

STUDENT EXCHANGE SCHEME REPORT

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MHRD organized a student exchange scheme under the **EK Bharat Shrestha Bharat** Campaign to **IIITDM Kurnool** from 23rd to 27th December 2019. The purpose of this visit was to learn the linguistic and cultural aspects of Andhra Pradesh covering history, culture, language, cuisine, festivals, clothing etc. 38 students of **IIIT Nagpur** visited the campus with Faculty in charges Dr. Kirti Dorshetwar, Dr. Anuradha Singh and Sunil Dhole.

The Details of the visit are as follows:

Day	Activities	Main Findings
23.12.2019	Introduction to IIITDM Kurnool, Dance Performances by students presenting classical forms, Introduction and interaction of IIITN students.	The interaction was objectified to familiarize Nagpur students to their students as well as hostel and mess culture practiced in their campus. Interaction also included special instructions by Director IIITDM Kurnool of his expectations from us during the Course of 5 days.
24.12.2019	Workshop on History, language, culture and food of Andhra Pradesh. Culinary and Essay Writing and Treasure hunt competitions. Movie Evening.	Workshop was held with detailed overview of the state AP as well as the language Telegu. It Outcome with familiarity with Various Telegu words and geographical literature of AP. Competitions evoked sense of teamwork and improved bonding between the students of both colleges. Rang De Basanti movie was been shown which was enjoyed well.
25.12.2019	Visit to Rolapadu Village and Konda Reddy Burj and Kurnool city Market place	The visit to Rolapadu village included Rolapadu bird sanctuary which showcased the immense habitat of Birds and animals residing in AP. Visit to nearby water dam was done. Kurnool fort described the political history of the city.
26.12.2019	Visit to Rock Garden and Alampur.	The visit to Rock garden displayed the terrestrial demographic of the place. The 1000 acre Sculpture Garden park with ancient cave

		and igneous rock formations between pools of water. Visit to Alampur at the banks Tungabhadra River, considered as the western gateway of Srisailam. Here the marvelous temple and remains of some ancient temple signify Badami Chalukyan architecture were observed.
27.12.2019	Closing Ceremony and Various performances by both the Colleges. Ethnic Day celebration	Concluding words by Director, Faculties and vote of thanks followed by various dance and acts displayed cultural diversity of both the states. Ethnic day showcased the clothing fashion of both the states Mh and AP ramp walk was also done.

Conclusion:

The Student Exchange Program was a success which not only satisfied all its objective of exchanging the cultural aspects amongst the various states of India but also in return gave great pleasure and feeling of happiness to the students making them proud of their country. The program indeed was to make **Ek Bharat, Shrestha Bharat.**

Glimpse of the Visit:

