

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

NSS EVENTS ORGANIZED DURING 2015-16

NSS is one of the essential components of the curriculum of the Institute. The performance of the volunteers is evaluated through a compulsory course at UG level. The break-up of marks for evaluation is as follows.

General Activities	: 100 Marks
Special Camp	: 70 Marks
Written Exam	: 30 Marks

The Registration and Orientation Program for NSS volunteers were conducted during July – August, 2015.

The NSS unit of the Institute celebrated and organized a variety of programs/ activities during ongoing academic session. These included General Activities, Innovative Activities and NSS Special Seven Day Camp. The highlights of these Programs are as follows.

GENERAL ACTIVITIES

As per directives given by NSS Regional Center, Lucknow and the Ministries of Central Government, we organized several programs. These included rituals, cultural, literary, creative and progressive activities on International Yoga Day, Swachh Bharat Mission Programs, World Population Day, Environment Protection Month (Sapling/ Maintenance of Plants and Environment Awareness programs), Independence Day Celebrations, National Nutrition Week, International Literacy Week, NSS Day, Communal Harmony Day, National Unity Day, National Integration Week, World AIDS Day, Constitution Day, Socio-Cultural Program, National Youth Week, National Voters Day (Voters Registration & Awareness Program), Republic Day Celebrations, Founder's Day, Swachhta Shapath, Martyrs Day, International Women's Day, Annual Prize Distribution Function and One Day NSS Camps.

INNOVATIVE ACTIVITIES

Organization of Free Medical & Rural Assistance Camps under NSS is unique and Innovative Program of the Institute. These Camps aim at providing comprehensive package of Health, Awareness and Assistance to People including Children, Youth, and women of nearby rural areas.

The services offered in these Camps include Free Medical Services, Hole in the Wall Program for Rural Children, Children Recreation Facilities, Center for Spoken English, Education and Career Counseling, Rural Assistance (Advisory Service on Agriculture and Dairying/ Skill Development Programs/ Awareness Programs etc.), Chaupal (Bhagvad Geeta ke Updesh) for developing Culture and Ethics among people of nearby rural areas

and Vocational Training Program. In year 2015-16, the NSS Wing of the Institute organized 23 Free Medical & Rural Assistance Camps.

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

A Seven Day Special Camp involving more than 800 NSS Volunteers of the Institute was organized during December 23-29, 2015. The theme of the Camp this year was "Youth for Cleanliness". Prof V. B. Gupta, Professor (Retired), Delhi University, Delhi and Coordinator, DE-DEI was the Chief Guest of Inaugural Function. The major activities conducted during the camp included cleaning and fumigation of drains in adopted villages, slums and Agra Cantt. Railway Station.

In addition to social awareness programs on important issues, social survey, health and hygiene education, environment protection, computer education, career counseling, hole in the wall, job oriented training, etc., were also conducted in the adopted villages and slums consisting of Nagla Haveli, Sikander Pur, Bahadur Pur, Nagla Jageshwar, Lashker Pur, Jagan Pur, Nagla Talfi, Nagla Boori, Nagla padi, Durga Nagar, Devi Nagar, Vidya Nagar, Kaushal Pur, Lashkar Pur, Basera, Saran Ashram Nagar etc. Old Clothes, Toys and Books were also distributed in slums by the Volunteers.

Besides awareness and training programs for NSS Volunteers Lectures of Eminent Personalities, Cultural, Speech and Poster-making competitions were also organized during the second session of the Camp.

The Valedictory Function was held on December 29, 2015. Dr. R. S. Pareek, Globally Renowned Homeopath and Social Activist, Agra was the Chief Guest on this Occasion. The details of events organized during 2014-15 in the Institute and in adopted Villages and Slums are given in the report.

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S. No.	Activity	Date(s)
GENERAL ACTIVITIES		
1	International Yoga Day	21 June 2015
2	World Population Day	11 July 2015
3	Environment Protection Month	19 July - 31 Aug. 2015
4	Independence Day Celebrations	15 August 2015
5	Sadbhavna Day	20 August 2015
6	National Nutrition Week	1-7 September 2015
7	International Literacy Week	8-14 September 2015
8	NSS Day	24 September 2015
9	Communal Harmony Day	2 October 2015
10	National Unity Day	31 October 2015
11	National Integration Week	19-25 November 2015
12	Constitution Day	26 November 2015
13	World AIDS Day	1 December, 2015
14	Socio-Cultural Program	13 January 2016
15	National Youth Week	12-19 January 2016
16	National Voters Day	25 January 2016
17	Republic Day Celebrations	26 January 2016
18	Founder's Day	31 January 2016
19	Swacchta Shapath	30 January 2016
20	Martyrs Day	30 January 2016
21	International Women's Day	8 March 2016
23	Annual Prize Distribution Function	31 March 2016
24	One Day NSS Camps	Several
INNOVATIVE ACTIVITIES		
25	Free Medical & Rural Assistance Camps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free Medical Services (To Provide Multi-Specialty Free Medical Facility to People of Nearby Rural Areas) • Hole-in-the-Wall Program (To Facilitate Children of Nearby Rural Areas to develop Basic Computer Skills) • Children Recreation Services (To Provide Recreation Facilities to Children of Nearby Rural Areas and develop their basic skills) • Center for Spoken English (To enable Children of Nearby Rural Areas to develop Basic Knowledge of English and Conversation) • Rural Assistance Center (To understand Basic Problems related with Agriculture, Dairying, Water, Power, Sanitation etc. of People in Nearby Rural Areas and to help/ offer Most 	Fortnightly (23 FMRAC organized during 2015-16)

	<p>Feasible Solution to them)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education & Career Counseling Center (To Counsel and guide Youth of nearby Rural Areas about Education Options/ Centers, and Employment Opportunities) • Chaupal (To develop Culture and Ethics among People of nearby Rural Areas through Discussion) • Vocational Training Center (To train and develop Skills among Rural Youth and Women in various Vocational Programs, such as Stitching, Sewing, Textile Printing, Soft Toys Making, Food Processing and Preservation) 	
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES		
26	<p>NSS Seven day Special Camp</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inaugural Function (Chief Guest Prof. VB Gupta) • Shramdan in Adopted Villages and Slums • Swacchh Bharat Activities at Agra Cantt Railway Station • Children Awareness/ Development Program in Adopted Villages and Slums (it included Children Literacy Campaign, Basic Knowledge/ Computer Skills to Children through Hole-in-the Wall Program, and Children Awareness about Health, Hygiene, Sanitation, Environment Protection etc. through Animated/ Documentary Film Shows) • Job Training/ Skill Development Programs (These included Skill Development Programs for Housewives, School Dropouts and Children of Adopted Villages and Slums, such as Craft Work, Use of Waste Material, Making of Soft Toys, and Handmade Decorative Items) • Social Awareness Programs (through Interaction/ Discussion, Rallies, Street Plays, and Folk Songs on Health, Hygiene, and Malnutrition, Child Education and Recreation (including Computer Literacy), Beti Bachao – Beti Padhao Movement, Women Harassment and Safety (including Self Defense), Environment Protection, Family Planning & Social Issues, Voting Rights, Evils of Tobacco, Smoking, and Drug Addiction, and Critical Health Issues, viz., Tuberculosis, AIDS, and STD. • Social Survey & Help (It included Socio- 	23 -29 December, 2015

	<p>economic Survey on about 300 Households of adopted slums by using Structured Questionnaire, and Distributed Old Clothes, Toys and Books to people/ children of adopted slums.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literary Activities (Poster Making, Slogan Writing, and Essay Competition, Speech Competition on Smart City, Traffic and Road Safety, Make in India, Self Defense, AIDS and STD • Invited Talks on various critical and social Issues by CA Alok Agarwal, Chartered Accountant and Social Activist, Agra, Mr. Uttam Kumar, Sub-Inspector, Traffic Police, Agra, CA Pramod Chauhan, Chartered Accountant and Social Activist, Agra, Team of Experts, Self Defense, Agra Sports Association, Agra and Dr. Gopi Chand Gupta, Renowned Medical Practitioner, Agra • Cultural Activities (The events included Indian Vocal: Solo & Group, Western Vocal: Solo & Group, Mono-Acting, Skit and Mime, Instrumental Performance, and Socio-cultural Program, Camp Fire etc. • Valedictory Function (Chief Guest: Dr. RS Pareek, Globally Renowned Homeopath and Social Activist, Agra) 	
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