

REPORT ON GUEST LECTURE: E-WASTE MANAGEMENT

HELD ON 27 SEPTEMBER 2024

The Army Institute of Education hosted an enlightening guest lecture on "E-Waste Management" as part of its ongoing Cleanliness Campaign on 27 September 2024. The session was conducted by Mr. Nikhil Gupta, a seasoned expert in waste management and Business Development Manager at H.M.E.- Waste Management, New Delhi.

Objectives of the Lecture

The primary objectives of the lecture were to:

1. Raise awareness about the growing issue of electronic waste (e-waste) and its environmental impacts.

2. Educate attendees on effective e-waste management practices.

3. Encourage proactive participation in cleanliness and sustainable practices within the community.

Outcome/ Key Highlights

Mr. Gupta's presentation covered several critical aspects of e-waste management. He explained what constitutes e-waste, including discarded electronics like computers, mobile phones, and other electronic devices. He highlighted the hazardous materials often found in e-waste, such as lead, mercury, and cadmium, which pose serious risks to both human health and the environment if not disposed of properly.

Mr. Gupta discussed the existing regulations and policies related to e-waste management, urging compliance from individuals and organizations. He encouraged students and faculty to actively participate in e-waste collection drives and to educate others about responsible disposal methods.

Photographs





Receiving of appreciation letter



Group Photographs

The guest lecture was a significant addition to the Cleanliness Campaign at the Army Institute of Education, effectively linking environmental cleanliness with the critical issue of e-waste. Mr. Nikhil Gupta's insights empowered attendees to take actionable steps towards better e-waste management and highlighted the role of education in fostering a sustainable future. The institute handed over e-waste collection to H.M.E. The Institute received appreciation letter from H.M.E.

Col Abhay Rajvanshi, Registrar AIE felicitated the guest. Dr Saidalavi K, Asst prof AIE gave vote of thanks. Nikita Rani and Sivani Dahiya (student teachers B.Ed. Spl Ed (LD) batch 2022-24) anchored the events.

Feedback and Response

The session received positive feedback from students and faculty, many expressing a newfound understanding of the importance of e-waste management. Participants were motivated to engage in upcoming initiatives related to environmental sustainability.

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