

## GOVERNMENT COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, CHANDIGARH

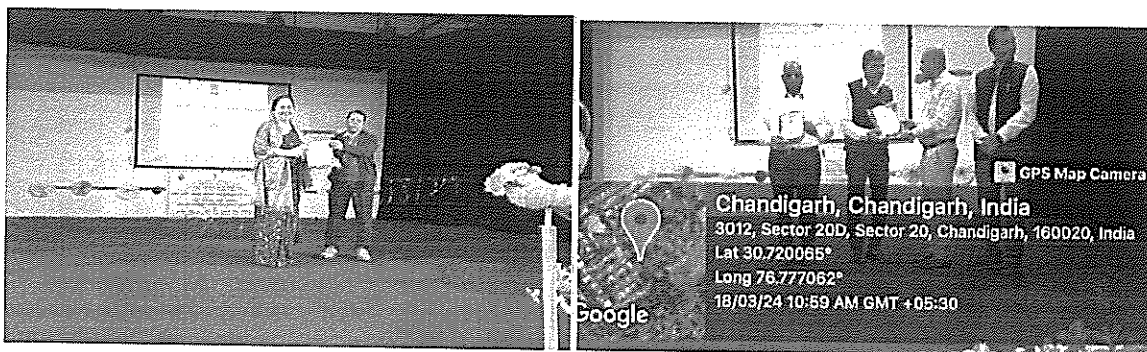
(Week -Long Campaign) World Water Day

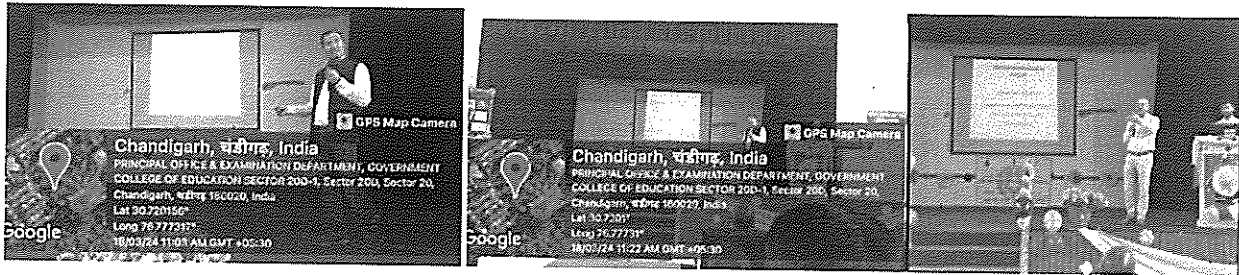
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*Parijat Eco-Club* of Government College of Education, Chandigarh organized week-long campaign to celebrate the world water day from 18-03-2024 to 26-03-2024. Theme of the day for 2024 is "*Leveraging water for peace*". Central Ground Water Board, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Govt. of India, Chandigarh organized One Day Tier III Training programme on "*Aquifer management through participatory approach and local ground water issues*" to observe the World Water Day on 18-03-2024 (In lieu of 22-03-2024) from 10:30am to 1:30pm in the college auditorium in collaboration with *PARIJAT Eco-Club* of the college. The training is specially designed for faculty and students. The aim of the training programme was to improve the capacity building of the stakeholders and create awareness amongst the public about water conservation and its management at local level. 125 faculty and students participated in the event.

Programme was started with brief introduction and welcome by Dr. Ravinder Kumar. Formal welcome address was presented by the Dean of the college Dr. A.K.Srivastava. Department honored Principal Dr. Sapna Nanda, Dean Dr. A.K.Srivastava and Dr. Vijay Phogat (Associate Professor). Session began with the presentation of Sh. Vidya Nand Negi, Scientist, CGWB, Chandigarh on the topic Ground water scenario of Haryana State. Sh. Rakesh Rana, Scientist, CGWB, Chandigarh presented the issues related to Ground water scenario of Punjab State. Mrs. Amandeep Kaur, Scientist, CGWB, Chandigarh lay emphasis on rain water harvesting & artificial recharge to ground water. Sh. S. Bhatnagar, Scientist, CGWB, Chandigarh presented on different geophysical survey methods for deciphering the aquifers. Sh. Rishiraj, Scientist, CGWB, Chandigarh presented on major constituents of drinking water standards source protection measures alternate sources.

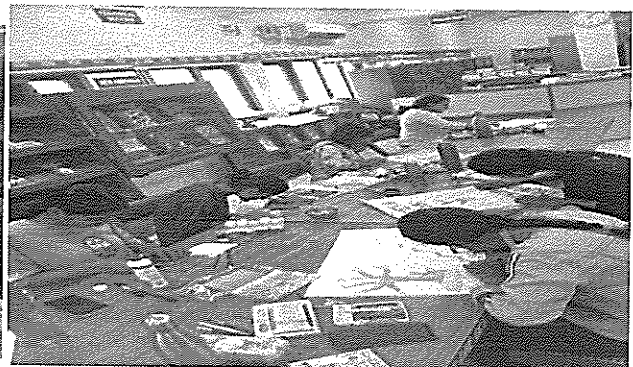
Jyoti Mishra from the department organized an interactive session for the participants to clarify the questions and doubts. At the end Dr. Ravinder Kumar presented a vote of thanks.





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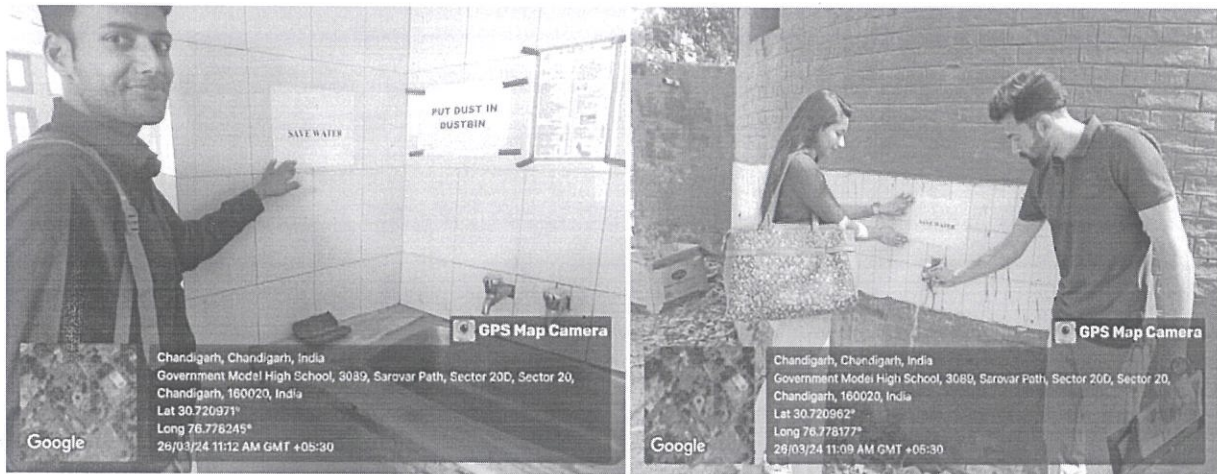
Poster making competition was organized on 22-03-2024 for the students of the college. Students participated in the event with full zeal and enthusiasm. Theme of the poster making was *“Issue of access to clean water”*. Principal Dr. Sapna Nanda congratulated the organizers and all the participants.



26 March 2024

On 26<sup>th</sup> March 2024 students participated in the display of posters on health facilities and water conservation including avoiding wastage of water on strategic locations of the college like washrooms, kitchens, canteen and water dispensers. Students also spread awareness among faculty, staff and students regarding the same.

Campaign ends with the brief note by the principal Dr. Sapna Nanda to all the teaching, non-teaching staff and students of the college to adopt the water conservation measures in our daily life so that we can save the water for future generations.



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