

Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Report

Event Name: "A WALK THROUGH ODISHA"- EK BHARAT SHRESTHA BHARAT CAMPAIGN (EBSB-GHRCE-CVRGU)

Description: Odisha state information with Geography, history, government, economy, travel info, food, festivals, dance & music, art & culture of Orissa.

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Start Date: 27th June 2020: Odisha state information

28th June 2020: QuiZ on Odisha state information

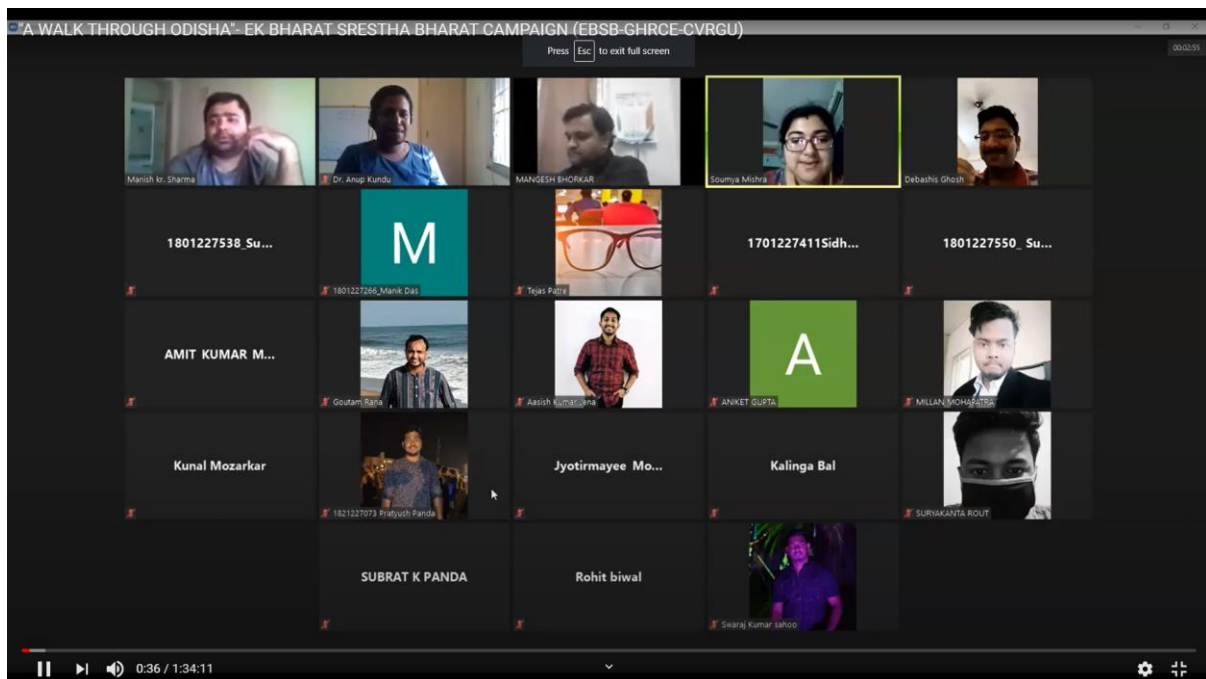
End Date: 28th June 2020

Venue: online platform Zoom

Video Link: <https://youtu.be/yluCV8S8mkU>

Outcomes: Faculty and student from G. H. Rasoni College of Engineering, Nagpur, got to Odisha state information with Geography, history, government, economy, travel info, food, festivals, dance & music, art & culture of Orissa.

Online snapshot:



INTRODUCTION: ODISHA

➤The word Odisha is derived from the Sanskrit word 'Odra Vishaya' or 'Odra Desa' and it refers to Odra people living in Central India. The word Odra Desa means a land of cultivators. The cultivator class in Orissa was broadly divided into two castes, the Odas and the Chasas.

➤**Odisha** a state of **India**. Located in the northeastern part of the country, it is bounded by the states of **Jharkhand** and **West Bengal** to the north and northeast, by the coastline of 485 kilometres (301 mi) along the Bay of Bengal to the east, and by the states of **Andhra Pradesh** and **Telangana** to the south and **Chhattisgarh** to the west.

➤Before India became independent in 1947, Odisha's capital was at **Cuttack**. The present capital was subsequently built at **Bhubaneswar**, in the vicinity of the city's historic temples in the east-central coastal plains. In late 2011 the state's name was officially changed from Orissa to Odisha. Area 60,119 square miles (155,707 square km). Pop. (2011) 41,947,358.

LANGUAGE OF ODISHA

Odia is the official language of Odisha and is spoken by 82.7% of the population. It is also one of the six **classical languages of India**. English is the official language of correspondence between state and the union of India.















Spoken Odia is not homogeneous as one can find different dialects spoken across the state. Some of the major dialects found inside the state are Sambalpuri, Cuttacki, Puri, Baleswari, Ganjami, Desiya and Phulbani.

In addition to Odia, significant population of people speaking other major Indian languages like **Hindi**, **Telugu**, **Urdu** and **Bengali** are also found in the state.

The different **adibasi** communities who mostly reside in **Western Odisha** have their own languages belonging to **Austroasiatic** and **Dravidian** family of languages. Some of these major **adibasi** languages are Santali, Kiu and Ho. Due to increasing contact with outsiders, migration and socioeconomic reasons many of these indigenous languages are slowly getting extinct or are on the verge of getting extinct.

Zoom Meeting - 40-Minutes

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