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(CSE, ECE, EEE,
MECH, CIVIL)**DEBATE COMPETITION**

Event No	YOUTH PARL001
Organizing Department	Youth Parliament
Associate Dept. NSC	Sangamam Clubs
Date	30/12/2023
Time	11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Event Type	Club Activity
Event Level	NSC
Venue	Pallavi Hall
Registration Link	https://forms.gle/zu4KogF6rhQiHJc5A
Total Participants	16
Faculty - Internal	2
Students - Internal	14

Related SDG**Involved Staffs**

Sl	Name	Role
1	Dinesh C	Convenor

Outcome

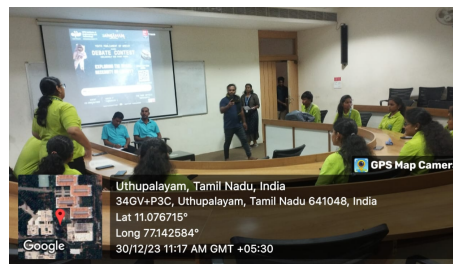
The debate on exploring space being a necessity or luxury resulted in a neutral conclusion. While both sides presented compelling arguments, the necessity perspective emphasized technological advancements, resource exploration, and potential solutions to Earth's challenges by the satellites sent to space for analyzing it. On the other hand, the luxury viewpoint underscored the high costs involved and argued for prioritizing urgent issues on Earth such as poverty, equality in providing the education and medical treatment for all sections of people. Ultimately, the outcome is to have leaned towards a balanced view recognizing the potential benefits of technological exploration beyond the earth while acknowledging the importance and addressing the issues within the earth.

Event Summary

Objective:The debate competition aimed to encourage critical thinking and articulate discourse among 1st-year engineering students on the topic of space exploration, probing its necessity or if it is more of a luxury. **Event Overview:**The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from the first-year engineering cohort. Participants engaged in lively and thought-provoking discussions, presenting diverse perspectives on the theme. **Debate Structure:**The debate was structured to allow participants to present arguments both in favor of and against the notion of space exploration as a necessity or a luxury. This approach enabled a comprehensive exploration of varied viewpoints. **Necessity Viewpoint:** Arguments centered around technological advancements, scientific discoveries, and potential resources available beyond Earth. **Luxury Viewpoint:** Contrary perspectives highlighted the exorbitant costs, ethical considerations, and the argument that space exploration isn't an immediate priority. **Engagement and Perspectives:**The event fostered engaging debates, showcasing the students' ability to articulate their thoughts coherently. Diverse perspectives surfaced, stimulating critical thinking and encouraging the appreciation of opposing viewpoints. **Recognition of Outstanding Debaters:**Awards were presented to participants who demonstrated exceptional eloquence, depth of analysis, and persuasive skills, irrespective of their stance on the topic. This acknowledgment aimed to appreciate the quality of debate rather than the viewpoint expressed. **Conclusion:**The debate competition successfully provided a platform for intellectual exchange, allowing students to explore and articulate their views on a complex and futuristic subject. It emphasized the significance of understanding diverse perspectives and engaging in constructive dialogue. **Acknowledgment:**The Youth Parliament Club extends its gratitude to all the participants for their active involvement, the judging panel **Dr. Karthikeyan K, HOD Mathematics, Dr. Ananth Steephen, HOD Physics** for their impartial evaluation, and the organizing committee for their efforts in making the event a success.



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