School of Engineering and Technology MIZORAM UNIVERSITY

REPORT ON Jal Shakti Abhiyan: Catch the Rain

In reference to the Jal Shakti Abhiyan: Catch the Rain' campaign launched on the occasion of World Water Day for conserving waterby the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi on March 22, 2021, the School of Engineering and Technology, Mizoram University have conducted awareness campaign for water conservation and rain water harvesting on 9th and 12th April 2021 from 1.30 pm. to 2.30 pm. The purpose behind the event was to raise awareness regarding water conservation. The event was conducted inside the university campus and was meant for inducing the students to support and take up the water conservation efforts in a proactive manner. The campaign also made the students realize the need for water conservation and created the essential awareness. It emphasizes on water conservation and the practice of using water efficiently to reduce unnecessary water usage since fresh clean water becomes a limited resource, as well as a costly one due to the increase in population. Prudent and economic use of water makes a huge difference as water scarcity is an enormous problem even in many parts of India.

On the 9th and 12th April, group of students from Final Year BTech were shownrain water harvesting system in the Dept. of IT, Dept of EE, Dept. of ECE premises. The working and the method of watercollection was explained. Rainwater harvesting was described as a technique by which rain water is accumulated and stored with the intention of reusing it during the dry season or when there is drought. They were also told about the importance of rainwater harvesting which can become a permanent solution to the problem of water crisis in different parts of the world. Many countries in the world are facing water scarcitytoday and are taking up rainwater harvesting for dire need of survival. Hence, the event sensitized students on water conservation and how increased water usage has resulted in water shortage and how it should be conserved.

Attached herewith are some of the pictures from the event:









