## ORIENTATION WEEK FOR THE SESSION

With budding hopes of joy they march in,

Dreaming of all the new beginnings they want to live,

Oh child! you no more a toddler of the soil,

But the man who is set forth to conquer the universe.



1<sup>st</sup> July, 2019 was surely the beginning of many thoughtful minds as NMIMS, Navi Mumbai opened its doors for the session of MBA Tech/B. Tech (CSBS)/B.Sc (ASA) students for the year of 2019. To throw the guiding light on these young minds the first address was done by the faculty in-charge of STME, Prof. Aditya Kasar. He welcomed the students and congratulated them for achieving this excellence in their career paths. The session was followed by Aparna Sant who guided through the nitty gritty of the institution and the support given by the institution to its students. The world class facilities given at NMIMS Navi Mumbai was showcased by a tour around the campus and a session by the head librarian Mrs. Amruta Kashelkar.

The students also got to know their student council who are going to be there for them at any moment they need. The students were given a walkthrough, through the different clubs and committees the School of Technology Management & Engineering consist of.

The students took part in poster making competition along with a presentation by the students where they had the freedom to express their views by role play, poetry and story. The activity was

followed by a session by Dr. S. Neelkanthan, who is a consulting psychologist at the campus, a life coach and a consulting counsellor. He gave a presentation/speech on mental health, the principles we all should live by, importance of mentors, life should be about transformation not transactions and effects of social media covering most of the topics going within the minds of today's youngsters. This life enriching session was followed by an another important skill session on "soft skills" by Prof. Burna Nayar The session covered the importance of communication through different activities.



There were speeches by the associate dean Dr. Benu Gedham, who cleared the thoughts of the young minds on the course they are pursuing and the various paths they will be crossing in the upcoming years followed by the acting director Dr. Ruchita Verma, who wanted the students to come up with different ideas for the greater development of the society and its people. The session was followed by an informative session by Dr. Aarti Sharma who emphasized on the aspects of research in the country and around the world and its significant growth.



The highlight of the orientation week was when Prof. Aditya Kasar shared his profound knowledge advanced learning which has various memory techniques. The session is not only helpful at academic perspectives but also with life skills. After the experience where the students got to know about the power of their minds, the student had a platform to showcase their talents which included singing, dancing and oratory skills. The fun event increased the interaction between the senior students and the fresher's which was a great success.



The end of the orientation week had series of events which included an interaction by the sports committee and the main highlight being Class Representative elections. The interesting thing is CR elections used the online survey tracker which helped in the count of votes. The week ended with the most awaited fresher's party which showed an immense support from the students.

The overall motive of the college was to provide a comforting and more of an easy environment to its students by welcoming them on a joyful note which also had mind whopping sessions by great mentors. The orientation week is an absolute effort from the university to its students for the beginning of their journey in this new venture of life.

Surely the budding steps took their trails to the new mountains which were left unexplored for a while.



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