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Guest Lecture on National Integration

Venue: Seminar Hall

Date: 12 January 2016

Time: 1:00-2:00 pm

Organized by: Department of Commerce

Attended by: UG students of SFS College and the Faculties

The Department of Commerce conducted a Guest Lecture series on the topic “National Integration”. The Guest lecture was conducted on 12 January 2016, in accordance with the remembrance of Swami Vivekananda. It was conducted for all the Under Graduate students of St. Francis De Sales College, Bangalore. National integration principally aims at providing a better environment for the people of a country. Thus they can develop themselves in all the aspects. It also aids to bind multi-racial and multilingual country like India, which has people with diverse cultures and traditions. It also multiplies the union of brotherhood amongst communities, societies, and the people.

National integration also helps in keeping the stability of a country and adds up to its whole development. It supports to nurture communal harmony and fights casteism, regionalism, and languish, etc. National Integration improves the feeling of loyalty and fraternity towards the nation. It unites the people in case of any national emergency. As national integration demonstrates a crucial role in the development of a country, it becomes important to develop the feeling of national integrity among its citizens. Therefore, focus on all the sections of society and making them financially independent would surely promote national integration.

This would help to promote economic integrity. This is one of the most important factors in promoting national integration. Tolerance and respect for other caste or religion also support to promote national integrity. Education, social and cultural unity, equality among people also helps to teach the feeling of national integration.

National integration plays an important role in the political, economic, cultural, and social dimensions of a country. It helps the country in the following ways:

National integration makes the people of a country to live in harmony. This works only by strengthening the social bond among the people. It endorses brotherhood, peace, and tolerance among them.

National integration aids to unite people of different races, castes, creeds, or thoughts and makes the country as a single entity. The unity of its people strengthens the country and makes it powerful on the international platform.

It is a well-known fact that those countries which have fewer internal matters and problems will always prosper and develop. National integration endorses the loyalty of the citizen for the country. It aids to make people join hands and stand for the advancement of the country forgetting their petty issues.

National integration plays a more significant role in modern times as there are challenges like communalism, regionalism, linguism, etc. Global terrorism is also one of the major threats to national integration. A few people with radical thoughts convince the population and brainwash them as well as provoke them against their motherland.

In the era of technological advancements and the accessibility of social media, it is very easy to get deceived. National integration helps to ignore these situations. It makes people intellectually mature and tolerant. National integration is very significant for a country because many times the integrity of the nation was at stake. It has confronted major challenges from within and also became a victim of foreign assaults. Hence national integration plays a significant role in the making of a nation.

The Resource person for this particular session was Professor Mamatha K, Department of Commerce. She started off by asking a question which goes like “are there any chances for India to finally establish the national unity?”

India being a free country has all its chances to fight for national integration and unity. The major importance of National Integration in this current scenario is that the citizens of our country must be aware that any state is indisputably obvious because it helps stabilize the democracy, economic growth, develop the nation and give people all the needful rights and duties.

The main agenda of the Guest Lecture was to make students and faculties have an insight into the necessity of Rashtriya Ekta by bringing equality among people of a different culture, races, caste, and religions.


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