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***Sensitization Program On "Youth as a catalyst in community development
addressing contemporary challenges of Tamil Nadu"***

Event Title	<i>Sensitization Program On "Youth as a catalyst in community development addressing contemporary challenges of Tamil Nadu"</i>
Category(GL/workshop/conference/invited talk/seminar/FDP)	Sensitization Program
Department/Cell	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell
Date	23/08/2024
No. of Resource Person	1
No. of Participants	50

Resource Person Profile

Mr. Jaraslo

Lead strategist,

Chief Minister Office of Tamilnadu.



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REPORT

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell has organized a sensitization program on "Youth as a catalyst in community development addressing contemporary challenges of Tamil Nadu". Students from various departments have been a part of this program. The main objective of the event is to sensitize the youth who are going to be involved in Community development of UBA project on their role as catalyst and what might be the challenges they undergo while constructing this development. Mr. Jaraslo, lead strategist, Chief Minister Office of Tamilnadu, was invited as a resource person for the session. The resource person shared his valuable insights and knowledge, which helped the students to gain knowledge about youth and their contribution to society. Students actively engaged in Q&A sessions and discussions.



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***“Baseline Household Survey at Kothimangalam Panchayat
Thirukazhukundram Taluk”***

Event Title	Baseline Household Survey at Kothimangalam Panchayat
Category	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Survey
Department/ Cell/ Club	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell
Date	06/09/2024
No. of Participants	50

VENUE: Nelvoy, Irumbuli and Melapattu Village

DATE: 06.09.2024

On 6th September, MSW students along with NSS students visited Nelvoy, Melapattu and Irumbuli villages of Kothimangalam Panchayat of Thirukazhukundram Taluk Chengalpattu district as an initial pilot survey. The Purpose of the visit is to complete household survey. The students successfully achieved comprehensive coverage of these villages during this phase.



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“Rural Camp in Palur Panchayat”

DATE: 30/09/2024- 05/10/2024

VENUE: Palur Panchayat

REPORT:

From 30th September to 5th October 2024, the I MSW students organized a Rural Camp in the Palur Panchayat. This camp served as a platform for students to immerse themselves in rural life and address community issues through direct engagement. During the camp, the students conducted a comprehensive household survey in Melmanapakkam Village, located in Palur Taluk. The survey data gathered during this period provided valuable insights into the community's needs and challenges.

To promote participatory governance, the students also attended the Gram Sabha Meeting on 2nd October 2024, aligning with the UBA objective of empowering rural communities.



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***Participation in Gram Sabha Meeting at Melmanapakkam Village, Palur Panchayat
on account of Gandhi Jayanthi – 02.10.2024***

Gram Sabha Meeting held on October 2nd 2024 in Melmanapakkam village, Palur Panchayat initiated by Mrs. Nirmala Muthukumaraswamy, focusing on various community issues and development plans. The event started at 11 am by district leader Mrs. Nirmala Muthukumaraswamy, including contributions from the Chengalpattu Lab Department members who spoke on welfare schemes for workers.

Key Points

1) Workers Welfare Scheme focuses on community welfare and schemes aimed at improving conditions for workers, focusing on women and children.

New Initiatives:

- Borewell water installation to improve water access for the community
- Palm river pipeline discussed for procurements to ensure water supply for agriculture and domestic purposes.

Objectives:

- Water facilities improving access to clean water; community welfare encompassing broader goals of welfare, including sanitation, health, and education
- Jal Jeevan Mission: Efforts to ensure water supply to all households.
- Women and children safety: Special emphasis on equality and safety for women and children.
- Sanitation and cleanliness: Promoting cleanliness and initiatives in line with the Swachh Bharat Mission.



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- Employment opportunities focused on schemes like the Dhyadaya Udyaya Payan Thittam and a petition for 100 days of work under MGNREGA.
- Gandhi National Scheme to promote rural self-reliance and employment.

Identifying Needs:

- Road needed at Pillayar Koil Street; widening required for Bayaru Koil Street.
- Temporary bus stand proposed for Melmanagapakam.
- Ration shop: Urgent need to establish a ration shop within a month.
- New school building: Identifying potential uses.
- Need for full shelter requirement for food shelters by NGOs.
- A bridge near Sivan Koil for better connectivity in Melachery.
- School improvement: Need for better infrastructure
- Petitions for land rights: Ongoing struggle for proper access to land.

Other Updates:

- Free saplings: Pallikaranai Agriculture Department announced the provision of free saplings for registered individuals to promote local farming.
- A collective pledge was taken at the end, emphasizing the commitment to women's welfare and equality.



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Event Title	Baseline Household Survey at Kothimangalam Panchayat
Category	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Survey
Department/ Cell/ Club	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell
Date	21/12/2024
No. of Participants	30

VENUE: Nelvoy, Irumbuli and Melapattu Village

DATE: 21.12.2024

On 21st December 2024, II MSW students along with Outreach Club Students revisited the villages of Irumbuli and Nelvoy in Kothimangalam Panchayat. This follow-up effort aimed to complete the household surveys that were pending from the earlier visit. The students successfully achieved comprehensive coverage of these villages during this phase.



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“Baseline Household Survey at Palur Panchayat”

Event Title	Baseline Household Survey at Palur Panchayat
Category	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan
Department/ Cell/ Club	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell
Date	30/01/2025
No. of Participants	42

VENUE: Palur Village

DATE: 30.01.2025

On 30th January 2025, the 42 students from the MSW department and Outreach Club, along with the Head of the Department Ms. Priyadharshini and Assistant Professor Ms. Sindhuja department of MSW, revisited the Palur village in Palur Panchayat Chengalpattu. This follow up effort aimed to complete the Household surveys that were pending from the earlier visit. They proceeded to conduct surveys across various streets within the Palur Panchayat area. The students successfully achieved comprehensive coverage of these villages during this phase.



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1.	Rathnapriya C
2.	Reshma
3.	Srimathi
4.	Subhashini
5.	Subhashree
6.	Vishali R
7.	Sandhiya B
8.	Aswini R
9.	Harini R K
10.	Harini V
11.	Janani R
12.	Hinduja R
13.	Kaviyapriya
14.	Keerthana K
15.	Kuzhali
16.	Maheswari
17.	Monisha
18.	Nethra
19.	Varshini
20.	Swathi
21.	Thulasi
22.	Swetha V
23.	Sandhiya R
24.	Preethilatha K
25.	Kanimozhi S
26.	Jyothika
27.	Flarenceedith
28.	Bhoomika
29.	Asiha
30.	Jayashree
31.	Prashitha

32.	Alwyn
33.	Agalya
34.	Pavithra
35.	Sushmitha sureshkumar
36.	Roshini
37.	Yogalakshmi
38.	Kanupriya
39.	Meenakshi
40.	Durgadevi
41.	Srimathi
42.	Soorya P.V



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Event Title	Baseline Household Survey at Palur Panchayat
Category	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan
Department/Cell	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Survey
Date	31/01/2025, Friday
No. of Participants	42

VENUE: Palur Village

DATE: 31.01.2025

On 31st January 2025, the 42 students from the MSW department and Outreach Club, along with the Assistant Professor Ms. Tharani department of MSW, revisited the Palur village in Palur Panchayat Chengalpattu. This follow up effort aimed to complete the Household surveys that were pending from the earlier visit. The students successfully achieved comprehensive coverage of these villages during this phase.



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2.	Dharshana P C
3.	Kiran Mary
4.	Lavanya
5.	Madhuvarshini M
6.	Aarti B V
7.	Deepa
8.	Aashika
9.	Rakshitha R
10.	Jayalakshmi S
11.	Deepasri D
12.	Avanthika
13.	Rajalakshmi
14.	Shobana
15.	Thamilselvi
16.	Amiruthavarshini
17.	Durga
18.	Nikitha
19.	Madhumitha
20.	Yamini
21.	Ramya
22.	Kaviya
23.	Yamuna
24.	Sandhiya
25.	Arockia
26.	Aruni
27.	Vishal Aswitha
28.	Brigith
29.	Harini
30.	Jasmine
31.	Chrishlin
32.	Mahalashmi K
33.	Jeyalaxmi R
34.	Santhiya M

35.	Keerthana N
36.	Devishri
37.	Vinodhini
38.	Suriya T
39.	Rajeswari
40.	Megha
41.	Jayajannai
42.	Avanthika



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Sensitization Program on "Healthy Eating Habits & Bully Prevention"

Event Title	Sensitization Program On "Healthy eating habits & Bully prevention"
Category(GL/workshop/conference/invited talk/seminar/FDP)	Sensitization Program
Department/Cell/Club	PG Department of Social work & Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Cell
Date	31/01/2025
No. of Resource Person	NIL
No. of Participants	15



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REPORT

On 31st January 2025, an awareness program was conducted at Palur Primary School for girls in 1st to 5th grade. The primary goal of the program was to educate the children on the importance of healthy eating habits, the difference between healthy and unhealthy foods, and how to prevent bullying. The session was interactive, engaging, and full of fun learning activities aimed at creating awareness and building positive behaviors among the children. The program began with the volunteers introducing themselves to the students. We started the session by teaching phonetics to help enhance the children's learning and language skills. The children actively participated and showed keen interest in the session. We then shifted the focus to educating the children about healthy and unhealthy foods. We used simple, relatable examples to make the topic easier for the children to understand. The importance of balanced nutrition and making healthy choices was emphasized. To make the session more interactive and fun, we conducted an ice-breaking game titled "Thumbs Up." In this game, we showed images of different foods, and the children were asked to give a thumbs up if the food was healthy and thumbs down if the food was unhealthy. The children enthusiastically participated, and it helped reinforce their understanding of healthy eating habits.

Following the food-related session, we introduced the topic of bully prevention. The children were educated about the importance of kindness, respect, and how to stand up against bullying. The session was designed to empower the children to create a positive and supportive school environment. To keep the children engaged and encourage teamwork, we divided them into five groups. Each group was given a set of numbered papers, and they had to work together to find the correct numbers. The children enjoyed the activity and showed great enthusiasm throughout. This activity not only encouraged teamwork but also helped improve their problem-solving skills. At the end of the program, the children were given pencils as a token of appreciation for their active participation. The gift served as a reminder



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of the lessons learned during the session. The session concluded with a group photo to capture the memories of the event.

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6.Sabitha

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8.Tamilarasi