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## A State Level Seminar on Life Lessons from Swami Vivekananda

Date: 14.01.2020

Time: 2 pm – 3 pm

Venue: Seminar Hall, Room no 15, College Premises

Number of Participants: 94

Name and Designation of Resource Person(s): Swami Ekchittananda

Organizing Committee: Department of Philosophy and Internal Quality Assurance Cell

**Brief Report:** The main objective of this discussion was enlighten the students about the life of Swami Vivekananda, his importance in modern society and the relevance of Swamiji's teachings to the entire world. The complete biography of Swami Vivekananda is like a lesson to us. Then there are all his wonderful opinions on various topics, their perspectives are as modern as unique. That is why its value has not decreased so much in the present modern world but its relevance is increasing day by day.

Swami Vivekananda told his students that the real education is to bring out what is already there in your heart. Actually, this message was shared with the students of our college by our honorable speaker of the day. Students are taught to acquire the necessary education to become a trust or helper of the family or society as well as to the country or nation. They are also taught to acquire the necessary education to become a complete 'man' by awakening mental and physical strength in themselves. Swami Vivekananda pointed out the need for an ideal education that transcends the conventional teaching and learning practices and is infused with high values and theoretical as well as practical knowledge to create a better society. Our speaker wanted to spread this thought of Swamiji among our students that day.

Needless to say, our students benefited immensely from being exposed to such a high- minded yet simple philosophy of life. Their presence and their enthusiasm motivated us greatly to hold such talk again in the future.



Photo of the Speaker

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Speaker

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