



**NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME
TEZPUR UNIVERSITY, ASSAM-784028**



EVENT- EK BHARAT SHRESTHA BHARAT

DATE- 25/07/2020

PLATFORM- ONLINE

NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS PARTICIPANTS- 274



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Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat program aims to enhance interaction & promote mutual understanding between people of different states/UTs through the concept of state/UT pairing. The states carry out activities to promote a sustained and structured cultural connection in the areas of language learning, culture, traditions & music, tourism & cuisine, sports, and sharing of best practices, etc.

The NSS cell of Tezpur University in collaboration with the mental health task force held a series of online competitions under the ‘Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat’ campaign to enhance the cultural unity among the students of various regions of India. The competitions included essay writing (Topic- Unity in cultural diversity), ethnic costume show (Theme- A fusion of Assamese and Rajasthani dress), singing competition (ethnic songs), and painting competition (portraying ethnicity of India). Entries were accepted from the volunteers between the 25th of July, 2020 till 10th of August, 2020. The entries received in each category of the competition were overwhelming and the creativity of each student was outstanding. There were cash prizes for the best three of each event. The event was conducted under the guidance of the Program Coordinator of NSS Dr. Amiya Kumar Das. 274 volunteers participated in the event by sending in their entries across the various competitions. All volunteers took necessary Covid-19 protocols while performing and submitting their tasks.

The competition posters were as follows:





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The event was a success and the initiative was indeed a great initiative to strengthen the cultural diversity of students from various ethnic groups of India in the University. The ethnic customs that are on the verge of losing their identity gained a major helping hand to showcase such cultural practices. Such events shall be conducted in the future as well since it helps to increase the unity among students from various states and understand each other's cultures.



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EVENT- GANDAGI MUKTA BHARAT

DATE- 18/08/2020

PLATFORM- ONLINE

NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS PARTICIPANTS- 355



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Cleanliness refers to the art of keeping our body, mind, house, work area, and surroundings clean. We can divide cleanliness into various types such as cleaning clothes, cleaning streets, clean surroundings, clean homes, and personal cleanliness. We should make cleanliness our habit because the cleanliness of our surroundings, environment, and self is essential for social and intellectual health. We should never compromise with cleanliness. Cleanliness is not others' responsibility. It is our responsibility.

The NSS cell of Tezpur university held the 'Gandagi Mukt Bharat' event on the 18th of August, 2020 to make its volunteers aware of the importance of a clean surrounding in our lives. 315 volunteers participated in the event. The volunteers had to clean their homes, clean any surrounding building, *shramdaan* in any nearby building work like helping masons or painters or sweepers, planting saplings, clean nearby streets, etc. The volunteers had to send in photographs of them helping in any of such cleanliness work. The event was conducted under the guidance of the Program Coordinator of NSS Dr. Amiya Kumar Das.

Few glimpses of the event:



This event was conducted keeping in view and to promote the mantra of '*Na Zindagi karenge, Na karne denge.*' A clean surrounding leads to a clear heart and a clear heart leads to a pure soul. Cleanliness is next to Godliness. Clean surroundings help us to be healthy and sound. It's our foremost duty to keep our environment clean and healthy. We can do so by actively participating more in such cleanliness drives in our locality or home and the drives like Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.



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EVENT- CLEANLINESS AND SWACHHATA ABHIYAN

DATE- 06/03/2021

PLATFORM- ONLINE

NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS PARTICIPANTS- 311



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‘Cleanliness and order are not matters of instinct, they are matters of education, and like most great things, you can cultivate a taste for them,’ said Benjamin Disraeli.

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With the above motives, the NSS cell of Tezpur university held the ‘Cleanliness and Swachhata event on the 6th of March, 2021 to motivate its volunteers to keep their surroundings clean and its importance in our lives. 311 volunteers participated in the event. The volunteers had to clean their homes, clean any surrounding building, *shramdaan* in any nearby building work like helping masons or painters or sweepers, planting saplings, clean nearby streets, etc. The volunteers had to send in photographs of them helping in any of such cleanliness work. The event was conducted under the guidance of the Program Coordinator of NSS Dr. Amiya Kumar Das.

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