



**Rizvi Education Society's
Rizvi College of Education
ELECTORAL LITERACY CLUB
Reports of Activities 2023-2024**

ACTIVITY NO-1, (26 February, 2024 to 7 March)

**Community Work Report
Voter ID Awareness Program**

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Voter ID awareness program is an initiative aimed at educating and informing citizens about the importance of obtaining and possessing a valid voter identification card or voter ID. The primary goal of such programs is to increase voter turnout and participation in democratic processes by ensuring that eligible voters have the necessary identification to cast their votes during elections. So we the second year students of Rizvi College of Education worked along with St. Joseph Education and medical relief Society and Youth Centre of ADB for the awareness program. Our awareness programs typically involved various activities such as:

1. Public awareness campaigns: Videos and reels on social media platforms, posters, flyers.
2. Door-to-door campaigns: Volunteers visit households to provide information and assistance regarding voter registration and obtaining voter ID cards.
3. Mobile registration units: Setting up temporary registration centers in communities, especially in slum areas, to facilitate the issuance of voter ID cards.
4. Collaboration with NGOs: Working with relevant government bodies and NGOs to streamline the voter registration process and ensure that citizens are aware of their rights and responsibilities as voters.

During the end of February to early March, Rizvi College of second year student's team was engaged in a voter ID awareness campaign, aimed at empowering citizens with accurate information and facilitating voter registration processes. It commenced with a detailed briefing session on February 26, by Sister Venita, where the scope and objectives of the campaign were outlined.

From February 27 to February 29, The second year students conducted door-to-door meetings with residents, diligently collecting data on existing voter IDs, facilitating new registrations, rectifying errors, and addressing instances of dual registrations. On March 1, they utilized various social media platforms to create and distribute informative reels, fostering awareness about the importance of voter IDs. Encouraging participation from students, they initiated a collaborative effort with RCoEd SY, guiding them to produce similar content for wider dissemination.

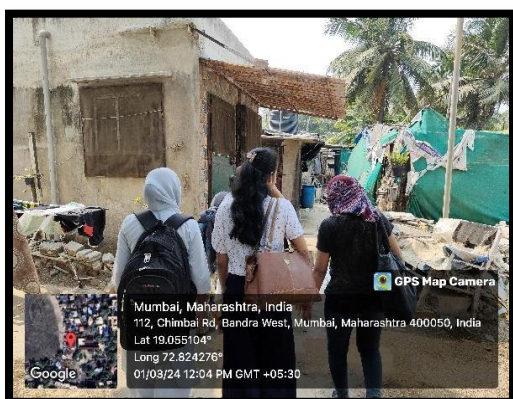
To make this process easy they created an online form which will collect the data of basic details and issues in the voter ID. Their group downloaded the voter helpline app and used it for the process. They helped other also to track their applications. In some cases they directly went to the NGO headquarters to enter the data and to verify the data. They asked them to keep the required documents in advance for the smooth functioning.

They persisted with our door-to-door campaign, aiming to cover various neighborhoods, including their outreach to Chimbai village on March 2. Then, on March 4, They helped new students at RCoEd register to vote. Following that, on March 5 and March 7, they went door-to-door in Stanislaus Road and Mount Mary, Bandra, they worked diligently to ensure that they reached as many eligible voters as possible.

We were glad to help our first-year students who registered through our program.

1. Samiksha
2. Siddhi
3. Sameera
4. Adiba
5. Akasha
6. Tania





ACTIVITY NO-2 (2nd March 2024)

On March 2nd, 2024 the Electoral Literacy Club, spearheaded by Dr. Spoty Karthik as chairperson, orchestrated the impactful "Mera Pehla Vote - Desh Ke Liye" campaign, aimed at instilling a sense of civic duty, particularly among first-time voters. Dr. Gyanprakash Arya diligently served as the nodal officer, overseeing the smooth execution of the event, while Dr. Shweta Srivastava, as a dedicated faculty member, provided invaluable support and guidance, enriching the campaign's effectiveness. The campaign's theme, "Mera Pehla Vote - Desh Ke Liye," reverberated throughout the activities, echoing the essence of contributing to the nation's welfare through active participation in the democratic process. Key to the campaign's success were the pivotal roles played by student members Sr. Althiya and Miss Rukhsar Aga, whose dedication and enthusiasm ensured the meticulous organization and execution of the event. A range of activities was meticulously planned and executed to achieve the campaign's objectives. These encompassed voter awareness workshops, interactive discussions, voter registration drives, voter pledge campaigns, and strategic utilization of social media platforms. Through these systematic efforts, the Electoral Literacy Club effectively conveyed the significance of voting, elucidated electoral processes, and fostered a culture of informed decision-making among participants. The campaign not only encouraged first-time voters to recognize the power of their vote but also emphasized the collective responsibility of citizens in shaping the nation's trajectory. By fostering electoral literacy and active citizenship, the campaign contributed to nurturing a more engaged and participatory democratic society. It stood as a testament to the club's commitment to empowering individuals with the knowledge and motivation to exercise their fundamental right to vote for the betterment of the nation.

Dr. Spoty Karthik emphasized on the crucial role that voting plays in shaping the future of our society. She highlighted how each individual's vote contributes to the collective voice of the community, ensuring that elected leaders represent the will of the people. By participating in the electoral process, citizens empower themselves to influence policies and decisions that affect their lives directly. She underscores that voting is not just a right but a responsibility, urging everyone to exercise this fundamental democratic privilege to bring about positive change and progress



PRINCIPAL, DR SPOTY KARTHIK TELLING THE PARTICIPANTS ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF VOTING

Throughout the duration of the campaign, a variety of engaging activities were carefully planned to ensure active participation from both teachers and student-teachers. Among these activities was the selfie point initiative organized by faculty members Dr. Gyanprakash Arya and Dr. Shweta Srivastava. This activity not only encouraged us to show our support visually but also provided an opportunity for interaction and discussion about the campaign's goals.



DR. SHWETA SRIVASTAVA (FACULTY MEMBER) NODAL OFFICER: DR. GYANPRAKASH ARYA



SELFIE POINT CONDUCTED BY DR. SHWETA SRIVASTAVA

Another impactful activity was the pledge led by faculty member Mrs. Nahida Mandviwala. Through this activity, participants committed themselves to upholding the core values of the campaign and actively engaging in the democratic process. This served as a powerful reminder of our civic duty and the significance of our individual contributions to the larger societal framework.



PROF NAHIDA MANDVIWALA ENCOURAGING THE PARTICIPANTS TO EXERCISE THEIR VOTING RIGHTS RESPONSIBLY

Additionally, faculty member Dr. Priyanka Pandey Reels activity on social media played a crucial role in amplifying the campaign's message. By creating creative and compelling videos, participants were able to reach a broader audience and spark meaningful conversations about the importance of voting. We also took part in faculty member Ms. Jyoti Bhatia quiz activity, which helped spread awareness about the importance of voting and democracy. This initiative not only raised awareness but also inspired individuals to take action and advocate for voter participation within their own social circles.



PROF. JYOTI BHATIA CONDUCTING A QUIZ



SCREENSHOTS OF THE REELS MADE BY THE STUDENTS



YOUR VOTE MATTERS



CERTIFICATE