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The Department of Economics focuses on the theoretical and practical knowledge of Economics discipline by engaging students in group discussion, interactive talk, presentations etc. The Department also conducts various extra co-curricular activities to enhance the general knowledge of students regarding the economic and social structure of India as well of the world. The activities organized under the Department of Economics are as follows:

- **1. Slogan Writing Competition** was organized on the occasion of 'International Day of Eradication of Poverty' i.e. on 17th October, 2022. 12 students participated in this competition from different classes.
- **2. Poster Making Competition** was organized on the occasion of 'International Day of Eradication of Poverty' i.e. on 17th October, 2022 in which 20 students participated in from different classes.
- **3. Quiz Competition** was organized for first year students in collaboration with the Department of Commerce on 18th October, 2022 in which 21 students from different streams participated and 86 students attended the competition.
- **4. National Level e-quiz in Commerce and Economics** was organized on 12th April, 2023 in which 315 students from different states Haryana, Punjab, Andhra Pradesh, Rajasthan, Delhi, and Chandigarh etc. participated and 170 Students were awarded merit certificates. The top three position holders were awarded merit certificates along with the cash prizes.
- **5. One day Workshop** on the topic entitled "Building Awareness on Intellectual Property Rights" was organized in Collaboration with the Department of Commerce on 20th May, 2023 in which 90 students and nine faculty members participated. In the first session of the workshop, Dr. Parmod Malik, Nodal Officer, IPR Cell and Faculty-incharge, Department of law, BPS University, Kanpur Kalan, Sonipat acted as a resource

person. He enlightened our staff and students with the concepts of Intellectual Property rights such as Patent, Trademark, Copyright, Industrial design etc. He also shared the procedure of online filling of patens. In the second session of the workshop, Sh. Maya Ram Devli ji, Senior Advocate, District Court, Jind highlighted the importance of IPR in higher education.

6. An Awareness lecture was organized on the topic "Financial Literacy" for the villagers of Khokhri Village, Jind on 26th May, 2023 in Collaboration with the Department of Commerce. Mr. Sachin Sethi, Branch Manager, and Mr. Ankit, Senior Business Development Officer from IndusInd Bank, Jind acted as resource persons. Mr. Sachin Sethi said that financial literacy is the need of an hour because lack of financial literacy can lead to poor credit, bankruptcy or negative consequences. Mr. Ankit told people about the Budgeting, controlling spending, paying off debt, along with the risk reward trade off in investment products etc. Ms. Shaila and Mr. Nishu also shared the process of opening of savings account, Fixed Deposit Account etc. with people. Fifty people from the village Khokhri attended this lecture.

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