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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



World Day of Social Justice (Social Justice Equality Day) is an international day recognizing the need to promote social justice, which includes efforts to tackle issues such as poverty, exclusion, gender inequality, unemployment, human rights, and social protections.

Many organizations, including the UN, American Library Association (ALA), and the international labour organization, make statements on the importance of social and present plans for greater social justice by tackling poverty, social and economic exclusion and unemployment. The United Nation General Assembly has decided to observe 20 February annually, as the World Day of Social Justice.

Social justice is the view that everyone deserves equal economic, political and social rights and opportunities. Social development and social justice cannot be attained in the absence of peace and security, or in the absence of respect for all human rights and fundamental freedoms. The World Day of Social Justice reminds us to keep working towards a fairer world. Social justice refers to the fair division of resources, opportunities, and privileges in society.

The World Day of Social Justice 2024 theme has yet to be announced by the UN, but the theme for 2023 was “overcoming barriers and unleashing opportunities for social justice”. The World Day of Social Justice 2024 will endeavour to get us all talking about how we can come together to tackle issues. These issues include such things as the inequalities that have arisen from conflicts and how we can stand up for the rights of workers.

It is never enough to just be compassionate. To ensure justice we need to take a step, we need to act. No one is really and truly free until everyone is free. Social workers aim to open the doors of access and opportunity for everyone, particularly those in greatest need. There are four interrelated principles of social justice; **equity, access, participation, and rights**. Social development and social justice are indispensable for the achievement and maintenance of peace and security within and among nations

“Learn to do good; seek justice, correct oppression; bring justice to the fatherless, and plead the widow's cause,” (Bible :Isaiah 1:17).

Prof. Johnson  
Principal

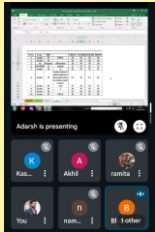
## Birthday Celebration

Birthday of Ms Jaya Saini was celebrated at Christ College on 10 January 2024. On the occasion Rev. Prof. Johnson S V, Principal, appreciated her for her hard work, dedication and sincerity. Wishing her good health and a prosperous life cake was cut and distributed among all present. Madam Jaya also gave a small party with delicious snacks and expressed gratitude towards the institution and all present. Christ College wishes her a long life and wonderful year ahead.



## Special Class on ICT

Special class on ICT skills was conducted on 7 January 2024 for the students of B.Ed. and M.Ed. The purpose of the class was to enhance the ICT skills and to solve the queries of the students related to the same. The class was taken by Mr. Adarsh Roushan, Assistant Professor LNCT College Bhopal. Overall, it was a good learning experience for the budding teachers of Christ College.



## Pre University Exam and Mock viva Conducted

Pre University Exam followed by a mock viva was conducted on 09 January 2024 for the students of B.Ed. third semester. The purpose of the exams was to give students the given the practice of writing in the final exam. Students were highly benefitted by this programme. They gained confidence and guidance for further improvement..



## Final Exam

Barkatullah University conducted final exam for the students of B.Ed. third semester on 12 January 2024. The center for the exam was Sri Satya Sai College for women. All the students were confident to write and they were satisfied after the exam.

## Congratulations

Ms. Jaya Saini cleared Ph.D. Course work exam with first division. The result was declared in the evening of 15 January 2024. Christ College congratulates and wishes her all the best for the completion of the Ph.D.

## Viva- Voce

As per the instructions given by Barkatullah University Viva Voce for B.Ed. III Semester was kept on 18 January 2024. The practical exam was taken for Psychology as well as final lesson teaching of the two subjects selected by the students. The viva began at 9 AM and lasted till 4 PM. Overall students did their best.

Further Christ College also organized Viva Voce for the students of M.Ed. I Semester on 31 January 2024. The Final Practical was on ICT and Critical reading & Literature. The Viva began at 11 AM and lasted till 2 PM. It proved to be more of a learning experience along with being their examination.

Christ College wishes the students All the Best!



## Orientation of B.Ed.

Orientation for the B.Ed. IV Semester was organized on 18 January 2024. The basic introduction to the course was given by Ms Jaya Saini, Course Coordinator of B.Ed. On the occasion Principal Rev. Prof. Johnson, said that as this is the final semester hence all the students should also be Profession ready by now and everyone should try to gain maximum knowledge as well as marks. Students were also made aware about the learning outcome and the assignments that they need to submit within this semester.



## Orientation on DELNET



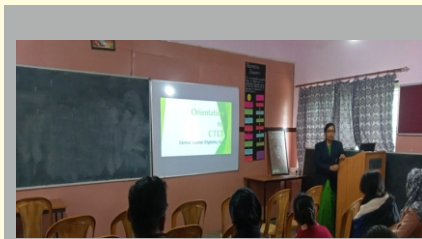
Students of B.Ed. were given the orientation of the DELNET facility on 18 January 2024. The orientation was given by Mr. Augustin William, Assistant Library In charge. During the session Mr Augustin explained the uses and importance of the DELNET to the students. This facility has opened doors to a wide range of learning both for the students as well as the teachers.

## Special session on Professional Ethics

A special session on Professional Ethics was taken up by Dr Pallavi Shrivastava Sinha, Associate Professor on 18 January 2024. The session intended to develop Professional ethics among budding teachers. It was attended by 50 students from B.Ed. The one hour long session focused on the present day professional expectations and professional development ways and means. Overall it was a very fruitful session for the students.



## Orientation Program on CTET



Ms. Jaya Saini, Assistant Professor, organized a special orientation program for the students of B.Ed. on CTET on 18 January 2024. The objective of this program was to orient the students about the CTET exams and the ways to crack it. The students of B.Ed. along with completing their course also are preparing for competitive exams. Christ College in order to encourage them for the same have been providing orientation and guidance to the students from time to time.

## Special Session on Action Research

A special session on Action Research was taken up by Dr. Diwakar Singh, Associate Professor, on 18 January 2024. Action research is one very popular and essential type of research which is required at every step of teaching and learning. It helps a teacher solve all the day to day issues of a classroom. Hence it was considered important to take up a special session on the same. The session lasted for about one and a half hour. The fruitful session was attended by 50 students from B.Ed.



## Report on 75th Republic Day Celebration at Christ College, Bhopal - 26th January 2024

Christ College, Bhopal, celebrated the 75th Republic Day with great fervor and patriotism on 26 January 2024. The event was a blend of traditional and modern elements, showcasing the essence of India's rich cultural heritage and its commitment to democracy.

### Program Highlights:

- 1. Unfurling of the National Flag:** The celebration began with the proud unfurling of the national flag, symbolizing the unity and integrity of the nation. The gathering stood in reverence to honor the tricolor.
- 2. Introduction by Ms. Jaya Saini:** Ms. Jaya Saini took the stage as the host for the day, introducing the program and setting the tone for the patriotic festivities.
- 3. Lighting of the Lamp and Prayer:** The traditional lighting of the lamp ceremony was accompanied by a prayer, fostering an atmosphere of spirituality and unity.
- 4. Greetings by Rev. Principal Prof. Fr. Johnson CMI:** Reverend Principal Prof. Fr. Johnson CMI extended heartfelt greetings to the audience, emphasizing the significance of Republic Day and its importance in our democratic history.

### 5. Dance Performances:

**Sandese Aate Hain Dance:** Ms. Shivani and Ms. Suruchi mesmerized the audience with a dance performance on the soul-stirring ;Sandese Aate Hain; song, evoking patriotic sentiments.

**Patriotic Dance:** Ms. Preeti presented a dance showcasing the cultural diversity of India, celebrating the unity in diversity that defines our nation.

### 6. Poetry Recitations:

**Poetry Recitation by Ms. Suruchi:** Ms. Suruchi enthralled the audience with her poetic expressions, capturing the essence of Republic Day.

**Poetry by Mr. Dheeraj on Samvidhan Bol Raha Hai:** Mr. Dheeraj expressed his thoughts through poetry, highlighting the significance of the Constitution in shaping the nation.

**7. Quiz on Republic Day by Dr. Pallavi Shrivastava Sinha:** Dr. Pallavi Shrivastava Sinha engaged the audience with an informative and interactive Republic Day quiz, testing their knowledge about the historical significance of the day.

**8. Poem on Patriotism by Dr. Pallavi:** Dr. Pallavi presented a soul-stirring poem present to reflect on their nation.

**9. Concluding Remark:** A summarizing the spirit of the event and encouraging everyone to carry the essence of Republic Day in their hearts throughout the year.

**10. National Anthem:** The collective rendition of the national anthem, echoing the unity and pride of the nation.

**11. Sweets Distribution:** The distribution of sweets, symbolizing the sweetness of unity and the joy of celebrating a momentous occasion.

The 75<sup>th</sup> Republic Day celebration at Christ College, Bhopal, was a memorable and impactful event, bringing together the college community to reflect on the values of democracy, unity, and diversity. The diverse program elements showcased the college's commitment to fostering a sense of patriotism and national pride among its students and faculty. The event not only celebrated the historical significance of Republic Day but also served as a reminder of the responsibilities each citizen carries in upholding the principles enshrined in the Constitution.



**Pallavi:** Dr. Pallavi Shrivastava Sinha on patriotism, inspiring everyone to fulfill their responsibilities as citizens of the nation.

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## Important Days in March 2024

### **1 March - Zero Discrimination Day**

1st March is observed as Zero Discrimination Day. It is one of the most important days in March as it delivers a message of not discriminating against anyone regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, skin color, height, or weight.

### **1 March - World Civil Defense Day**

Another most important day observed on 1st March is World Defense Day. It is one of the most important days. It raises awareness about the significance of civil protection and honors the efforts, sacrifices, and successes of all services involved in disaster relief.

### **3 March - World Wildlife Day**

3 March is special, because of World Wildlife Day. It is celebrated across the globe and is to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Life without Water, which aims at marine species and raising awareness regarding its significance in our daily lives.

### **8 March - International Women's Day**

International Women's Day is one of the most important days in March. It encourages women to strive to achieve global gender parity.

### **10 March - CISF Raising Day**

Another important day in March is CISF Raising Day, celebrated on 10th March. It was in 1969 when the Indian Parliament established CISF Raising Day on 10 March.

CISF is responsible for India's seaways, airways, and other important assets. It also has a few reserve battalions alongside state police to maintain law and order.

### **14 March - Pi Day**

Pi is a constant used in mathematics whose value is 3.14. It is the circumference-to-diameter ratio of a circle. 14th March represents the first three digits of Pi, hence, the day is celebrated as PI day.

### **21 March – World Poetry Day**

March 21 was adopted by UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization) at the 30th General Conference in Paris in 1999 to observe World Poetry Day. It is an occasion to honour the poets, revive oral traditions of poetry recitals, and promote the reading, writing, and teaching of poetry as per the UN.

### **22 March - World Water Day**

22 March is observed as World Water Day, an annual wake-up call to make people realize the value of saving water. United Nations established this day for the management to advocate for people and society for the sustainable use of water.

### **25 March - Holi**

**Holi** is a popular and significant Hindu festival celebrated as the **Festival of Colours, Love, and Spring.**

### **27 March - World Theatre Day**

27th March is World Theatre Day. It is an international festival and highlights the importance of theatre and artists. World Theatre Day holds an important value for theatre artists. It was in 1962 when the International Theatre Institute (ITI) established this day.

### **29 Good Friday**

Good Friday is a Christian religious holiday commemorating the crucifixion of Jesus Christ and his death at Calvary.