

# Report on Celebration of 151<sup>st</sup> Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi at IIIT Nagpur



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## **Preface**

Indian Institute of Information Technology, Nagpur (IIITN), with its paired institute IIITDM Kurnool has conducted Swachhta Pakhwada and celebrated the 151<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. Swachhta Pakhwada conducted from 20<sup>th</sup> September to 2<sup>nd</sup> October and during this some activities are conducted to make the awareness of cleanness amongst the students, staff members and other connected peoples. A program on Swachhta Pledge conducted with students. At the same time Plantation Drive and Essay Competition organised by the respective institutes combinely at their places.

Due to this pandemic situation, both the institutes has conducted these events through online. Pledge taken ceremony was conducted through online mode. Students and faculty members are motivated for plantation drive and cleanness drive at the nearby places and are requested to share the efforts with Tree Plantation Drive.

### **1. Plantation Drive**

The event of plantation at institute new permanent campus was organized on 4<sup>th</sup> October. The event started at 9:30am near students newly constructed Hostel. Only institute faculty and staff members were present. However students have conducted plantation nearby there places.



Figure 1: Plantation drive at Institute permanent campus



Figure 2: Plantation drive at Institute permanent campus



Figure 3: Students have also participated and planted some plants at their native places.

## 2. Conclusions

Mahatma Gandhi in this modern world has inspired us to work for prevalent in the society which are harmful for the humanity. We as Indian feel proud the Mahatma born in India and inspired the entire world with his methodology of peace and harmony. Each year on 2nd October, along with the nation, IIITN celebrates Gandhi's birthday with enthusiasm. This year in IIITN we organised two events, viz., Plantation drive and Essay writing competition

which were executed successfully. Total 17 students were participated from IIITN & IIITDM in Essay Writing Competition on “Azadika Amrut Mahotsav”.Through these events, both students and faculties became more familiar to Mahatma Gandhi and his teachings.

