

Department of Biotechnology
School of Studies of Interdisciplinary Education and Research
Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur

Induction Program of Newly Admitted (Session 2025-2026) UG and PG Students

Induction program of newly admitted (Session 2025-2026) students in following courses was organized on 10th October 2025 by Department of Biotechnology, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur.

- M.Sc. Microbiology
- M.Sc. Biotechnology
- B.Sc. (Hons) Biotechnology

The induction program was conducted in Smart Class Room (Room No. G21) of the Department of Biotechnology. All faculty members and newly admitted UG and PG students of Department of Biotechnology were present in this event. The event was hosted by Professor Harit Jha (Head, Department of Biotechnology GGV).

Professor Rajendra Mehta (Dean, School of Studies of Interdisciplinary Education and Research, GGV) delivered welcome address. Mr. Premnath Kamlesh, Training and Placement Officer at GGV provided information on skill development courses and career opportunities. Dr. Pasanajit Panda, Member, Psychological Counselling Cell, GGV provided information on how the cell is helping students in their difficult time.

Discussion on Student Welfare Initiatives: Dr. Alka Ekka, Deputy Dean of Student Welfare (DSW), outlined the role of the office of the Dean of Student Welfare (DSW) in supporting student welfare across the university campus. She explained how the DSW collaborates with the proctorial board, anti-ragging cell, and disciplinary cell to ensure a safe and supportive environment for students. The office of DSW currently offers various schemes to assist students, including: Merit scholarships for top performers from each school, Awards for students representing the university at national and international events, Free meals and teaching aids for visually impaired students, Hand-driven cycles for physically challenged students, Financial support for students from economically poor backgrounds, Special benefits for the single girl child at the postgraduate level, Assistance for students recognized for exemplary achievements, Support for students from martyrs' families, Random selection of 10 students from underprivileged backgrounds, nominated by the Vice-Chancellor. In addition, Dr. Ekka introduced the "Sudama Yojna," initiative launched by Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya (GGV). To apply for these schemes, students must submit applications endorsed by both their Head of the Department and the Dean.

Discussion on Campus Discipline and the Role and Responsibilities of the Proctorial Board: All the faculty members highlighted the critical role students play in maintaining discipline on campus. They provided guidance on the do's and don'ts necessary for a safe and orderly university environment, stressing the importance of adhering to rules such as vehicle speed limits, wearing ID cards, and upholding a ragging-free campus. They also explained the function of the proctorial board and how students can contact its members when needed.

They further emphasized the consequences of violating university regulations and urged students to contribute to a respectful and disciplined campus culture.

Discussion on Carrier opportunities: Dr. Sanjit Kumar being Co-ordinator of Career Counselling and Coaching Cell encouraged students to take benefit of the free coaching service provided by the university.

Discussion on NSS, cultural and extracurricular activities: Dr. Archana Kumari provided brief overview of National Service Scheme (NSS) Cell of the university. Cultural Co-ordinator and IQAC criteria V Co-coordinator Dr. Vikas Chandra motivated students to take part in various cultural and extracurricular activities organized at department, school and university levels throughout the academic year. He motivated students to do hard work and maintain discipline. Moreover he also explained about the exam system of the university and emphasized not to indulge in using unfair means in examination.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks after an interactive session with the students.

Picture Gallery










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