



Sri A.S.N.M. Government College(Autonomous)

(Re-accredited at 'B' Grade by NAAC with 2.61 CGPA)

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DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

BEST PRACTICE : Implementing Constitutional Values by observing Voters day and Awareness Activities.

Objectives of the practice :

The objective of celebrating National Voters' Day in Our College can be to create awareness about the importance of voting and to encourage students to register themselves as voters. The celebration can be used as a platform to educate and sensitize students about the significance of their role in the democratic process and to inspire them to become responsible and active citizens.

The following are some of the objectives of celebrating National Voters' Day in Our College:

1. To promote a culture of responsible citizenship among students.
2. To educate students about the electoral process and the importance of voting.
3. To encourage eligible students to register themselves as voters.
4. To emphasize the need for free and fair elections and the role of the Election Commission of India.
5. To encourage students to participate in various electoral activities, such as voter awareness campaigns, poll duty, etc.

6. To promote the participation of young and first-time voters in the electoral process.

Overall, celebrating National Voters' Day in Our College can be an excellent initiative to promote civic engagement and to encourage students to take an active part in the democratic process.

The Context : National Voters' Day is celebrated on January 25th every year in India to encourage, facilitate, and maximize the enrollment, especially for the new voters, and to spread awareness among voters regarding effective participation in the electoral process. The objective of this day is to promote the importance of voting and to encourage more and more eligible citizens to register themselves as voters and exercise their right to vote.

The day also celebrates the foundation day of the Election Commission of India, which was established on January 25, 1950. The commission is responsible for organizing and conducting free and fair elections in the country. The National Voters' Day celebration also aims to create awareness about the electoral process and the need for active participation of citizens in the democratic process. It also aims to encourage young voters to become more involved in the electoral process and become responsible citizens of the country.

Needs Identified :

Celebrating Voters Day in government degree colleges can help to create awareness about the importance of voting and encourage students to participate in the democratic process. Some of the needs that could be identified for celebrating Voters Day in government degree colleges are:

1. Education about the electoral process: Many students may not be aware of the electoral process, how it works, and why it is important to participate in it. Celebrating Voters Day can help to educate students about the importance of voting and how the electoral process works.
2. Encouragement to register to vote: Many students who are eligible to vote may not have registered yet. Celebrating Voters Day can encourage

students to register to vote and ensure that they are eligible to participate in the democratic process.

3. Understanding political issues: Celebrating Voters Day can help students understand political issues and how they affect their lives. It can encourage them to take an interest in current events and become more informed about the issues that affect their community.
4. Fostering a sense of civic responsibility: Celebrating Voters Day can help to foster a sense of civic responsibility among students. By participating in the democratic process, students can feel like they are making a positive impact on their community and taking an active role in shaping their future.
5. Providing opportunities for engagement: Celebrating Voters Day can provide opportunities for students to engage with local politicians, community leaders, and other stakeholders. This can help to create a dialogue between students and their community, and provide a platform for students to voice their opinions and concerns.

Practice :

NATIONAL VOTERS DAY

25-01-2018

On 25th January 2018, National Voters was observed. In this connection an awareness rally was conducted to promote the enrolment of new voters especially in the colleges. NSS students and other students who are eligible for getting Voter ID card, enrolled for the voterID on this occasion. 200 students participated and 50 new voters filed Form VI .



AWARENESSPROGRAMME ON VOTERS REGISTRATION
28-09-2018

On 28th septmeber 2018, Voters registration awareness programme was observed. In this connection an awareness rally was conducted to promote the enrolment of new voters specially in the colleges. NSS students and other students who are eligible for getting Voter ID card, enrolled for the voter ID on this occasion. 220 students participated and 40 new voters filed Form VI.



NATIONAL VOTERS DAY RALY ON 25-01-2019

On 25th January 2018, National Voters was observed. In this connection an awareness rally was conducted to promote the enrolment of new voters specially in the colleges. NSS students and other students who are eligible for getting Voter ID card, enrolled for the voter ID on this occasion. 220 students participated and 40 new voters filed Form VI .



National Voters Day 25-1-2020

On 25th January 2020, National Voters was observed. In this connection an awareness rally was conducted to promote the enrolment of new voters especially in the colleges. Student council and NSS students and other students who are eligible for getting Voter ID card, enrolled for the voter ID on this occasion. 175 students participated and 50 new voters filed Form VI. A meeting was held in e-class and Principal addressed the students about the importance of vote for youth Chief Guest Dr.M.Lakshmipathi Reader in Political Science of Sri DNR GDC also enlightened the students about voters day.



Name of the Activity : SVEEP AWRENESS RALLY

Organising Body : ELECTORAL LITERACY CLUB

Date : 27-11-2021

Description of the Activity : With the initiative of the Department of Political Science and Student induction this Programme was conducted by College students and Faculty members. Sri Dr.T.Rajarajeswari Principal, District electoral officer, M.R.O , Municipal commissioner ,M.P.D.O and D.T are participated in the rally . And created awareness of to educate the electors regarding procedure relating to registration of name in Electoral Roll, correct of their existing particulars in Electoral Roll and deletion of name of shifted and deceased family members. This activity also meant to inform about various online, offline facilities available to voters regarding ethical voting like how to cast vote, how to help the election machinery to prevent corrupt practices during election etc..

No.of Participants : 350





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Essay Writing and Elocution Competitions conducted on 21-01-2022 on the Occasion of National Voters Day 25-01-2022

On the eve of National Voter's Day the Department of POLITICAL SCIENCE conducted the Essay Writing and Elocution Competitions on 21-01-2022. The Topic is "The Role of Voters in Building Strong Democracy"



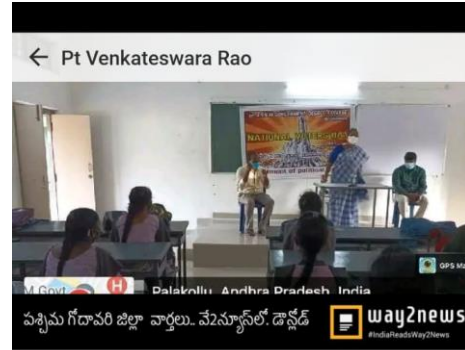
Name of the Activity : NATIONAL VOTERS DAY

Organising Body : DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE and ELC

Date : 25 – 01 - 2022

Description of the Activity : With the initiative of the Department of Political Science this Programme was conducted by College students and Faculty members. The theme for this year's NVD, '**Making Elections Inclusive, Accessible and Participative**', envisages focus on ECI's commitment to facilitate active participation of voters during the elections and to make the complete process hassle free and a memorable experience for all categories of voters. And we created awareness about the importance of voters day. 1st and 2nd year students and other faculty members are Participated.

No.of Participants : 42



పాలకొల్లు: కళాశాలలో జాతీయ ఓటరు దినోత్సవం

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Name of the Activity : **SVEEP** (Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation)

Organising Body : **DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND ELC**

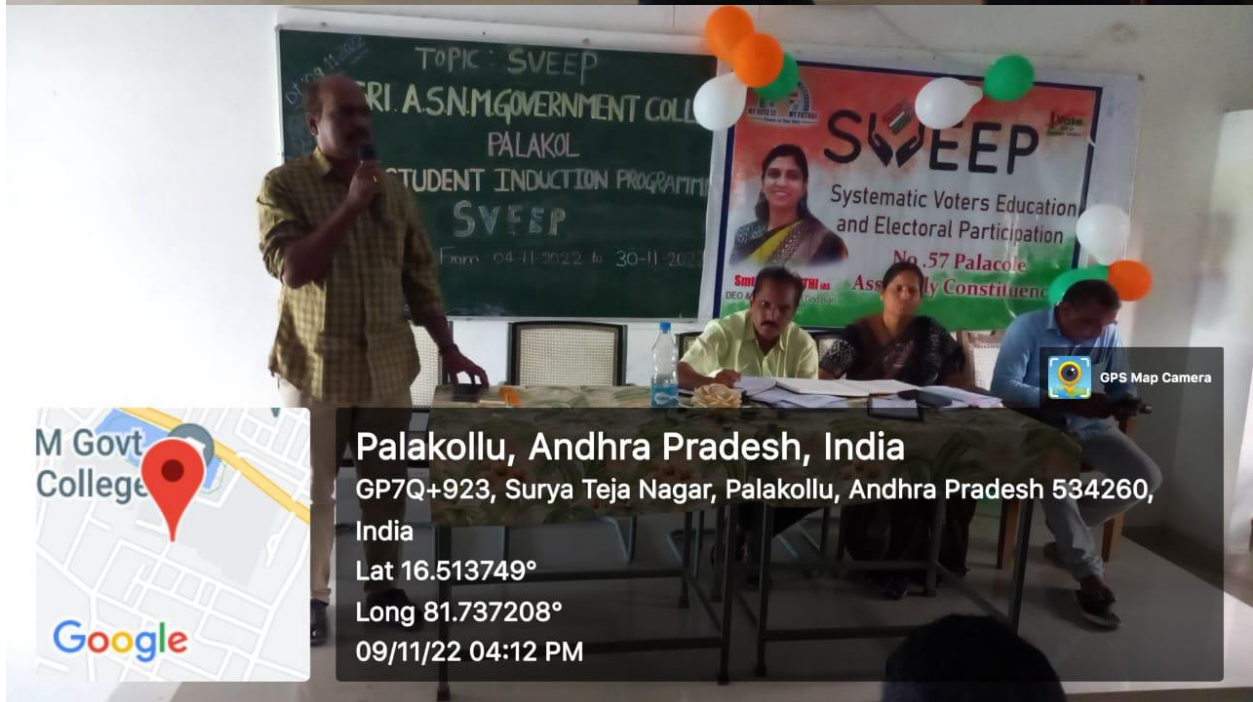
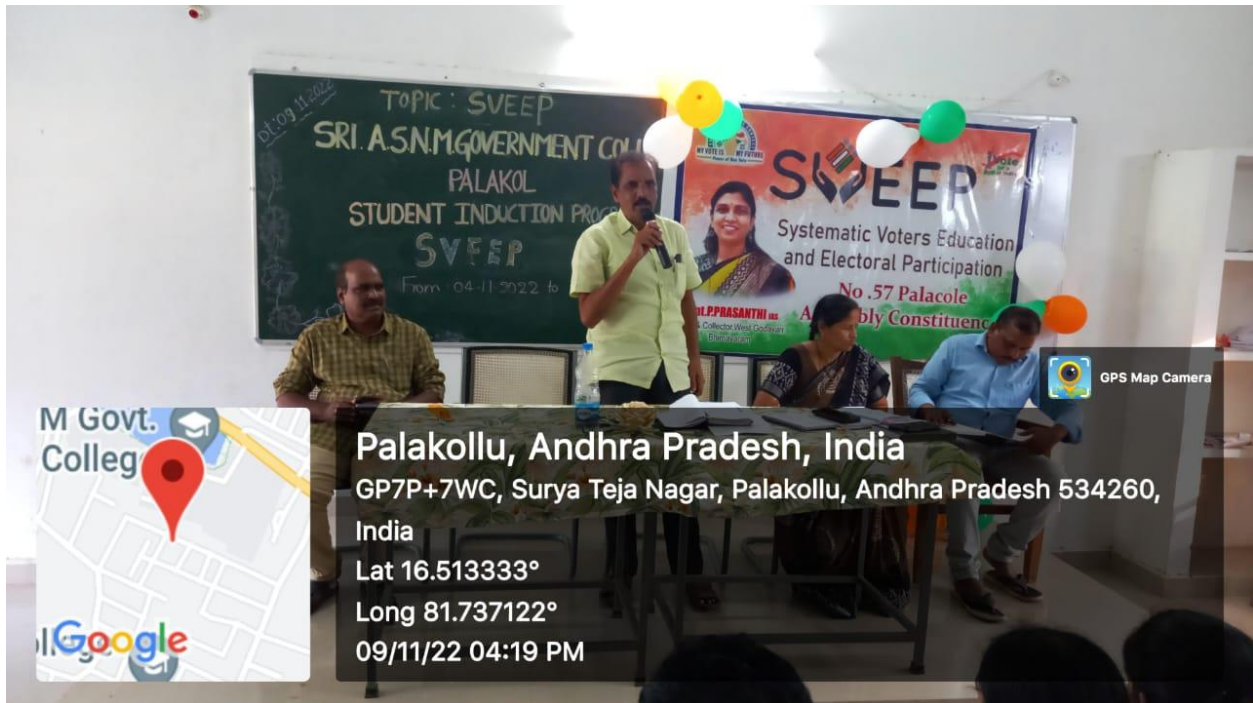
Date : **09 – 11 – 2022**

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No.of Participants : **163**











Evidence of Success :

At the Government degree college level, the success of Voters Day as a best practice can be seen in various ways, including:

1. Increased student engagement: A successful Voters Day can increase student engagement in the political process. By providing opportunities for students to learn about the electoral process and the importance of civic engagement, they are more likely to become active citizens in the future.
2. Improved voter turnout: When more students participate in the electoral process, it indicates a successful Voters Day. Encouraging and facilitating student voter registration and turnout can help to ensure that more voices are heard and that student interests are represented.
3. Increased awareness of political issues: A successful Voters Day can help to raise awareness of political issues and encourage students to become more informed about political candidates and parties. This can lead to more informed decision-making and a greater understanding of the impact of government policies.
4. Enhanced civic education: By participating in Voters Day activities, students can gain a better understanding of the democratic process and their role as citizens. This can help to foster a sense of civic responsibility and promote active participation in future elections.

Examples of successful Voters Day practices at the government degree college level include voter registration drives, educational workshops on the electoral process and political issues, mock elections and debates, and voter turnout campaigns. Successful examples of Voters Day practices at this level can be found in various countries around the world, including India, the United States, and Canada.