



Institute Social Responsibility

Academic Year 2020-21

July 1 , 2020 — June 31, 2021

In the context of the Companies Act, 2013 and the mandate for corporate social responsibility (CSR) that Symbiosis Law School, NOIDA decided to establish the Institute Social Responsibility (ISR) Cell. Dr Meenakshi Kaul heads the ISR Cell. ISR, SLS-N works in collaboration with the industry and with leading NGOs to make a meaningful difference in the day-to-day lives of the needy.

The academic year 2020-21 was undoubtedly an adamant phase for everyone. The ISR Cell, SLS-N, during the Covid Pandemic, decided to create an online awareness campaign via Emails. It was undoubtedly a challenging task, requires long term consistency as just one email cannot create awareness. ISR Cell needed a heavy focus on these emails for the desired outcome over time. Let's take a look at some awareness emails to figure out how we started the campaign.





Teacher's Day | September 05, 2020

One of the most distinguished scholars of the 20th century, **Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan's** birth anniversary is celebrated as Teacher's Day on September 5 every year since 1962.

He once said that "true teachers are those who help us think for ourselves".

As such, we would like to thank all our teachers for helping our students become independent minds. Happy Teacher's Day!

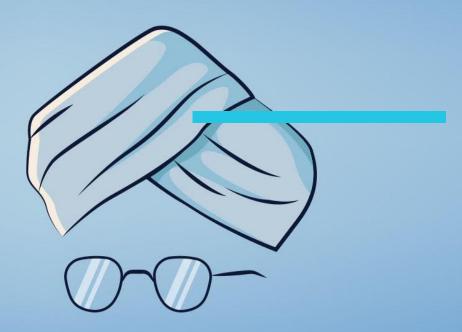
Dr. Radhakrishnan, who served as the first Vice President of India and the second President of India, was honoured with Knighthood in 1931, and Bharat Ratna in 1954.

Acclaimed for dedicating his life towards education and improving the standards in the field of education, Dr. Radhakrishnan was nominated 16 times for the Nobel Prize in Literature, and another 11 times for the Nobel Peace Prize.

[Source: https://indianexpress.com/article/lifestyle/life-style/teachers-day-2020-inspirational-quotes-by-dr-sarvepalli-radhakrishnan-on-education/]

Happy Teacher's Day

to every teacher who has helped us think for ourselves



- Words by the great S. Radhakrishnan





International Literacy Day



September 08, 2020

UNESCO proclaimed September 8th as 'International Literacy Day' in 1966 to remind the international community of the importance of literacy for individuals, communities and societies, and the need for intensified efforts towards more literate societies.

The issue of literacy is a key component of the UN's <u>Sustainable</u> <u>Development Goals</u> and the UN's <u>2030 Agenda for Sustainable</u> <u>Development</u>.

International Literacy Day 2020 focuses on "Literacy teaching and learning in the COVID-19 crisis and beyond," especially on the role of educators and changing pedagogies.

The theme highlights literacy learning in a lifelong learning perspective, and therefore, mainly focuses on youth and adults.

The recent Covid-19 crisis has been a stark reminder of the existing gap between policy discourse and reality: a gap that already existed in the pre-COVID-19 era and negatively affects the learning of youth and adults, who have no or low literacy skills, and therefore, tend to face multiple disadvantages."

[Source: https://www.un.org/en/observances/literacy-day]

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International Literacy Day



Did you know?

At least 60% of countries still discriminate against daughters' rights to inherit land and non-land assets in either law or practice

——— October. 11. 2020 ———

October 11, 2020

International Day of the Girl Child is an international observance day declared by the United Nations; it is also called the Day of Girls and the International Day of the Girl. October 11, 2012, was the first Day of the Girl Child. The observation supports more opportunity for girls and increases awareness of gender inequality faced by girls worldwide.

Progress for adolescent girls has not kept pace with the realities they face today, and COVID-19 has reinforced many of these gaps.

This year, under the theme, <u>"My Voice, Our Equal Future"</u>, let's seize the opportunity to be inspired by what adolescent girls see as the change they want, the solutions- big and small- they are leading and demanding across the globe.

[To know more, please visit

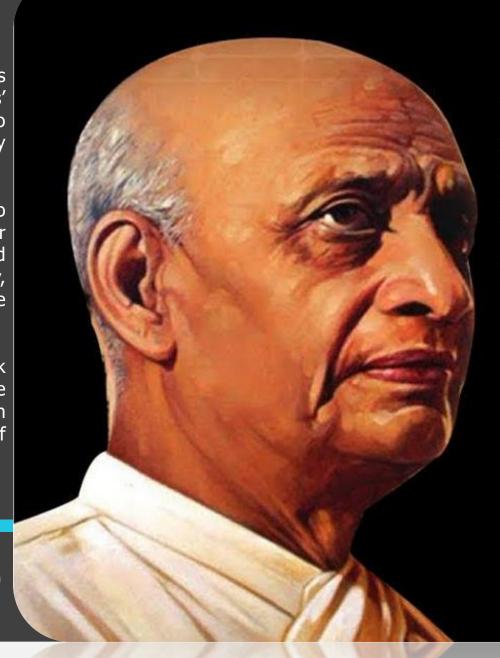
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October 31 is observed as 'Rastriya Ekta Diwas' (National Unity Day) to commemorate the birthday of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

The day is celebrated to foster and reinforce our dedication to preserve and strengthen the unity, integrity and security of the Nation by taking a pledge.

The Pledge ceremony took place at 01:00 PM in the Amphitheatre for which resonated the spirit of Rashtriya Ekta Diwas.

October 31, 2020



Rastriya Ekta Diwas

Manpower without unity is not a strength unless it is harmonized and united properly. Then it becomes a spiritual power



Ministry of Education

Government of India



Maulana Abul Kalam Azad

National Education Day

Since 2008, every year, to commemorate the birth anniversary of **Maulana Abul Kalam Azad**, a freedom fighter, scholar and eminent educationist, India celebrates **National Education Day** on November 11.

He was the first Union Education Minister of India. He was a key architect of Independent India who was responsible for setting up apex education bodies like AICTE and UGC, first Indian Institute of Technology, IIT at Kharagpur and many more.

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To know more about Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, please visit https://www.brit annica.com/biography /Abul-Kalam-Azad

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Constitution Day also known as 'Samvidhan Divas', is celebrated in our country on November 26 of every year to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India. On November 26, 1949, the Constituent Assembly of India adopted the Constitution of India, which came into effect from January 26, 1950. The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment on November 19, 2015 notified the decision of the Government of India to celebrate the 26th day of November every year as 'Constitution Day' to promote Constitution values among citizens.

Quiz Competition 2020:

A Quiz Competition is being organized by MyGov to make all the citizens aware of their duties and follow them. You all are recommended to participate in the Quiz Competition on or before November 30, 2020.

To participate in the said Quiz Competition, please visit https://quiz.mygov.in/quiz/constitution-day-quiz/

Read The Following Instructions Carefully:

- This is a timed guiz with 20 questions to be answered in 300 seconds.
- These questions will be randomly picked from the question bank.
- Winners will be adjudged on the basis of maximum number of correct answers.
- In case of multiple participants having given the same number of correct answers, the participants who take the least time to complete the quiz will be adjudged the winner.
- You can skip a tough question and come back to it later.
- The quiz will start as soon as you click the Start Quiz button.

For Terms and Conditions, please visit https://quiz.mygov.in/quiz/constitution-day-quiz/

Follow Up: One's who participate in and complete the Quiz Competition are requested to send one line of confirmation as 'Participated and Completed' via email to isr@symlaw.edu.in with following details: Name of the learner, Permanent Registration Number (PRN), Batch and Programme on or before November 30, 2020.





Anti Corruption Day



Let us spread awareness about corruption and how to combat it.

Anti-Corruption Day



December 9, 2020

Every year, trillions of dollars – the equivalent of more than five per cent of global Gross Domestic Product – are paid in bribes or stolen through corrupt practices that seriously undermine the rule of law and abet crimes such as the illicit trafficking of people, drugs and arms.

Together, we can raise awareness and put a stop to corruption across the world.

To know more about it, Pl. visit

https://www.un.org/en/observances/anti-corruption-day

Human Rights Day is observed every year on December 10 — the day the United Nations General Assembly adopted, in 1948, the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR). The #UDHR is a milestone document that proclaims the inalienable rights which everyone is entitled to as a human being - regardless of race, colour, religion, sex, language, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, birth or other status.

2020 Theme: Recover Better - Stand Up for Human Rights

This year's Human Rights Day theme relates to the COVID-19 pandemic and focuses on the need to build back better by ensuring Human Rights are central to recovery efforts. We will reach our common global goals only if we are able to create equal opportunities for all, address the failures exposed and exploited by COVID-19, and apply human rights standards to tackle entrenched, systematic, and intergenerational inequalities, exclusion and discrimination.

10 December is an opportunity to reaffirm the importance of human <u>rights</u> in re-building the world we want, the need for global solidarity as well interconnectedness shared as and humanity. our

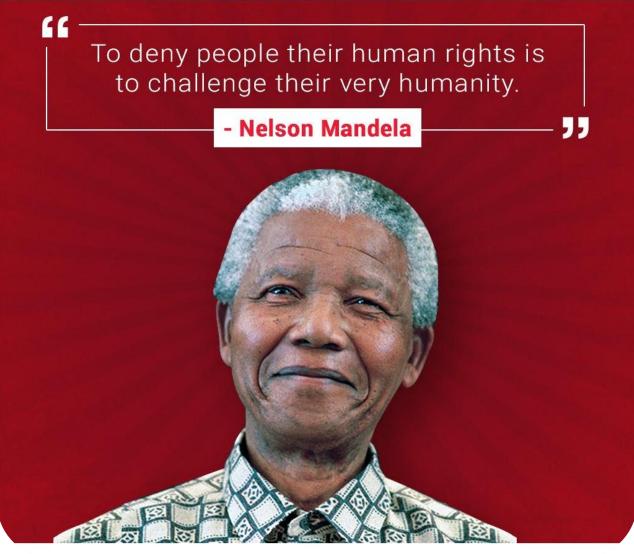
Under UN Human Rights' generic call to action "Stand Up for Human" rights", we aim to engage the general public, our partners and the UN family to bolster transformative action and showcase practical and inspirational examples that can contribute to recovering better and fostering more resilient and just societies.

To know more about it, visit https://www.un.org/en/observances/humanrights-day



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Human Rights Day







National Mathematics Day



National Mathematics Day

Today we remember the contributions of

Srinivasa Ramanujan

22nd December, 2020

December 22, 2020

Though Shri. Srinivasa Ramanujan had almost no formal training in pure mathematics; he made substantial contributions to mathematical analysis, number theory, infinite series, and continued fractions, including solutions to mathematical problems then considered unsolvable. In 2012, Prime Minister Manmohan Singh declared December 22 #NationalMathematicsDay, to honour #SrinivasaRamanujan's 125th birth anniversary.

To know more about Shri. Srinivasa Ramanujan, Pl. visit https://www.imsc.res.in/~rao/ramanujan.html



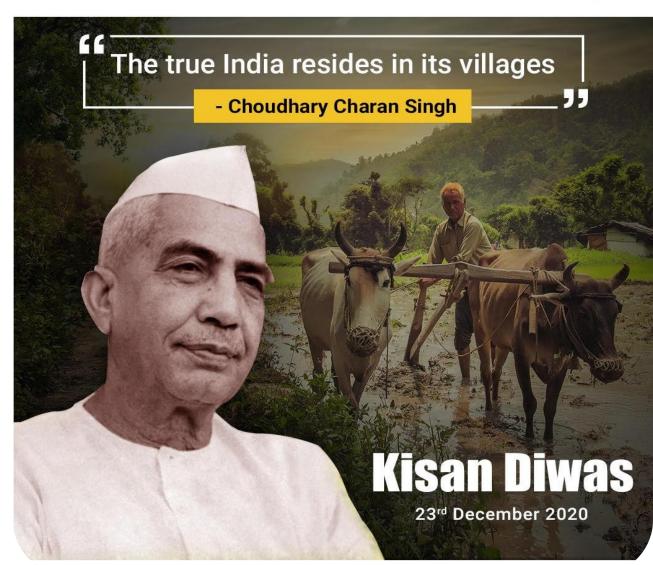


National Farmers Day

The #NationalFarmersDay in India is also known as #KisanDivas in Hindi. Farmer's Day is celebrated every year on December 23, on the birthday of the 5th Prime Minister of India, Shri. Choudhary Charan Singh, also a farmer's leader, who introduced many policies to improve the lives of the Indian farmers.

To know more about Shri. Choudhary Charan Singh, Pl.

visit https://www.pmindia.gov.in/en/former pm/shricharan-singh/

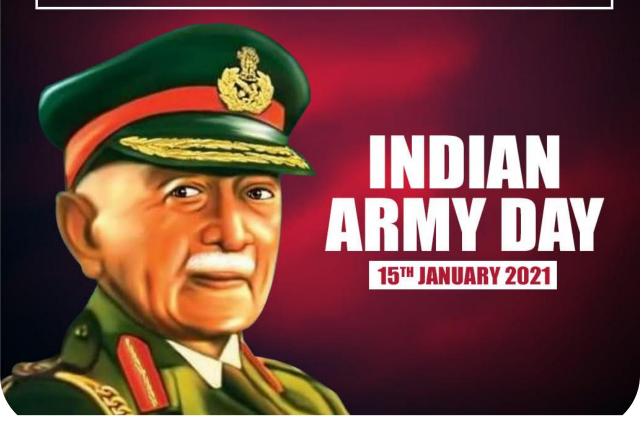






Indian Army Day

Today we pay tribute to Kodandera M. Cariappa, the first Indian Commander-in-Chief of the Indian Army.



January 15, 2020

India is celebrating the 73rd Army Day today. The day is celebrated each year in order to honour the soldiers of our country who have set the greatest example of selfless service and brotherhood.

Indian Army Day is celebrated on January 15, every year in India, in recognition of Field Marshal Kodandera M. Cariappa's (then a Lieutenant General) taking over as the first Commander-in-Chief of the Indian Army from General Sir Francis Butcher, the last British Commander-in-Chief of India, on January 15, 1949.

International Women's Day

March 8, 2020

Ms. Savitribai Phule was an Indian social reformer, educationalist, and poet from Maharashtra. She is regarded as the first female teacher of India and as the mother of Indian feminism. Ms. Savitribai Phule and Mahatma Jyotiba Phule, her husband founded one of the first Indian girls' school in Pune, at Bhide Wada in 1848.

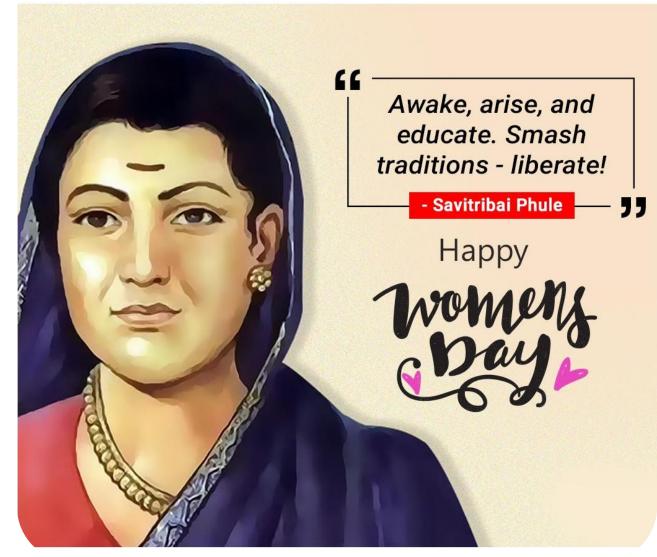
We hope all human beings in India and beyond find inspiration in her legacy.

To know more about Ms. Savitribai Phule, please https://feminisminindia.com/2016/09/05/essayvisit life-savitribai-phule/















World Consumer Rights Day is celebrated to spread awareness about the rights of all consumers and ensure they are respected and protected. It is also commemorated to protest against market abuses and social injustice which undermine those rights.

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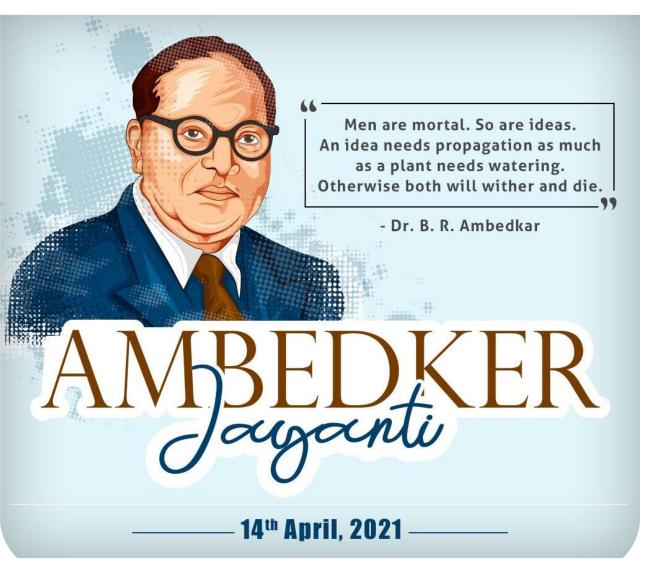
To know more about it, visit

https://www.consumersinternational.org/what-we-do/world-consumer-rights-day/

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Aprill, 2021

It is an annual festival observed on April 14, the birthday of Dr. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar, fondly referred as 'Babasaheb', Indian polymath, father of the constitution of India and civil rights activist, to commemorate his memory.

May his wisdom and insight continue to guide us all on the path to progress. To know more about it, Pl. visit https://indianexpress.com/article/lifestyle/lif

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