





# CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR SUSTAINABILITY

In collaboration with

OFFICE OF RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

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Swachhta Abhiyan

The competition aims to promote awareness and involvement in maintaining a clean and healthy environment within the campus.

1 & 2 OCTOBER 2024







All hostels and messes





#### Swachhta Abhiyan @ Hostels & Messes

Event Name	Swachhta Abhiyan @ Hostels & Messes
Date	1-2 October 2024
Venue	All Hostels & Messes
Organizer	Centre of Excellence for Sustainability in collaboration
	with
	The Office of Residential Services
Participants	31
SDGs Covered	13, 15
Duration	2 Days

### **About the Activity**

On October 1st and 2nd, 2024, Chitkara University's Centre of Excellence for Sustainability, in collaboration with the Office of Residential Services, successfully organized the "Swachhta Abhiyan @ Hostels & Messes" event. This event was dedicated to promoting cleanliness and environmental awareness across the university campus. The event spanned multiple locations, primarily targeting all hostels and messes, in an effort to foster a cleaner and healthier living environment for students and staff alike.



# **Objectives**

## The main objectives of the Swachhta Abhiyan were to:

- 1. **Raise Awareness:** Educate students and campus residents about the importance of cleanliness, sustainability, and their impact on the environment.
- 2. **Encourage Active Participation:** Motivate residents to participate actively in keeping their living areas and surroundings clean.
- 3. **Instill Responsibility:** Foster a sense of responsibility among students to maintain a clean and sustainable environment within the campus.

#### **Judging Criteria and Results**

The judging panel consists of nine exceptionally talented and dedicated ambassadors of cleanliness from our campus - Dr. Jaiteg Singh – (Pro VC, Dept. of Computer Applications), Mr. Amit Vashishth – (Director. CCHM), Dr. Vijay Kumar Jadon – (Prof. Department of Mechatronics), Dr. Kanika Bansal – (Prof. CSPA), Dr. Sonika Bakshi– (Prof. Allied Health Science), Dr. Sangeeta Pant – (Prof. Department of Education), Dr. Adarsh Kumar Aggarwal – (Prof. CIIF), Dr. Aarti Joshi – (Prof. CUPDC) and Dr. Ajay Goyal (Prof. & Head – Dept. of Civil Engineering)

The judging panel selected for their commitment to sustainability and their leadership roles at Chitkara University, evaluated the efforts based on:

- Cleanliness and Organization: How well each team managed the cleaning tasks in their designated areas.
- Sustainability Practices: Implementation of sustainable practices, such as proper waste segregation and minimal use of disposable items.
- **Team Spirit and Enthusiasm:** The level of teamwork and enthusiasm shown by participants.

### Conclusion

The judges commended the participants for their dedication and teamwork. They noted that the enthusiasm displayed by students in ensuring a clean and healthy environment was inspiring. They also appreciated the participants' innovative approach to waste management, with several teams implementing creative ideas for reusing materials and reducing waste. This demonstrated the potential of students to bring about positive change within their community when given the right support and encouragement.