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7.1.9 : Sensitization of students and employees of the Institution to the constitutional obligations: values, rights, duties and responsibilities of citizens

#### Academic Year 2022-2023

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#### 1. National Youth Day (12th January)



12th January, the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda is celebrated as National Youth Day at VESIT to honour his contributions and to propagate his philosophy and the ideals. The main objective of celebration is to promote rational thinking among the youth of the country.

A small documentary movie was played in the library on LCD for the students as well as faculty members and some good collections of books on Vivekananda displayed in the library.



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Fig1: National Youth Day celebration at VESIT

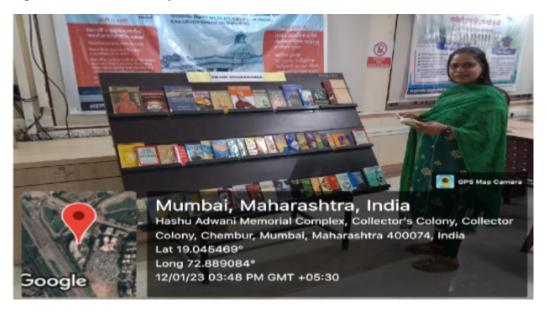


Fig 2: National Youth Day celebration at VESIT



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#### 2. Independence Day 15th August, 2022

To celebrate Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, VESIT's Cultural Council in collaboration with the VESIT Music Council organized an Independence Day Event on 12th August 2022. The event commenced at 2 pm and was conducted in the college's auditorium. The stage was aptly decorated according to the theme of the event by the Aesthetics community of the Cultural Council, with the wings of birds depicting the country's freedom.

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Dr.(Ms.) J.M. Nair (Prinipal, VESIT) and Dr. (Mrs.) M. Vijayalakshmi (Vice Principal, VESIT) giving an eye-opening speech

Fig 3: Independence Day celebration at VESIT



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The Cultural Council and VESIT Music Council



Short skit being performed by the drama community

Fig 4: Independence Day celebration at VESIT



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(L-R): Ms. Preeti Kale (Junior Clerk), Mrs. Ranjana Patil (Senior Clerk, Department of Purchase), Mrs. Swati Naik's (Lab Assistant, Department of Humanities and Applied Science) and Mrs. Sai Dohbale (Lab Assistant, Department of Humanities and Applied Science) cinaina maladiane canac

An energy dripping dance performance (L-R): Mandar Ambre (D15A), Madhura Mhatre (D12C), Kaustubh Kharche (D12B), Sanika Hadap (D7C), Prathamesh Pradhan (D14A), Swayam Gaikwad (D6AD), Roshni Talreja (D10B)

Fig 5: Independence Day celebration at VESIT

'Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsay' is an initiative of the Government of India to celebrate and commemorate 75 years of independence of progressive India and the glorious history of its people, culture and achievements. The Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi inaugurated the 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' by flagging off 'Dandi March' from Sabarmati Ashram, Ahmedabad on 12th March, 2021. The celebrations started 75 weeks before our 75th anniversary of Independence and will end on 15th August, 2023. Henceforth, all the educational institutions have been advised to celebrate "Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav".

In light of the above, VES Institute of Technology's Department of Library under the guidance of Internal Quality Cell (IQAC) in Association with the Institution's Innovation Cell (IIC) resolves to participate pro-actively in Mahotsav by conducting book exhibition related to the freedom struggle, ideas, achievements and actions so that the students can absorb the magnitude of sacrifices this nation has seen for its independence, the progress it has made socially, politically and economically over the decades and celebrate the diversity that it holds. The objective is to increase awareness and interest in the nation's journey and prospective growth.

Dr. Meenakshi Tyagi (Library Incharge) was the coordinator for the event and convened by VESIT, Library Committee Members under the patronage of Dr. J.M. Nair, Principal and Dr. Vijayalakshmi M, vice principal VESIT.



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Principal, Vice Principal, Teaching & Non-Teaching staff members and students were present for the event and visited the book exhibition in the library.

#### **Images of the Amrut Mahotsav:**

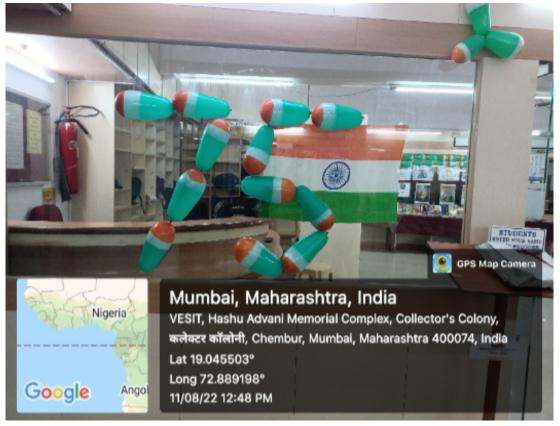


Fig 6: Independence Day celebration at VESIT



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Fig 7: Independence Day celebration at VESIT



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Fig 8: Independence Day celebration at VESIT



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#### 3. Constitution Day Samvidhan Diwas On 26 November 26 2022

Since 2015, the Constitution Day or the Samvidhan Diwas has been celebrated every year on November 26. The day, also called the National Law Day, marks the formal adoption of the Constitution of India by the Constituent Assembly on November 26, 1949. The year 2015 marked the 125th anniversary of Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar, the Chairman of the Drafting Committee of the Constitution. Prior to that, the day was observed as National Law Day as a tribute to Ambedkar, the first law minister of the country.

Vivekanand Education Society's Institute of Technology (VESIT), Mumbai organized a National-level quiz on 26th November 2022, on the occasion of Samvidhan Divas as an effort to enhance and encourage students to look beyond their textual or tool to measure the growth in the knowledge. The Quiz was conducted by Library Department under the guidance of Internal Quality Cell (IQAC) in Association with the Institution's Innovation Cell (IIC). Dr. Meenakshi Tyagi (Library Incharge) was the coordinator for the quiz and convened by VESIT, Library Committee Members under the patronage of Dr. J.M. Nair, Principal and Dr. Vijayalakshmi M, Vice principal VESIT.

The Quiz was conducted successfully online on Google forms and more than 228 students & some staff members participated in the quiz. The quiz was free of cost for all the staff members of the Colleges, Students and Professionals working in the domain and E-certificates were given to all participants who have scored 40% and above.

#### Certificate



Fig 9: Certificate on National-level quiz on 26th November 2022



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#### 4. VESLiT Circle Vigilance Awareness Week 2022

**VESLit Circle** collaborated with the **Union Bank of India** on account of *Vigilance Awareness Week 2022*. Vigilance Awareness Week is observed every year as a part of the multi-pronged approach of the Central Vigilance Commission, to encourage all citizens to participate in the prevention of and fight against Corruption collectively.

The theme for this year is "Corruption-free India for a developed nation." All the events under this collaboration were designed under this theme.

#### Event 1 - Naatak

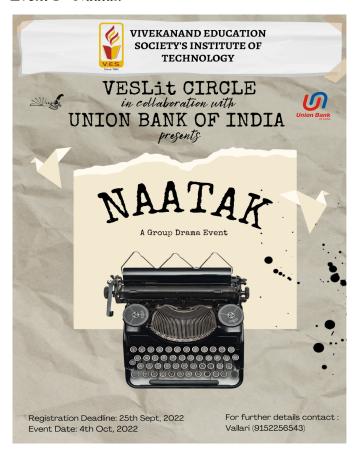


Fig 10: Poster of Natak-Group Drama Event



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Since this year's vigilance awareness week theme was "Corruption-free India for a developed nation" participants were informed to choose a topic in and around the same or from the 4 sub topics which were as follows-

- i) Anti Corruption
- ii) Integrity
- iii) Ethics
- iv) PIDPI

There were some great responses and we received a few amazing scripts with powerful dialogues and deep-rooted messages akin to the theme. Thereafter we shortlisted two teams directly for the finals. The finalists were;

Team 1:Ashutosh Mishra (D12C) (team leader), Mohit Shahdadpuri (D12A), Vansh Pahuja (D12A), Shrey Panchamia (D12A), Aman Paryani (D15A), Sahil Kodwani (D15A), Dhanshree Pandey (D11), Lavin Valecha (D10B), Simran Lahrani (D12A), and Gurkeerat Singh (D11), The topic chosen by Team 1 was:- **Anti Corruption.** 



Fig 11: Leader of Team 1 introducing their act.

Team 2: Isha Gawde (team leader, D20A), Aditya Srikonda (D6), Anurag Shirsekar



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(D7A), Adheeti Dalal (D6), Akshay Jangam (D13), Rakshita Danee (D20A), Jayesh Utekar (D14A), Sumit Jadhav (D19A).

The topic chosen by them was:- Ethics.



Fig 12: Team 2 performing their act

Right from the script to energetic enactment, body language, voice modulation, props, narration, dialogue vocabulary, execution, teamwork, and individual talents of the participants left everyone stunned.



Fig 13: UBI officials handing out the prizes to the winner of Naatak.



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Winners:- Isha Gawde (team leader, D20A), Aditya Srikonda (D6), Anurag Shirsekar (D7A), Adheeti Dalal (D6), Akshay Jangam (D13), Rakshita Danee (D20A), Jayesh Utekar (D14A), Sumit Jadhay (D19A).

Event 2 - Essay Writing



Fig 14: Poster of Essay Writing and Poster Making Competition

The Second event conducted under the Union Bank of India and VESLit collaboration was the Essay Writing Competition. The Competition was open to all the students of Engineering as well as MCA. The topic given to the participants was the same as that of Vigilance Awareness Week - Corruption-Free India. The deadline for the competition was kept at midnight of 30th September 2022. These Essays were evaluated by the UBI Bank Officials.



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#### Winner-

- 1. Sanskruti Punyatithi (D15B)
- 2. Abhinaya Danda (D10A)
- 3. Snehal Patil (D9B)

#### Event 3 - Poster Making

The third Event conducted in the Collaboration with UBI was the Poster Making Event. Just like the Essay writing competition, this event was also open to all the Students of Engineering and MCA. The topic was also kept consistent with the vigilance Awareness Week - Corruption Free India for Developed Nations. We received 23 creative Posters from the imaginative and innovative students of VISIT. Every poster illustrated its take on the topic in quite a unique manner. The Posters were evaluated by the Officials of the Union Bank of India. And the winners selected hence were awarded Prizes on 6th October 2022 in the Closing Ceremony of the UBI

#### Winner-

- 1. Mohit Kailas Patil (D7B)
- 2. Shreya Hadkar (D7B)
- 3. Saakshi Karkera (D19A)



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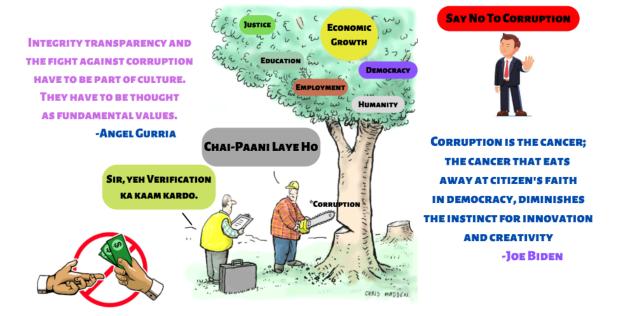


Fig 15: Winner- Mohit Kailas Patil

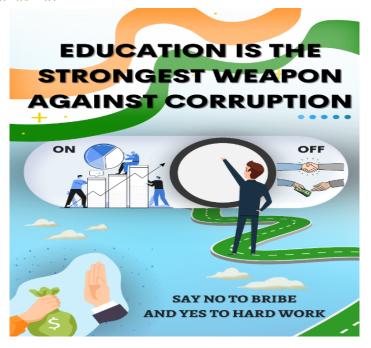


Fig 16:Runner up-Shreya Hadkar



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Fig 17:Second Runner-Up- Saakshi Karkera



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#### Event 4 - Debate



Fig 18:Poster of Debate Competition

All the events and event details were announced 2 weeks before the final competition.

18 teams registered for the competition. The format was Oxford style with 2 minutes of introduction,6 minutes of rebuttal, and 2 minutes of conclusion for all the preliminary rounds.

The first round was held on the 29th of September. With that respect, all the teams put forward really strong arguments regardless of the complexity of the topic. The semi-finals took place on the 3rd and 4th of October. The format for the final round was the same as the preliminary rounds but now with 3 minutes of introduction, 10 minutes of rebuttal, and 3 minutes of conclusion.



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Fig 19:Final Round of the Debate competition.

The entire debate was highly vibrant, and the judges meticulously judged the debate. Before the results were announced, the judges provided feedback to all competitors to assist them in further competitions.



Fig 20:Winners of the Debate competition were awarded by UBI Officials.

Aakanksha Jadhav (D19A) and Rahul Kulkarni (D19A) were announced as the winners



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of the Vigilance awareness week debate 2022 by UBI officials. Winners and Runner ups were awarded by UBI officials, Dr. J.M. Nair, Dr. Pooja Kundu, and Dr. Sushil Dhuldhar.



Fig 21:VESLit Circle team along with the Union Bank of India dignitaries at the Closing Ceremony.



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# 5. VESLiT The Poster Making Competition on Ethics, Code of Conduct and Zero Tolerance

On 9th March, the VESIT Students' Club in association with VESLit Circle (Literature Circle) and IQAC organized a poster-making competition named Kalakaari at Vivekanand Education Society's Institute of Technology (VESIT).

The theme of the competition was Ethics, Code of Conduct, and Zero Tolerance. The competition was held in the Language Lab at 12:30 pm, and there were 9 entries submitted by the students of VESIT. The posters were made using different mediums, and some of them were digital posters.

The competition was a part of VESLit week, which was full of various literary events. The students were enthusiastic and excited to participate in the competition. They were seen brainstorming ideas and discussing their approach to convey the theme through their posters.

The submissions were impressive, and it was evident that the students had put in a lot of effort and thought into their creations. The posters were not only visually appealing, but they also had a strong message that conveyed the theme effectively.

The competition had three cash prizes for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd positions. The winner of the first prize would receive 3K, the second prize winner would receive 2K, and the third prize winner would receive 1K.

Name of Winners:-

- 1. Shreya Kate
- 2. Srimathi Srinivasan
- 3. Suleman



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The judges of the events were Dr.Manisha Tiwari and Mr.Vijay Shejwalkar .They evaluated the entries based on various criteria such as creativity, relevance to the theme, and overall impact. The judges found it difficult to pick the winners as all the entries were of high quality.

The Kalakaari poster-making competition was a great success, and it provided an excellent opportunity for the students to showcase their artistic skills and creativity while also promoting the importance of ethics, code of conduct, and zero tolerance policy. The competition was full of enthusiasm and excitement, and it was evident that the students thoroughly enjoyed participating in it.

The competition was not only beneficial for the students but also for the organizers, as it provided them with an opportunity to showcase their organizational skills. The organizers ensured that the competition was conducted smoothly and without any hassles.

In conclusion, the Kalakaari poster-making competition was an excellent initiative taken by the VESIT Students' Club in association with VESLit Circle (Literature Circle) and IQAC. The competition encouraged the students to think creatively and promote the importance of ethics, code of conduct, and zero tolerance. To further give impetus to the awareness of the ethic,code of conduct and zero tolerance among the students of the institution the posters were displayed.



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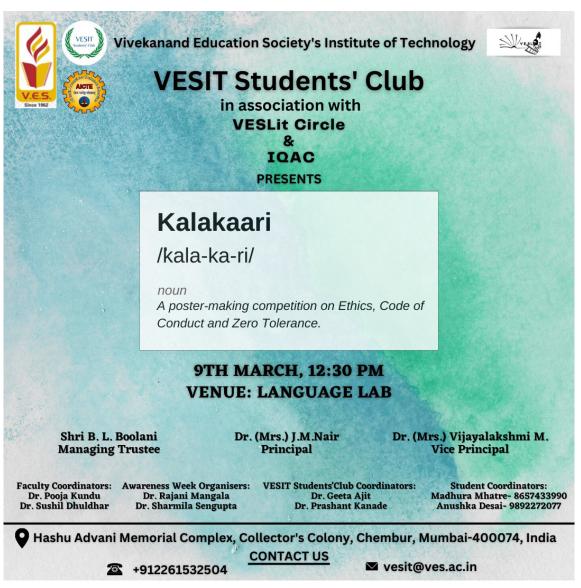


Fig 22: Posters of Kalakaari Competition



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Posters of Kalakaari Competition



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Registration details/Attendance

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Sr No	Name	Class and Division	Poster submission			
1	Anushka Shinde	FE AND D1EC	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1y3uTA1bBDVaF H_qzu4ZwWiVRtIjEgTYS			
2	Suleman Mathekar	D15A	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1_5p2PEkRvrU_6k Tj7nMT5UHpZ9cTc8LP			
3	Atharva Sarang	D4B	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1uy1F3M7hYOgke RgHrewnYw6vh4W-FN11			
4	Mohit Patil	D7-B	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1JPKJj1zqnxdbGX s7QLOLfHFaopprKA-Y			
5	SRIMATHI SRINIVASAN	FIRST YEAR D2B	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1IT6e5Rk-zpV0Hc Cg3On8ZAhM5tzoc5mr			
6	Gayatri Shahane	D20B	https://drive.google.com/open?id=119ERrzgcBTaTEn 2t2alzRF1nnebRYc52			
7	Saakshi Karkera	D19A	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1DuD_SF4-Nn739 AMyos9NGUu6bKEUCwPd			
8	Pooja Narayanan	D14A	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1z5s2s1yty28SjsM XUO4YRjtPhZHPV3v5			
9	SHREYA RAGHUNATH KATE	D19 B	https://drive.google.com/open?id=1P-Fc2PNrPdL_9x u0cYAlBHmyzybJw0pg			



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#### Winners

Position	Winner Names	Class	Cash Prize
1	Shreya Kate	D19 B	Rs. 3000
2	Srimathi Srinivasan	2 B	Rs. 2000
3	Suleman Mathekar	D15 A	Rs. 1000