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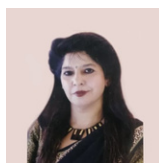
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Chancellor,

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IGDTUW is an all-girls technical university located in Delhi which is also the first all-girls technical university in South Asia. The vision of the University has always been to foster industry-relevant research and innovation, with a motive to empower the women of our country through value-based higher education, making them employable, self-reliant, responsible citizens of the country with a concern for the environment and society, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan cell of IGDTUW adopted five villages under them namely,

1. Burari
2. Salempur Majra,
3. Kamalpur Majra,
4. Jagatpur
5. Jharoda Majra

In these villages, the UBA Cell of IGDTUW has been working closely with the government schools and local bodies such as Resident Welfare Association (RWAs), i.e, Govt. Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya Burari, Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya Jagatpur, RWA of Kamalpur.

As the pandemic erupted, the remaining activities of UBA Cell IGDTUW such as household and village surveys as well as awareness drives came to halt and we were limited to off-field activities. However the UBA Cell of IGDTUW made their full efforts to extend all possible support to their adopted villages by conducting many online activities (such as Digital awareness on NEP, details of which is captured in Newsletter Vol. 3 July 2021).

Now, as we move towards normalcy after two years its empowering to see UBA Cell back in action. This volume captures the two month long activities conducted on field in the villages from April 2022-June 2022.

My best wishes to the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell IGDTUW and put forward the Newsletter Volume 4, June 2022 for this season.

OVERVIEW

686

Household Surveys

8+

Awareness Drives
Conducted

1000+

Students and
Residents Impacted

GOVT. SARVODAYA KANYA VIDYALAYA, BURARI

Awareness Drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by Painting Competition on 'Save Water' theme

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell of Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, Kashmere Gate organized awareness drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by a Painting Competition on "Save Water" for the students of Govt. Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya, Burari on 5th of April, 2022. Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha (UBA Co-Ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW) from UBA Cell along with Mr. Ravindra (Assistant Professor, MAE, IGDTUW) led the respective event followed by some students of UBA Cell of IGDTUW.

DURING THIS EVENT :

- Members from UBA Cell introduced the students about Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University For Women. Also, members made sure to provide a brief introduction to all the courses that the university provides to the students.
- Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha highlighted the aim and objective of UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAAN to the students and answered their queries regarding the topic.
- Mr. Ravindra Kumar (Assistant Professor, MAE, IGDTUW) took an interactive session to make students aware about water conservation in the form of a presentation.

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Image: Mr. Ravindra Kumar interacting with the students about various ways of conserving water.



IGDTUW Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell members enlightening the students about the needs and ways of water conservation.



Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha addressing the goals and objectives of the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan



Students working on their posters during their competition and volunteers guiding them through the process.

"I do not want India to be an economic superpower. I want India to be a happy country."

-J.R.D Tata

GOVT. SARVODAYA KANYA VIDYALAYA, BURARI

Awareness Drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by Painting Competition on 'Save Water' theme

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**GOVT. SARVODAYA KANYA VIDYALAYA
BURARI, DELHI-110084**

Ref. no GSKV/B/22/ 254

Dated: 05/04/2022

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell of Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, Kashmere Gate organized a Paining Competition on the theme "Save Water". The event, led by Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha(UBA Co-ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW), along with Mr. Ravinder Kumar (Asst. Profesor, MAE, IGDTUW) was organized in Government Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya, Burari on 05 April 2022. The event was organized with kind support and coordination of the School Principal Dr. Ritu Rani Bhatnagar and other members of school administration.

During the event the students were made aware about the aims and objectives of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and were enlightened about the needs and ways of water conservation. Further, awareness on Women Education and Environment was spread, and information regarding various future opportunities offered in a society on various career fronts was provided. Volunteers from IGDTUW tried to lighten the atmosphere by interacting with students and sharing their experiences. Videos and presentations on need of Water Conservation and how a single man's initiative can change the world imparted during the session. Glimpses of college life were shared followed by briefing on the competition and its initiation.

Around 50 students of class 8th participated in the competition. Each student was equipped with a drawing kit for the competition and were given an hour to create a painting on the theme "Save Water". First three winners were felicitated and participation certificate was awarded to all the participants.

Ritu Rani Bhatnagar
H.O.S.
Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya
Burari, Delhi-84

Image: Letter from HOS



Dr. Ritu Rani Bhatnagar, HOS, SKV, Burari along with Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha, UBA Co-Ordinator felicitating the winners of the competitions.



Participating students sketching their creative ways to save water and inspiring other students for the same cause.



Image: UBA CELL members with the teachers of GSKV and the students with their certificates

"We want the education by which character is formed, strength of mind is increased, the intellect is expanded, and by which one can stand on one's own feet. "

- Swami Vivekananda

SARVODAYA KANYA VIDYALAYA SCHOOL, JAGATPUR

Awareness Drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by Painting Competition on 'Save Water' theme in collaboration with CSD, IGDTUW

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan cell of Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, Kashmere Gate organised a Painting Competition in collaboration with Center For Sustainable Development (CSD), team EUDAIMONIA for the awareness of water footprint and conservation for the students of Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya School, Burari on 22nd of April, 2022. Ar . Kshitij Kumar Sinha (UBA Co-ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW), Mr. Ravindra (Assistant Professor, MAE, IGDTUW) and Mr. Rishabh Kaushal (Assistant Professor, IT, IGDTUW) as well as students Center For Sustainable Development organized the informative event at the school.

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- Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha highlighted the aim and objective of UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAAN to the students and answered their queries regarding the topic.
- In collaboration with Center For Sustainable Development and UBA Cell IGDTUW, students of team Eudaimonia and UBA Cell gave an insight about Water Footprint and Conservation to the school students and enlightened them about SDGs

"Around 50 students of 7th and 8th standard participated in the competition . Each student was equipped with a drawing kit and jute bag of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan for the competition and were given an hour to paint a drawing on the theme "Save Water" . First three winners were felicitated and a participation certificate was awarded to all the participants .



Image: Members of CSD IGDTUW discussing about water footprint and sustainability with the students



Mr. Ravindra Kumar familiarizes the students with the importance of water conservation.

Mr. Rishabh Kaushal (Assistant Professor, IT, IGDTUW) along with Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha highlighting the aim and objectives of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan.



Students working on their posters during their competition and volunteers guiding them through the process.

"India is a very young country. India's youth power, the skills and will power of this young generation will help give the country a new identity in the world."

-Srinivas Mishra

SARVODAYA KANYA VIDYALAYA SCHOOL, JAGATPUR

Awareness Drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by Painting Competition on 'Save Water' theme

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No:SKV/JP/2022/५७

Dated 22 April 2022

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell of Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, Kashmere Gate organized a Painting Competition on the theme 'Save Water'. The event, led by Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha (UBA Co-ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW), Dr. Preeti Vajpeyi (Associate Professor, DAP), Mr. Ravindra (Assistant Professor MAE) and Mr. Rishabh Kaushal (Assistant Professor, IT) was organized in Sarvodaya Kanya Vidyalaya (Mahavir Singh) School, Jagatpur. The event was organized with kind support and coordination of the school Principal Ms. Lili Gress Rita, other members of school administration.

During the event the students were made aware about the aims and objectives of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and were enlightened about the need and ways of water conservation. Further, awareness on Women Education and Empowerment was spread, and information regarding various future opportunities offered in the society on various career fronts was provided. Volunteers from IGDTUW tried to lighten the atmosphere by interacting with students and sharing their experiences. Videos and presentations on the need of water conservation and how a single man's initiative can change the world were imparted during the session. Glimpses of college life were shared, followed by briefing on the competition and its initiation. Team Eudemonia of Centre for Sustainable Development, IGDTUW also briefed about their campaign 'Bin Paani Sab Song. And conducted an awareness drive on water conservation and footprint followed by a survey.

Around 50 students of 7th and 8th standard participated in the competition. Each student was equipped with a drawing kit for the competition and were given an hour to paint a drawing on the theme 'Save Water'. First three winners were felicitated and a participation certificate was awarded to all the participants.

22/4/2022
H.O.S.
S.K.V. (MAHAVIR SINGH)
JAGAT PUR, DELHI-110084

Image: Letter from HOS



Ms. Lili Gress Rita, HOS, SKV, Jagatpur and some officials from DOE felicitating the winners of the competitions.



Image: UBA Cell members with the teachers of SKV and happy students along with their certificates

"All the power is within you, you can do anything and everything ."

- Swami Vivekananda

APPROACHING THE WOMEN OF KAMALPUR

Awareness Drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by Painting Competition on 'Save Water' theme and Aam Sabha by UBA Cell, IGDTUW

The 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan' Cell of Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women (IGDTUW), Kashmere Gate, organized an Aam Sabha with the ladies of Kamalpur and members of Resident Welfare Association (RWA) of Kamal Pur Majra for an awareness drive about Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) on 30th April, 2022

The briefing was done by IGDTUW's students explaining what the University intends to do as a Participating Institute under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and noted down their concerns. This was followed by a discussion with the ladies on the theme 'Save Water'.

The members of UBA Cell IGDTUW and the residents of Kamalpur came up with solutions on how to save water in homes and how can people on their part do a bit to reduce the water footprint. Many of the residents also raised their concerns over gradually reducing ground water level and scarcity of water in their area. The UBA cell members got familiarized with the rising issues of poor sewage and unrepaired roads with a lot of potholes.

This Aam Sabha established a contact between the residents and the UBA members which helped them better, to analyze the situations of the residents. With kind support of Mr Sundar Singh Rawat this event became a success. The event, was concluded by Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha (UBA Co-ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW), where he appreciated Mr. Sunder Singh Rawat, RWA President and other community members of Kamal Pur Majra for their kind support.



The members and the residents having discussion over "How to save water in our homes"



IGDTUW UBA TEAM with Kamalpur RWA Members and Residents



Image: The residents of Kamalpur Majra for Aam Sabha

“Every woman’s success should be an inspiration to another. We’re strongest when we cheer each other on.”

- Serena Williams

RESIDENTS WELFARE ASSOCIATION (RWA) KAMALPUR

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Image: Excited and happy students after receiving UBA Drawing kits

More than 50 students from grade 1st to 10th participated in the competition. Each student was equipped with a drawing kit and jute bags of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan for the competition and was given an hour to paint a drawing on the theme "Save Water". The first three winners were felicitated with prizes and a participation certificate was awarded to all the participants.





All the students working on their posters during their competition with the stationary kits provided by the UBA Cell of IGDTUW. The students thoroughly enjoyed painting their heart out and aware others on how to save water.

"Education is not the learning of facts, but the training of mind to think."

-Albert Einstein

RESIDENTS WELFARE ASSOCIATION (RWA) KAMALPUR

Awareness Drive on 'Water Conservation' and 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Mission' followed by Painting Competition on 'Save Water' theme


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The 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell' of Indra Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women (IGDTUW), Kashmere Gate, today organized an Aam Sabha with the RWA of Kamal Pur Majra for initial contact establishment and awareness drive about Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA). Kamal Pur Majra is one of the five villages adopted by IGDTUW. The briefing was done by IGDTUW explaining what the University intends to do as a Participating Institute under 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan'. This was followed by organizing a Painting Competition on the theme 'Save Water'. The event, led by Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha (UBA Co-ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW), was organized with the kind support of **Mr. Sunder Singh Rawat, RWA President** and other community members of Kamal Pur Majra.

Including RWA members, around 70-80 people participated in this event. During the event the students were made aware about the aims and objectives of 'Unnat Bharat Abhiyan' and were enlightened about the need and ways of water conservation. Further, awareness on Women Education and Empowerment was spread, and information regarding various future opportunities offered in the society on various career fronts was provided. Volunteers from IGDTUW tried to lighten the atmosphere by interacting with students and sharing their experiences. Presentations on the need of water conservation and how a single man's initiative can change the world were imparted during the session. Glimpses of college life were shared, followed by briefing on the competition and its initiation.

Around 50 women from the local Bhajan Mandali with their children participated in the competition. Each student was provided with a drawing kit for the competition and were given an hour to paint a drawing on the theme 'Save Water'. First three winners were felicitated and a participation certificate was awarded to all the participants. The RWA of Kamal Pur Majra looks forward to many more collaborative events by IGDTUW in the near future under UBA.



(Sunder Singh Rawat)
President, RWA
 PRADHAN
 SOCIETY OF KAMAL PUR
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 KAMAL VIHAR, KAMAL PUR
 BURARI, DELHI-110084

Image: Letter from President of RWA



Mr. Sunder Singh Rawat, President RWA, Kamalpur, felicitating the winners and participation certificates



Image: Full of enthusiasm and excited students after receiving the UBA Drawing kit



IGDTUW UBA TEAM with Kamalpur RWA Members at the end of the event.

"True education combines intellect, beauty, goodness and greatest of these is the goodness. "

-Hellen Keller

DOWN TO THE STREETS OF VILLAGES FOR HOUSEHOLD SURVEY



Image: Local Residents and students during Household surveys.

From 22-28th April 2022, the village tour and surveys were conducted in Village Kamalpur, Jharoda Majra, Salempur Majra and Jagatpur under the leadership of Ar. Kshitij Kumar Sinha, UBA Co-Ordinator, DAP, IGDTUW, the students visited Jagatpur school and the village on 22nd April 2022, followed by Salempur Majra on 25th April and Jharoda Majra on 27th April and Kamalpur on 28th April 2022 respectively.

Household surveys were conducted between 25th April 2022 to 28th April 2022. Around 50 surveys in Jharoda Majra, 75 surveys in Jagatpur, and 100 surveys in Saleempur Majra were done.

Total **300 surveys** were completed in the month of April 2022.

Surveys were conducted among students of Govt. Sarvodya Kanya Vidyalaya, Burari and in Sarvodya Kanya Vidyalaya, Jagatpur. The students surveyed the staff members of the school, parents of the students, and around the residential areas of Jagatpur.

During the Kamalpur visit, the survey was supported by Mr. Sunder Singh Rawat, RWA President of Kamalpur with his zeal and support 100 surveys were alone done in Kamalpur area.

The survey data are being updated on UBA portal.

VILLAGE TOURS ORGANIZED: STUDENT INSIGHTS

Multiple village tours were organised in the villages of civil lines i.e. Burari, Salempur Majra, Jharoda Majra, Jagatpur, Kamalpur Majra by the UBA Cell IGDTUW. These village tours helped the volunteers to understand the village context and to get a deeper understanding about the goals and work of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan. These village tours were assisted by the faculty members of UBA Cell.

Through these village tours and meetings with the local administration of villages the cell, students reached the conclusion of village and household surveys of the five adopted villages.

HOUSEHOLD AND VILLAGE SURVEY TIMELINE

22nd of April: Jagatpur (37)
25th of April : Saleempur Majra (100)
26th of April : Jagatpur (13)
27th of April : Kamalpur (100)
28th of April : Jharoda Majra (50)

TOTAL : 300 FORMS

2019 : Burari (386)

GRAND TOTAL : 686 FORMS



Image: Conduction of survey in the streets of Jharoda Majra

"How can we lament lack of national pride in Indians without first acquainting them with the country's phenomenal scientific achievements in the dim distant past? "

-D. S. Kothari

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS OF UBA CELL, IGDTUW AND EXPERIENCES OF THE STUDENTS



Image: Poster entry submitted for Poster Competition on Covid Awareness by the Varishtha, a student of Department of Architecture, batch of 2018-23 conducted by Unnat Bharat Abhiyan at regional level



Image: Certificate received by the RCI Coordinator Prof. Priyanka Kaushal felicitating Varishtha for securing second position in the Regional Poster Competition for Covid - 19 Awareness organised by Unnat Bharat Abhiyan.

STUDENTS CORNER

Participating in UBA has provided me with countless ways of improving my social and problem-solving skills. We learned how to approach and communicate with the general public while surveying the initial stage. It was an exciting experience and aided my personal development. Collaborating with NGOs and other associations allowed me to widen my horizons and exchange ideas with the students.

-NANDITA CHELLARAMANI
(3rd year, B.Arch)

I investigated various aspects while working with the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan. I investigated the day-to-day life of a village, observing their humble way of life and understanding their struggles. Overall, working for the betterment of society and as a responsible citizen raising awareness among the unaware citizens of these rural areas was an eye-opening experience.

-ANUSHKA VERMA
(3rd year, B.Arch)

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was a fantastic opportunity to learn about real issues and work on real problems, which increased our confidence and broadened our horizons. UBA allows us to engage with people and learn about our surroundings in ways we never have before.

-KAJAL PRAJAPATI
(3rd year, B.Arch)

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