

## Educational institutions across Jammu hold pledge-taking ceremonies

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JAMMU: Educational Institutions across Jammu division organised Pledge-taking ceremonies and other activities to mark the National Unity Day (Rashtriya Ekta Diwas) celebrated every to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the architect of united India.

PGCW Gandhi Nagar: To Commemorate the Birth Anniversary of the 'Iron Man of India' - Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, NSS Volunteers and NCC Cadets of 2 J&K Girls Bn of Government P.G College for Women, Gandhinagar, Jammu along with Dr. Sangita Nagari, the Principal of the College; NSSPO, Prof. Mala Bhasin and Dr. Monika Hans, ANO, Lt. Suman Bala



Students, NCC cadets and faculty of GPGCW Gandhi Nagar paying tributes to Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

organised a tribute paying function in the College Campus. NSS unit organised a Quiz competition on life and achievements of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, which witnessed participation of 152 students. In another activity on the topic 'Inspirational Quotes of Sardar Patel' 42 volunteers showcased their talent.

The Programme concluded with Rashtriya Ekta

pledge followed by National Anthem. GDC Ukhral: Government Degree College Ukhral celebrated "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas."

The staff and Students took a pledge to work for unity and integrity of the Country. The patron of the College Dr. Ranvijay Singh highlighted the contribution of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and saluted his grit and sacrifices for nation. The par-

ticipants vowed to dedicate themselves to work for the unity of nation.

An essay competition on the topic "Life and achievements of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel" was also held. Over hundred students participated in the programme. The winners of the competition were Mohammad Isaq, Ansoya Devi, and Mashqoor Ahmad.

## DSEJ organises virtual training for Pre-primary teachers on ECCE

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JAMMU: Directorate of School Education Jammu in collaboration with Kaivalya Education Foundation (KEF) completed 4-day virtual training of first batch of 71 Pre-primary teachers on ECCE in context of NEP 2020.

This workshop forms a part of the intense engagement programme through Omni Channel Approach followed by Kaivalya Education Foundation (KEF), which will continue over a period of one year.

To take the initiative further, a Live Action Project

(LAP) on enrolment drive and creating Audio/video content and continuous engagement with these trained teachers through Professional Learning Community, One-to-one support, etc. is to be launched soon.

Theme based Approach of Learning, Story based teaching and Play-way Approach in ECCE were the key sessions of the workshop. Resource persons of KEF facilitated these sessions.

Jaswinder Kour, coordinator Pre-primary Education, Jammu division, Dr. Sarita Sharma, and other District

Resource group members from different districts also joined as ECCE experts to support effective delivery of training.

The overall objective of this workshop was to build conceptual clarity of teachers on ECCE and to support them in effective classroom delivery while working with pre-primary children. Teachers shared positive feedback and appreciated DSEJ & KEF for organizing this workshop.

This workshop is being conducted under the overall supervision of Deputy Director Planning, Mamta Sharma.