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Annual Report

EK BHARAT SHRESHTHA BHARAT

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Introduction

India is a unique nation, whose fabric has been woven by diverse linguistic, cultural and religious threads, held together into a composite national identity by a rich history of cultural evolution, coupled with a rousing freedom struggle that was built around the tenets of nonviolence and justice. The spirit of mutual understanding amidst a shared history has enabled a special unity in diversity, which stands out as a tall flame of nationhood that needs to be nourished and cherished into the future. It is important to establish cultural exchanges between people of different regions, as a means to further human bonding and a common approach to nation-building.

The Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) scheme was announced by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri. Narendra Modi on 31st October 2015 on the occasion of the 140th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The program is fundamentally designed to make people aware about the art, culture, history, tradition, education, language etc. There will be an exchange of art, culture, history, tradition, education, language etc. between different States/UTs. Pairs of two States/UTs has been made at the central level.

Under this scheme, Gujarat and Chhattisgarh are paired with each other. One of the fundamental aims of this scheme is to understand the art, culture, history, tradition of different states and country at large. It will enhance the attachment between people of different states and will strengthen the unity and integrity of India. Hence, our Prime Minister has said, सरदार वल्लभभाई पटेल ने हमें एक भारत दिया, अब यह १२५ करोड़ भारतीयों की जिम्मेदारी है कि भारत को श्रेष्ठ बनाये (*Sardar Patel give us Ek Bharat, now its solemn duty of 125 crore Indians to make it Shreshtha Bharat*). In this way all the states and its people will connect with each other in next few years. In first stage, students are the main parts of this scheme. The potential students will be selected in this scheme and they need to travel to the paired state to learn and understand the art, culture, history, tradition of different states and country at large. It will strengthen the unity and integrity of India.

Aims and Objective of the EBSB

Aim

The fundamental aim of the EBSB is to expose the students to the art, culture, history, tradition, education, language etc. between different States/UTs of the country.

Objectives

- To celebrate the Unity in Diversity of our Nation and to maintain and strengthen the fabric of traditionally existing emotional bonds between the people of our Country;
- To promote the spirit of national integration through a deep and structured engagement between all Indian States and Union Territories through a year-long planned engagement between States;
- To showcase the rich heritage and culture, customs and traditions of either State for enabling people to understand and appreciate the diversity that is India, thus fostering a sense of common identity;
- To establish long-term engagements and
- To create an environment which promotes learning between States by sharing best practices and experiences.

Central University of Gujarat and Guru Ghasidas Central University, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh had signed MoU regarding the annual periodic activities. Under the EBSB program, various events have been covered since 2017. The major focus of the events has been art and culture training, language learning and site seeing in the respective states. As per the calendar activities for the academic year 2018-19 the following events have been organised.

“Sardar Patel gave us Ek Bharat it is now the solemn duty of 125 crore Indians to Collectively Make Shreshtha Bharat”

**Shree Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister of India**

Sardar Patel Birth Anniversary Celebration (31.10.19)

- On the occasion of Sardar Patel Birth Day, EBSB in association with NSS had organised PPT presentation on Life Sketch and achievement of Sardar Patel was organised 31.10.18 where a good number of students had participated. Another event called Quiz competition on Gujarat Art and Culture was also organised. In both the events winners were distributed prizes and certificate.
- As a regular event of Ruin for Unity, this year the event was organised jointly by NSS and EBSB and large number of students and faculty had participated in it.

Chhattisgarh Art and Culture Training Program

19 Jan 2019 to 25 Jan. 2019

In response to the invitation from our peer university, CUG-EBSB had selected 12 students and two faculty members to visit Guru Ghasidas Central University, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh. Various activities include Industry Visit, Trekking, Clay Port Art training, Language learning and teaching, Campfire, session on Chhattisgarh Art and Culture, Chhattisgarh Nukkad Natak nad Garba dance performances were prominent.

List of Students Selected for the Chhattisgarh Tour

S.No.	Name of the Students	Gender	Name of the Schools
1	Parmar Divyaben Laxman Bhai	Female	SLL&CS (Gujarati)
2	Pranchi Raval	Female	School of Social Sciences
3	Payal	Female	School of Chemical Sciences
4	Surabhi	Female	School of Life Sciences
5	Komal Patel	Female	School of National Security studies
6	Mayuri Jani	Female	School of Environment and Sustainable Development
7	Jaydeep Jashubhai Sharma	Male	School of Language and Literature (Gujarati)
8	Gunjan Patel	Male	School of Applied & Material Science
9	Parth Dave	Male	School of International Study

10	Ram Singh Vanzara	Male	School of Language and Literature (Gujarati)
11	Vijay Anand Minj	Male	School of Library and Information Science
12	Nitya Ramesh Chawda	Male	School of Neno Science

Details of the Programme

	Date 19/01/2019
8:30AM- 8:50 AM	Break fast
9:00AM-4:00PM	Industrial Visit
4:00AM-7.30 PM	Local market Visit
8:00PM-9.00PM	Dinner (Guest House)
	Date 20/01/2019
8:00AM-8:50 AM	Break fast
9:00AM -8:00PM	Visit to Chaiturgarh (Tracking and rock climbing)
8:00PM-9.00PM	Dinner (Guest House)
Time	Date 21/01/2019
8:30AM-8:50 AM	Break fast
9:00AM-9:30AM	Welcome of the Delegates
9:30AM-10:00PM	Brief of the training programme
12:30PM-1:00PM	Interaction with Cultural coordinators of GGV
1:00PM-1:45PM	Lunch break (Guest House)
2:00PM-4:45PM	Campus Visit
4:45PM-5:00PM	Tea Break
5:00PM-8:00PM	Workshop training on local Chhattisgarhi language
8:00PM-9.00PM	Dinner with traditional Chhattisgarhi dish (Guest House)
	Date 22/01/2019
8:30AM-8:50 AM	Break fast
9:00AM-:1:00PM	Lectures on Chhattisgarh history and Culture
1:00PM-1:45PM	Lunch break (Guest House)
2:00PM-4:45PM	Clay pot and stone art training-I
4:45PM-5:00PM	Tea Break
5:00PM-7:30PM	Clay pot and stone art training-II
7:30PM-8-00PM	Language Training (Gujarati to Chhattisgarhi and Chhattisgarhi to Gujarati)
8:00PM-9.00PM	Dinner (Guest House)
	Date 23/01/2019

8:30AM-8:50 AM	Break fast
9:00AM-1:00PM	Chhattisgarhi language exchange program (Translation from Gujarati to Chhattisgarhi and vice versa) with local students
1:00PM-1:45PM	Lunch break (Guest House)
2:00PM-5:00PM	Nukkad Natak and Cultural presentation by Gujarati Students (venue –UTD premises)
	Tea Braek
5:00PM-8:00PM	Interaction with UDAAN Abhinartan and Tarang groups
8:00PM-9.00PM	Dinner (Guest House)

Date 24/01/2019	
8:30AM-8:50 AM	Break fast
9:00AM-1:45PM	Nukkad Natak and Cultural presentation by Gujarati Students (venue – IT and Pharmacy premises)
1:00PM-1:45PM	Lunch break (Guest House)
2:00PM-4:45PM	Valedictory Program
4:45PM-5:00PM	Tea Break

Students of Gujarat Central University will prepare two Nukkad Nataks on historical and cultural heritage of Gujarat) and Two cultural dance or any other Gujarati activities

Gujarat Art and Culture Training Program

17 Feb 2019 to 22 Feb. 2019

CUG- EBSB had invited the GGU- EBSB team to Gujarat for Gujarat Art and Culture Training. Under this program, ten students from Guru Ghasidas University, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh had visited CUG and then they were taken to Kutch for Raan of Kutch Festival. On the first day of their arrival in Vadodara, they had visited to Statue of Unity. Kucchhi work, Mud Work and Mirror work were the main art training provided to them. As a part of site seeing, Raan of Kutch, Mnadvi Beach, visit to Krishna Verma Memorial, Koteshwar Temple and Mata na Mad were visited by the team. In Gandhinagar and Ahmedabad, the team had visited Akshardham Temple, Gandhi Kutir and Sabarmati Ashram. Besides, GGU-EBSB team had learned the Garba and performed it in CUG, sector 30 campus as well as in Kutch. Most importantly the team had also learned the Gujarati Language and appeared in the oral test as well.

EBSB-CUG expresses its deep gratitude to Gujarat Tourism for sponsoring the entire program.

List of Students form GGU-EBSB, Chhatisgarh

S.N	Student Name	Dept. & Course	Age	Gender
1	HARSHIT DUBEY	BJMC 6 TH SEM	19	MALE
2	DHANSAY	M.Sc. ANTRO 4 TH SEM	23	MALE
3	ASHISH SINGH ORKEY	B.Sc. MATH 4 TH SEM	19	MALE
4	SUHALI JAIN	MJMC 4 TH SEM	22	FEMALE
5	SONALI SHARMA	B.A L.L.B 10 TH SEM	24	FEMALE
6	NEHA PATEL	BSW 6 TH SEM	21	FEMALE
7	NILIMA MAHTO	B.Sc. MATH 6 TH SEM	20	FEMALE
8	AKANSHA SAHU	B.Sc. FORENSIC 2 ND SEM	18	FEMALE
9	MOHIT VIRENDRA AHIRWAR	Eng. IT 8 TH SEM	22	MALE
10	SURYAKANT NIRMALKAR	B.Ed. 2 ND SEM	27	MALE

Detailed Activities Schedule (17.02.19 to 22.02.19)

Date	Time	Activities	Place
17.02.19	8 AM	Received the EBSB GGV team at Vadodara Railway station	Vadodara
	10 AM	Breakfast	
	11 AM	Visit to Statue of Unity and visit to M S University of Vadodara	
	8 PM	Leave for Bhuj	
18.02.19	5.30 AM	Reached Bhuj and checked in Hotel	Bhuj
	8 AM	Breakfast	
	8.30 AM to 10.00 AM	Mud Work training	
	10.00 AM to 11.30 AM	Khatli Work Training	
	11.30 AM 12.30 PM	Kutchi Work Training	
	12.30 PM to 1 .30 PM	Basic Gujarati Language teaching	
	1.30 PM to 2 .30 PM	Lunch	
	2. 30 PM to 6.30 PM	Local Site Seeing	
	7.00 PM to 8.00 PM	Basic Gujarati Language teaching	
	8.00 PM to 9 30 PM	Garba training	
	9.30 PM	Dinner	
19.02.19	8 AM	Breakfast	Bhuj
	8.30 AM to 10.00 AM	Mud Work training	
	10.00 AM to 11.30 AM	Khatli Work Training	
	11.30 AM 12.30 PM	Kutchi Work Training	
	12.30 PM to 1 .30 PM	Basic Gujarati Language teaching	
	1.30 PM to 2 .30 PM	Lunch	
	2.30 PM to 9 PM	Visit to Raan of Kutch	
	9 PM to 10 PM	Garba training	
	10 PM	Dinner	
20.02.19	8 AM	Breakfast	Bhuj
	8.30 AM to 10.00 AM	Mud Work training	
	10.00 AM to 11.30 AM	Khatli Work Training	
	11.30 AM 12.30 PM	Kutchi Work Training	
	12.30 PM to 1 .30 PM	Basic Gujarati Language teaching	
	1.30 PM to 2 .30 PM	Lunch	
	2.30 PM to 9 PM	Visit to Koteswar Temple and Mata na Mad	
	9 PM to 10 PM	Garba training	
	10 PM	Dinner	

21.02.19	8 AM	Breakfast	Bhuj
	8.30 AM to 10.00 AM	Mud Work training	
	10.00 AM to 11.30 AM	Khatli Work Training	
	11.30 AM 12.30 PM	Kutchi Work Training	
	12.30 PM to 1 .30 PM	Basic Gujarati Language teaching	
	1.30 PM to 2 .30 PM	Lunch	
	2.30 PM to 9 PM	Visit to Mandvi Beach, Vijay Vilas Palace and Shyamji Krishna Verma Memorial	
	9 PM to 10.30 PM	Garba training	
	10.30 PM	Dinner	
	11.45 PM	Leave for Gandhinagar	
22.02.19	7.30 Am	Reached Gandhinagar and checked in Hotel	Gandhinagar and Ahmadabad
	9 AM	Breakfast	
	10 AM	Visit to Mahatma Mandir	
	12.30 PM	Lunch	
	1.30 PM	Visit to Gandhi Ashram, Ahmadabad	
	5.00 PM	Interaction with Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and EBSB CUG Team in CUG, Gandhinagar	
	6.30 PM	Visit to Akshra Dham Temple	
	8.30 PM	Visit to Vasanta Festival, Gandhinagar	
	9.30 PM	Dinner	
	10.30 PM	Leave for Kalupur Railway Station	

EBSB - CUG Committee

Dr. Atanu Mohapatra, Chairman and Nodal Officer

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