

52nd NSS Foundation Day



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NOT ME, BUT YOU

Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in".

SUMMARY

Every year on 24 September, National Service Scheme Day is observed and celebrated across the country. The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports conducts and manages the National Service Scheme (NSS), which is a public service program. The Programme Officers and NSS Volunteers of MGM Dental College and Hospital, along with the staff members observed this day by educating students about the National service scheme unit and the kind of work that is being done. The events were appreciated for their quality, concept and participation. They mentioned how following independence, the University Grants Commission (UGC), led by S Radhakrishnan, advocated the implementation of voluntary national service in academic institutions. The government stressed the need for Indian students to perform social and labor duty for a year in 1952. In a letter to all chief ministers in 1958, Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru examined the concept of social work as a requirement for graduation. He also directed the Ministry of Education to develop a competent plan.



CONCLUSION

The NSS motto "Not Me but You" represents the spirit of democratic living and emphasizes the need for selfless service. NSS teaches students to appreciate other people's points of view and to be considerate to other beings. The ideology of the NSS is perfectly exemplified in this slogan, which emphasizes on the concept that everyone's welfare is highly reliant on the welfare of society.

