



Dussehra Celebration

Date: 11th October 2024

Time: 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Venue: IPS Auditorium

Introduction:

Dussehra, also known as Vijayadashami, symbolizes the victory of good over evil and is celebrated with great fervor across India. At ASM IPS College, the festival was observed with a special focus on honoring Goddess Sarasvati, the deity of wisdom and learning. The college library served as the venue for this auspicious occasion, emphasizing the institution's dedication to knowledge and education.

Objective:

- To seek the blessings of Goddess Sarasvati for academic excellence and enlightenment.
- To foster a sense of unity and cultural appreciation among students and staff.
- To sanctify the books and educational materials, symbolizing the reverence for knowledge.



Report:

The event commenced with the traditional Sarasvati Puja performed in the library. A beautifully adorned idol of Goddess Sarasvati was placed at the center, surrounded by books and educational resources. Faculty members and students participated in the rituals, chanting hymns and offering prayers to invoke the Goddess's blessings.

The college library was adorned with vibrant decorations, including traditional rangoli designs at the entrance, symbolizing auspiciousness and welcoming attendees.

Floral arrangements and festoons enhanced the spiritual ambiance, creating an environment conducive to devotion and reflection.

In a symbolic gesture, all books and learning materials in the library were sanctified during the puja. This act represented the college community's deep respect for education and the pursuit of knowledge.

Esteemed faculty members delivered insightful speeches on the importance of Dussehra and the role of Goddess Sarasvati in education. They emphasized the relevance of integrating cultural traditions with academic pursuits to foster holistic development.

The ceremony concluded with the distribution of **Prasad** to all attendees, symbolizing the sharing of divine blessings and fostering a sense of community.

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Outcomes:

- The events successfully instilled a sense of spirituality and cultural awareness among students and staff.
- Participants expressed a renewed appreciation for the interconnection between education and tradition.
- The celebration strengthened the bond among the college community, promoting unity and collective respect for knowledge.