

**REPORT ON QUALITY INITIATIVES BY  
IQAC  
(2022-2023)**

## **REPORT ON WORKSHOP ON INNOVATIVE PEDAGOGICAL STRATEGIES (LESSON PLANNING BASED ON NEP)**

A workshop on ‘Innovative Pedagogical Strategies (Lesson Planning Based on NEP)’ was organised on 03-04 June, 2022. Dr. Nirmaljit kaur was the coordinator of the event and Mrs. Poonampreet and Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur were the facilitators. Dr. Suman Saggu, Dr. Raman and Dr. Baljit Kaur shared the information about theoretical perspectives of NEP-2020. Dr. Baljit Kaur also discussed about the various Innovative Pedagogical Strategies such as Zigsaw, STED, and Think-Pair-Share etc. The workshop majorly focused on preparation of lesson plans as per the revised syllabus of GNDU and how to use innovative strategies in the classroom. Dr. Nirmaljit Kaur oriented the faculty with different types of Lesson Planning. Dr. Suman Saggu shared various apps which can be effectively used even on phone for teaching and assessment. She also demonstrated some DIY experiments related to theory concepts in class VIII-XII which can be easily performed at home by utilizing all chemicals available at home only. The participants appreciated the interaction with faculty members where challenges in the teaching-learning process can be addressed effectively.

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## **REPORT ON SEMINAR ON COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

A seminar was organised at Khalsa college of Education, Amritsar on the topic, “How to Improve Communication Skills” on 04 August, 2022. Mr. Rishi was the resource person of the day. Students of B.A/ B.Sc.-B.Ed. Sem I, III, V and VII attended the seminar. Mr. Rishi highlighted the importance of communication skills in social life and at the workplace. He stated that hesitation is a prominent factor behind lack of communication skills. He suggested different ways to overcome this hurdle. In the end of the seminar, discussion session was there. Queries of the students were answered and they were motivated to adopt different strategies to improve their communication skills and personality. Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur proposed vote of thanks on the behalf of faculty and students.

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## REPORT ON CELEBRATION OF TEACHERS DAY

Teachers' Day was celebrated in the Khalsa College of Education, G.T. Road, Amritsar at Bhai Ram Singh Hall on 05 September, 2022. Students of B.A-B.Ed. and B.Sc.-B.Ed. participated in different activities viz., dance, rangoli, music, skit, poem etc. B.Ed. student threw light upon the life of Dr. Radhakrishnan Ji and motivate the students to ignite spirit among themselves. The performance of students was quite mesmerizing. College principal appreciated the students for their wonderful performances and wished for the better future. She also encouraged them to participate in the coming youth festival with full zeal. Teachers participated in fun games at the end of the event. Our worthy Principal Madam Dr. Harpreet Kaur congratulated the faculty members on this event.

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## **REPORT ON ONE DAY SEMINAR ON ‘YOGA AND YOGA PRACTICES FOR MENTAL HEALTH’**

Khalsa College of Education, G.T. Road, Amritsar organised one day seminar on ‘yoga and yoga practices for mental health’ on 14 September 2022. Dr. Satyaprakash Pathak, Assistant Professor, Department of Yoga Studies, Himachal Pradesh University, Summerhill, Shimla acted as Resource Person and acquainted the students with the importance of yoga. He described about mental health problems, their psychophysiological and neurological mechanisms, the conventional counselling process, and diet for the management of psychological Health. He also viewed to take diet as per the classical yogic texts. The importance of balanced diet and the role of diet in the management of mental health issues was also discussed by the resource person. Apart from that, the role of Asana, Pranayama, Dhyana, etc., for the holistic management and prevention of psychiatric disorders were also discussed. Ms. Mehakdeep Kaur student of B.Ed.-M.Ed. proposed vote of thanks on the behalf of faculty and students.

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## CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL AYURVEDA DAY

The students of Science Club celebrated National Ayurveda Day at Bhai Ram Singh Hall on 28 October, 2022 in collaboration with IQAC Cell of the Khalsa College of Education. Dr. Gayatri Shoor was the resource person of the day. The college principal welcomed the resource person of the day. Dr. Shoor discussed that Ayurveda is perceived as one of the most ancient and well documented system of medicine equally relevant in modern times. Its holistic approach whether for healthy individuals or for diseased ones remains unparalleled. Prevention of disease and promotion of health is the main aim of Ayurveda. Lord Dhanvantari is considered as divine propagator of Ayurveda. He is conferred with the virtues of granting health and wealth. Therefore, Dhanvantari Jayanti was preferred for celebration of Ayurveda Day to nationalize this system of medicine which can prove to be a cornerstone for its ultimate globalization. After that discussion session was there in which students asked various questions from the resource person about the medicinal properties of various plants. Students participated in various activities like skit, poetry to give a message on the importance of Ayurveda in life. Mrs. Pooja Sharma, Coordinator of the event proposed vote of thanks on the behalf of students and faculty members.

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## WORKSHOP ON YOGA

Yoga allows you to rediscover a sense of wholeness on your life, where you do not feel like you are constantly trying to fit broken pieces together". Keeping this view in mind, workshop on yoga was organised by Khalsa College of Education, G.T. Road, Amritsar from 29 October, 2022. Dr. Sanjam, Assistant Professor, Khalsa College of Education and Dr. Narinder Singh and Mrs. Shweta from Amrita University, Kerala were the resource person. The workshop consists of practicing each day (asanas and pranayama) and one anatomy class. At the end of session, there was time for questioning and answering and group discussion. During the workshop, the yoga trainer who was extremely skilled and teaches with wisdom and intuition explained the different benefits of yoga in detail. The workshop also focussed on the personal well-being of each individual learner also., Assistant Professor proposed vote of thanks on the behalf of students and faculty. Mrs. Sandeep Kaur and Mrs. Raamandeep Kaur were the coordinators of the event.

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## **NATIONAL LEGAL SERVICES DAY**

National Legal Services Day was celebrated in the college by NSS department of the college on 09 November, 2022. Dr. Deepika Kohli and Dr. Bindu Sharma were the coordinators of the event. The college principal Dr. Harpreet Kaur shared her perceptions and made the students aware about their legal rights. The students of B.Ed. students showed PPT presentation to make aware the students about the laws associated with women rights. The event was celebrated to raise legal awareness among the students and also aware them about to helping the citizens of India realize that no matter what background they are from or what their identity is, they can receive free legal aid. Dr. Bindu Sharma proposed vote of thanks at the end of the event.

  
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## **REPORT ON CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL EDUCATION DAY**

National Education Day is an annual observance in India to commemorate the birth anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, the first education minister of independent India, who served from 15 August 1947 until 2 February 1958. National Education Day was celebrated on 11 November, 2022 at Khalsa College of Education, G.T Road, Amritsar in Bhai Ram Singh Hall. The college Principal, Dr. Harpreet Kaur welcomed the resource person, Dr. Inderjit Singh Gogoani, Principal, Khalsa College School for Boys, Amritsar. He emphasized sustainable development, the spirit of enquiry, creativity, moral leadership, national educational policy, and commitment towards teaching and the importance of teacher educators. In the course of his speech, he mentioned that we have to reform our responsibility as teachers, as scholars and as participants working in the field of education to take this vision ahead.

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## **CELEBRATION OF INTERNATIONAL MOTHER TONGUE DAY**

To express the importance of mother tongue, International Mother Tongue Day was celebrated in the Khalsa College of Education, G.T. Road, Amritsar on 21 February, 2023. Students prepared various posters and charts related to the importance of mother tongue. The college Principal talked about the concept of mother tongue, its importance in cultural and educational lives of people. She further stated that this day is observed worldwide to promote awareness of linguistic and cultural diversity and to promote multilingualism. Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur, Assistant Professor in Punjabi emphasised the importance and necessity of mother language in the social and intellectual life of human beings. She made the students aware about the care and proper use of their mother tongue in the face of change and the globalised era. She ascertained the need to protect our mother tongue as it represents emotions with accent and clarity. Delving into history, Asst. Prof. Manjogita highlighted the struggle that paved the way for the International Mother Language Day. She further proposed a vote of thanks to the college principal and all participants.

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## CELEBRATION OF ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

Khalsa College of Education, G. T. Road, Amritsar celebrated Annual Sports Day with full zest and zeal on 25 February, 2023. Along with great fun, it was also a good learning experience for all the students. The day included a one-legged race, Ball in the Bucket and Spoon & lemon Race, Tug of War, and track events such as Hurdle and Relay for students. The students displayed a wide array of energetic and bouncy sports events. Parents and staff members also participated in various sports activities. Everyone present there observed a great level of enthusiasm by students and a sense of team spirit that can only be seen in sports. It was a pleasure to see the students' performance full of great energy and enthusiasm. The winners of each game were awarded with medals and principal of the college congratulated the winners and participants.

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## **EXTENSION LECTURE ON PROFESSIONAL ETHICS OF A TEACHER AS PER NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY-2020**

An Extension lecture was organised on 'Professional Ethics of a Teacher as per NEP-2020' by Khalsa College of Education, GT Road, Amritsar on 02 March, 2023, the following persons acted as resource persons:

1. Dr. Pallavi Shrivastava, Associate professor, Christ College, Bhopal
2. Mrs. Jaya Saini, Assistant Professor, Christ College, Bhopal

The high respect for teachers and high status of the teaching profession must be restored so as to inspire the best to enter the teaching profession. The resource persons focussed on how the teaching profession was not even considered as a profession. It was after National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) got established and started functioning and setting standards and eligibility criteria to become a teacher in India, henceforth, this was considered as a profession. Further, Mrs. Jaya Saini, Assistant Professor, Christ College, Bhopal added that every profession has a license and upon breaking rules or ethics, the license can be cancelled, but sadly there is no such system for teaching profession. She also explained the purpose of code of conduct- to increase professional and ethical consciousness among teachers and their sense of ethical responsibility; to guide teachers in making more informed ethical choices and to help the teaching profession itself function at the fullness of its potential. Dr. Pallavi Shrivastava, Associate professor, Christ College, Bhopal discussed the 'guiding principles of code of conduct' like responsibility to the profession must be realized, responsibility for professional competence, responsibility of the school community, and ethical use of ICT and also reply the students' questions during question-answer session.

  
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## **EXTENSION LECTURE ON 'RESEARCH METHODOLOGY'**

An Extension lecture was organised at Khalsa College of Education on 'Research Methodology' on 02 March, 2023 under the supervision of Research Committee. Dr. Diwakar Singh, Associate professor, Christ College, Bhopal acted as resource person. It is important to understand the research methodology to ensure research is organised, and credible and he discussed research meaning, definition, types, techniques and its importance in human life. He said that research is the only thing which makes us conscious about all the surrounding activities. She also enlightens the students with the qualities of a good researcher. Research Committee members Dr. Nirmaljit Kaur, Dr. Maninder Kaur, Dr. Deepika Kohli, and Dr. Suman Saggu attended the lecture. Dr. Harpreet Kaur, the Principal of the college congratulated the research committee members and thanked them for organizing these kinds of fruitful lectures.

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## CELEBRATION OF INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

Women are the epitome of courage, hope and life. This life has no existence without a strong ally in 'Woman' in every stage of life starting from motherhood to wife, from sister and finally a daughter. But it has been observed that deliberately or unconsciously, bias makes difficult for women to move ahead in their careers and even personal lives. Only knowing that bias exists isn't enough. Rather, action is needed to level the playing field. Khalsa College of Education, Amritsar in collaboration with Holy City Women's Welfare Society (NGO), Amritsar celebrated International Women's Day on 08 March, 2023. On this occasion, faculty members and students took a pledge that we will make the world a much better place for Women.

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## **WORKSHOP ON DIGITAL MARKETING**

Khalsa College of Education, GT Road, Amritsar organised a skill based two days online Workshop on Digital Marketing on 22-23 March, 2023. Mr. Ajay Tanvar, consultant, MGNCRE (Ministry of Education), Government of India acted as a resource person. It was an online workshop. Dr. Baljit Kaur was the coordinator of the event. She welcomed the resource person of the day and introduced him before the students. The resource person discussed about various tools and techniques of marketing and also talked about various online platforms for advertisement of the products. The students of economics and commerce subject asked several questions. On the first day of the workshop, theoretical knowledge about the concept was provided to students. On the second day, information about software development was shared with students.

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## EXTENSION LECTURE ON COMMUNICATION SKILLS

An extension lecture was organised at Khalsa College of Education, G.T. Road. Dr. Manpreet Kaur, Ex-Principal, Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar acted as Resource Person and delivered a lecture on 'Communication Skills' on 23 March, 2023. Good communication skills help the teachers to better understand their students and build positive relationships with them. The resource person emphasized on the crucial role of communication skills for teachers. Good communication does not consist merely of giving orders, but of creating understanding. It does not consist merely of imparting knowledge, but of helping people gain a clear view of the meaning of knowledge. Most of the progress in the future will stem from better technology and greater skill in communicating it to others. Too many people saying the wrong things at the wrong time, in the wrong way, to the wrong people, slows down progress. What is needed is more people saying the right things at the right time, in the right way, to the right people. This is the formula for good communication. Ms. Raminder Kaur proposed vote of thanks on the behalf of faculty members and students.

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## **INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON ROLE OF SIKHS IN WORLD WARS**

A seminar on Role of the Sikh Soldiers in World Wars was organised at Khalsa College of Education, Amritsar on 08 April, 2023. Dr. Dominiek Dendooven, a researcher and historian from Belgium presented his keynote address and talked that martial soldiers played an exemplary role to protect democracy and civilization in Europe during the wars. He said most of the countries in Europe today owe their freedom to the brave soldiers from India in general and Punjab in particular. He pointed how the people in Belgium and Holland remember the role of the Sikhs in the world wars and they are indebted to them for their freedom. Historian Bhupinder Singh Holland, who has written two books on Role of Sikhs in World Wars, said that though Sikhs were the miniscule of India's population then even then their participation in the wars was up to 25 per cent. He said the world is now recognizing the unsung heroes who sacrificed their lives to protect democracy and human rights in foreign lands. In his opening remarks Khalsa College Governing Council, honorary secretary, Rajinder Mohan Singh Chhina, gave an account of the position of Sikh community after the demise of the great Maharaja Ranjit Singh and how the brave Sikhs fought for European countries including England, France and others. He called upon the historians to research and makes public the data's relating how many soldiers perished during the wars. The delegates were welcomed by Principal Dr. Harpreet Kaur on their arrival at the campus. KCGC Member, Principal and Sikh heritage proponent Dr. Davinder Singh Chhina elaborated in details the Sikh philosophy and heritage and how the community members following the path of their revered Gurus, stood for the peace and harmony. He lauded the efforts by Dr. Dominiek and Holland for collecting data and of the nation and world need to be apprised about the role of Sikh soldiers in World Wars. Harpreet Singh Bhatti, grandson of such a brave soldier from Gurdaspur, gave the example of his own family and how they have protected and saved the relics and honours given to their family by the British. Seminar witnesses august presence of European delegation members comprising Mrs. Dr. Dendooven, Sdn. & S. Major Singh from Holland, Mrs. & Mr. Gurpreet Singh Dhillon from Belgium, S. Dharminder Singh Rataul, Dy. Secy., S. Sarbjit Singh Gumtala, Dr.

Harpreet Kaur, Principal, KCE along with Vice Principal and Staff Members. From KCAGAA Senior Alumni Dr. Tejinder Singh Khalsa, Dr. Sukhdev Singh, Ex Dir. Sports,GNDU, S. Anantdeep Singh Dhillon from BC, Canada, S. Davinder Singh Cheema, S. Gurpreet Singh Riar, S. Kulbir Singh Brar, S. Gur Inder Singh Mehrok, S. Gurpreet Singh (Eknoor fame) from Sangat Channel, UK along with S. GurInder Singh Mahal, S. Raminder Pal Singh and family members of S. Bhupinder Singh Holland graced the occasion.

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## **WORKSHOP ON PERSONALITY GROOMING AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

IQAC Cell of Khalsa college of Education, Amritsar organised a workshop on 'Personality Grooming and Communication Skills' on 11 April, 2023. S. Barjinderpal Singh ji (National Coordinator, Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle, Lucknow) acted as resource person. Bhai Baljeet Singh Ji (Chairperson, Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle, Amritsar), Bhai Gurcharan Singh Ji (Director, Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle, Amritsar) And Dr. Inderjit Singh Gogoani (Principal, Khalsa College Senior Secondary School, Amritsar) attended this workshop. Students who secured various positions in the exam conducted by Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle and the concerned teachers were also honoured at the end of workshop.

  
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## **EXTENSION LECTURE ON "HOW TO PREPARE FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION**

Centre for Preparation of Competitive Examination and Guidance and Counselling Cell of Khalsa College of Education in collaboration with IBT organised an Extension Lecture on "How to prepare for competitive examination on 18 April, 2023. They provided complete information about various techniques and strategies of cracking various govt. exams like Banking, Railways, PTET/CTET etc. Mr. Jitender Kumar, Centre Head who has 15 years of experience as a career guide and counsellor and Mr. Jatin Mohan Sharma, Centre Coordinator having 8 years' experience as motivational counsellor gave students some important tips about preparing competitive examinations. Dr. Deepika Kohli, Mrs. Amandeep Kaur, and Mrs. Parul Aggarwal were the coordinators of the event.

  
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## **WEBINAR ON ONLINE FINANCIAL LITERACY AND INVESTOR AWARENESS PROGRAM**

Khalsa College of Education, Amritsar in collaboration with Krishna Foundation organised an Online Financial Literacy and Investor Awareness Program (Webinar) on 24 April, 2023. Dr. Deepika Kohli, Assistant Professor was the coordinator of the event. Yuvrajsinh Desai was the resource person. This awareness program was an attempt to clear out the misconceptions in the minds of the investors, channelize their investments and to equip them with enough financial skills, so that they are financially safe. Teachers and students attended this webinar. It aimed at making the students responsible savers and investors. So that, they can handle money, when they earn and to increase their employability. This lecture was quite beneficial for the staff and faculty members.

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## **EXTENSION LECTURE ON DEVELOPING RESEARCH CULTURE IN THE INSTITUTION**

An Extension lecture on “Developing Research Culture in the Institution” was organized on May 30, 2023 at Khalsa College of Education, Amritsar. Dr. Rupal Thakur, Assistant Professor, Sumaiya Vidhya Vihar University, Mumbai was the resource person. IQAC Coordinator Dr. Nirmaljit Kaur welcomed the resource person and invited her to share perceptions on the research. The resource person viewed that improving the research culture of an institution may lead to a fairer more rewarding and successful environment. At the same time, it is very challenging task. It can be made feasible by sharing of resources and spirit of cooperation. The session was very interactive and interesting. It was appreciated by both staff and the students. The session was quite informative for the teacher educators.

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## **EXTENSION LECTURE ON EMPOWERING TEACHER EDUCATORS FOR QUALITY ASSURANCE**

An Extension Lecture on “Empowering Teacher Educators for Quality Assurance” was organised on May 30, 2023. Prof. Dr Mandeep Kocher, Vice-Principal, University affairs, HSNC university, Mumbai was the resource person. College principal Dr. Harpreet Kaur, welcomed the resource person. She described that Teachers must continuously improve their competency themselves and assure quality assurance in their duties to promote student’s learning outcomes, positive attitude. For this, positive and supportive environment at the institution is mandatory. It was quite interactive session. Teacher educators of the college also shared their views. The resource person appreciated the opinions and perceptions of the faculty members.

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