

Report on "World Environment Day"

Title of the Session: "One Person, One Tree: World Environment Day"

Organized By: Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Swami Vivekananda University, Kolkata

Mode of Delivery: Off-line & Online

No. of Participants: 60

Nationality: Indian

Duration: 4 Hours

Date & Venue: Campus Play Ground, Swami Vivekananda University, Kolkata, West Bengal

Objectives:

- To celebrate **World Environment Day 2026** and promote environmental awareness among students, faculty members, and staff.
- To encourage the practice of **"One Person, One Tree"** as an individual contribution toward environmental sustainability.
- To install a sense of responsibility for protecting and conserving natural resources.
- To motivate participants to adopt eco-friendly habits and contribute to a greener campus.
- To strengthen community participation in environmental conservation initiatives.

Theme:

World Environment Day 2026

Theme: *"One Person, One Tree – Let's Plant Today for a Greener Tomorrow"*

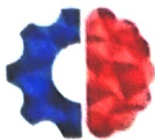
The program emphasized the importance of individual action in combating environmental degradation through tree plantation and nurturing green spaces.

Outcome:

- Increased awareness regarding environmental conservation and climate responsibility among participants.
- Successful plantation of multiple saplings within the university campus.
- Active engagement of students and faculty members in a meaningful environmental activity.
- Strengthened the university's commitment toward creating a greener and healthier campus environment.
- Encouraged participants to undertake plantation activities in their homes and local communities.
- Enhanced visibility of the university's sustainability initiatives through media and public outreach.

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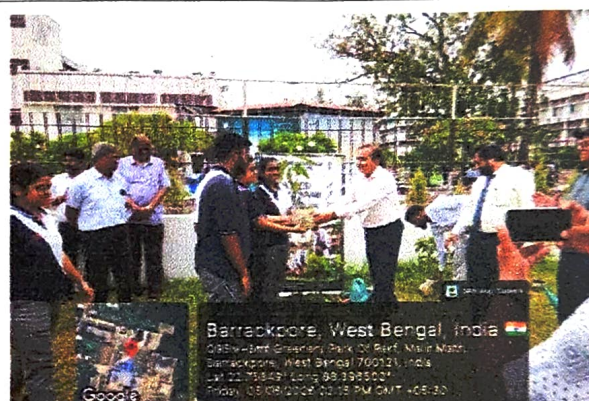
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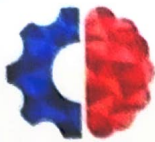
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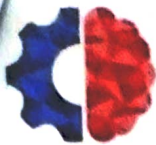
- The event was organized by the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), Swami Vivekananda University on 5th June 2026.
- Students, faculty members, university officials, and staff actively participated in the plantation drive.
- Vice Chancellor Dr. Subrata Kumar Dey and Pro Vice Chancellor Dr. Apurba Ratan Ghosh inaugurated the plantation activity by planting saplings and watering the newly planted trees.
- Various indigenous and environmentally beneficial saplings were planted across the university campus.
- Plant saplings were distributed among students and faculty members to encourage plantation beyond the campus.
- Participants pledged to nurture and protect the planted trees for sustainable environmental impact.
- A press interaction/conference was conducted by the Vice Chancellor, highlighting the university's commitment to environmental sustainability and green initiatives.
- The event concluded with a collective message promoting environmental stewardship and sustainable living.

Glimpse of the event:



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General Participants Feedback:

- Participants appreciated the practical and community-oriented nature of the plantation drive.
- Students expressed enthusiasm for contributing directly to environmental conservation. Faculty members welcomed the initiative as a valuable step toward promoting sustainability on campus.
- Participants found the plant distribution activity motivating and impactful.
- Many suggested organizing similar environmental awareness and plantation programs regularly throughout the year.

Recommendations:

- Conduct periodic tree plantation drives and adopt a long-term tree maintenance plan.
- Introduce a **"Plant and Protect"** monitoring system where participants track the growth of planted saplings.
- Organize workshops and awareness sessions on biodiversity, waste management, and climate change.
- Collaborate with local environmental organizations and government agencies for larger sustainability initiatives.
- Encourage every new student and staff member to plant at least one tree as part of a campus green mission.
- Maintain a digital record of planted saplings, including location, species, and growth status for future assessment.
- Expand the initiative to nearby communities to create a broader environmental impact.

Signature of the Convener with University Seal

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