

Deeksharambh 2024-25, Student induction and Orientation Programme, for First-Year Students at Aggarwal College, Ballabgarh

Aggarwal College, Ballabgarh, organized 'Deeksharambh' (Student Induction and Orientation Programme) on August 14th, 2024, for first-year students of B.Com, B.Sc. (Non-Medical/Computer Science), B.Sc. Hons (Chemistry/Maths), and M.Sc. (Chemistry/Mathematics/Physics), under the guidance of the acting Principal, Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Gupta. Shri Devender Kumar Gupta Ji, President, Governing Body, was the Chief Guest of the event and Sh. Dinesh Gupta Ji, General Secretary, Governing body was the guest of honour. They began the event by paying tribute to Shaheed Smarak, followed by lighting of ceremonial lamp (Deepshikha). Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Gupta delivered welcome address and a formal welcome to all the guests and students and provided a brief overview of the college. Sh. Devender Kumar Gupta Ji, in his address motivated students to effectively utilize the holistic environment at college, work diligently, actively participate in co-curricular activities, sports and excel academically to build a bright future. He encouraged students to have a clear focus to achieve their goals. He emphasized on skill oriented learning in the college for making students market ready not only to be job seekers but also to be job creators. He also announced 5 lakh cash prize to the university toppers. Dr. K.L. Kaushik, Head, Department of Mathematics, spoke about the college's infrastructure and facilities. He also informed students about the activity calendar, attendance requirements, internal assessment procedures, and the timetable. The event continued with a college documentary presented by Dr. Priyanka Sehrawat, Head, Department of Chemistry, offering students an audio-visual experience about the college. She also discussed the NEP 2020, Eco and Energy Conservation Club, Chemical Society, and the concept of the Academic Bank of Credits (ABC). Dr. Jay Pal Singh, Head, Department of History, gave detailed information about scholarship schemes, Student Grievance Redressal system, Mentoring system and Youth Red Cross Society (YRC). Dr. Ram Chander, Chief Librarian, informed the students about the library infrastructure and facilities, including E-content, E-Resources, OPAC, Learner Driving License, Passport services, and the SEDGs Cell for SC/ST/OBC and other minority welfare initiatives. Dr. Shobhana Goyal, Head, Department of

Commerce, made the students aware of the Anti-Ragging Cell, NSS, Commerce Forum, Internal Complaints Committee, and the Anti-Sexual Harassment Committee. All faculty members themselves and provided essential information related to the college. Dr. Pooja Saini, Head, Department of Sanskrit, apprised the students of NCC, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, cultural activities, and the Indian Knowledge System. Dr. Rekha Sain informed the students about the Swachta Senani team, Red Ribbon Club, Women Cell, Street Art and Mural Club. Dr. Dimple highlighted the SDGs Club, Centre for Entrepreneurship and Skill Development, Consumer Awareness Club, IPR Cell, 'SROT' College Magazine, Young Women Writer's Club, and Electoral Literacy Club. Dr. Supriya Dhandra, Convenor Cultural Committee, encouraged students to participate in cultural activities. Dr. Jagbir Singh, Head, Sports Department, informed the students about the sports activities, awards and recognitions and Yoga programs. Mr. Manoj, CEEP Coordinator, briefed the students on career counselling, training, and placement. Mr. Manmohan Singla, Deputy Superintendent, provided information about the administrative office, bus passes, university work and fee-related matters. The event featured by group dance performances, singing & Nukkad Natak by students. The event culminated with the National Anthem and it was deemed a great success as approximately 200 students attended the ceremony. The program ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Priyanka Sherawat.