

Intra-College Declamation Competition On the Theme of Truth and Non-Violence

ORGANIZED IN CONNECTION WITH

“Gandhi Jayanti – 2023”

12th – 30th September, 2023

REPORT

Govt. Degree College Anantnag

Organises
Intra-college Declamation Competition
On
21st September, 2023

Under the banner of 'Gandhi Jayanti'

Theme: Truth & Non-Violence

Date: 21/09/2023
Time: 11.30 A.M.

Venue: Conference Hall

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Google Form for Contestants :
<https://forms.gle/pxxG583uZtCucNaCA>

PATRON
Prof. Muzaffar Ahmad Bhat, Principal GDC Anantnag

Organisers
1. Prof. Farooq Ahmad Malik, Convener,
2. Members, D/S Committee

CO-ORDINATED BY
THE DEBATE AND SEMINAR COMMITTEE
September 21, 2023

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Under the banner of **Gandhi Jayanti – 2023**, and the everlasting theme of truth and non-violence, an intra-college declamation competition was organized in the conference hall off the Govt. Degree College Anantnag (GDCA). The programme was organized under the patronage of the respected Principal of GDCA, **Prof. Muzafar Ahmad Bhat**. The dignitaries present on the presidium were **Prof. Abdul Majeed Chalkoo**, Head Department of Botany, **Prof. Farooq Ahmad Malik**, Staff Secretary of the GDCA, and Head, Department of Political Science, and **Prof. Fayaz Ahmad**, Head, Department of Chemistry. Inaugural address was delivered by **Prof. Abdul Majeed Chalkoo**, while addressing the gathering, Prof. Chalkoo highlighted that GDCA has always acted as a foundation and a launchpad for energizing and augmenting talent. He also discussed the importance of the series of events that have been organized in connection with the Gandhi Jayanti celebrations. Prof. Chalkoo also requested the judges of the event to critically analyse the participants.



Participant 1: Alima Fayaz, elaborated on the Gandhian philosophy of truth and non-violence, and also presented the biography of Gandhi Ji. She highlighted the philosophy of the ‘alignment of thought and action’, and also presented the etymology of the words *Ahimsa* and *Poorna-Swarajya*.

Participant 2: Sheikh Tanzeel, started with the deliberation on Satyagraha movement, and also explained the attraction of the masses at that time towards the Russian Revolution, He narrated the excerpts from Gandhi Ji’s essays, and also quoted that – “Violence gets back to the society that reaps it”, and also explained the relevance of Gandhian philosophy in the contemporary world.

Participant 3: Binaksha Nazir, started with Gandhi Ji’s biography, and extended on to the philosophy of Truth and Satyagraha, she also explained the etymological essence, and addressed the notion of no space for non-violence.

Participant 4, Burhan Rashid, highlighted the Gandhian philosophy, and explained how it is relevant in the present world.

The programme was moderated by **Mr. Burhan Rashid**, and the formal vote of thanks was presented by **Dr. Umar Zargar**, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology.



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