

Report of Electoral Literacy Club (2020-21)



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Electoral Literacy Club of the college conducted an online **Poster Making Competition** on 18th September 2020 on the theme '**Importance of Vote**'. 41 students participated in the competition and through their creativity gave a strong message to use 'Right to Vote' judiciously. The results of the competition are as follows:

Sr No	Student Name	Roll No	Class	Contact No	Position
1	Shelja Joshi	3376	BA I	9888305588	1 st
2	Aditi Joshi	3359	BA I	9914182498	2 nd
3	Tanya	7463	BA II	8872890256	3 rd
4	Anubha Sharma	2843	BA I	8699011534	Consolation

The Club organized a **Caption Contest** on 29th October 2020 on the theme "**Celebrating Indian Democracy**". **212 students** from various streams participated in the contest. The contest was judged by Dr Vibha Sharma, Associate Prof. Public administration and Dr. Bindu Dogra, Assistant Professor, Sociology. Top Six position holders were awarded E- certificates.

Results of the Caption Contest:

Position	Roll No	Name	Class
First	192	Aditi	B.Sc. I Medical
Second	7893	Prabhjot kaur	BA II
Third	1758	Aditi	BA III
Consolation	3209	Yashica	BA I
Consolation	7605	Rubal Sandhu	BA II
Consolation	9956	Vineet Kaur	B.Com I

Electoral Literacy Club conducted an online **Quiz Competition** on 28th November 2020 on the theme ‘Elections and Electoral Reforms in India’. The objective of the competition was to highlight the significance of Elections in Indian democracy and to create awareness among the students regarding the electoral process. 25 students participated in the competition. Top three position holders were awarded e-certificates.

The **results of the competition** are as follows:

SNO	POSITION	ROLL NO.	NAME	CLASS
1	First	1627	Apoorva	BAIII
2	Second	1610	Parneet	BA III
3	Second	3076	Bhumika	BA I
4	Third	7441	Shagun	BA-II
5	Third	6952	Isha	BA III

The Club organized an online **Screening of Documentary ‘The Electoral Reforms’** on 24th December 2020 with an objective to highlight the electoral challenges faced by the country with special focus on 2019 General elections. Screening of documentary was followed by discussion wherein students deliberated on electoral problems and gave valuable suggestions to bring electoral reforms. 59 students participated in the event.

To mark the celebration of National Voters’ Day 2021, Electoral Literacy Club organized a National Level Essay Writing competition on topic: **‘Is Voting a Privilege, a Right or a Responsibility?’** 84 participants from various states participated in the competition. Top three entries were awarded Cash awards: First Position- Rs 2000, Second Position- Rs 1500; Third position- Rs 1000 and Consolation- Rs 500

Results of National Level Essay Writing Competition:

Position	Name	College
First Position	Shruti Singh	Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women Sector 36-A, Chandigarh
Second Position	Reetika	MA Politics, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Third Position	M. Fahima	Justice Basheer Ahmed Sayeed College For Women, Teynampet, Chennai
Consolation	Supriya	Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women Sector 36-A, Chandigarh

b) **Students' Online Voter Registration Drive** was also held for the newly eligible voters (Chandigarh residents) from 6th January 2021 to 22nd January 2021. 108 students registered themselves as new voters on Voter helpline app/ nvsp.com

The Club organized an **Online E-Collage Making Competition** on the theme '**Colours of Indian Democracy**' with an objective to celebrate vividness of Indian Democracy. Students expressed their views and showcased their creativity through colourful collages. 9 students participated in the competition. The competition was judged by Ms Jyotsna (Department of Home Science) and Dr. Pooja Sharma (Department of Fine Arts).

The Results of the competition are as follows:

First Position: Harmandeep Kaur (BCom I)

Second Position: Kajal (BA I) and Tanisha Singla (BA I)

Third position: Diya Mahajan (BCom I)

Electoral Literacy Club conducted an online Awareness Programme on the Topic '**Election Commission of India and Its Working**' on 26 June 2021. Ms. Richa, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science was the resource person. She discussed the working of Election Commission of India and highlighted the recent reforms made by it. She enlightened the participants about Commission's role in holding State Assembly Elections in the pandemic time. Ms. Richa also educated the participants about online voter registration. 143 students participated in the programme.