



LiFE
Lifestyle for
Environment



PRAKRITI PROGRAM

Lecture on “Medicinal Plants & Herbal Garden” and ‘LiFE Mission’ Organized by ICFRE- IFGTB

The “Prakriti” programme was conducted by the Extension Division of ICFRE-IFGTB, in order to create environmental awareness and conservation to school and college students. ICFRE-IFGTB has hosted offline knowledge series, as part of ‘Prakriti - Student Connect Programme’ of ICFRE (Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education) for the school and college students.

Accordingly, ICFRE-IFGTB conducted Biodiversity Conservation and LiFE Mission Awareness Campaign at Govt. High School, Sundapalayam, Coimbatore, as part of the PRAKRITI Programme on 23rd November, 2023. The primary objective of the campaign was to instil environmental awareness in students, emphasizing key themes such as biodiversity, conservation, the LiFE mission, and sustainable practices.

Smt. B. Sunitha, Prakriti coordinator, ICFRE-IFGTB welcomed the students and teachers for the awareness lecture on “Medicinal plants and Herbal Garden” “LiFE Mission” and she briefed about the “Prakriti” programme and ICFRE-IFGTB initiatives in “Prakriti”.

Under the Prakriti Programme, awareness lecture was delivered on “ Medicinal plants and Herbal Garden” by Dr. K. Paneerselvam, Scientist, Forest Ecology and Climate change division, ICFRE-IFGTB and in total of 130 students and teachers participated in the program.

During the awareness lecture, the speaker delivered a comprehensive lecture on ‘Medicinal plants and Herbal garden’ emphasizing its importance and the urgent need for its conservation. He discussed about different types of medicinal plants being used by us on day to day basis.

He elaborated about the effects of diseases caused and remedial measures through medicinal plants. He briefed about the advantages of medicinal plants and its sustainable utilization for long run. Also, the speaker created awareness on medicinal plants conservation strategies including creation of MPCA, etc. He concluded that over exploitation of the above caused genetic erosion and reduces the pressure on forest and conservation of the biodiversity and young generation to

gain knowledge and lead a disease free life. The students were very attentive and interactive.



LiFE Mission Awareness Campaign at Govt. High School, Sundapalayam, Coimbatore

Organizers: ICFRE-IFGTB EIACP PC RP, Coimbatore

Introduction:

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Key Activities and Highlights of the event:

- Interactive presentations on significance on medicinal plants, urban forestry, forest conservation, LiFE Mission and respective themes.
- Group discussions and Q&A sessions.
- LiFE Mission pledge.

Participants:

A total of 129 students and 6 staff members from Govt. High School, Sundapalayam, Coimbatore, actively participated in the campaign.

Outcome:

The LiFE Mission Awareness Campaign effectively heightened awareness regarding environmental issues, medicinal plants, LiFE Mission themes and instilled a sense of responsibility toward nature among the students. The interactive activities had a positive impact, motivating students to embrace an environmentally conscious mindset.

Conclusion:

The LiFE Mission Awareness Campaign conducted at Govt. High School, Sundapalayam, Coimbatore, successfully advanced environmental education and motivated students to actively contribute to the conservation of our natural resources.



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