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## **Report of EBSB Day Celebration**

"Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat" is a flagship event by the Government of India which works on the vision of "New India 2022". It aims to actively enhance interaction between people of different cultures living in India which also is a way of promoting mutual harmony amongst them. As a part of this event, IIITV celebrated its Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat day along with the Independence Day with complete enthusiasm and excitement. The event was a perfect blend of entertainment and patriotism which correctly signified the essence of unity in India. The event focussed on different states which including Punjab, Orissa, Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Rajasthan and Maharashtra.



To represent Punjab and Andhra Pradesh, the songs of these states were sunged. Andhra Pradesh traditional folk dance and Song: Dhithiki Dhithiki Thai" and Punjabi Bhangra Dance Song: "Rang De Basanti" broke the linguistic boundaries and symbolised the oneness of Indian culture. The songs created a different kind of aura. An atmosphere where words were not needed to understand what the songs depicted but emotions were transferred through music.





Rajasthan is the jewel in India's crown. From fairy-tale palaces and epic forts to colourful festivals and wildlife encounters, this is India at its vibrant best. To depict the beauty of Rajasthan, a poetry describing the state was recited by Mr. Abhishek Mittal, a student of B. Tech second year. Further, a drama "Ummeed Abhi Baaki hai." was also enacted to display the national integrity and cultural heritage of India.





On this occasion, an art exhibition was also organized in which students displayed the cultural heritage of different states:





Further, on the occasion of Hindi diwas i.e. on 14th September, 2019, IIIT Vadodara organized an essay competition and translation of award winning songs of Delhi and Sikkim. The event focussed on different states which including Haryana, Telangana, Delhi, Goa, Jharkhand and Sikkim.

All in all, the event was an appreciably fun affair which perfectly captured the motive behind Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat program and brought the hearts of students coming from different parts of the country together.