

Report on  
**Republic Day Celebration, 2024**

The Republic Day program started at 10:00 am at the Administrative Office of the University in presence of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, the Registrar, the Controller of Examinations, students, teachers and the staff members. The program started with hoisting the Tri-colours by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and with chorus slogans for our Country and its brave sons and daughters. Then everybody, who were present, paid their homage by offering flowers to the Mahatma Gandhi the Father of Nation, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose and Dr. B. R. Ambedkar.

Next one of our students, *Ms. Arpita Saha*, presented a beautiful fusion of “*Desh Bhakti*” songs commemorating the Republic Day.

Two of our staff members, *Suraj Mandal* and *Abhishek Chatterjee*, delivered beautiful speeches mentioning the importance of the day.

*Miss Saheli Chatterjee*, a passout student of LLM course delivered speech emphasising the necessity of our constitution and its role for overall development of our country and its people. She, in particular, requested everybody to go through at least the one-page Preamble of our constitution. Another two students also expressed their views while delivering their speeches about our Republic Day.

Next our Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, *Prof. (Dr.) Kajal De*, delivered her speech narrating the line by line meaning of the

famous poem “*Chitta Jetha Voy Shunno*” by Rabindranath Tagore and its relevance in understanding an overall idea of our constitution.

After this speech, our Controller of Examinations, *Shri. Anjan Dan*, told the students about their responsibilities and role for overall development of the University, improvement of self as well as improvement of the society as a whole.

One of our students, next sung the remaining paragraphs of our National Anthem beautifully.

Our academic coordinator, *Dr. Aniruddha Saha*, delivered his speech which encouraged the students to become a responsible citizen of the country.

Next our Registrar, *Dr. Debabrata Saha*, delivered his speech mentioning the meaning of the word ‘Sovereign’, ‘Democratic’, ‘Republic’, ‘Socialist’ and ‘Secular’ which depicts our country and its role as per our constitution. He, in particular, explained the concept of socialism and the present day scenario of our country which is tending towards deviation from the socialist concept as envisaged by the constitution framers.

After his speech the University arranged for presenting mementos to the passout students who secured 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> positions in their respective programmes. The Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor handed over the mementos to the successful students.

After this there was National Anthem sung in chorus and the program came to an end with a group photo session.

The University arranged for a small sweet packet and tea for all after the program.