



A Report on
Orientation Program-2023
18th -21st July 2023, (Tuesday-Friday)

Level: - University

Category: - Orientation Program

Date: - 18 July 2023 to 21 July 2023

No. of Participants: First Year Students of various streams (Engineering, Science, Pharmacy, Liberal Study, Law, Arts, Commerce, Management)

Mode: -Offline

Objectives:

A well-rounded personality, a desire to serve society and the country, and academic excellence in their fields of study are all aspects of an engineering education. It is expected that graduates of university will try to use modern technology and methods to tackle socioeconomic problems. This demands an extensive knowledge of hyperlinks and society. To achieve their responsibilities as citizens, and good human beings, the students graduates must be indoctrinated with human values during their university education.

Students are dealing with issues as peer pressure, hostel and settlement troubles, and several other problems. To address these issues, it is important to create a learning environment where students can feel at ease, discover their interests and inner selves, connect with other students and teachers, strive for academic excellence, gain a wider perspective on life, and put human values into practice in order to develop their character. Orientation Program includes a range of exercises that help students get beyond any challenges.

About Event:

The entire program of orientation was designed by Ms. Vinita Rohera, Vice President and Prof. Dr. K.N. Sheth, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the university. Prof. (Dr.) Rajan Patel, Chief Coordinator, Dr. Mihir Suthar, member and Mr. Darshan Shah, member of orientation program 2023, Gandhinagar Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar University coordinated the entire program during 18 July, 2023 to 21 July, 2023 with different phases. The following different activities were done during orientation program.

Sr.No.	Date	Orientation Program Activity
1	18/07/2023	Welcome to the Newly admitted students
		Motivational Talk by Ms Priyanka Basu
2	19/07/2023	Workshop on Vedic Mathematics
		Motivational Talk with Mr Abnish Singh, VP, Pharma Practice at THB
		Interaction with GU Seniors
3	20/07/2023	Indoor Games
		Creative Thinking Workshop with Prof. Dilip Oza (Retd. Professor, NID)
		Interaction with the Industry Expert
4	21/07/2023	“Shape Your Destiny” with Mr. Vivek Randeria (Corporate Trainer)
		Jamming Session

Date: 18/07/2023 Day: Tuesday

Gandhinagar University organized expert talks and informative sessions for newly enrolled students on the very first day of orientation program i.e. 18/07/2023, Tuesday. More than 300 students of various Institutes actively participated and enjoyed this program. First semester students were greeted by faculties and given a tour of their departments and campus amenities. Prof. Dr. K. N. Sheth, Vice Chancellor, shared his knowledge and experience to the newly admitted students. Dr Kartik Jain, Registrar gave an overview regarding academic pattern of the university for academic year 2023-24 which was very informative to the students. The University's coordinator for overall placement, Mr. Snehal Barot, also gave the students information on the placement process. Dr Umang Patel gave information about exam process to students. Expert Ms. Priyanka Basu delivered a motivational speech with her singing performance. Dr Prashant Pandya delivered a motivational speech to newly admitted students. At the end of the session Dr Sneha Patel, BTech first year coordinator gave vote of thanks and completed successfully session.

Date: 19/07/2023 Day: Wednesday

First session was started with presentation of Vedic mathematics by Dr Mihir Suthar, Assistant Professor, Gandhinagar University. Vedic Mathematics is a collection of Methods to solve numerical computations quickly and faster which can be applied to the solving of problems in arithmetic, algebra, geometry, calculus, etc. He gave a superb presentation on Vedic mathematics by explaining it to everyone in a clear and simple manner. After the ending of the session, RJ Niyati came and surprised to students and entertained them with fun games.

Second session was started with motivational talk by expert Mr Abnish Singh, Vice President -Pharma Practice in THB - A Southeast Asia's largest Clinical Intelligence Company. The young brains of our institution were inspired by Mr. Abnish Singh's excellent discourse on leadership development, industrial training, and management to work independently, in industry, and in many multidisciplinary fields.

To break the ice between new entrants and already existing students, a “junior-senior interaction” program was organized at the campus by the institute under the guidance of Dr. Sneha Patel and social media coordinator Mr. Mitul Maniar. The aim of this session was to set up a healthy relationship between freshers and seniors and make the transition of first-year students from school to college smoother. In this session seniors, while playing a dual role of a friend and a mentor, counselled the freshers on how to study, what to study, career opportunities, higher studies and internship and job opportunities. The inter-batch dialogue with seniors was a great help for freshers. In the end, freshers felt motivated and appreciated this session.

Date: 20/07/2023 Day: Thursday

First session of the day, Gandhinagar University were planned the event under the supervision of Mr Ashwin Rajput, Sports Coordinator. All the participants were keen to engage in the activities like Quizzes, Ludo, Chess, Carom, Table Tennis etc. as it provides the different opportunities in their interests other than academic routine-based activities. Students actively participated in various sports and attained strategic skills by involving themselves in the mind games. The top three participants in each activity received awards at the end of the activity session.

After actively participating in Sports activities, Students attended the second session of Creative Thinking workshop by Prof. Dilip Ojha, Retd Professor at National Institute of Design (NID). Prof. Dilip Ojha described research, bravery, risk-taking, perseverance and opportunities for growth to encourage students to be more creative and innovative. He motivated students to try new things in their work and provide them to share creative ideas with one another. The session was enjoyable and helped the first-year students to think creatively and innovate new things. Other speakers Dr Samir Patel and Dr Durgesh Pandey delivered informative sessions to students on Pharma industries and Forensic science. Dr. Samir Patel discussed the importance and big role of technological aspects related to various engineering branches in the field of Pharmaceutical Sciences. Dr. Durgesh Pandey explained that Forensic science is the use of scientific procedures and methodologies in a variety of legal and criminal contexts. He inspired the students to come up with this innovative technique to find the tangible proof needed for the inquiry done by security persons. Students learned a lot about how technology supports forensic science and pharmaceutical research during both sessions.

Last session was conducted by expert Mr Amit Singh, founder of Amigo Cyber Security and Digital forensics. Cybersecurity and digital forensics is the protection to defend internet-connected devices and services from malicious attacks by hackers, spammers, and cybercriminals. The practice is used by companies to protect against phishing schemes, ransomware attacks, identity theft, data breaches, and financial losses. He provided wonderful guidance to the freshers about the scopes and opportunities in the field of Cyber Security and Digital forensics. After the ending of the session, Mr Aditya Patel, Digital Creator came and entertained to students with fun activities.

Date: 21/07/2023 Day: Friday

First session was started by expert Mr Vivek Randeria for first year students to aware about various opportunities and trends in the field of engineering and technology after the course completion in India and Abroad. He gave an elaborative introduction about the various opportunities and scope in the field of technology and engineering. He suggested varied ways and ideas on how to opt the career in abroad. He further highlighted that Career guidance plays a very important role in the lives of all individuals, as it helps in setting future goals and chooses careers. At the end of the session the students cleared their doubts by asking various questions regarding the confusions, they usually face while deciding their career. It was a very informative session for the first-year students.

Last session was about to show various talents of students which was organized by Mr Mitul Maniar, Social Media Coordinator. Senior students showed their singing talent to first year students. All students enjoyed this session with fun. Bonding along with social media influencer & musician duo and celebrating all the laughter on our last day of Orientation with our onboarding learners.

Photo Gallery: -



Left to Right: Dr Rajan Patel (Chief Coordinator, Dean Engg. & Tech.), Dr. Kartik Jain (Executive Registrar), Prof. Dr. K. N. Sheth (Hon'ble VC), Dr. Milan Shah (Dean Management and Commerce)



Newly Admitted Students



Light Lamping



Welcome speech by Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr
K.N.Sheth



Felicitated to Ms Priyanka Basu by Registrar Dr Kartik Jain



Actively participated by Newly admitted students



Interaction Session of Ms Priyanka Basu



Motivational Speech by Dr Prashant Pandya



Motivational Speech by Expert Mr. Abnish Singh



Presentation of Vedic Mathematics by Dr Mihir Suthar



GU T-Shirt Distribution



Fun session of RJ Niyati



Dance Performance by Senior Students



Interaction with Senior Students



Interaction with Senior Students



Actively participated in Sports activity by Newly admitted students



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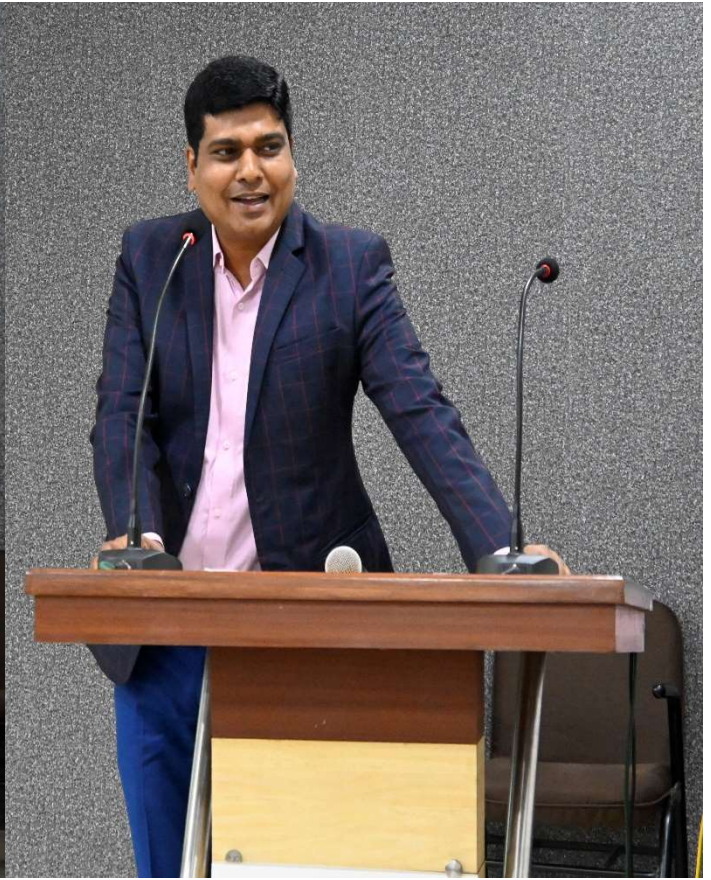
Expert talk delivered by Prof. Dilip Ojha



Expert talk delivered by Mr Amit Singh



Expert talk delivered by Dr Durgesh Pandey



Expert talk delivered by Dr Samir Patel



Interactive Session by Mr Aditya Patel



Group photo of Aditya Patel and Newly admitted students



“Shape Your Destiny” session with Mr Vivek Randeria



Felicitated to Mr Vivek Randeria by Dr Milan Shah



Jamming Session by Senior Students