Counselling Committee 2023-2024

Topic- How Beliefs Create Our Reality

Date- April 24, 2024

Venue- Room No. 66, 11:45 a.m - 12:45 p.m.

Number of participants: 111

Under the aegis of IQAC, the Counselling Committee of Janki Devi Memorial College (JDMC) conducted a session on "How Beliefs Create Our Reality" for the Commerce Department in Room No. 66 on April 24, 2024, from 11:45 onwards. Renowned Consciousness and Healing Coach, Mr. Hitesh Vashisth, took the stage as the distinguished speaker. With 104 students and 7 faculty members attending the session, Mr. Vashisth commenced by elucidating scientific experiments showcasing the profound influence of beliefs on shaping our lived reality. During the discourse, he guided the students through the intricate process of how thoughts evolve into beliefs, subsequently influencing behaviors, identities, and ultimately, our reality. The event concluded with a meditative exercise led by Mr. Vashisth, designed to cultivate positive thoughts and manifestations. This exercise served as a practical tool for students to actively engage in the process of consciously creating their reality.









Topic- Managing Stress in Daily Life

Date- March 20, 2024

Venue- Room No. 40, 12:00 noon - 01:00 p.m.

Number of participants: 54

Under the aegis of IQAC, the Department of Mathematics, Janki Devi Memorial College organised a special session on managing stress in daily life on 20 March 2024 in room no. 40 from 12:00-1:00 pm. A lot of students attended the event. The event started with the introduction of the speaker Ms. Niharika Gupta.

She explained the different types of stress and positive and negative aspects of stress and its impact on mental and physical well-being. In the end, she asked students to do an activity, they were asked to write about the stress that they are dealing with and to resolve it. In the end, she appealed to the participants to take care of their health seriously.

Her in-depth knowledge and the enthusiasm of the participants made this event a great success. Around 54 students were present for the session.







Topic- Emotion Regulation

Date-February 20, 2024

Venue- Room No. 17, 11:30 a.m - 12:30 p.m.

Number of participants: 41

On February 20, 2024, the Counselling Committee organized a session titled "How to Regulate Emotions?" featuring Ms. Niharika Gupta, the college's Counselling Psychologist, as the resource person. The session was specifically designed to equip students with effective techniques for managing stress, improving resilience, and enhancing their overall mental well-being throughout their academic journey.

Ms. Gupta provided an in-depth exploration of emotional regulation strategies, offering practical advice and interactive exercises aimed at helping students better understand and manage their emotions. The session also addressed how to apply these strategies in various aspects of student life, including academic pressures and personal challenges. By fostering a deeper awareness of emotional health and providing actionable tools, the event aimed to support students in achieving a more balanced and fulfilling college experience.



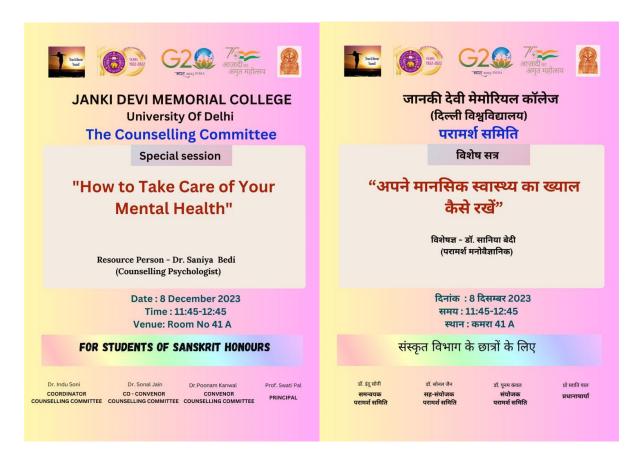
Topic- How to Take Care of Your Mental Health Date- December 8, 2023

Venue- Room No. 41A, 11:45 a.m - 12:45 p.m.

Number of participants: 48

On December 8, 2023, a comprehensive session entitled "How to Take Care of Your Mental Health" was conducted, featuring Dr. Saniya Bedi, the college's Counselling Psychologist, as the resource person. The session was meticulously designed to educate attendees about essential self-care practices, effective coping strategies, and a range of resources available for enhancing mental well-being.

Dr. Bedi provided valuable insights into managing mental health challenges, emphasizing practical tools and techniques for maintaining emotional balance and resilience. The event aimed to empower individuals by equipping them with knowledge and skills to take proactive steps in their mental health journey, fostering a supportive and informed community.



Topic- Special Session on 'International Disability Day'

Date-November 29, 2023

Venue- Room No. 69, 11:45 a.m - 12:45 p.m.

Number of participants: 95

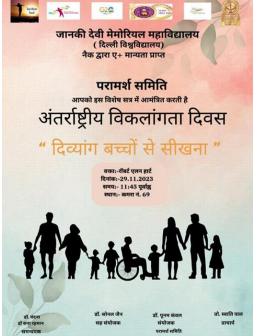
The Counselling Committee organized a one day special session on the International Day of Persons with Disabilities. The resource person for the session was Robert Allen Hart. He spoke on "Learning from differently abled Children". He spoke about his wife and his two adopted

daughters who are facing multiple disabilities. They adopted their first daughter, Nivi, at age 4 from Bihar. She has cerebral palsy, hearing loss, and visual impairment. They adopted their second daughter, Ragini, at age 8 from Bihar. She too has cerebral palsy. He explained that there are many challenges of raising children with disabilities. He explained about the motivation of adoption and daily challenges they face in raising their two daughters. He also encouraged students to be compassionate towards differently abled and help change life of someone who needs it. He reiterated that both his daughters bring us so much joy. A total of 95 students attended the session with great enthusiasm.









Topic- Special Discussion on 'Mental Health Day'

Date-October 11, 2023

Venue- Room No. 17, 11:45 a.m - 12:45 p.m.

Number of participants: 44

On October 11, 2023, an engaging and interactive session was held in observance of Mental Health Day. The primary goals of the event were to raise awareness about mental health issues, challenge and dismantle the stigma surrounding mental health, and facilitate meaningful discussions on self-care practices, coping strategies, and available support resources. The session aimed to create a supportive and informative environment where participants could openly explore and address

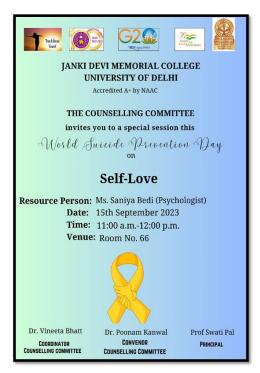
mental health concerns. By encouraging open dialogue and sharing practical tools and resources, the event sought to empower individuals to take proactive steps towards improving their mental well-being and seeking help when needed.



Topic- Self-Love Date- September 15, 2023 Venue- Room No. 66, 11 a.m - 12 noon Number of participants: 113

On the 15th of September 2023, the Counselling Committee, Janki Devi Memorial College organised a special session with Ms. Saniya Bedi (Psychologist) on "Self-Love." The session aimed at listening to our inner voices-both helpful and unhelpful and gently heal the unhelpful ones. The therapist used guided meditation and healing bowl to help the participants reconnect with their inner selves. She encouraged students to actively participate in the healing process and take responsibility for their own health to achieve holistic healing and a healthier life. The session

was enriching and insightful for the students. It was attended by 113 students.









Topic- A New Beginning: Life as a College Student

Date- September 06, 2023

Venue- Online, 11 a.m. onwards

Number of participants: 35

On September 6, 2023, an online session titled "A New Beginning: Life as a College Student" was organized in collaboration with the Sociology Department. The session, conducted by Dr. Saniya Bedi, was meticulously crafted to provide students with valuable tools and strategies for navigating the complexities of college life. Dr. Bedi's presentation aimed to address common challenges faced by students as they transition from high school to higher education, such as adapting to new academic demands, balancing social and personal responsibilities, and managing stress. The session offered practical advice and actionable tips to help students adjust more smoothly to their new environment.

Additionally, the discussion emphasized the importance of fostering personal growth and developing resilience, equipping students with the mindset and skills necessary to thrive both academically and personally. By creating an engaging and supportive atmosphere, the session

sought to empower students to embrace their college experience with confidence and a sense of purpose.



Topic- Pranic Healing Date- July 06,2023

Venue-02:15pm- 4:15 pm, Seminar Room

Number of participants: 33

The Counselling committee organized a special session for non-teaching staff of Janki Devi Memorial College on 6th July, 2023 in the Seminar Room. The resource person of the session was Ms. Nargis Mishra, a Delhi born Pranic Healer, with more than 20 years of experience in Pranic Healing. Nargis has been an instrument of healing a large number of patients in her long and well rewarding, blissful career as a Pranic healer. She is a student of Grand Master Choa Kok Sui, the Founder of Pranic Healing and did some of her courses with Grand Master Choa Kok Sui, himself. Nargis Misra, is also a renowned language expert (French, Basic Spanish, Russian, English and Hindi) other than trainer and practitioner of Pranic Healing, She has been healing not just in India but globally since many years.

Ms. Nargis talked about energy healing. She also engaged the participants in 20 minutes of twin heart meditation which involved blessing the earth to alleviate the sufferings, and praying for the

well-being of the entire society using heart and crown chakra. The Twin heart meditation was done using the audio of Grand Master Choa Kok Sui, Ms. Nargis kept on translating it for the participants and taught them the technique of doing it. The participants were calm, positive and relaxed after the meditation session.







Topic - Goal Setting and Motivation

Date: June 28, 2023

Resource Person- Ms. Deepa Shad [Devotus]

The Counselling Committee of Janki Devi Memorial College organized a special session for the students of the History Department on 'Goal Setting and Motivation' on Wednesday, 28th June, 2023. The session was organized in correspondence with the 'Devotus', a foundation that focuses on the well-being and mental health of young adults. The motivational talk was coordinated by Dr. Khurshid Alam and Dr. Poonam Kanwal was the Convenor. Ms. Deepa Shad was the honorable speaker of this session.

The session was very interactive, from the beginning till the very end. The session started with everybody giving themselves a tight hug and some words of affirmation, to remind everyone to love and accept their true selves. This was followed by another lively activity, in which the students were asked their names and its meaning. This activity helped students see themselves and each other with more depth. Ms. Deepa created an atmosphere that encouraged the participation of students and faculties. The session consisted of various communal activities, deep and thought-provoking questions, understanding conversations, and a lot more. The session was followed by a

healthy round of questions and answers. The speaker motivated and guided the students through her experiences and marvelous words, she maintained a comfortable and jolly environment throughout the session. The talk was very fruitful and the students surely benefited a lot from this motivational session.







Topic - Effective Ways to Manage Stress and Anxiety Date- June 23, 2023 Resource Person- Ms. Saniya Bedi Number of Participants- 29

The Counselling Committee organized a special session for the students' Department of Sociology, it was held on 23rd June 2023. It aimed to explain effective ways to manage stress and anxiety. Ms. Saniya Bedi the College Counselor held the session and discussed myriad points which helped the students to get clarity on various things. She said that anxiety and stress are part of human life, it is absolutely normal for all individuals to be stressed out but we should learn to deal with stress and anxiety in various ways. She said that all human beings can deal with stress with some hacks. Some of them are: one must speak to oneself; understand what triggers stress and anxiety; one must know one's emotions and know how to process them. She also suggested the importance of awareness (to be aware of one's body), relaxation, and worry time. The session was attended by 29 students and 3 teachers.



