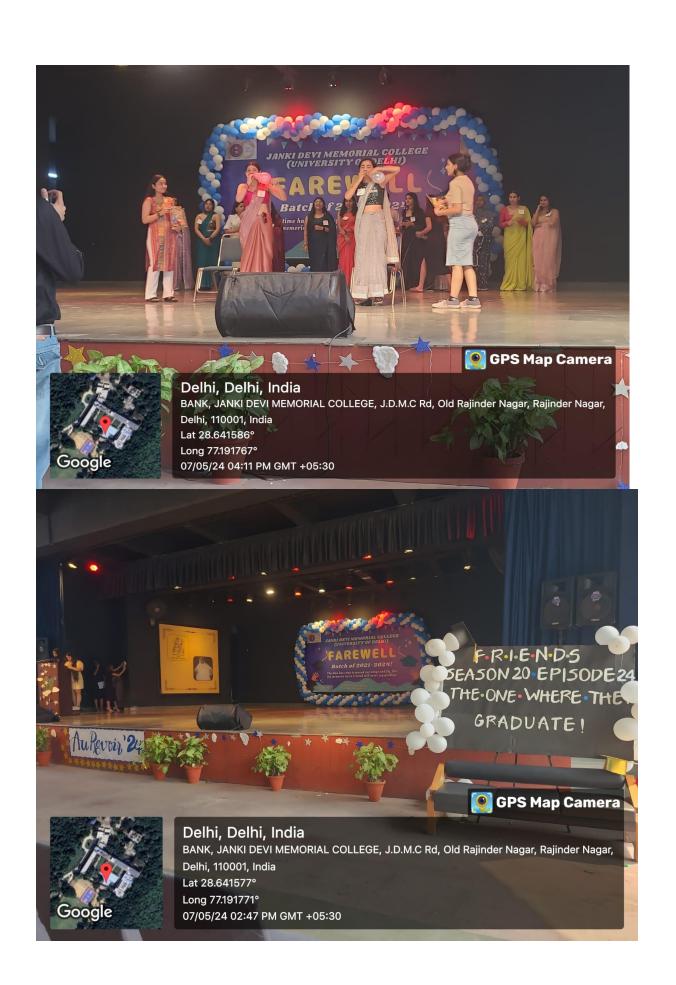
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 7<sup>th</sup> May, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized Farewell'24 on the theme 'Glitter Gala' marked by entertaining performances and memorable moments. The event commenced by a delightful ramp walk by the teachers who showcased their elegance and talent. It was enjoyed by both faculty and audience, evoking fond memories and appreciation for their contributions. Moving forward, the Miss Farewell contest unfolded in three captivating rounds. First round included ramp walk, introduction and QNA with judges in which 11 contestants were eliminated. Before the commencement of second round, the evening was

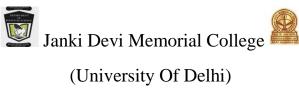
further enlivened by soulful singing performances and energetic dance performance by which audience was enthralled and they enjoyed the mesmerizing display of talents. Following was the second round of miss farewell which was blow and burst round during which contestants relished the game as it added an enjoyable element to the event. Third round was cup cascade was another entertaining segment adding overall excitement to the event. Furthermore, the prize distribution ceremony took place, recognizing and honoring the achievements of core members, extended union and the volunteers. Ms. Usha Sharma won the title in Miss Farewell contest showcasing the grace and charisma, while Ms. Medha and Ms.Tuba won the best attire title with their style and elegance. This was followed by a heartwarming cake cutting ceremony, symbolizing the sweet memories and the cherished bonds. Lastly, the DJ took over filling the auditorium with lively beats and the farewell concluded on a high note by leaving the seniors with exceptional memories and learning experiences.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: The farewell provided an opportunity for appreciation of shared memories, fostering a sense of closure and gratitude among students.

PICTURES:







# **Plantation Drive Report**

TOPIC: SAPLING PLANTATION DRIVE AND OATH TAKING CEREMONY

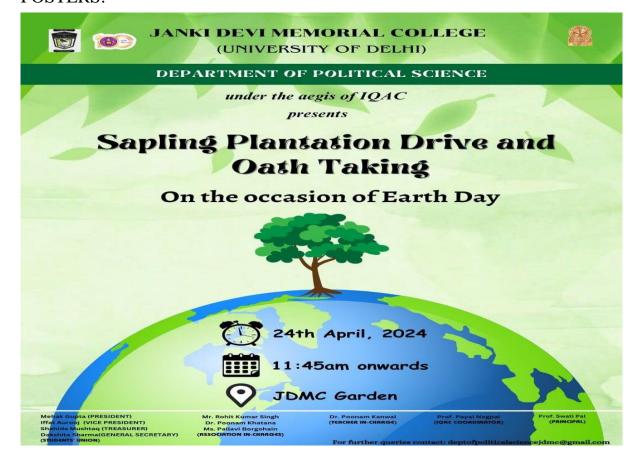
TIME: 12 am onwards

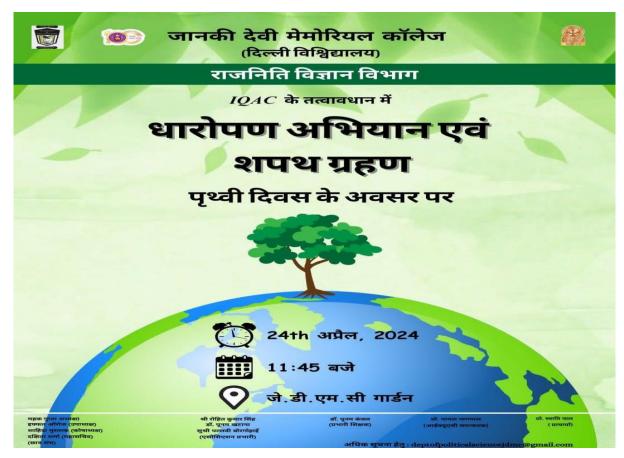
VENUE: JDMC GARDEN

DESCRIPTION: On 24th April, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC conducted a sapling plantation drive and oath taking ceremony on the occasion of Earth Day. The students gathered with the association incharges and the chief guest Prof. Pravin Desai from history department to conduct the drive. They were provided with the saplings which was planted by them. After this, an oath taking ceremony was administered to all attendees, emphasizing personal commitments towards sustainable practices and environmental stewardship. The participants pledged to reduce carbon footprints, adopt eco-friendly lifestyles, and promote conservation efforts within their communities. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from diverse departments. The drive strengthened community bonds through collective environmental action and enhanced understanding of environmental challenges and solutions among participants.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: The students learnt the importance of environmental stewardship and sustainable practices, such as water conservation, soil health and biodiversity conservation.

RELEVANCE WITH THE SUBJECT: Environmental Ethics











# POLITIQUE, 2024

TOPIC: Politique'24

TIME: 10 AM onwards

DATE: 18th and 19th April, 2024

**VENUE:** Auditorium

<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> On 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2024, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized department annual fest 'POLITIQUE'24' on the theme 'Youth, Democracy, and Politics' which unfolded as a grand celebration of intellectual engagement and cultural diversity. The event on 19<sup>th</sup> April commenced with an inaugural ceremony with the ceremonial lighting of the lamp, symbolizing the enlightenment and auspicious beginnings that was awaited. Following this solemn ritual, Principal, Professor Swati Pal delivered an address. Following which, the event was graced by esteemed chief guest Mr. Sanjay Kumar Sain, IPS(DCP, Delhi Police). Mr. Sain is an IPS officer from the 2011 batch, presently serving as the Deputy Commissioner of Police in Crime Gallantry, alongside his previous service as an IRS officer. He shared his valuable insights and inspired the audience by sharing his experiences and words of wisdom. The ceremony also featured captivating performances by the students of Sarang and Nupur societies which added vibrancy to the event.

The highlight of the event was the panel discussion on the topic 'Locating Global South in Emerging Global Order'. The session commenced with the felicitation of the panelists Prof. Chintmani Mahapatra and Dr. Monish Tourangbam by the Vice-President Iffat Aurooj. The panel discussion provided audience with valuable perspectives and fostered intellectual dialogue by mentioning the global South which fits in the changing global landscape, exploring its role and challenges in the new world order.

Moving forward, politique offered a diverse array of competitions, catering to the interest of participants. The competitions started with "Snapshots" where students wandered around the campus, taking pictures to showcase their photography skills and creativity by submitting

their original photographs via google drive. After the intermission, the competition of "Perceptions" began in which teams of two showcased their artistic talents in a unique Face Painting Art Duet. One team member applied the paint while the other walked down the ramp, elucidating the concept behind the painted design. Participants brought their own supplies. The ramp walk was exciting, and the audience had a great time watching it. Following, was "Big Boss" a lively competition hosted by Rohit Sir from Department of political science and Praveen Sir from Department of history. Teams of four competed in various tasks, earning points based on their performance. A total of twelve teams enthusiastically participated in the event. Big boss turned out to be a delightful competition by adding an element of enjoyment to the event.

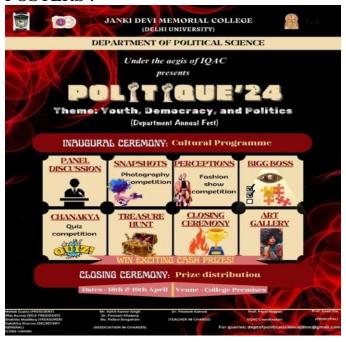
The following day, the event began with the Chanakya Quiz, where teams of three competed through three rounds for qualification. In the initial questionnaire round, teams 8 and 9 were eliminated. The competition progressed to the second pictorial round, featuring images of figures like Kanhaiya Kumar, Medha Patkar, and Priyanka Gandhi etc. The final round was a rapid-fire session, with questions ranging from the youngest Prime Minister to the minimum age to contest Lok Sabha elections and the state with the highest voter turnout. It proved to be an intellectually stimulating competition infused with elements of fun and excitement. Next, was the thrilling Treasure Hunt, featuring seven teams of five participants each. Teams eagerly embarked on a quest to solve clues scattered across the campus within a set time limit. Immersed in the challenge, participants enthusiastically searched for clues and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

The event came to an end with the closing ceremony where everyone gathered to celebrate the achievements of participants and applaud the winners of the various competitions. The winners for the prize distribution ceremony were: Snapshots, first prize was given to Nishita, JDMC of first year and second prize was given to Rishabh Sharma, Deshbandhu college of third year. Perceptions, first prize was awarded to Neha, JDMC of second year and Dhani Nagar, JDMC of first year and second prize to Sakshi, JDMC of first year and Unnati Sharma, JDMC of first year. Big boss, first prize given to Aman, MLNC, first year, Shiv, MLNC, first year, Prachi, JDMC, second year, Preeti, JDMC, second year and second prize to Gatishree, Vanshika, Palak, Manisha (JDMC, first year). Chanakya, first prize to Ruchi, Shivangi, Prakriti(Mata Sundri College, third year) and second to Diptishikha, Aarohi, Kavita(JDMC, third year). Lastly, treasure hunt first prize was awarded to Kirti yadav, Lipsa, Anjali, Bharati, Kirti (JDMC, third year) and second to Vanshika, Palak, Gatishree, Priyanka, Manisha (JDMC, first year). The prize distribution ceremony honored excellence in academic performance, creative expression, and competitive spirit, recognizing the contributions of individuals and teams alike. Hence, Politique proved to be a resounding success, showcasing the talent, passion, and dedication within the Department.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Politique enhanced critical thinking, cultural awareness, and collaboration skills among attendees.

RELEVANCE WITH THE SUBJECT: Critical thinking about Youth, Democracy and Politics

#### **POSTERS:**











**SEMINAR BY FACULTY OF LEVELUP IAS** 

TOPIC: FEMINISM IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICS

TIME: 11:00 AM onwards
DATE: 16 APRIL 2023
VENUE: ROOM NO. 66

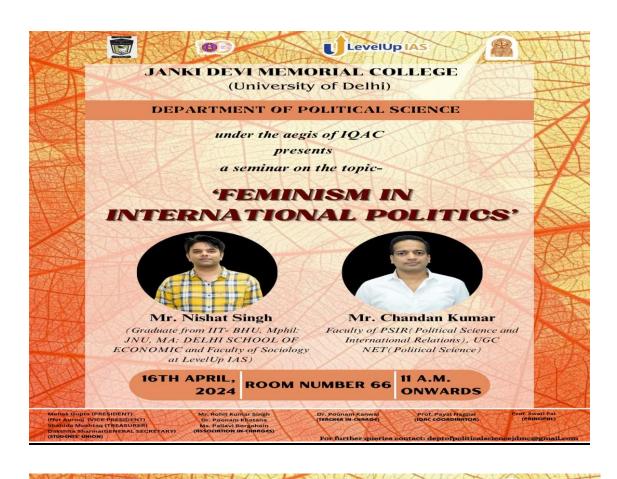
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 16<sup>th</sup> April, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on "Feminism in International Politics." The invited speakers were **Mr. Chandan Kumar** (Political Science and International Relations faculty at Level Up IAS) and **Mr. Nishat Singh** (Sociology optional faculty at Level Up IAS).

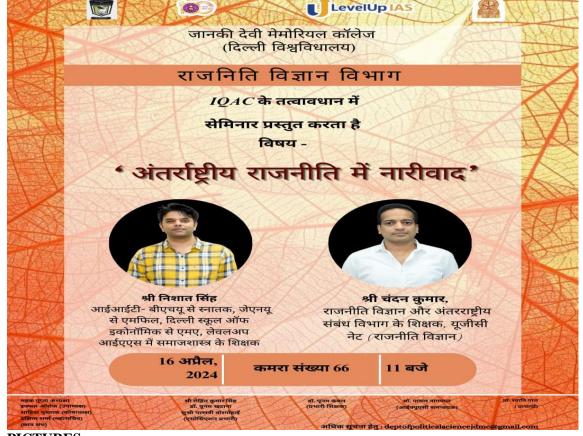
The seminar commenced with Mr. Chandan Kumar taking the stage as the first speaker. His expertise were evident as he reflected the importance of the topic to gain marks in exam. His apparent research can be considered by the demonstration of the representation of women in various international summits like G-20, BRICS and G-7. He went on to discuss the evolution of feminism in International Relations. Beginning with the Cold War scenario, he went on to discuss the recent examples of not providing women equal say in decision-making. He further discussed key concerns, initiatives, successs and challenges. The next speaker Mr. Nishat Singh gave his insights on successful believing on yourself can be. By making the students solve the last year UPSC prelims questions in the form of quiz, he highlighted how experiencing your own true self can makes rumours false. Discussing the topic, he brought light to the fact that how queer feminism and global sexuality politics is more prevalent nowadays. He further elucidated that it is important that who is in the power position. He stated that women are victim of undeveloped war.

With this the floor was opened for questions where students participated enthusiastically and this enlightening seminar came to an end with the vote of thanks by the Vice-President Iffat Aurooj.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students received the deep understanding of the topic and realized the importance of knowing their true potential.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Public Policy and administration in India













#### Janki Devi Memorial College

(University of Delhi)

# Department of Political Science

# SEMINAR ON LEGAL FRAMEWORK OF ABORTION

TOPIC: Indian Women and Access to Abortion: What does the law say?

TIME: 11:45 am onwards

DATE: 10th April

VENUE: Room No. 66

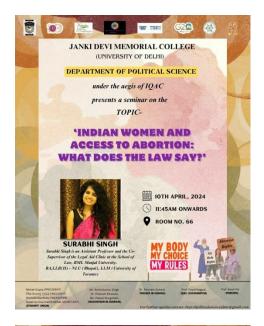
<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> On 10th April , Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on the topic

'Indian Women and Access to Abortion: What does the law say?'. The session commenced with the felicitation of the speaker, Surbhi Singh by Dr. Poonam Khatana. In the beginning of the seminar, the guest speaker asked questions to the audience related to abortion like need for access to abortion. She further explained about role of Court in abortion related cases and in what circumstances it can deny abortion. She went further to explain that medical termination of pregnancy can be performed only by licensed medical practitioner of a licensed clinic or hospital. In India we lack awareness about the latter concept. Indian Law on Abortion works on a timeline and can only be done after the permission of a registered doctor. Moving on, she discussed about the various obstacles in abortion such as hearing system used by courts, permit by doctor etc. She also discussed two different case laws which were X v/s NCT of Delhi 2022 and X v/s UNION OF INDIA case, 2023.

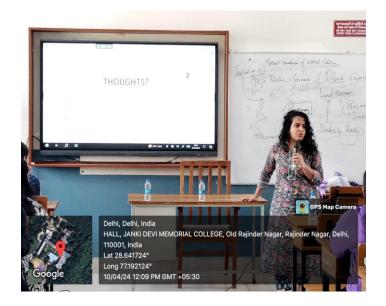
The seminar was a great opportunity to know about the legal dimensions related to Abortion Rights in India. It concluded with an open floor for questions and with a vote of thanks by the Vice President.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: The seminar provided the students with legal framework of the Abortion. Additionally it also spread awareness about the mandatory provisions required for abortion such as registered hospitals or clinic.

# RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Law, Rights and Human Health POSTERS:









Department of Political Science

# SEMINAR ON MENSTRUAL CYCLE AWARENESS

**TOPIC**: Menstrual Cycle Awareness

TIME : 11am onwards

DATE: 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2024

VENUE: Room No. 66

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 26<sup>th</sup> February, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on the topic 'Menstrual Cycle Awareness'. The session commenced with the felicitation of Ms Sakshi Kalra by Dr. Vineeta Bhatt. The guest speaker began with the exercise of asking us to answer two questions which were about our experiences of periods and how do we feel about our menstrual cycle. This exercise was followed up by another exercise, the students were asked to raise their hands to the questions asked by her. Some of the questions included were whether the girls are afraid of stains, whether they have mood swings or not, whether they have period cramps and if they are having regular periods or irregular periods. Moving on, she discussed the lack of proper information which is to be provided in schools or colleges regarding menstrual cycle. To make menstrual cycle scientifically understandable, she demonstrated a short video and then moved on to provide importance of balanced hormones. She clearly demarcated the difference between periods and menstruation. She went on to discuss cycle charting which refers to writing down everyday emotions of menstrual cycle which proves to be an effective way to realize energy levels and utilize them accordingly. She made us write about the key takeaways of the seminar.

The seminar was a great opportunity to know about the menstrual cycle and its importance. It concluded with an open floor for questions and with a vote of thanks by the Treasurer.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:Beginning with the exercise to share and know each other's personal experiences of menstrual cycle so far, the session provided the glimpse of loopholes in schools and colleges to provide proper information regarding periods resulting in considering it disgusting. Reflecting scientific reason of menstrual cycle, the session provided a clear difference between periods and menstruation.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT:	Physical health and	Well Being
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#### SEMINAR BY DR. RAVINDRA GARIMELLA

**TOPIC: Constitutional Values and Fundamental Duties** 

TIME: 11am onwards DATE: 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 VENUE: Seminar Room

DESCRIPTION: On 12th February, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on the topic 'Constitutional Values and Fundamental Duties'. The session commenced with the felicitation of Dr. Ravindra Garimella by Prof. Poonam Kanwal. The guest speaker began with the comparison of success of democracy in India with other nations. Delving into the glimpses of debates on the Universal Adult Franchise, he provided insights on Objective Resolution which is responsible behind the formation of Preamble of Indian Constitution. Discussing the motion being moved in the Constituent Assembly by Jawaharlal Nehru, he reflected the values enshrined in the Indian Constitution. Moving upon the Fundamental duties, he talked about them being present in Mahatma Gandhi's teachings. Though the Fundamental Duties were incorporated by the 42<sup>nd</sup> Constitutional Amendment, in 1976 in the Constitution of India, he provided their sight in the Constituent Assembly's discussion. He also praised Delhi University for having Constitutional Values and Fundamental Duties as Value Addition Course (VAC) as it would help the youth to know the intricacies during the formation of the Indian Constitution. Finally, he focused upon the vital role amendment plays in making Constitution neither flexible nor rigid at the same time.

The seminar was a great opportunity to know about the moral values present in the Indian Constitution. It concluded with an open floor for questions and with a vote of thanks by the President.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Beginning with the values imbibed in the Constitution at the time of the it's making, the session provided with the importance of amendment in order to make the Constitution more value centric in its approach with the passage of time. Adding on the inclusion of Fundamental Duties in the Constitution, the moral values they demarcate besides being non-enforceable in court of law.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Constitutional Government and Democracy in India.













#### SEMINAR BY UNWIND DELHI

**TOPIC**: Healing: Dealing with negative emotions

TIME : 11am onwards DATE : 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2024

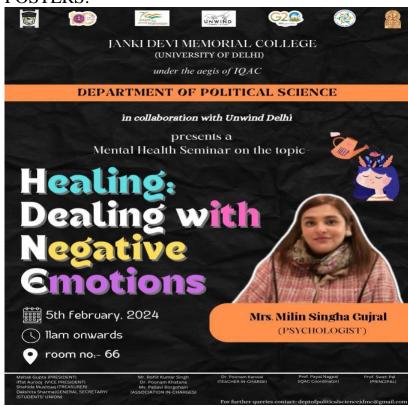
VENUE: Room no. 66

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 5<sup>th</sup> February, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on the topic 'Healing: Dealing with negative emotions'. The session commenced with Ms. Lavanya Shukla ,the founder of Unwind Delhi, giving an overview of the organization. Mrs. Millin Singha Gujral, a psychologist and guest speaker took the floor next, delving into the realm of emotions. She began by highlighting the various types of emotions with specific focus on negative ones we often confront. She provided the students few ways to deal with such negative emotions faced in our daily lives. The initial step mentioned by her was recognizing emotions by emphasizing self – awareness to understand our feelings. Mrs. Millin also stated the importance of focusing on our reactions by practicing mindfulness. She stressed the importance of seeking support by communicating with others. Finally, she made the session more interesting by engaging the students in an activity. With eyes closed they were asked to observe any discomfort in their body and assigning a color to it. She then encouraged them to transform that color into white.

The seminar was a great opportunity to know about the techniques and therapies for managing negative emotions. It concluded with an open floor for questions and with a vote of thanks by the Vice – President.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: It provided practical insights and tools for effectively managing negative emotions. Students learned about some practical strategies for coping with stress and anxiety, transforming negative thought patterns, and improving communication of emotions. The session emphasized the need of self-awareness, mindfulness techniques, and reducing the stigma around mental health. Students also gained learning insights for accessing professional help when needed, contributing to the development of a positive and resilient mindset.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Psychology and Well-Being













# EDUCATIONAL TRIP TO OP JINDAL GLOBAL UNIVERSITY

Name of the event:	Educational Trip to OP Jindal Global University, Sonipat, Haryana
Name of the organizer (s):	Department of Political Science
Type of event:	Educational
Objectives of the event:	To have a guided campus tour and interactive session

Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the supervision of Mr. Ahirrao Dinesh Bharat, Dr. Poonam Khatana, Ms. Shalini Singh and Mr. Rohit Singh planned an educational trip to **OP Jindal Global University**, **Sonipat**, **Haryana** on **24**<sup>th</sup> **January 2024**.

It commenced with breakfast which was arranged by the university. Subsequently, students gathered in the auditorium for an enlightening session where they were provided with career guidance specifically on the subjects of law and behavioral sciences during the session. The students were received by **Mr. Vinod Madan** (General Secretary of OP Jindal Global University). They were briefed about the history, the global rankings and the multidisciplinary nature of the institution by **Mr Anand Prakash Mishra**(Director of Law Admissions at OP Jindal Global University). Another faculty, **Dr. Bhasker Malu** (Assistant Professor in Behavioral Sciences) provided the inter-linkage between policy making and behavioral sciences followed up by suitable successful examples from the past. With this, the floor was opened for questions where students and faculty members participated enthusiastically. The most engrossing point was the campus tour to acquaint students with the infrastructure and facilities of the university. Furthermore, the day was wrapped up by the lunch provided to students.

It was a great opportunity for the students for networking and making interactions which provided them with insightful information and exploration of OP Jindal Global University.

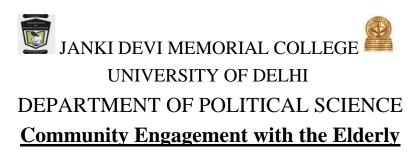
LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students were provided career guidance about different strata of subjects. They gained insights into diverse academic disciplines, explored the campus facilities, and engaged learning through demonstrations. The visit also offered valuable networking opportunities, allowing students to connect with faculty, professionals, and peers. Exposure to the university's research initiatives enhanced students' awareness of academic and ethical considerations. The trip encouraged students to reflect on their experiences, identifying potential areas of interest and relevance to their future educational and career paths.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Higher Education and Career Exploration









Department of Political Science, Janki Devi Memorial College has conducted a workshop on 'Community Engagement with the Elderly' organized by the Centre for Extension & Outreach on 12th Jan, 2024 on the occasion of National Youth Day. Students of the department shared their experiences on the moments spent with elderly people at home, in the community or at an old age home. The initiative proved well to fill the youth-old bond with love and compassion where the former realised the importance of the latter in the society.

The experiences shared by the students are as follows:



Date: January 25, 2023 Place: Home

Regretfully, on this day, I celebrated my grandpa's birthday with him for the last time before his passing. However, his words, deeds, and legacy will always be with me and in my heart. As a result of his love for family get-togethers, my grandfather was always successful in fostering unity within the family. He held the view that solid family relationships could only arise from emotional and mental connections. I've learned a lot from my grandfather. It was on this specific day that his health was not particularly good.

Even though he wasn't feeling well and couldn't work like a regular person, he was thrilled that day because it was his birthday and was able to stand up on his knees. It was the day when I understood how small things can bring someone joy and cause them to stand up on their knees in spite of being quite ill. My grandfather taught me the value of life by appreciating the small things in life and by embracing and appreciating what we have now.



Date: 22 January, 2024 Place: near my home

Had a heartwarming conversation with an old women who loved talking to us. And then we asked about their experiences of their daily life. What they love to do in their daily life and how and with whom they like to spend their time. They enjoy their daily life and are happy in their life. We loved to get to know about their way of spending life and their point of view on youth , love , world and aging in general.



Date: 21 January, 2023 Place: Hometown Entry by: Garima has changed with the advent of old age. I was more astonished by the friendship that they both have built with each other. They said care and selflessness is what builds the bonds. Afterwards they massaged my hair and we all ate Maggie together as they love it. Blessed with the best.



Date: 23rd December, 2021. Venue: Streets of Deoghar, Jharkhand Entry by: Aadhya Agarwal

I visited the local slums of my hometown deoghar, jharkhand. Various people put up their tents and live on the streets. I try to help these poor people every year in some way or the other, usually by donating clothes.

In this picture as well I am donating woollen clothes to the elderly people living on the streets. By talking to them we got to know that these are people who sell baskets made out of jute and use the bare minimum earned from this to fill their stomach. They also said that people are not very supportive of them and that they do not buy their products often which increases their struggle more and more.





Date: 21 January, 2023 Place: College Campus

Had a heartwarming conversation with the non-teaching staff we found just outside the hostel who loved talking to us. We asked about their experience of working in this prestigious institution, if they enjoy it, what they love about it the most and how they look back at the years they've spent here. They shared with us their idea of living the life to the fullest, what mistakes not to do, not run behind anything, let go of things that hurt us, learn, grow and enjoy the youth and not worry about the future. We loved to get to know about them and their way of spending life, their point of view on youth, love, world and aging in general.



Date- 22 January,2023 Place: Community Park Entry by Sakshi The elderly population faces challenges related to social isolation and limited community involvement, impacting their overall quality of life. Effective community engagement is crucial to addressing these issues and promoting a supportive and inclusive environment. Similar steps were taken by our department by encouraging students to take part in **Community First Initiative**, an outreach activity in association with **National Community Engagement Academic Network** organized by Janki Devi Memorial College.

On January 22, 2024, four to five people from the Political Science Department visited a park where we interacted with a group of elderly people from our community. While we were communicating with them, they gave us their live through advices in regards to our career, peer pressure, handling stress, about depression and anxiety, and how to become independent.

These elderly people even explained to us the importance of unity and togetherness. They say **Sticks in a bundle are unbreakable**. They gave us life advice, shared their life experiences and interacted with us joyfully. The conversation was very interactive and they had actively taken part in it.



Date: 21st January 2024

Place: Home

Helped my Badi maa navigate Facebook was a heartwarming experience. Patiently guiding her through profile setups and friend requests, I witnessed her joy as she connected with distant relatives. Explaining features like posts and comments, we turned it into a delightful bonding activity. Witnessing her delight while exploring the online world emphasized the importance of bridging generational gaps through technology.



DATE- 21 January'24 PLACE- Home

I have been talking to my landlord, aunt, every night for the last one month. She was paralyzed last month and her health was not so good. I daily talk to her after my dinner. I daily ask her about her health and what she had in her dinner. And I love to listen some stories from her before bedtime. Both of us enjoy spending time with each other. She is much better from last one week, now she can walk and sit like earlier. She is so sweet and a strong woman who fought battle for her good health. I just love her positive attitude in every situation. She inspires me a lot.



Date:14th January, 2024 Venue: Greater Noida

I recently visited my grandmother and I believe that my grandmother is one of the most important family members I have and that it is very important that I spend time taking care of her. She makes our life better by just being in it. She is the only grandmother, I have left and she has devoted her whole life to taking care of her family and now that she is older, she should have someone take care of her. I believe that God gave me the personality and tenacity needed to help my strong willed grandmother that doesn't want to admit she needs assistance.

I believe there is one person in your life that people get their strength from and grandma is that person for me. She has taught me to be thankful for what I have because there is always someone around you that has much less.



Date: 21st January, 2024 Place: Home

Sitting beside my grandmother, I absorbed the nuances of her stories including laughter, the challenges, the triumphs depicting an integral part of our shared cultural heritage. She imparted not just facts but the deep emotions woven into the fabric of her experiences. Through her guidance it helped me to navigate complexities of traditions and rituals. In these moments, I found myself not just learning about her past but discovering the essence of who we are as a family and the traditions that bind us together.



Date: 21 January, 2023 Place: Hometown Entry by Anisha Choudhary

Had a blastful day with my grandmother. I had just went back to my home where she was already waiting to hug me at the doorstep. I sat with her, she asked me about my health and wellbeing. We clicked lots of snaps and she loves to do it with me. Both of us had a chit-chat about the lives in past few months. She made laddos thereafter for me.



Date : 21 January, 2023 Place: Road side near Awas- Vikas Colony in Pilibhit, Uttar Pradesh

Had a touching conversation with the potter uncle we found outside the colony. We asked about his experience of working hard in order to earn his living and rather he gain any profit or not. He shared us his expertise in making pots from the last 10 years and the challenges he face in winters as the mud remains wet but his will to keep the tradition alive is remarkable. We loved to be a part of his happiness for some hours only and getting embedded in his

LEARNING OUTCOMES: It was youth initiative where young students interacted with the elderly people, which contributed to strengthen bonds and it was a great opportunity to learn about various life stories and experiences. The initiative built intergenerational connections and reduced gaps between different age groups. It contributed in enhancing student's communication skills, adapting to the needs of the elderly and gaining insights into their specific challenges. The active contribution through engaging activities, the community engagement initiative promoted a supportive environment. This served as a service-learning experience which encouraged teamwork, personal growth, and instilled a sense of social responsibility as participants actively contributed to the quality of life for the elderly people.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Ethics and Values in Indian Tradition



#### SEMINAR BY FACULTY OF RAU'S IAS STUDY CIRCLE

TOPIC: UNDERSTANDING CIVIL SERVICES AS A CAREER

TIME : 11:30 onwards

DATE: 9 DECEMBER 2023 VENUE: SEMINAR ROOM

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 9<sup>th</sup> December, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on "Understanding Civil Services as a Career." The invited speakers were **Mr. Vaibhav Mishra** (Political Science faculty at Rau's IAS Study Circle) and **Mr. Mangal Singh** (Anthropology optional faculty and mentor at Rau's IAS Study Circle).

The seminar commenced with Mr. Vaibhav Mishra taking the stage as the first speaker. His expertise were evident as he began by reflecting the reason to become an officer. His apparent research can be considered by the collection of last 5 years of data that shows UPSC is cracked mostly by female aspirants. He went on to discuss the various aspects which shows the competition within UPSC: salary, perks, social status and agent of change. Some of the renowned examples of officers given by him includes Deepak Rawat, Sanjukta Parashari, Ajit Doval, S Jaishankar, etc. The next speaker Mr. Mangal Pandey gave his insights on how to crack civil service examinations. By taking the example of Pooja Jha, who cracked civil service exam in first attempt, he highlighted that without right guidance it becomes difficult to ace the exam. He brought light to the fact that that the syllabus of the civil services examinations should be overlooked properly. He further elucidated the preparation strategy by comparing the knowledge gathering and exam readiness.

With this the floor was opened for questions where students participated enthusiastically and this enlightening seminar came to an end with the vote of thanks by the Vice-President Iffat Aurooj.

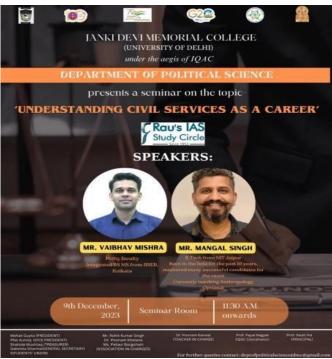
LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students received guidance and realized the importance of coaching. The seminar provided clarity on the examination process, eligibility criteria, and the diverse career paths within civil services. Students developed a strategic approach towards exam preparation, including effective study techniques and time management

skills. Moreover, the seminar emphasized the importance of ethical conduct and public service values in civil services careers. Overall, attendees left the seminar with a well-learning and rounded perspective on pursuing civil services as a career, armed with the necessary information to navigate the examination process.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Public Policy and Administration in India

#### **POSTERS:**





#### PICTURES:







#### **CLOSING CEREMONY**

TOPIC : MOVIE SCREENING: NEWTON, TIME CAPSULE AND CLOSING

CEREMONY OF THE CONSTITUTION WEEK

TIME : 10 am onwards

DATE: 29<sup>th</sup> november, 2023

**VENUE**: Seminar room

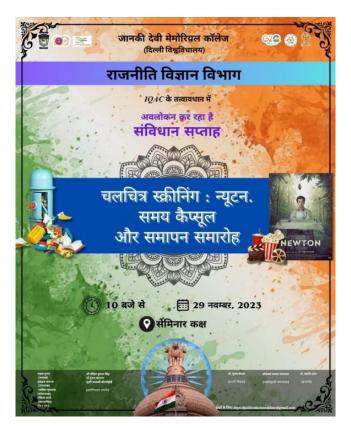
DESCRIPTION: On 29th november, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC conducted movie screening, time capsule and closing ceremony. The event commenced with the blockbuster movie screening. Students were enthusiastic for watching the movie 'Newton'. They were also provided with snacks, which made them more excited. After the end of movie, the event proceeded with encouraging and inspiring words of Mr. Rohit Kumar Singh sir, Ms. Pallavi Borgohain ma'am, and President Mehak Gupta. Prof Vijay Sharma sir addressed the gathering. Radhika Gupta, Cultural head recited the pledge, followed by the students echoing her words. Rohit sir invited the special guest Mr. Kaushal Kishore who served in Indian Airforce for 18 years. Subsequently, prize distribution ceremony took place by the felicitation of the winners by Kaushal Kishore Sir for the JAM and Dress and Declame competitions held during the constitution week. Guest was invited to deliver a compelling speech. He mentioned the importance of constitution and the process of the formation of constitution making. He highlighted that India is the only country with the biggest constitution comprehending various articles and schedules. He asked the students to be proud of our constitution. Lastly, the guest and Association in-charges were requested to write the pledge and placed it inside the container for time capsule. The event wrapped with the vote of thanks by President Mehak Gupta.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: It created awareness about electoral system in India among the students. Attendees gained valuable insights into the historical context and evolution of constitutional frameworks, fostering a deeper appreciation for the foundational values of their nation. The week's activities equipped students with practical knowledge about the rights and responsibilities enshrined in the constitution. Additionally, they were left with a heightened awareness of the importance of civic engagement and the role individuals play in upholding and preserving constitutional ideals.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Political Process in India

#### **POSTERS**:





## PICTURES:







#### SEMINAR BY FACULTY OF OP JINDAL GLOBAL UNIVERSITY

TOPIC: ROLE OF INDIAN CONSTITUTIONAL LAW IN NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

TIME : 11:30 am onwards

DATE: 28th NOVEMBER 2023

**VENUE: SEMINAR ROOM** 

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>:On 28<sup>th</sup> of November, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on "Role of Indian Constitutional Law in National Development." The invited speakers were **Dr. Sourav Mandal**(Associate Professor at OP Jindal Global University) and **Mr. Vinod Madaan**(Deputy General Manager at OP Jindal Global University).

The seminar commenced by highlighting the importance of Constitution Day and extending heartfelt gratitude to the Principal and TIC for conducting such impactful seminars in the college. The token of appreciation was provided to both the speakers. In return, most of the teachers of the department were felicitated by the speakers. The expertise of Dr. Sourav Mandal was evident as he began by providing insightful experiences on the constitution of our country. He highlighted the fact that the people are the only beneficiaries of Constitution of India. He traced the vital role of Cold War scenario and the bipolar world in the formation of constitution of our country. He concluded by emphasizing that law is facially neutral. With this the floor was opened for questions where students participated enthusiastically.

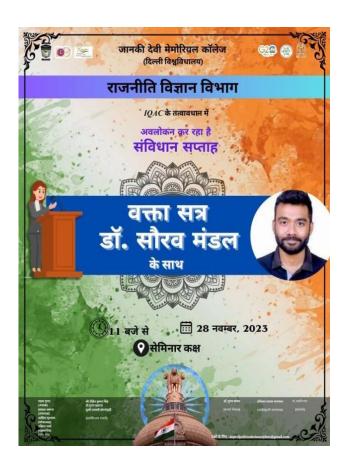
Another speaker, Mr Vinod Madaan laid out the procedure regarding the higher studies of the students. He also provided information regarding the process through which the admission to the OP Jindal University, Sonipat can be taken. This enlightening seminar came to an end with the vote of thanks by the Treasurer Shahida Mushtaq.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students acquired skills by understanding the principles of constitutional law in context of national development. The seminar aimed to equip attendees with knowledge about key constitutional provisions related to development policies, highlighting their impact on infrastructure, governance, and socio-economic progress. Additionally, students gained an enhanced understanding of the legal mechanisms that facilitate inclusive and sustainable development. Students learned about contributing to informed discourse and effective decision-making in this crucial domain.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Law and Justice in Globalizing world

#### **POSTERS:**





## PICTURES:







#### DRESS AND DECLAME COMPETITION

TOPIC : DRESS AND DECLAME : ICONIC INSPIRATIONS : HONOURING

WOMEN IN INDIA'S CONSTITUTION MAKING

TIME: 11am

DATE: 25<sup>th</sup> november, 2023

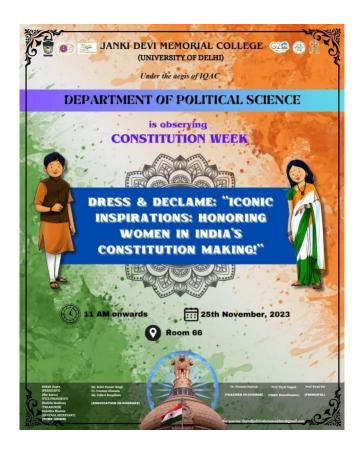
VENUE: ROOM NO. 66

DESCRIPTION: On 25th november, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC conducted an interesting competition 'Dress and Declame: Iconic Inspirations: Honouring Women in India's Constitution Making. The event commenced with the introduction of judges and TICs. There were two rounds of the competition where 18 participants took part. The topic of the first round was 'Legends in attire: walk and introduce' wherein each participant was expected to walk the stage and introduce theirself as character they were portraying. Participants presented the choice of their characters before the audience. The next round which is 'Iconic portrayal: character description and analysis. In this round, participants were required to prepare a speech of three minutes including various aspects highlighting past achievements, history, and future aspirations of the leaders. It embarked with exhilarating speech of the first participant who expressed herself as Durgabai Deshmukh who supported women for equal opportunity. Next participant gave an enriching speech who represented Amrit Kaur who was the first health minister. Many participants portrayed themselves as Sarojni Naidu who was a political activist who contributed in satyagraha movement and worked for equality of women. Followed by other participants who represented themselves as B.R Ambedkar, Rajendra Prasad, Smriti Irani and so on it came to an end. Audience and judges were astonished by such thought provoking speeches. The event ended with the vote of thanks by general secretary, Dakshita Sharma.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students grasped knowledge about women leaders who contributed in India's constitution making and they also got a chance to portray themselves. Participants gained insights into the contributions of women leaders, activists, and visionaries during the constitution-making process. The event aimed to inspire recognition of the diverse perspectives and advocacy efforts that have influenced constitutional principles related to gender equality and women's rights.

#### **POSTERS**:





#### PICTURES:









## **CONSTITUTIONAL WEEK: DAY 1**

TOPIC: INAUGRATION OF CONSTITUTIONAL WEEK

TIME: 11 AM onwards

DATE: 24 NOVEMBER 2023

**VENUE: SEMINAR ROOM** 

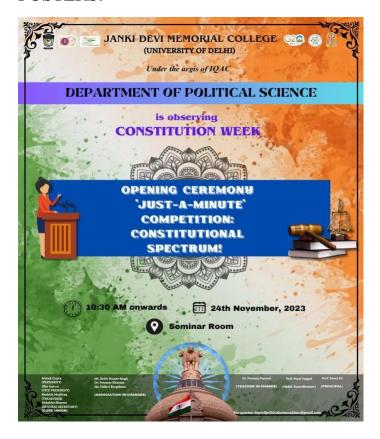
DESCRIPTION: On 24<sup>th</sup> November, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organised a constitutional week. The President of the department inaugurated it by briefing about the importance of Constitution day. This was followed by the National Anthem. The TIC and association incharges were being introduced followed up by some of the patriotic songs being sung by a group of students. The introduction and rules of Just-a-minute(JAM) event were being told to the participants which was judged by Professor Raju and Professor Geetanjali. The participants were provided with chits on which topic was written. Participants have to speak up on the given topic for about a minute without pausing or hesitating. Some of the topics include Secularism in the Indian Constitution, Dr BR Ambedkar: the Architect of Indian Constitution, Technology and Privacy Rights: A Constitutional Outlook, Role of Women in the Constitution, etc. The total numbers of participants were 13.

The name of the winners was to be announced at closing ceremony as announced by Vice President added on by vote of thanks. Finally, the event ended with the pledge writing on the pledge wall which is necessary in today's world which would be there throughout the week.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students learned about constitution and actively engaged in competition. Participants were left with a heightened understanding of the constitutional principles that form the bedrock of our legal system. The event inspired a sense of enthusiasm and commitment to the values enshrined in the constitution, fostering a deeper connection with the legal heritage of the nation. Through the JAM event, attendees got an opportunity to enhance their analytical and advocacy skills, by gaining practical insights into legal reasoning.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Constitutional Democracy and Government in India.

#### **POSTERS:**





### PICTURES:







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#### Department of Political

#### Science

#### INFOGRAPHIC POSTER MAKING COMPETITION

TOPIC: The structure of the United

Nations TIME : 11am onwards

DATE : 23 October, 2023

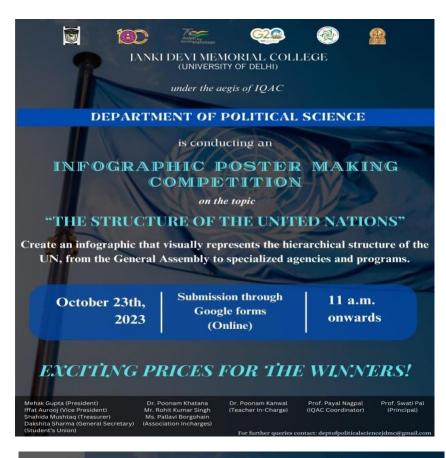
MODE: Online

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 23<sup>rd</sup> October, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC conducted an Infographic Poster Making Competition on the topic 'The structure of United Nations'. The competition served as a splendid opportunity for participants to showcase their creative and informative skills. Participants expressed their thoughts by visually representing the hierarchical structure of the UN in an innovative manner. The participants submitted their infographic posters via Google forms. Their posters were analyzed by taking into account the visual appeal, clarity, presentation, and designing. After the careful evaluation, the winners announced were Chakshu, a 2<sup>nd</sup> year student of BA Programme who secured first position and Faria, a 1st year student of Political Science Honours who secured second position. Lastly, it was a successful and flourishing event for the participants as they acquired more awareness about the structure of UN.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students got to know about United nations as a platform for member states to address global issues. Participants developed research and analytical skills as they delve into the various organs and specialized agencies of the UN. Through the creative process of designing an infographic poster, participants enhanced their ability to communicate complex information, promoting clarity and accessibility. This competition encouraged participants to explore the interconnections between different UN bodies, fostering a nuanced comprehension of the organization's multifaceted roles.

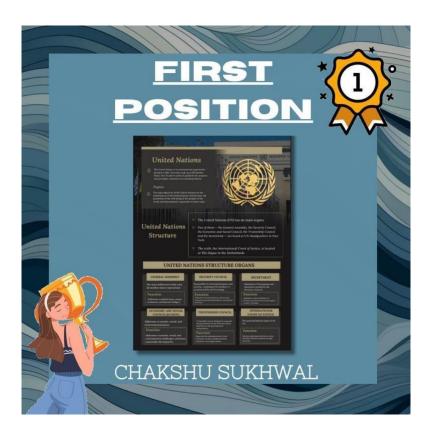
# RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Global Politics

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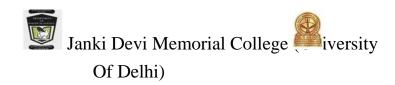




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#### **Educational Field Trip**

Name of the event:	Field Trip to Indian Agricultural
	Research Institute, PUSA Road, New Delhi
Name of the organizer (s):	Department of Political Science
Type of event:	Educational
Objectives of the event:	Understand Agrarian Development Strategy

#### **Brief Report**

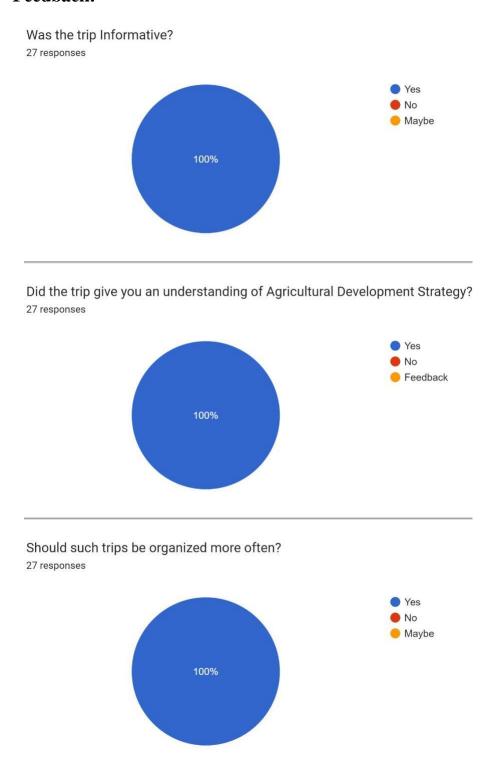
Department of Political Science under the supervision of Ms. Shalini Singh (Assistant Professor) planned an educational trip to **Indian Agricultural Research Institute**, **PUSA Road**, **New Delhi** on **19**<sup>th</sup> **October 2023**. The students visited **the Department of Agroeconomy and Extension** in the Institute. A team of **27 students** from 2<sup>nd</sup> year (State Politics) and 3<sup>rd</sup> year (Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India) were a part of this field trip.

The **objective** of this trip was to understand Agrarian Developmental Strategy, particularly Green Revolution and the employment of smart agriculture in sustaining the environment and fulfilling the goal of Zero Hunger. The students were attended by Mr. Girijesh Mahra (Scientist) and Dr. S.L. Meena (Principal Scientist). They were briefed about the history of the institution, the condition of agriculture post independence, the need for food security and the advent of **Green Revolution** in India. The students also visited and understood an **Integrated Farming System** to promote a sustainable ay of agriculture. Furthermore, the students visited the **Centre for Protected Cultivation Technology** and witnessed the polyhouse and controlled ways of breeding of plants.

#### **Link For Attendance cum Feedback Form:**

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1MX5ZnEPxzIkJdIjojHW5mCW8gPJHOMf37Mec-SXT82k/edit

## Feedback:



**Evaluation:** The students were extremely satisfied with the educational trip and the objective of making them understand the agricultural development strategy was fulfilled. The Department of Political Science will plan more such trips in future.

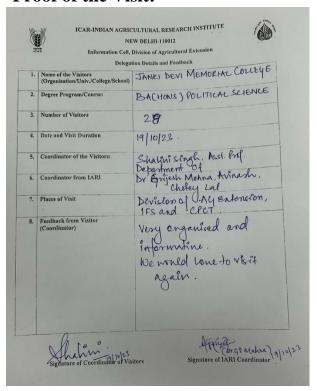
#### **Record of Attendance:**

Radhika Gupta	97	3НВ
Prerna	790	3hb
Khushi sagar	673	2HA BA political science honours
Raj nandini kumari	827	3Hb/ section -B
Rashi chaudhary	1593	Political science honors, B section
Upasna Gunsola	1565	3HB Section B
Sonam yadav	81	3rd year, section B
Radhika kumari	695	2HA
Tiksha Chauhan	1577	3НВ
Sejal	826	знв
Swastika Dubey	464	3НВ
KHUSHI SHARMA	1730	2ND YEAR POL SCIENCE (SECTION 'A')
Sneha Suresh	1656	2 HA Ba hons Political science
Sukhreet Kaur	400	3НВ
Vandana	631	Political science honours 2nd year (A)
Kajal Kumari	22/1815	2HA
Natasha saini	641	3НВ
Pallavi Choudhary	719	5th sem (sec B)
Nivedita	241	знв
Siloni	1639	Political science honors, 2nd year (A)
Saloni Vijayran	1465	3HB sec B
Yashika Goyal	1933	POL SCI HONS 3HB
Mehak Gupta	951	Srction B 3rd year Political Science Honours
Medha	1024	3rd year Section b
Mesha Aggarwal	H25-732	2HB
Nimisha Phukan	1425	BA(hons) Political Science ,B
Shelly	1119	3hb (3 year political science honours section b)

LEARNING OUTCOMES: It was an educational trip which made students aware about the green revolution and need for sustainable future. The trip enhanced students knowledge of cutting-edge research in agriculture, promoting a connection between theoretical learning and real-world applications. Additionally, they got the opportunity to interact with experts and scientists, fostering a deeper appreciation for the challenges and advancements in the agricultural sector. The field trip aimed to inspire a sense of curiosity, environmental awareness, and a commitment to addressing food security issues.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Development Processes and Social Movements

### **Proof of the Visit:**



## Geotagged pictures of the Field Trip



Students with Dr. Girijesh Mahra (Scientist) and Dr. S.L. Meena(Principal Scientist) learning about the history of ICAR at the Department of Extension, ICAR, Pusa Road



Students with Dr. S.L. Meena (Principal Scientist) understanding the manufacturing of Biogas and its use as manure.



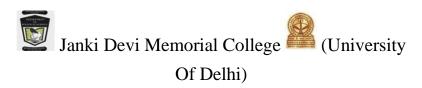
Students along with Dr. S.L. Meena (Principal Scientist) and Ms. Shalini Singh (Faculty Coordinator) exploring the fields at ICAR, Pusa Road



Students with Dr. S.L. Meena (Principal Scientist) understanding the Integrated Farming System, ICAR, Pusa Road



A group photo of the students along with Dr. S.L. Meena (Principal Scientist) and Ms. Shalini Singh (Faculty Coordinator) at Integrated Farming System, ICAR, Pusa Road



#### **WEBINAR**

TOPIC: NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT: MYTH OR REALITY DATE:

11TH OCTOBER, 2023

TIME: 4:30 PM

**VENUE: ZOOM PLATFORM** 

<u>DESCRIPTION:</u> On 11th October, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC presented an online lecture on Nuclear Disarmament:Myth or Reality by Dr. Haseeb Cheerathadayan( Alliance Medical- NHS England) and a Former Senior Research Fellow- JNU.

Dr. Cheerathdayan started the discussion by talking about the reactions and structure of a nuclear explosion. He explained the meaning about Nuclear Detterence and terminologies like mutual assured destruction, second strike capability. Lecture continued with the talks on the direct and indirect, immediate and extended impact of Nuclear Power and the bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki in 1982. Dr. Cheerathdayan further highlighted the efforts made to reduce the war heads such as Anti Ballistic Missile Treaty, INF Treaty(1987), Start 1 Treaty(1991) and Sort Treaty(2002).

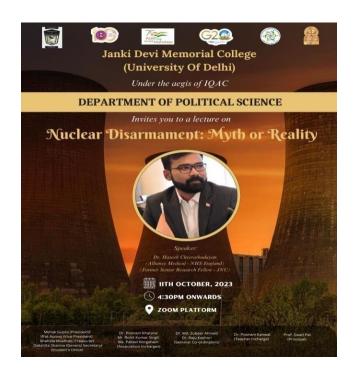
Then the floor was open for discussion where various students enthusiastically participated. Dr. Raju Keshari and Dr.Md. Zubeer Ahmed also presented their views.

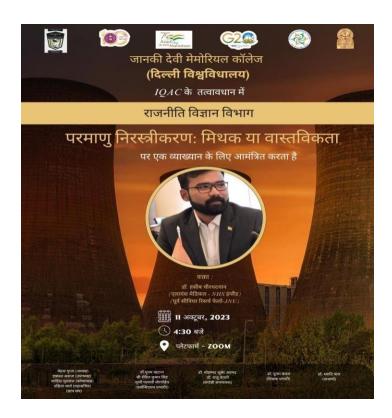
The enriching webinar came to an end with the presentation of vote of thanks by the President Mehak Gupta.

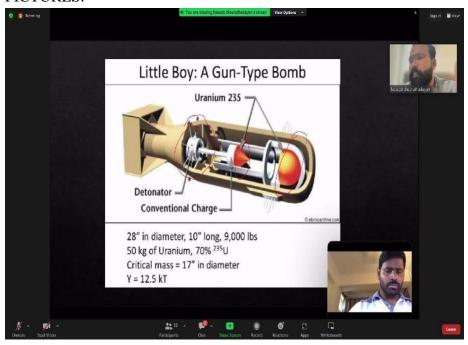
LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students gained knowledge about importance of nuclear power in present world. India adopted 'no first use policy'. They gained insights into the historical context of nuclear proliferation, the current global landscape, and the challenges associated with achieving disarmament. The webinar aimed to promote awareness of the humanitarian and security implications of nuclear weapons, fostering a sense of urgency and responsibility among participants. Moreover, students learned the importance of understanding international treaties and initiatives aimed at achieving nuclear disarmament, encouraging informed advocacy for a world free of nuclear weapons.

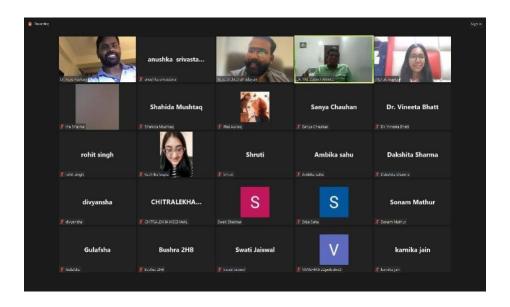
RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Perspectives on International Relations and World History.

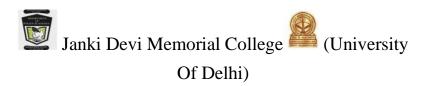
#### POSTERS:











# Department of Political Science

# SEMINAR BY FACULTY OF VAJIRAM AND RAVI

TOPIC: ORIENTATION TO CIVIL SERVICES EXAMS PREPARATION AND

IMPORTANCE OF OPTIONAL

TIME : 11am to 1pm DATE

: 9 OCTOBER 2023

**VENUE: SEMINAR ROOM** 

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 9<sup>th</sup> October, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organized a seminar on "Orientation to Civil Services exams preparation and importance of optional." The invited speakers were **Mr. Iqbal Singh** (Political Science faculty at Vajiram and Ravi), **Mr. Samarjit Mishra** (teaches Indian Polity at Vajiram and Ravi), and **Mr. Sushant Verma** (Political Science faculty at Vajiram and Ravi).

This seminar was attended by 194 students.

The seminar commenced with Mr. Samarjit Mishra taking the stage as the first speaker. His expertise were evident as he began his discourse on Civil Services exam preparation and strategies. He emphasized that UPSC is one the most prestigious and competitive examinations, attracting thousands of aspirants each year. He enunciated the three stages of exam including Prelims (General Studies Paper–1 and CSAT), Mains (essay, G.S and optional subjects) and Interview. He informed about the importance of 'Mains' and 'optional paper'. According to his analysis 2Cs which comprises of commitment and consistency

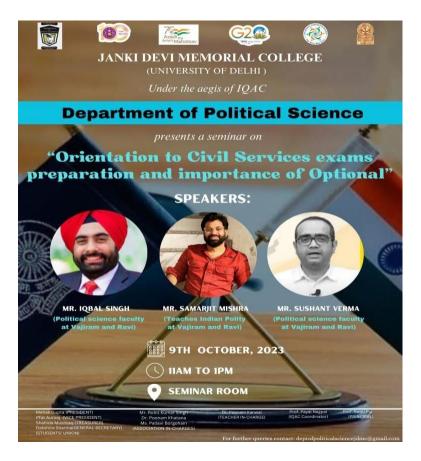
must be followed along with setting up a timeline. He highlighted three steps preparation incorporating the significance of analyzing syllabus, writing answers and reading analytical news. The next speaker Iqbal Singh gave his insights on the worthiness of Political Science and International Relations (PSIR) as an optional subject. He gave various factors for choosing it as an optional subject as specifically, it overlaps with G.S paper and it is highly a scoring subject. He further elucidated the syllabus of PSIR paper 2. Lastly, Mr. Sushant Verma laid out the syllabus of PSIR paper 1 including concepts of political theory ,thinkers of political thought, Indian constitution and party system and so forth. He highlighted the ways in which they will help the students by providing structured study plans, expert guidance and strategic classrooms for conceptual clarity.

With this the floor was opened for questions where students participated enthusiastically and this enlightening seminar came to an end with the vote of thanks by the President Mehak Gupta.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students got clarity about the exam as they were puzzled before. They gained a comprehensive understanding of the examination pattern, syllabus, and effective study techniques. The seminar provided guidance on time management, answer writing skills, and interview preparation, crucial aspects for success in civil services. They also got benefit from the expertise of seasoned educators, fostering a deeper understanding of the challenges and opportunities within the civil services domain.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Public policy and Administration in India

#### **POSTERS:**











Department of Political Science

# **Fresher's Orientation Report**

TOPIC: Orientation for first year studentsTIME: 12PM onwards DATE: 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023VENUE:

Auditorium

On 6th of October, department of political science of Janki Devi Memorial College organised fresher's orientation for the students of 2023-24. With Bollywood theme setting the stage, the event was a perfect blend of entertainment, celebration, and recognition which made the occasion a resounding success. Attendees embraced well with the theme and the auditorium adorned with Bollywood decor. It commenced with astonishing ramp walk of teachers. The event was marked by an investiture ceremony, where deserving students were honoured and appointed for different posts in political science union.the highlight of the occasion was undoubtedly the scintillating performances by department students. The students showcased their talent through an amazing drama performance, leaving the audience awestruck. With an increasing excitement, the most awaited 'miss freshers' contest turned up. Contestants were enthusiastic and confident while competing in various rounds.

The judges had a challenging task as they evaluated the participants based on their talent, attire and intellect. The event proceeded with breathtaking dance performances by second and third year students. Resuming the fierce competition after an engrossing question answer round, Miss Freshers 2023, Runner up and the Best Attire were crowned by Principal ma'am at &the end of the orientation. Lastly, the event came to an end with Indian Cuisine and refreshments being served to Political Science Department. This delightful and memorable orientation of freshers with it's Bollywood theme, had set a positive tone for the first year students looking forward to more such gatherings and a bright academic year

ahead.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: Students gained enthusiasm and embarked on promising beginning to their college journey. They got valuable insights into campus resources, academic policies, and extracurricular opportunities. It aimed to create a supportive community by introducing students to their peers, faculty, and support staff. Additionally, they developed a clear understanding of campus culture, values, and expectations, promoting a positive and inclusive learning environment.

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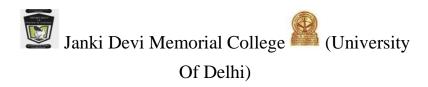












## Department of Political Science

# **Seminar on Examining Constitutional Provisions** on Equal Opportunity

Topic: Law, State and Society: Examining Constitutional provisions of equal

opportunityTime: 3 October 2023

Venue: Room No. 66

Description: On 3rd of October, Department of Political Science in collaboration with Centre for the Study of Disability Inclusion under the ageis of IQAC organised a lecture on the topic 'Law, State and Society: Examining Constitutional provisions of equal opportunity. The invited speaker was N.Annavaram, Assistant Professor (Department of Sociology) University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad. This seminar was attended by 71 students of the department.

The event began with the introduction of the speaker by Dr. Md Zubeer Ahmed, Director, CSDI. He introduced Centre for the Study of Disability Inclusion which is the new IQAC centre commenced in March with 11 faculties working in it with the focus on Sensatisation, Training, Outreach and Reseach.

N.Annavaram Sir addressed the audience by siting the difference between rites and rights. Rites are embodied in religion to claim for one's share where first share is of divine god, second for the priest, third is to the community and what is left is one's own share. He highlighted that with hunger of power and greedy nature of human, human state emerged as acompromise where Rights were the part of contract between people and state. He emphasized that rights are the power of constitution as limit the absolute power of state.

With this the floor was opened for questions where the students and faculty members participated enthusiastically. This enriching and informative lecture came to an end with the presentation of vote of thanks by the President Mehak Gupta and felicitation of the guests by Dr. Md.Zubeer Ahmed.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: It aimed to foster fairness and inclusivity by prohibiting discrimination and increasing awareness of individual rights.

They gained insights into constitutional provisions that safeguard and promote equal opportunities, fostering appreciation for the principles of justice and fairness enshrined in the constitution. The seminar empowered participants to critically analyze and interpret relevant constitutional articles, enhancing their legal reasoning skills.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Human Rights

#### **POSTERS:**











# (University Of Delhi) Department of Political Science

#### **ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION**

TOPIC: 'WITH GREAT POWER COMES GREAT RESPONSIBILITY;

ANALYZINGINDIA'S G20 PRESIDENCY'

TIME: 11am to 12pm

DATE: 1st SEPTEMBER,

2023 VENUE: ROOM NO.

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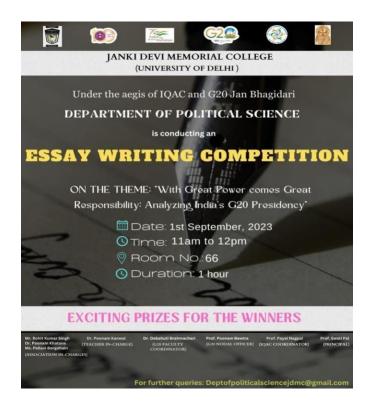
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>: On 1st September, Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC and G20 Jan Bhagidari conducted a competition on the theme 'With Great Power comes Great Responsibility; Analyzing India's G20 Presidency.' The competition allowed a diverse pool of participants to dive into the core of the G20 presidency. Before the commencement of competition, participants were provided with guidance and rules to ensure fair execution. Participants enthusiastically commenced with the competition by critically thinking and challenging knowledge while writing the essay. They were expected to complete the essay by one hour. As the designated essay writing period concluded, participants submitted their essays. The judges embarked on the evaluation process by assessing and analyzing on the basis of clarity and relevance. Lastly, winners were Lipsa Patra, a third year student of Political Science Department secured the first position and Himanshi Panwar, a second year of Political Science Department secured the second position. Prize money was given to them for their outstanding performance and efforts. The event became a fruitful experience by the support of union members, enthusiastic participants and panel of

judges.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: India's G20 presidency reflected people's presidency which gave a message of inclusion. Participants deepened their understanding of global economic governance and the significance of the G20 in addressing pressing global challenges. Through research and essay composition, participant also enhanced their analytical and critical thinking skills, gaining insights into the complexities of international relations and economic policies. The competition encouraged them to articulate their thoughts effectively, improving their written communication skills.

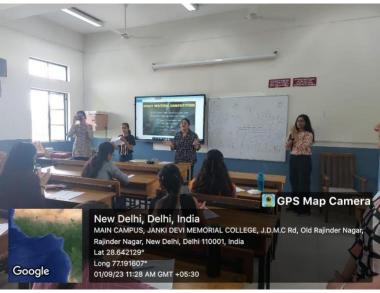
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## Department of Political Science

# **Orientation Session Report**

TOPIC: ORIENTATION SESSION FOR FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

TIME: 10 am onwards VENUE: ROOM NO. 66

DESCRIPTION: On 16th August 2023, the Department of Political Science of Janki Devi Memorial College organized an Orientation Programme for the students of the session 2023-24. The session commenced with Dr. Poonam Kanwal's address, who is the Teacher Incharge of the department. Dr. Kanwal welcomed the students and introduced the faculty members present in the session. The Department Union of 2023-24 was also introduced to the students and a brief about their work was given. Dr. Kanwal explained to the students details of the course structure, evaluation process, scholarship programmes offered by the college, regular student-faculty meetings, the various centres and societies and the counselling facilities made available by the college. The Faculty members made the student familiar with the college infrastructure and the sincerity of the college in terms of its education and exposure to extracurricular activities along with the strictness in accordance with University of Delhi norms. They also interacted with the students and encouraged them to make optimum use of the facilities provided by the college as well as motivated them to be active and considerate in their studies and extracurricular activities. The session was well received by the students and was followed by an informal discussion with the Department Union.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: The students were made familiar with college premises, department teachers and their enrolled courses. They were motivated for studies and other activities. They gained a comprehensive understanding of campus resources, academic policies, and support services, facilitating a smooth transition into the university environment. The session provided insights into academic expectations, helping students navigate their coursework successfully. Additionally, provided the opportunity to connect with peers, faculty, and staff, fostering a sense of belonging.

RELEVANCE WITH SUBJECT: Higher Education and Student Development

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