



NILGIRI COLLEGE LIVE INDEPENDENCE DAY SPECIAL EDITION

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'Freedom Campaign' - Rejoicing The Spirit Of Freedom!

The whole NCAS is all set to rejoice in the spirit of independence which we conquered 75 years ago. Nilgiri College in association with the Happiness Centre is calling for an independence festival on this 75th Independence day for fifteen days commencing from 15th of August to 30th of August. The great 'Freedom Campaign' will proclaim the feeling of nationalism and patriotism by charting out different social programmes and events at college from honouring people aged from 75 years and above, presentations, patriotic song competition, quiz competition, drawing competition, photography competition, short speeches, elocution competition



and skits. This 15 days of Freedom Campaign would help the students who are the upcoming generation, to lead India forward. To get to know more about the real meanings and feelings of patriotism, to live upto the expectations of our great freedom fighters and national leaders. On this occasion we pay homage to all of them.



Independence Day at Nilgiri Campus

India is Gearing up to Celebrate 75 Year's Independence

Independent India has a long history of freedom struggle and this day also marks the anniversary of undivided India's partition into India and Pakistan. On 15th August 1947, India got its freedom, ending an almost 200-year British rule in the subcontinent. It is a day of immense pride for all Indians as we commemorate the sacrifices made by millions of our freedom fighters, who had sacrificed their lives in the freedom struggle and with their unfaltering grit and patriotism, forced the British empire to finally retreat.

If you ask an Indian what their Independence Day means to them, you would hear so much about the

sacrifices made by our ancestors to gain freedom. It is an emotional topic and still a sore point with a lot of Indians. As opposed to that, when you witness the American Independence Day, there is a stark difference of emotions. You see pride, happiness and gaiety around. What is it that makes our independence so different from theirs? It is that our fight for freedom was a much longer and painful one. But, isn't it time we got over the hurt? And by getting over, we do not mean to forget our special day and move on, but to look back at it with pride. Look at India today; how far has it come from 15th Aug 1947.



When Nature Nurture Nationality

M.D's address on Independence Day

Nation is more like a must have notion. It is an important feeling that a man should possess. Where it should not limit or narrow our feeling of nationality in us, where it helps us to expand and broaden our mindset more inclusively. Nationhood itself reflects the same idea. This Independence day, which is being celebrated on its 75th independence anniversary, gives us a message to have a real spirit of nationalism and real spirit of nationhood in every single individual and every single student. It should be a call for creating a real notion with regards to the nation.

Our country is being considered as a garden with multiple flowers, multiple colours, multiple fragrances where this diversity adds beauty and shades to our country. No nation is monotonous. Every nation is a composition of life which holds different peoples, ideologies, beliefs, customs, religion, language and culture all together. This multiplicity and diversity are considered to be one of the most unique features of a country. As we are enjoying the coexistence of each other in a garden, so an individual should be literally happy to enjoy the exist-

tence of other individuals in the nation. Hence, enjoying the coexistence is an important element. Considering each individual as how they are and accepting them as the same is a kind of coexistence that a country must have. If you're having that kind of a spirit, then automatically this individual will have high respect for others and respect for other religions and we'll also start enjoying the diversity. That is actually unity in diversity. Unity in diversity doesn't mean it's just creating feelings. Whereas, it is something beyond that you generate with respect and love to an individual who upholds the same values and beliefs as you have. We should transform ourselves to a space where we give this same respect and appreciation can also be kept at its peak.

There is a huge difference between the woods and the home that we live in. It starts from the belief that there is no human existence in the woods and there are no animals at home. But the nation is a mix of both. Where nature, the mixture of humans and animals are a part of and we accept the circle of existence. Identify your nature so as to nur-



"Let's broaden the idea and spirit of freedom where it is meant not only for humans but also for the woods, brooks, water, soil, different organisms and the diversified ecosystem too as how we enjoy it."

ture your nature. When a person identifies his nature and starts repairing nature, only then the relationship between human and nature can be idealised. What the current generation lacks is the value and justice of nature in each individual that they have to possess. Independence meant not only for humans but also for the woods, brooks, water, soil, organisms and the diversified ecosystem. Independence day that we observe is something which has to be enjoyed by entire happenings and living and nonliving organisms in this nature. Everyone deserves the same. Due to the dominated feeling of humans, narrowing and confining ourselves to an ideology that independence is only meant for us. Taking a different outlook on this aspect to letting any saplings and ideas to grow, letting the brooks to make its carve and flow, letting the soil be the truth that it

can echo to the world can help the whole universe to live in the sweetness of coexistence can generate a lot more than what we expect. Our forefathers can be taken as ideals in this regard that they speak out for freedom of nature, woods, animals and so on. Hence our nation is a beautiful composition of national animal, national bird, national symbol, national flag. When it comes to the feeling of a nation, then we have to have a kind of mutual respect towards everything. We should create our own identity by keeping in mind that I am a part of this vast world and working for the nation can bring up more respect for you over and outside the country which is identical in all these values and aspects. Know your history, know your past, and be proud about your nation and always be vigilant to safeguard our nation in future.

Editorial Desk

The Spiel of Glory and Valour that Made up India

August 15th, 1947 is etched deep into history and people's collective memory as the day that India achieved independence. Over the last 75 years, India has channeled her civilizational strengths and cultural diversity into a brand new shared future, and opportunities for achievement, progress, and prosperity for its billion-plus citizens, making our country an inspiration for the rest of the world.

India was ruled by the Britishers for many years. The East India Company ruled India for about 100 years. It was in 1757 when the East India Company won the battle of Plassey. It was after the win that the Company started exerting power over India. Our

nation faced a long campaign to gain independence. Britain then began to weaken after two world wars and India was finally free. India's freedom struggle has always been an inspiration to the work as it was the most non-violent campaign in the world. In our journey in India over the past 15+ years, we have had the privilege of solving for India's unique needs, inspiring innovations that have not just benefited hundreds of millions of people here but those all around the world.

As India ushers in its vision for the next 25 years, we're excited to join in the country's 75th Independence Day celebrations by launching a series of special initiatives

over the course of the anniversary year across our products and services. These initiatives will enable the many millions of Digital Indians today to participate in this momentous occasion, be inspired by

the milestones the country has marked in the past, and moreover, celebrate the steady progress it continues to make on so many fronts.

