



## A REPORT ON TREE PLANTATION DRIVE



**Date: August 22&23, 2024**

**Location: Benmore ward and College premises**

**Organized by:**

**Eco-Club, CoE, Govt. College Sanjauli**

## INTRODUCTION

On August 22 and 23, 2024, under the guidance of Principal Prof. Bharti Bhagra, the **Eco-Club** of **Centre of Excellence Govt. College Sanjauli**, organized a tree plantation drive. This drive was conducted as part of the “**Plant for Mother Earth**” campaign, initiated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Environment Day, under the theme “**One Tree for Mother**”.

## OBJECTIVES

The objectives of the tree plantation drive were:

- To contribute to the college’s environmental sustainability goals by planting trees in the college premises.
- To foster a sense of responsibility among students towards the environment.

## EVENT DETAIL

The tree plantation took place on August 22, 2024, in the Benmore Ward near Jakhu. The event began with the planting of the first sapling of *Cedrus deodara* by the Principal, CoE, Govt. College Sanjauli, Prof. Bharti Bhagra. Approximately one hundred students, along with Eco-Club convenor Prof. Deepti Gupta and members Dr. Sushil Sharma and Prof. Sarla Thakur, participated in this initiative. Together, the teachers and students planted around one hundred *Cedrus deodara* saplings. After the plantation, all participants also initiated the cleanliness drive in surrounding areas near Jakhu temple.

On August 23, 2024, under the guidance of the Principal, the Eco-Club conducted another tree plantation drive within the college premises. In this initiative, Hibiscus, Rose, and Jasmine plants were planted in the college premises. Students and teachers were divided into groups each assigned a specific area within the college grounds. The plantation areas included the college boundary, near the sports field, and along the main entrance road. The teachers also guided the students about the techniques for planting and caring of the saplings.

In addition to plantation drive, the Eco-Club members also explained the long-term benefits of trees in terms of carbon sequestration, air purification, and supporting biodiversity. The session also covered the tips and tricks related to the sapling care including the techniques, timing of watering, and protecting the young plants from pests and diseases.

## CONCLUSION

The tree plantation was a successful event that brought together students and teachers in a shared effort to improve the environment. The positive response and active participation of everyone is an indicator of growing awareness and commitment toward environmental issues. The members of the Eco-Club of the college will monitor the growth of the planted saplings and will organize a follow-up activity to ensure their survival.





