

Report on Republic Day and National Voters' Day Celebration

DPG Degree College, in collaboration with the NDLI Club, successfully organised a special awareness programme in lieu of **Republic Day and National Voters' Day 2026** on **23rd January 2026** within the college campus. An academic event was successfully organised in the Department of Arts and Humanities. The event was attended by **50 students** from different programs. The event was held to promote democratic values and raise students' awareness of the importance of voting in a democratic nation.

The programme commenced with a brief inaugural session during which faculty members highlighted the significance of Republic Day and emphasised the vital role of citizens in strengthening democracy. This was followed by an address by the Head of the Department of Arts and Humanities, Dr. Reetu, who underscored the importance of citizens' rights and duties in a democratic system. She encouraged students to actively engage in democratic processes. The students were also sensitised to their constitutional rights and responsibilities, particularly the right to vote, which underpins a democratic framework.

As a key activity of the event, a **pledge was administered** to all students and staff, encouraging them to participate actively in the electoral process and to vote responsibly in every election. The pledge emphasised ethical voting, awareness, and commitment towards the nation.





Following the pledge, a **short awareness movie** was screened for the participants. The film effectively portrayed the value of a single vote, the struggles behind achieving voting rights, and how informed voting can bring positive change in society. The movie had a strong impact on students and encouraged them to reflect thoughtfully on their future roles as voters.



To further strengthen the message, students participated in a **march across the college campus**, carrying banners and placards with slogans promoting voter awareness, democracy, and civic

responsibility. The banners displayed powerful messages such as “Your Vote, Your Power” and “Strong Democracy Begins with You,” attracting attention and spreading awareness across the entire college community.



The event was graced by the presence of the Vice Chancellor, Principal, and Registrar, whose support and appreciation of the theme greatly motivated both students and faculty members. The event concluded with a vote of thanks, acknowledging the efforts of the organizing committee, NDLI Club members, faculty coordinators, and enthusiastic student participants. The programme was a meaningful step towards nurturing responsible citizens and instilling democratic values among the youth.

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