## REPORT ON FUNCTION OF BOTANY DEPARTMENT (2019-2020)

The Botany department organized its annual function on 10&11 th November. On the first day Poster and collage making competitions were organized for the undergraduate students and on the second day a Power point presentation competition was conducted. The theme for the event was Biodiversity and environmental hazards. The students participated with great enthusiasm and first three prizewinners in each category were felicitated with mementos. Also to commemorate the celebrations Dr M.K Seth, a renowned Wood Science expert from the Himachal Pradesh University was invited by the department as the resource person on the 11th Nov. He delivered an informative power point presentation on 'KNOW YOUR FERNS'. The lecture was very interactive and students learnt a lot from him by asking questions.





A student receives an award at Government College, Sanjauli.

## MEENAKSHI WINS ENVIRONMENT CONTEST

The Department of Botany Centre of Excellence, Government College, Sanjauli, organised its annual function on Monday. Himachal Pradesh University professor MK Seth was the resource person. Seth educated students on biodiversity and the importance of ferns. A power-point presentation competition was organised on how to conserve environment and how to spread awareness about the importance of ornamental and economically important plants. Meenakshi (B.Sc 1) stood first, Aditi (B.Sc 1) came second while Akansha (B.Sc II) bagged the third prize. A poster-making competition was also organised on the subject. The college principal, CB Mehta, gave away prizes to the winners. The function ended totany department.

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The power point presentations were knowledgable and increased the curiosity among the students. The prize winners in this category were:

NAME	POSITION	TITLE
Meenakshi	First	Air Pollution
Aditi	Second	Economic importance of fungi
Akanksha	Third	Plastic Pollution

The prize winners in the Poster making competition were as follows:

NAME	POSITION
Jyoti	First
Gurdeep	Second
Urvashi	Third

The prize winners in the Collage making competition were:

Lakshay	First
Abhishek	Second
Shweta	Third

The judges for the Poster &Collage making competitions were Dr. Bharti Sharma and Dr. NidhiDhatwalia whereas the judgement for power point completion were given along with expert advise by DrSandeepChauhan& Prof MrityunjaySharma.

The Principal of the college Dr C.B Mehta, was the chief guest for the function he gave away the prizes and blessed the students with his words of wisdom. Vote of thanks was presented by Prof. Deepti& Prof Kiran to thank all who had graced the occasion for smooth conduct of the programme.

Prof Deepti Gupta