

GOVT. DEGREE COLLEGE KARGIL

NEP 2020 Awareness programme 28-03-2020

REPORT

Continuing with an effort to sensitize various students and primarily the students of the 12th class from various feeding Higher secondary schools in Kargil, the GDC Kargil NEP 2020 awareness team on 28-03-2023 held an awareness program on NEP 2020 in the following Higher Secondary Schools.

1. Boys Higher Secondary School, Baroo;
2. Higher Secondary School, Pashkum;
3. Higher Secondary School, Khangral;
4. Higher secondary school, Chiktan;
5. Higher Secondary School, Shakar.

The motive behind conducting such an exercise is to aware the students about the Foundation course, Major-Minor course, entry and exit options, and academic bank of credit(ABC) vis-a-viz New Education Policy(NEP) 2020 and its implementation in the various constituent colleges of University of Ladakh from the forthcoming session of 2023-24. Two College teams were assigned to conduct the program in the aforementioned schools during the course of the day.

In the morning session, a team led by Mr Sajad Hussain, Assistant Professor of Chemistry went to Boys Higher Secondary School Baroo. He was accompanied by Dr Javed Naqi, senior Assistant Professor of Zoology and Mr Khadim-ul-Hassanain, IT incharge of the college. The program began with a welcome address from the School principal Mr XYZ followed by presentations from both the resource person.

Dr Javed gave a broad overview of NEP 2020, What is Academic Bank of Credit(ABC), flexibility offered in the new policy. Mr Sajad talked about the curricular framework of the Four-year Undergraduate programme(FYUG). He focused mainly on the Foundation courses, major-minor courses and credits allotted for each course. The program ended with a few questions from students which were addressed by both the speakers.

Similarly, the second team visited Higher Secondary Schools of Chiktan Block. The team was led by Mr Stanzin Norphail, Assistant professor of Commerce and was accompanied by Mr Sonam Gyalson, also an Assistant professor of Commerce. On reaching the Higher Secondary School Khangral, the team was accorded a warm welcome by the principal, staff and students. An outdoor assembly of all the students were given a brief account of NEP by the speakers at the request of the school principal and staff. It was followed by the actual session for the targeted audience of 12th and 11th-class students in the smart classroom. Sharing idea about the NEP 2020, Mr Norphail focussed on the NEP objectives, change in the structure, availability of wide courses focusing on skill, ability and value enhancement of students etc. He also explained the Academic Bank of Credit, its purpose, and the need for students to register on the website WWW.ABC.GOV.IN to enable them to transfer and redeem credits. Subsequent to his address, Mr Sonam shared his thoughts on the broader aspect of FYUG framework i.e., the foundation course, major-minor courses, other courses being offered to students for their holistic development. He also laid emphasis on the credit allotment for each course and the fulfilment of the total credit to claim awards at the completion of even semesters. At last, questions were taken from students which were duly addressed by the speakers.

In the afternoon session, Team lead by Mr. Sajad Hussain, Assistant Professor of Chemistry and Dr Zakir Hussain of Zoology Department with Mr khadim-ul-Hassanian, visited the Higher Secondary

School, Pashkum. They were welcomed by the principal, staff and students. There also both the speakers spoke about the NEP 2020. Mr Sajad highlighted about the FYUGP framework whereas Dr Zakir spoke about the NEP in general. All the important aspects of NEP 2020 were duly stressed upon by the speakers. At the end both the speakers responded to the queries raised by the students.

On the other hand Team led by Mr Stanzin Norphail along with Mr Sonam Gyalsen conducted NEP 2020 Awareness camp for the students of Higher Secondary School Chiktan. Both of resource person spoke about the new policy at length. The students were briefed about the benefits offered by the NEP 2020 in the form of multiple entry- exit options, no separation of subjects, focus on holistic education etc. The students actively participated in the program by showing keen interest in the NEP 2020 program. Many of them came up with their questions which were aptly responded by the speakers.

The team further went on to conduct yet another awareness program at Higher Secondary School, Shakar. They reach the venue at around 3pm and were given a warm welcome. They began the program by explaining the nitty-gritty of NEP 2020 which is to be implemented in constituent colleges of University of Ladakh from the forthcoming session 2023-24. On conclusion, the speakers gave answers to all the queries of not the students but also questions from teachers present there.

In all the Schools the principal and teachers along with student expressed appreciation and gratitude to the team for conducting awareness program on NEP 2020. All agreed that NEP 2020 awareness program was effectively delivered to all the students. I

At the culmination of each programs Mr. Stanzin Norphail, Nodal officers of NEP 2020 GDC Kargil shared the PPT and the NEP 2020 brochure with the respective principal and requested them to share same with their 12th and 11th class students.

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Comprehensive Report

In pursuant to the direction of the Hon'ble Vice-chancellor, University of Ladakh(UoL) and in view of the NEP 2020 implementation in the various constituent colleges of the University of Ladakh from the forthcoming session 23-2024. The NEP Awareness Team of Govt. Degree College Kargil under the chairpersonship of the Principal Dr Amina Qari initiated the first NEP 2020 awareness program in what was a series of programs in different feeding higher secondary schools of district Kargil.

The College awareness team was divided into teams under the management of Nodal officer Mr Stanzin Norphail, Assistant professor of Commerce. The members comprised Mr Sajad Hussain, Assistant Professor of Chemistry, Dr. Javed Naqi, Senior Assistant professor of Zoology, Mr. Sonam Gyalson, Assistant Professor of Commerce, Dr Zakir Hussain from the Department of Zoology, Mr. Khadim-ul-Hassanain, IT in charge of the college.

The weeklong program began at the Private Higher Secondary schools of Kargil town followed by Govt. Higher Secondary Schools of the district. The College via the Chief Education Officer (CEO) of School Education had requested to issue a circular to various feeding Higher Secondary Schools of the district for the conduct of NEP 2020.

The program was held in the following Higher secondary schools:

1. Munshi Habibullah Higher Secondary School, Bemathang, Kargil
2. Jafferia Academy of Modern Education Higher Secondary School(JAME), Kargil.
3. Boys Higher Secondary School, Baroo.
4. Higher Secondary School, Khangral.
5. Higher Secondary School, Chiktan.
6. Higher Secondary School, Pashkum.
7. Higher Secondary School, Shakar.
8. Higher Secondary School, Achkamal.
9. Higher Secondary School, Yourbaltak.
10. Higher Secondary School, Silmo.
11. Girls Higher Secondary School, Bazaar, Kargil.
12. Higher Secondary School, Shargol.

The main objective of the awareness program was to aware students primarily the 12th standard students of the New Education Policy 2020. The team highlighted the following features of the NEP 2020:

1. Students were informed about the change in the structure from a three to four- year undergraduate programme(FYUGP) with the fourth year being optional, criterion-based and research-oriented. They were also apprised about the availability of multiple entry and exit options on completion of each year which means that students can exit or enter after completion of each year during the pursuit of a three or four-year programme. Furthermore, they were also enlighten about the award of a Certificate on

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completion of the first year, a Diploma in the second year, a Degree in the third year and a Degree with Research on completion of the fourth year which was lacking in the old education policy.

2. They were briefed that NEP 2020 offers flexibility in choosing subjects of their liking and interest as there shall be no separation among subjects. The introduction of Foundation courses and Minor courses in the first year will enable students to gain a fair idea about the subjects before pursuing them as majors and minors from the second year of FYUGP. They were also told that NEP 2020 envisages a multidisciplinary approach by offering students interdisciplinary courses, skill enhancement courses, ability enhancement courses and value-added courses.

3. They were also apprised about the objectives of NEP 2020 to develop students with creative thinking skills, emotional development, conflict resolution skills, healthy social skills, manners, hands-on lessons etc along with core academics to enable them to gain holistic knowledge.

4. Students were also educated about the Academic bank of Credit (ABC). The said feature will be a virtual mechanism that will facilitate the storage of academic credit earned in higher education institutes. The earned credit can be transferred during a students' mobility from one institute to another and further same can also be redeemed. Forthcoming students of 12th class were urged to get themselves registered on ABC by visiting WWW.ABC.GOV.IN.

Apart from the above points, the college awareness team also touched upon various crucial aspects of NEP 2020. Students from all the visited schools had their queries related to the NEP 2020 and they were addressed by the speakers on the occasion.

The team informed that the said program is just an initial effort to acquaint students with NEP 2020 and a proper and detailed orientation cum counseling session shall be organized by the College Admission Committee prior to the initiation of the admission process in the college. The Awareness team shared the UoL FYUGP brochure with the respective principals and requested them to further share among their students.

On the culmination of each program, Principals of all the visited schools appreciated the exercise and acknowledged the importance of NEP 2020, especially in lieu of its implementation in various colleges of Ladakh and elsewhere. They thanked the team for conducting such a programme and termed it highly fruitful and informative for the students. The visiting team also thanked the principal, staff and students for taking out time of their busy schedules and making it a successful event.