

## Criterion 7-Institutional Values and Best Practices

### Key Indicator-7.1 Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

#### 7.1.8 Institutional efforts/initiatives in providing an inclusive environment i.e., tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socioeconomic and other diversities

The institute has consistently worked towards fostering an inclusive environment that promotes tolerance and harmony across cultural, regional, linguistic, and socioeconomic diversities. Celebrations of national events such as Independence Day, Republic Day, Constitution Day, Savidhan Din, and National Unity Day instilled patriotism and national pride among students. Events like World Environment Day, International Yoga Day, and International Women's Day highlighted global awareness and inclusivity.

Student participation extended to AshadhiEkadashi as volunteers at VithalMandir, Nandwal, promoting communal harmony. The Panchpran Pledge initiative emphasized commitment and responsibility, while the AmrutKalashMahotsav, featuring a KalashYatra, symbolized national unity. Birth anniversaries of icons like ChhatrapatiShivajiMaharaj, Dr. BabasahebAmbedkar, Mahatma Gandhi, and SavitribaiPhule celebrated cultural and historical diversity.

The National Service Scheme (NSS) camp in Parkhandale demonstrated dedication to social welfare. Guest lectures on organ donation and women's financial empowerment raised awareness on critical societal issues. Activities such as blood donation camps, Earth Hour celebrations, and university-level NSS camps further fostered social responsibility.

Students participated in the National Integration Camp, Shiv PawanPrernaMohim, and state-level adventure sports camps, showcasing diversity and teamwork. These efforts underline the institute's commitment to building an inclusive and harmonious environment.



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