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Name of the Department/Society: **National Service Scheme**

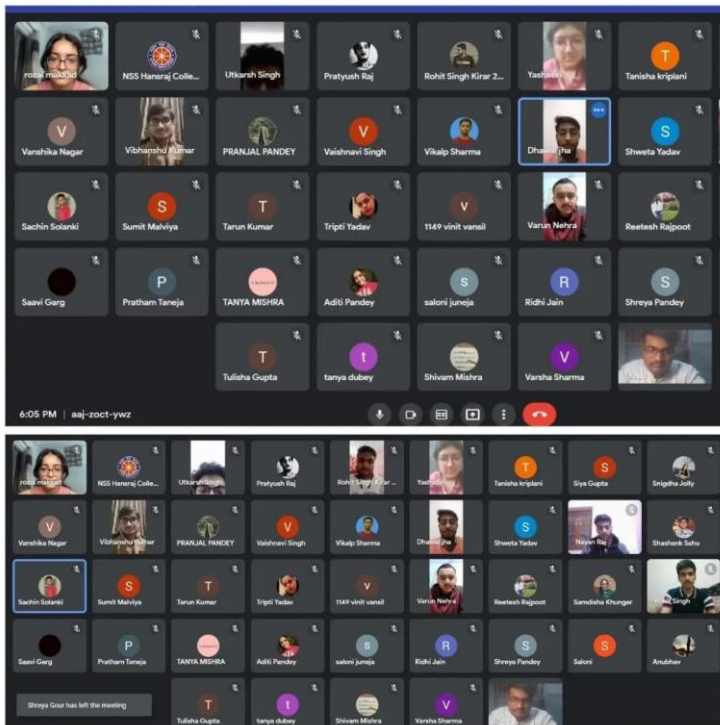
Name of the Event **31: GROUP DISCUSSION ON NATIONAL VOTERS' DAY**

Date of the Event: 25th January 2022

With the objective to create awareness about current voting scenario and instill a sense of responsibility towards the country, we at NSS Hansraj under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan organized an online Group Discussion on the topic 'Election & Voting in Present Times' on the account of National Voters' Day as a part of Azaadi ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations.

The discussion began with exchanging views on the ignorant mindset of the voters today who forget about their voting rights and duties due to the hustle of daily life. This further induced deliberations on the real meaning of election and voting, true essence of voting, significance of NOTA alongside striking a comparison between EVM and Ballot System. The participants, in fact, also left no stone unturned in analysing the possible pros and cons of linkage of Aadhar Card with Voter ID and the benefits and limitations of online voting.

This symposium indeed proved fruitful in creating awareness about how voting can be an agent of change and that every single vote matters. Towards the end, the discussion also steered towards acknowledging the growing participation of women in voting and the role of Election Commission of India in our society, concluding that voting is not just our right but our duty as well.





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