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## GDC Kulgam Celebrates Gandhi Jayanti with 'Swachhata **Abhiyan' Park Visits**

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GDC Kulgam, 21-9-2023: In commemoration of Mahatma Gandhi's birth anniversary and his ideals of truth and non-violence, Government Degree College (GDC) Kulgam witnessed a significant initiative today. The National Service Scheme (NSS) Unit, in collaboration with the Debates and Seminar Committee, organized a special event titled 'Visit to Public Parks Related to Swachhata Abhiyan.'

The event was designed to promote cleanliness, environmental awareness, and the spirit of community service among the students of GDC Kulgam. Under the theme of truth and non-violence, it aimed to pay tribute to the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi, who advocated these core values throughout his life. The participating students and faculty members gathered at the college campus in the morning, where they were greeted by banners bearing messages of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan and Gandhiji's teachings. The event began with a brief inaugural ceremony, during which the importance of cleanliness and Gandhi's principles were highlighted. Prof. Syed Eazaz Hussain Rizvi, the Principal of GDC Kulgam, addressed the students, saying, "Gandhi Jayanti is not just a day to remember our great leader but also to live and propagate his ideals. Today's event is a tribute to his vision of a clean and harmonious India."

Following the inaugural ceremony, the students embarked on a cleanliness drive to nearby public parks, where they actively engaged in cleaning, picking up litter, and spreading awareness about the importance of maintaining a clean environment. The participants also planted saplings in these parks as a gesture of environmental conservation.



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