# Report

Title: "Ek Kadam Swachhta Ki Ore" Swachhata Abhiyan by 90 Students, Dr. Uttam Kumar Sharma, and Prof. Harkanwal Swarup Sharma of the Department of Political Science, Government College Hamirpur.

#### 1.Introduction:

The Department of Political Science at Government College Hamirpur, under the guidance of respectable Principal Dr Pramod Kumar Patial and led by Dr. Uttam Kumar Sharma and Prof. Harkanwal Swarup Sharma, along with 90 students, organized an initiative called "Ek Kadam Swachhta Ki Ore" (A Step Towards Cleanliness). This report aims to provide an overview of the activities undertaken by the collective efforts of the students and faculty members to promote cleanliness and hygiene as part of the Swachhata Abhiyan (Clean India Campaign) on dated October14,2023.

## 2. Objectives:

The key objectives of the "Ek Kadam Swachhta Ki Ore" initiative are as follows: - Raising awareness about the importance of cleanliness and hygiene among students and the wider community.

- Encouraging and motivating individuals to actively participate in maintaining cleanliness.
- Implementing practical measures for waste management and environmental sustainability.
- Promoting responsible citizenship and emphasizing the role of political science in addressing societal issues.

#### 3Activities:

The Department of Political Science, Dr. Uttam Kumar Sharma, Prof. Harkanwal Swarup Sharma, and 90 students organized several activities as part of the Swachhata Abhiyan. These activities included:

- a) Cleanliness Drives: The students actively participated in cleanliness drives held within the college campus and nearby areas. These drives involved the collection, segregation, and disposal of waste. The objective was to create a clean and sustainable environment.
- b) Awareness Campaigns: The department and students organized campaigns to create awareness about the significance of cleanliness and hygiene. Through workshops, interactive sessions, and distribution of brochures, students emphasized the importance of waste management, personal hygiene, and environmental protection. The connection between cleanliness and political science theories was also highlighted.
- c) Sanitation Infrastructure: The faculty members, along with students, collaborated with college authorities to improve existing sanitation infrastructure on the campus.

### 4. Impact and Outcomes:

The collective efforts of the 90 students, Dr. Uttam Kumar Sharma, and Prof. Harkanwal Swarup Sharma have had a significant impact on cleanliness and hygiene awareness within the college and its surrounding areas. The following outcomes have been observed:

- a) Increased Participation: The involvement of 90 students, as well as the guidance provided by Dr. Uttam Kumar Sharma and Prof. Harkanwal Swarup Sharma, has encouraged broader student participation and instilled a sense of responsibility towards cleanliness and environmental conservation.
- b) Improved Waste Management: The initiative promoted effective waste management practices, including segregation and proper disposal of waste. This has contributed to a cleaner and healthier environment.
- c) Behavior Change: Notable changes in behavior have been witnessed amongst individuals, with increased consciousness about cleanliness and the significance of maintaining a clean environment.
- d) Community Outreach: The initiative facilitated engagement and collaboration between the college and local communities, fostering joint efforts towards cleanliness and environmental protection.

#### 5. Conclusion:

The collective efforts of 90 students, Dr. Uttam Kumar Sharma, and Prof. Harkanwal Swarup Sharma of the Department of Political Science at Government College Hamirpur have successfully implemented the "Ek Kadam Swachhta Ki Ore" initiative within the Swachhata Abhiyan framework. Through cleanliness drives, awareness campaigns, tree plantation, and collaboration for improved sanitation infrastructure, they have effectively enhanced cleanliness and hygiene within the college and its vicinity. This initiative underscores the importance of political science in addressing social concerns and promoting responsible citizenship for a cleaner and greener future.

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