

PAAVAI ENGINEERING COLLEGE (Autonomous)



Due to the COVID-19, the action plan and activities of EK BHARAT SHRESHTHA BHARAT (EBSB) of Paavai Engineering College are carried out as per the schedule through online interactions with our students. The first activity was "Introduction to EBSB" which was organized from 27.04.2020 to 30.04.2020 through online mode.

Students were given awareness about the various schemes introduced and carried over by AICTE specially about NEAT and other ATAL sponsored FDP's available for the students.

OBJECTIVES OF EBSB were discussed as follows

- **i.To CELEBRATE** the Unity in Diversity of our Nation and to maintain and strengthen the fabric of traditionally existing emotional bonds between the people of our Country;
- ii. **To PROMOTE** the spirit of national integration through a deep and structured engagement between all Indian States and Union Territories through a year-long planned engagement between States;
- iii. **To SHOWCASE** the rich heritage and culture, customs and traditions of either State for enabling people to understand and appreciate the diversity that is India, thus fostering a sense of common identity
- iv. TO ESTABLISH long-term engagements and,
- v. **TO CREATE** an environment which promotes learning between States by sharing best practices and experiences.

KEY ACTIVITIES OF EBSB:

Students were informed about the paired state for Tamil Nadu as "Jammu and Kashmir" and the importance of the exchange of students activities such as organising Optional Classes in colleges, where feasible, for learning the language of the partnering State, organising Drama(s) of other State in the educational institutions of the partnering State, exchange of information on traditional Agricultural Practices and Forecasting among farmers in partnering States, organising Film Festivals in the State with Sub-Titles in the language of the partnering State. Encouraging fashion shows and frequent wearing of attire of the partnering State by the students and people of the State and organising National Quiz Competition in various languages on MyGov portal.To undertake pledges on various activities in two languages of the paired state and so on. Later the cultural and traditional background videos were played to the students. Students also shared their views and opinions about the paired state and gave suggestions for the further conduction of the action plan of EBSB.