

Awareness Talk on: Why Tibet Matters?

(A Report)



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A LECTURE ON

Why Tibet Matters



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1:30 PM



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Tibetan Identity Preservation Week

Indo-Tibet Relations, Environmental Destruction and Current Situation in Tibet

Speakers



Rinchen
DIIR, CTA



Dhondup Wangmo
Tibet Policy Institute, CTA



Tenzin Kunkhen
DIIR, CTA

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Department of Information and
International Relations (DIIR)
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The Department of Political Science organised a lecture on “Why Tibet Matters?” on 23 September 2026 at the Conference Hall of Centre of Excellence, Government College, Sanjauli. The programme was organised as part of an educational outreach initiative in collaboration with Department of Information and International Relations (DIIR), Central Tibetan Administration, Dharamshala.



The session focused on political, cultural, environmental, and strategic significance of Tibet. The speakers- Mr. Tenzin Kunkhen, Ms. Dhandup Nangmo, and Ms. Rinchen addressed various dimensions of Tibetan issue, including the experience of Tibetan children, questions of cultural identity and faith, and contemporary situation in Tibet, and India-Tibet relations. The discussion also touched upon concerns regarding the surveillance, cultural changes, and forms of non-violent resistance.

Key Highlights:

The first speaker began with a personal and touching childhood account, helping the audience understand the experiences and hardships discussed in relation to Tibetan children. The presentation further explored Tibetan identity and the broader significance of Tibet in the context of India's security and regional affairs.



The second speaker focused on Tibetan culture, identity and faith, along with the political and social conditions discussed in the presentation. The session also examined surveillance and various forms of non-violent resistance associated with the Tibetan movement. The last speaker talked about the geographical and environmental problems of Tibetan plateau.