Report of World Water Day Celebration

On the very special occasion of World Water Day on March 22, 2016, First Year Department organized an event to celebrate the day with great enthusiasm.

The program started with an auspicious ceremony of lamp lighting followed by *Ganesh Vandana* performed by Ms. Madhuparna Mistry, student of CE I Year. Dr. Manoj Gupta and Mr. Vivek Gupta welcomed the key note speakers Shri Nirmal Satsangi and Shri Anand Lal Mathur by presenting them a bouquet.

Dr. Dipti Mathur welcomed all the dignitaries and briefed the importance of World Water Day and its theme for the Year 2016 which is *Water & Jobs*.

Dr. Manoj Gupta emphasized on saving water and energy by performing some easy task like getting in a habit to close taps and switch off lights. Dr. K.K.S. Bhatia defined the dimensions of water with respect to quantity and quality. He also emphasized on conservation of water by the involvement of common man.

Dr. Manoj Gupta and Dr. Priti Kaushik presented a memento to Shri Nirmal Satsangi and Shri Anand Lal Mathur as a token of remembrance and respect.

The keynote speaker Shri Nirmal Satsangi explained the water scenario and fifteen river basins in Rajasthan. He also discussed the major irrigation projects, their present status and the role of government to complete these projects. He also encouraged the use of Drop Sprinkler System in irrigation and modernization of old projects to conserve water. Shri Anand Lal Mathur, keynote speaker started his speech with an overview to environment and role of water in it. He discussed water pollution, its interventions and preventive measures to encourage the students for saving water.
The program followed by the Documentary presentation about the importance of water. On this occasion, a poster competition was also conducted.

The program was concluded with the vote of thanks by Mr. Vivek Gupta. Group photograph of dignitaries and the participants was taken at the porch.