



ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT TECHNICAL CAMPUS – JEMTEC

*(Affiliated to Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, New Delhi)
Plot No. 48/4, Knowledge Park-III, Greater Noida, PIN-201308*

School of Law

Event: Legal Literacy Camp

Date: 21th October 2019

Venue: Sahpur, Gautam Buddha Nagar

No. of Participants: 41

About 70% of the people are living in rural areas and most of them are illiterate and even more than that percentage of the people are not aware of the rights conferred upon them by law. Even substantial number of the literate people living in the cities and villages do not know what are their rights and entitlements under the law. It is this absence of legal awareness which is responsible for the deception, exploitation and deprivation of rights and benefits, from which the people suffer in the state. The miserable condition in which the people find themselves can be alleviated to some extent by creating legal awareness amongst the people.

In order to achieve the objective of spreading Legal Literacy, A Legal Literacy Camp was organised by Legal Aid Society, JEMTEC, School of Law in collaboration with District Legal Service Authority Gautam Buddha Nagar was organised on 21st October '19 wherein 40 volunteers went to Shahpur village.

The visit was conducted under the kind supervision of **Dr. Pallavi Gupta** and **Mr. Manvendra Singh**.

OBSERVATION

The student of JEMTEC school of law interacted with the villagers and discussed their social problems and the difficulties faced by them.

It was observed that there is no health centre at the village, the condition of government school is also not in good condition. It was observed that most of the villagers were unaware about their rights and duties.

Students tried to solve their legal problems and provide them best consultations and ideas. It was quite a learning experience for all of the students.



The camp was followed by the prestigious visit of secretary DLSA Smt. Minakshi Sinha (Civil Judge, Senior Division) interacted with students and share legal knowledge with villagers of Shahpur.

Smt. Sinha shared her experience and ensured that providing legal aid to everyone is not only a job but also a Nobel cause too.



Student also presented Nukkad Natak just to spread awareness among the villagers on legal awareness on right of education and fundamental rights and duties. She



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said, as per the Legal Services Authority Act, 1987 all the District Legal Services Authorities are organizing Legal Literacy/Legal Awareness Camps in the remote rural areas of Uttar Pradesh. More such camps should be conducted on the topics concerning SC/ST, Women, children and general public, so that the common man may be made aware about his legal rights.



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