

## Dr. Ambedkar College, Deekshabhoomi ,Nagpur. School student education Activity Topic: "Genesis 2019"

By

## Seeding Labs Campus Chapter

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## Report

The students of Dr. Ambedkar College, Deekshabhoomi, Nagpur, under the aegis of Seeding Labs, Boston, USA organised the fourth edition of their most awaited annual event 'Genesis' in collaboration with CSIR-NEERI, Nagpur. The event was inaugurated at the hands of Dr. Sanjay Ramteke, Eminent Neurologist form the city as this event also marked the World Alzheimer's day. Genesis this year received a participation of over 250 students from various schools in and around Nagpur and was supported by IIT Point, Dr. Phale Medical Entrance Institute and Waghville amusement park, Nagpur. While observing the world Alzheimer's day students were enlightened and made aware of the consequences of Alzheimer's disease by renowned neurologist from Super speciality wing of Government Medical College and Hospital Dr. Sanjay Ramteke. Following the talk of Dr. Ramteke students were educated about facts of Biology through educational models from NEERI and those prepared by the undergraduate students of our college. The motive of this two-day event was to promote basic science among high school students, via various activities such as Poster Making competition, "Science talk" competition, Biological Models exhibition, and Lab tour, wherein school students got a chance to explore the various equipment and experiments used in Biochemistry and Biotechnology laboratories. Yashashree Gabhane of Hadas High School, Anuja Kalkar from Bharti Krishna Vidya Vihar, Nagpur and Arya Deo of Hadas High School won first, second and third prizes respectively in Poster Making competition. Nidhi Hippargi and Harshal Salve, the team from NEERI Modern school, Harsh Badoniya and Samiksha Meshram from Hadas CBSE School, and Harshwardhan Tijare and Harsh Deshpande from BRA Mundle school, won the gold, silver and bronze medals respectively in Science Talk competition. Mrs. B.A. Mehere, Head of Biotechnology and Biochemistry Department, DAC, and Dr. Deovrat Begde, Advisor of the Seeding Labs campus chapter congratulated the young achievers and encouraged all the students interested in opting for Basic Biological Science research as their career option.

