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SHOWING OF VIDEO OF PAIRED STATE UNDER “EK BHARAT SHRESHTH BHARAT” PROGRAM

Chhattisgarh is one of the 28 states of India, located in the centre-east of the country. It is the ninth-largest state in India, with an area of 135,192 km. With a 2011 population of 25.5 million, Chhattisgarh is the 16th-most populated state in the country. A resource-rich state, it is a source of electricity and steel for the country, accounting for 15% of the total steel produced as well as large contributor of coal. Chhattisgarh is one of the fastest-developing states in India. The state was formed on 1 November 2000 by partitioning ten Chhattisgarhi and six Gondi-speaking south-eastern districts of Pradesh. The capital city is Raipur.

Since, Government Arts College, Maninagar, K.K Shastri Educational Campus, Khokhara, Maninagar, Gujarat is paired with Chhattisgarh state, so RUSA Committee shown a video on you tube named “ Main Bhi Baharat: Gond Tribe of Chhattisgarh I Episode-01” broadcasted by RAJYA SABHA TELEVISION at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sP--cl05AJs> this link on 14/02/2020 in college’s multimedia room.

In that Episode team of Rajya Sabha television travelled to Bastar District, Chhattisgarh to meet the people of Gond Tribe. The Gond Tribe is the second largest tribe in India and largest tribe in Central India. Gond originally falls under Dravidian linguistic tribes. The central part of Madhya Pradesh and the Southern part of Chhattisgarh are the two areas, where the concentration of the Gond Tribe is maximum.

Approximately, 150 students of college from all semesters and Faculty members of college from each department watched the video and got to know about culture of Gond tribe. Lastly, committee members briefed to students how this activity is helpful to understand the culture of other society.

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