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REGIONAL CENTRE KHANNA





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From the Desk of the Senior Regional Director



We are pleased to release the first newsletter for the period July to September 2025 showcasing the various activities organized by the IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna. The Regional Centre is committed to provide quality education to all in the society and contribute significantly for having an inclusive education society. Effective and efficient use of technology is the strength of Regional Centre, Khanna for addressing grievances/queries of the learners and strengthening Learner Support Centres under its jurisdiction. The real challenge in the present context is to empower the youth to enable them to contribute significantly through ODL system for the betterment of society.

Major focus in this duration was on providing better learner support services through different platforms. This included conducting face to face Grievance Redressal Camps at the Regional Centre besides the Online Student Grievance Redressal sessions, which are being organized every Thursday at 4.00 p.m. through Google Meet. The Term End Examination (TEE) June 2025 for theory papers commenced w.e.f. 12th June 2025 and continued till 19th July 2025. Eleven Examination centres were established for conducting the examination at different learner support centres. During TEE June 2025, 49990 sittings of different learners were registered out of which 43545 were recorded as appeared and 6445 noted as absent. Thus, the attendance during this examination was found to be 87.10%. Term End Practical Examination along with viva voce for Internships, Projects, Dissertations etc. were also successfully completed. During this period, 40866 Assignments of different Programmes were received, out of which 35895 were evaluated. Awards of Assignments transmitted to the Student Evaluation Division (SED) till date were 34803 for Term End Examination June 2025.

Pre-admission counselling sessions (Online) were conducted by the academics of Regional Centre, as the admission process for the July 2025 session was going on. Fresh admission session commenced from 6th June 2025 while the Re-registration (RR) had already started on 15th May 2025. Induction programme was conducted for the learners of Certificate in Professional Development of Teachers (CPDT) Programme wherein teachers of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas (JNV) took admission in the 7th batch. Besides this, first batch of Workshop was also conducted through face-to-face mode for these teachers at National Leadership Institute (NLI), Amritsar from 8 - 12 September 2025.

(Dr. Santosh Kumari) Senior Regional Director

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Activities

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a. Pre-admission Counselling

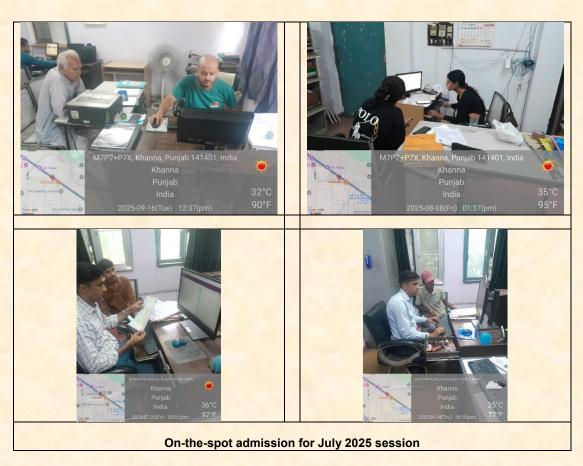
With the commencement of admission cycle of July 2025 session, RC Khanna planned to conduct ONLINE School-wise Pre-admission Counselling Sessions so that the prospective learners get to know about the Programmes which are being offered by the different Schools of Studies through ODL/Online mode in the IGNOU system. The academics of the Regional Centre conducted these sessions as per details given below:

| Date | Topic | Resource Person |
|----------|---|---|
| 26/09/25 | Credit Transfer Scheme in IGNOU | Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |
| 17/09/25 | Master's Degree Programmes | Dr. Manju Goel, RD |
| 10/09/25 | Programmes offered by School of Journalism & New Media Studies (SOJNMS) | Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |
| 29/08/25 | Additional Guidelines for DECE Project Work | Admission Section |
| 27/08/25 | Job oriented Master's Degree Programmes offered by IGNOU | Dr. Manju Goel, RD |
| 22/08/25 | PG/Diploma Programmes offered by School of Education (SOE) | Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. RD |
| 13/08/25 | How to create Distance Education Bureau DEB ID | Admission Section |
| 11/08/25 | Various MBA Programmes offered by IGNOU | Dr. Manju Goel, RD |
| 07/08/25 | Programmes offered by School of Humanities (SOH) | Dr. Manju Goel, RD |
| 01/08/25 | Post Graduate (PG) Programmes offered by School of Social Sciences (SOSS) | Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |
| 25/07/25 | PG Diploma Programmes offered by IGNOU | Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |
| 21/07/25 | Diploma Programmes offered by IGNOU | Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |
| 18/07/25 | Certificate Programmes offered by IGNOU | Dr. Manju Goel, RD |
| 04/07/25 | Professional Undergraduate Programmes | Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. RD & Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |
| 03/07/25 | Bachelor of Arts (BAM) Programme | Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. RD & Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD |



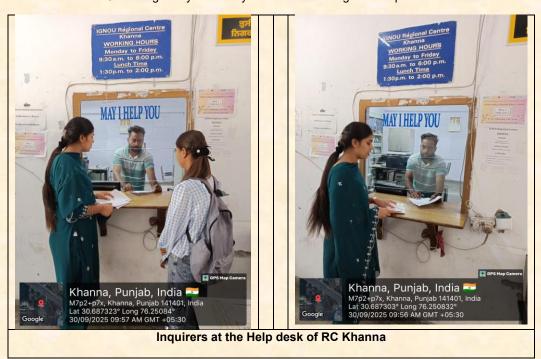
b. On-the-spot admission for the prospective learners

With the commencement of admission cycle of July 2025 session, many prospective learners were facing difficulty for creating the ABC ID as well as DEB ID. We were receiving a number of queries in this regard. To resolve the queries/problems of the learners, we decided to conduct on-the-spot admission w.e.f. 3rd July 2025. We received an encouraging response from the applicants. In this quarter, 158 application forms were filled online through the Samarth Portal by the staff of Regional Centre, Khanna thereby providing support services to the prospective learners.



c. Face to face & telephonic Guidance

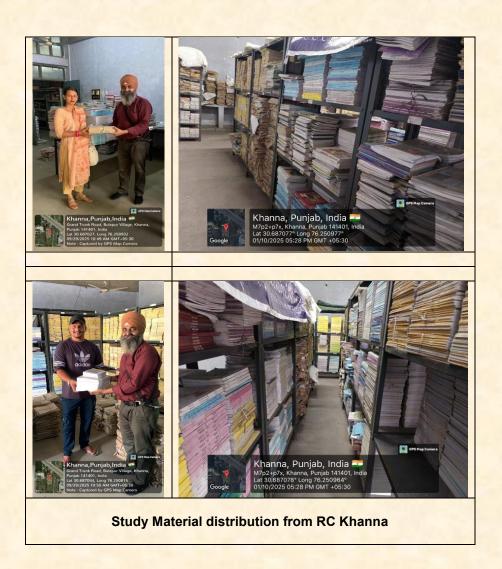
Prospective learners and inquirers were given support services related to July 2025 admissions from the *May I Help You* desk situated at the entrance of the RC building. They were very satisfied with the guidance provided to them.



Study Material Distribution

Despatch/Handing over of the Study Material from the Warehouse of Regional Centre, Khanna

A Warehouse was established in the premises of IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna in the year 2008-09 for keeping the IGNOU Study Material. Initially, the books were despatched to the learners through the Study Centres as well as the Regional Centre. Later on, the Warehouses of RC Chandigarh and RC Shimla were also established in the office of Regional Centre, Khanna itself and the responsibility was given to RC Khanna to despatch the study material. The distribution of Study Material was centralised after 2017 and distribution of Study Material started from the MPDD directly. In spite of this, RC Khanna has been entrusted with the responsibility of despatching the study material to the learners continuously as we receive the data for despatching the study material to the learners and also gunny bags are received continuously from IGNOU HQs. As per the data received from the Material Production & Distribution Division, IGNOU, New Delhi, during the quarter, we despatched the study material to the learners from the warehouse of RC Khanna. 96 packets of Study Material were despatched/distributed during this period.



Academic Counselling

a. Online/Offline Counselling Sessions at the LSCs

Different LSCs conducted Online as well as Offline academic counselling sessions in this quarter.

| S. No. | Programme | LSC | No. of sessions | Mode |
|--------|---------------|------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1 | PGDIBO | 2200 | 13 | Virtual |
| 2 | BCA/MCA/PGDCA | 2206 | 46 | Face to face |
| 3 | DECE | 2206 | 22 | Face to face |
| 4 | B.Sc. Nursing | 2209 | 124 | Face to face |
| 5 | DECE | 2299 | 40 | Virtual |
| 6 | MAPC | 2299 | 06 | Face to face |
| 7 | BLIS | 2299 | 12 | Face to face |

b. Counselling conducted by RC-LSC (2200)

i) Online Induction Meeting of CPDT learners for July 2025 session

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna conducted an Online Induction Meeting on 25th August 2025 for the seventh batch of learners who have taken admission in six months Programme – Certificate in Professional Development of Teachers (CPDT). The Deputy Commissioner of National Leadership Institute (NLI), Amritsar also participated in this meeting. The learners were made aware about the theory counselling sessions, process of submission of assignments, School Based Activities, Workshop activities and Examination. 106 learners, who are teachers from Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas, participated in this Induction Meeting.



ii) Conduct of Theory Counselling Sessions

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna conducted Online Theory Counselling Sessions for the learners of CPDT Programme enrolled in July 2025 session. Ten sessions were conducted by academic counsellors for the course codes BES-061, BES-062 and BES-063 from 26th August to 1st September 2025.



iii) Conduct of CPDT Workshop at National Leadership Institution (NLI), Amritsar

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna organised first batch of Workshop during 8 – 12 September 2025 at National Leadership Institution (NLI), Amritsar for CPDT learners enrolled in July 2025 session. Remaining two batches will be conducted in October and November 2025.



c. LIVE Channel Based Teaching

LIVE Channel Based Teaching sessions (in regional language Punjabi) started from 10th January 2022 on all working days from 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. through SWAYAMPRABHA Channel from the studio established at IGNOU RC Khanna. The Teaching sessions are being conducted in the disciplines of Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Political Science, History, Public Administration etc. under UG Programmes.

A total of 869 Sessions have been held during the period from 10th January 2022 to 30th September 2025. However, the number of sessions conducted during this quarter. from 1st July 2025 to 30th September 2025 were 63.



Conduct of Term End Examination (Theory)

a. Conduct and Monitoring of Term End Examination June 2025

IGNOU Learner Support Centres conduct Term End Examination in June & December every year. Ten Examination Centres were established for conducting the June 2025 Term End Examination (TEE) during June-July 2025. The details of the sittings of examinees during TEE June 2025 are given below:

| Exam Centre Code | Name of Exam Centre | No. of Sittings of learners | Appeared | Absent |
|------------------|--|-----------------------------|----------|--------|
| 2202 | Baring Union Christian College, Batala | 1570 | 1298 | 272 |
| 2204 | DAV College, Bathinda | 6971 | 5994 | 977 |
| 2205 | DAV College of Education, Amritsar | 5976 | 5018 | 958 |
| 2206 | Guru Nanak Girls College, Ludhiana | 13787 | 12249 | 1538 |
| 2212 | Doaba College, Jalandhar | 7034 | 5994 | 1040 |
| 2216 | DAV College, Hoshiarpur | 1421 | 1209 | 212 |
| 2225 | Nehru Memorial Govt. College, Mansa | 3897 | 3448 | 449 |
| 2283 | Gobindgarh Public College, Alour, Khanna | 3365 | 3010 | 355 |
| 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam | 2558 | 2239 | 319 |
| 22100 | Sant Kabir College, Zira | 3411 | 3086 | 325 |





Dr. Manju Goel, Regional Director monitoring the TEE June 2025 at Exam Centres 2225 & 2283





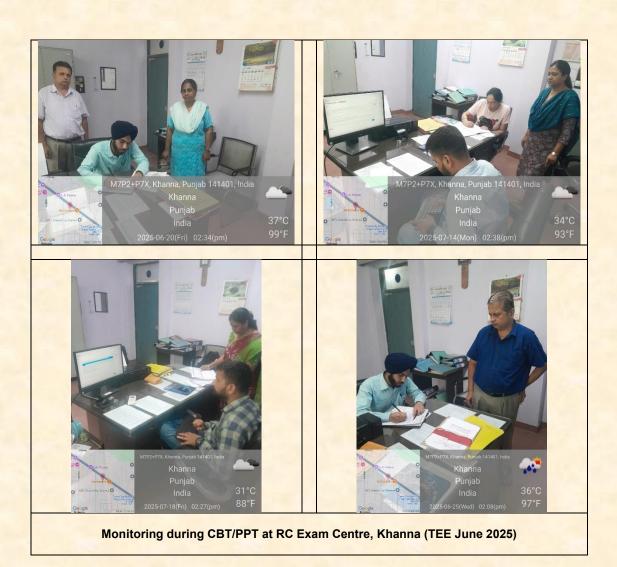
Dr. Pramesh Chandra, Assistant Regional Director monitoring the TEE June 2025 at Exam Centres 2205 & 2206



Sh. Papu Singh, Deputy Registrar monitoring the TEE June 2025 at Exam Centres 2225 & 2299

b. Computer Based Test (CBT)/ Paper & Pen Test (PPT) for TEE June 2025

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna was established as an Examination Centre with RC-SC Code 2200 to conduct Computer Based Test from 19th June to 18th July 2025 for Term End Examination June 2025.



Conduct of Term End Examination (Practical)

a. Practical Examination at various exam centres

Term End Practical Examination June 2025 was conducted at the Learner Support Centres for the various Programmes as per details given below:

| Date | Programme | Exam Centre Code | Exam Centre Name |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| 26/07/2025 to 26/08/2025 | MCA/BCA/PGDCA_NEW/CBS | 2206 | Guru Nanak Girls College, Ludhiana |
| 28/07/2025 | CPY | 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam |
| 28/07/2025 to 30/07/2025 | MSCIS/PGDIS | 2206 | Guru Nanak Girls College, Ludhiana |
| 29/07/2025 | DMOP | 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam |
| 06/08/2025 to 08/08/2025 | CPLT | 2216 | DAV College, Hoshiarpur |
| 10/08/2025 | MAJMC | 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam |
| 10/08/2025 & 11/08/2025 | PGDAC | 2206 | Guru Nanak Girls College, Ludhiana |
| 12/08/2025 | BLIS | 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam |
| 19/08/2025 | MSCIS | 2206 | Guru Nanak Girls College, Ludhiana |
| 24/08/2025 | MAPC | 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam |
| 25/08/2025 & 26/08/2025 | PGJMC | 2212 | Doaba College, Jalandhar |
| 14/09/2025 | BAPCH | 2299 | Nirman Campus, Sunam |

b. Monitoring of MAPC Term End Practical Examination/Viva-voce

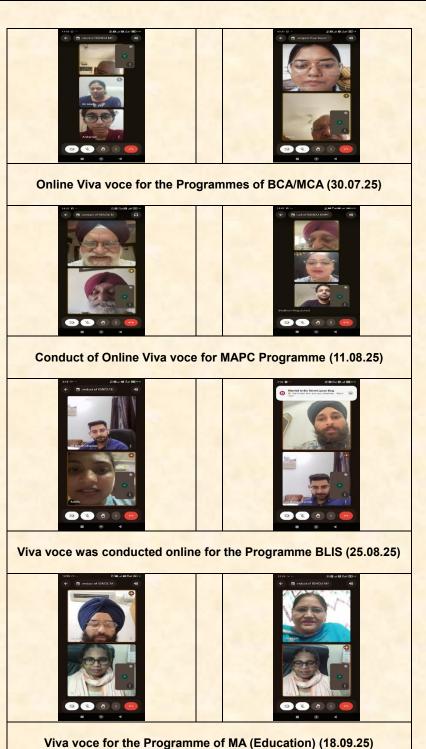
IGNOU Regional Centre conducted the MAPC Term End Practical Examination June 2025 on 24th August 2025 at IGNOU Examination Centre, Nirman Campus, Sunam (2299). Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD was deputed to monitor the Practical Examination as well as viva voce. The External Examiner was Dr. Navdeep Singh Tung, Retired Professor (Psychology), Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.



c. Conduct of Online viva voce for TEE June 2025

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna conducted viva voce for Projects, Internships, Dissertations, etc. for different Programmes as per the following details:

| Date | Programme | Course Code | No. of Learners |
|------------|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| 30.07.2025 | BCA | BCSP - 064 | 08 |
| 30.07.2025 | MCA/MCA_NEW | MCSP - 064, MCSP - 232 | 07 |
| 11.08.2025 | MAPC | MPCE – 15/25 | 21 |
| 11.08.2025 | MAPC | MPCE - 16/26 | 03 |
| 25.08.2025 | BLIS | BLII – 230 | 12 |
| 18.09.2025 | MAEDU | MESP - 001 | 06 |



Grievance Redressal Mechanism

| S. No. | Mode | Queries | | |
|--------|---------------------------------------|---------|-----------|--------------|
| | | July 25 | August 25 | September 25 |
| 1 | IGRAM (online) | 334 | 301 | 426 |
| 2 | Face to face (May I Help You Desk) | 461 | 306 | 325 |
| 3 | Telephonic | 1842 | 1609 | 1790 |

Email IDs for providing support to inquirers/learners

inquirykhanna@gmail.com (General queries)

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projectrckhanna@gmail.com (Project, internship, dissertation etc. related queries)

a. Grievance Redressal Camps (Face to face) (Monthly)

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna organises Offline Grievance Redressal Camps on monthly basis. During this quarter, these camps were conducted on 14th July 2025, 29th August 2025 and 11th September 2025 in the campus of Regional Centre, Khanna. The queries/grievances regarding different IGNOU Programmes, Fresh Admission, Re-registration, Counselling Sessions (Theory/Practical), Conduct of Examination, Learner Support Centres, Study Material, Assignment Submission, Non-declaration of results, etc. were resolved by the officers of the Regional Centre.





Resolving the grievances/queries on IGNOU Admissions/Counselling Sessions by Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. RD and Dr. Manju Goel, RD (14.07.25)





Grievance Redressal Camp on July 2025 Admission Cycle (29.08.25)

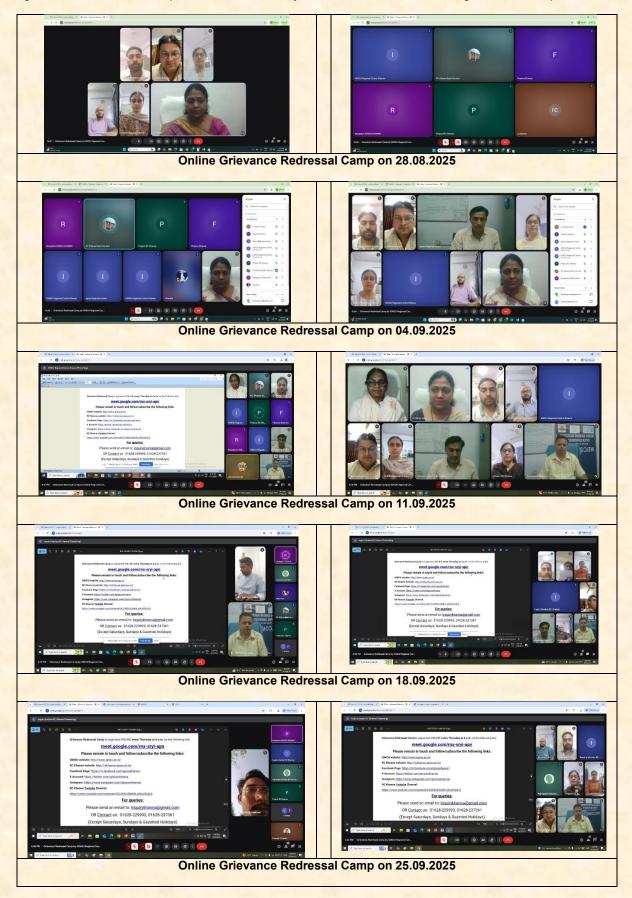




Grievance Redressal Camp & awareness on the importance of cleanliness under Swachhata Pakhwada campaign (11.09.25)

b. Grievance Redressal Camp (Online) (Weekly)

Online Grievance Redressal Camps are conducted every Thursday from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. (**meet.google.com/rnx-sryi-apn**). This link has also been uploaded on Social Media platforms of RC Khanna for dissemination of the information about conducting this online Grievance Redressal Camp on weekly basis. The learners joined through the online mode and their queries/grievances were noted and processed for necessary action. Academics from the Regional Centre supervise this activity.



Conduct of Admission Counselling for Post Basic B.Sc. (Nursing) January 2025 session

Admission Counselling for the Post Basic B.Sc. (Nursing) Programme was conducted at IGNOU RC Khanna on 30.09.2025. The staff of IGNOU RC Khanna and Nursing Experts from the LSC(P) College of Nursing, Christian Medical College (CMC), Ludhiana were present in this counselling.



Interaction with the Learner Support Centres

Conduct of Coordinators' Meeting

A Coordinators' Meeting was conducted in ONLINE mode on 23rd July 2025 from 3:00 p.m. onwards. All the staff members of IGNOU RC Khanna along with the Coordinators of the LSCs of Punjab region under RC Khanna participated in the meeting. Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD welcomed all the participants. The meeting started with IGNOU Kulgeet. After this, Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. Regional Director delivered a formal welcome address and highlighted the points viz. commencement of the new Admission session of July 2025, creation of ABC & DEB ID, conduct of pre-admission counselling sessions, Grievance Redressal camps, etc.

Dr. Manju Goel, Regional Director sensitized the Coordinators to submit the Awards of evaluated Assignments for Term End Examination June 2025 timely.

Dr. Pramesh Chandra, ARD asked all the Coordinators to activate more and more Programmes as per the local needs. Sh. Papu Singh, Deputy Registrar advised the Coordinators to submit the recoupment bills in time. After this, the queries of the Coordinators were resolved and their feedback was taken. The meeting concluded with the Vote of Thanks.



Conduct of Webinar

National Webinar on

"NEP 2020's vision for Interdisciplinary Innovation and Cross-Sector Entrepreneurship"

On the occasion of the celebration of 5th Anniversary of National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna conducted a National Webinar on 29.07.2025. The Keynote Speaker was Prof. (Dr.) Chandra Bhushan Sharma, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribag, Jharkhand.

Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. Regional Director welcomed the guest speaker, Coordinators, Principals, learners, academic counsellors, Staff of Regional Centre, Khanna and other RCs. She made all the participants aware on the vision of NEP 2020. The policy emphasizes on breaking down rigid boundaries between disciplines, aiming to cultivate well-rounded individuals capable of creative problem-solving, critical thinking, and innovation. She introduced the participants about the key features of the policy such as:

- √ Flexible curriculum structures
- ✓ Multidisciplinary Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)
- ✓ Multiple Entry and Exit points
- ✓ Holistic and Multidisciplinary Education
- ✓ Focus on Research and Innovation.

During his speech, the Keynote speaker highlighted that we Indians have to feel very proud that in the present policy, all the aspects have been incorporated which were not taken into consideration in the past for example the value of Interdisciplinary, Multidisciplinary, Education on Hands on Training, knowledge of Artisan, Vocationalization of education and the value of Music and Dance along with other subjects in our education system.

During his presentation, he informed that Ancient India was the Vishwa-Guru in the world with its rich culture, heritage, education and economy, in the field of science, social science and technology. People used to visit India from other countries to get education in our famous Universities like Nalanda and Takshila.

To sum up his talk, he emphasized that for the progress of our society, there should be a close connectivity between the knowledge economy and the labour economy.



Extension

Outreach

Activities

Meeting with the staff of Jagat Guru Nanak Dev State Open University, Patiala (08/08/2025)

The staff of Jagat Guru Nanak Dev State Open University, Patiala visited on 8th August 2025 at IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna. The purpose of their visit was to know the functioning of IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna.



Meeting with the employees of Jagat Guru Nanak Dev State Open University, Patiala (08.08.2025)

In-house meeting on utilizing Social Media platforms (08/08/2025)

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna conducts in-house meetings on regular basis. On 8th August 2025, the agenda of the meeting was to utilize and promote Social Media Platforms like Facebook, X, Instagram, YouTube Channel of RC Khanna vigorously.



Orientation of RC Staff

An Orientation Programme was conducted by the Finance Section of IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna on 26.08.2025. Sh. Papu Singh, Deputy Registrar conducted an orientation session for Mrs. Jaswinder Kaur, Assistant Section Officer and other staff about conducting the activities of Finance Section.



Campaign during Independence Day

Har Ghar Swachhata

To commemorate the sacrifices made by the warriors/freedom fighters for getting India free from Britishers, various activities were conducted during the month of August 2025. As an activity during observance of Independence Day, Plantation Drive was conducted during the month. On 12th August 2025, saplings were planted in premises of RC Khanna.

On 14th and 15th August 2025, saplings were planted in the premises of the Govt. High School, Bulepur and in the park of the village Bulepur respectively, which falls under the adopted village under UBA.

The purpose of conducting this activity was:

- ❖ To promote awareness about environmental protection
- To contribute towards the fight against the climate change
- To instill a sense of responsibility among citizens especially youth and students
- To enhance the beauty of the office environment

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IGNOU RC Khanna staff plant the saplings during 'Har Ghar Swachhata' Campaign (12.08.2025)





Principal along with Students plant the saplings during 'Har Ghar Tiranga' Campaign (14.08.2025)





Sarpanch along with other Panchayat Members and Villagers of Bulepur during Plantation Activities on 79th Independence Day (15.08.2025)

Har Ghar Tiranga Rally/Yatra on Independence Day

On Wednesday, 13th August 2025, 'Har Ghar Tiranga' rally was organized by IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna. All the staff members and students participated in this Rally/Yatra. The rally started from the campus of RC Khanna by holding the Tricolour Flags and led this rally towards G.T. Road, Khanna.

Patriotic slogans and songs were sung by all the participants. The yatra/rally was a symbolic movement to unite citizens, honour freedom fighters and deepen the emotional connection of every Indian with the National Flag.









Staff and Students of RC Khanna participating in 'Har Ghar Tiranga' Rally (13.08.2025)

Pledge on Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan

Pledge was taken by the staff members of IGNOU RC Khanna for 'Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan' on Wednesday, 13th August 2025.





Awareness about 'Har Ghar Tiranga' Campaign

Govt. High School, Bulepur was visited by the staff of RC Khanna on Thursday, 14th August 2025. This school is situated in UBA adopted village, Bulepur, Khanna. The staff and the Principal of the School also participated in this programme. The students were addressed by Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. Regional Director. During her address, she informed the students about the importance of the Tiranga (Indian National Flag). She also made the students aware that Tiranga represents the unity of India's people, cultures and traditions. It reminds us of the sacrifices made by the freedom fighters for our Independence. Flags were also distributed among the students.









Awareness among the students of Govt. High Schol, Bulepur, Khanna about 'Har Ghar Tiranga' Campaign (14.08.2025)

Flag Hoisting Ceremony on 79th Independence Day

79th Independence Day was celebrated at IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna on 15th August, 2025. On the occasion of Independence Day, the staff members of IGNOU RC, Khanna participated in this function with full gaiety, fervour and enthusiasm. Flag hoisting ceremony was organized and the tricolour was unfurled by the Senior Regional Director, Dr. Santosh Kumari.









Flag Hoisting Ceremony on 79th Independence Day (15.08.2025)

Conduct of Gram Sabha on 79th Independence Day

On 79th Independence Day, after the flag hoisting ceremony, the staff of RC Khanna visited the UBA adopted village Bulepur, Khanna on 15.08.2025. The Sarpanch of the village along with other Panchayat Members, Villagers and the Students participated in Gram Sabha with full vigour and enthusiasm. All the participants were made aware about the sacrifices made by our Freedom Fighters for making India free and independent from Colonial Rule and Operation. A Quiz was also organized with the students on 79th Independence Day. Flags were distributed to the Sarpanch, other Panchayat Members, Villagers and Students. Sweets were distributed among the participants.



Observance of Swachhata Pakhwada 2025

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna organised Plantation drive. The learners were also engaged in this Plantation activity and were made aware about the importance of cleanliness under the Swachhata Pakhwada Campaign 2025.



Plantation in the campus of RC Khanna by the students and the staff under Swachhata Pakhwada (11.09.2025)

Slogan Writing/ Poster Making Competition on Swachhata Pakhwada (12th September 2025)

A slogan writing/ Poster Making competition on Swachhata Pakhwada was conducted at IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna on Friday, 12th September 2025. All the staff members and students of RC Khanna participated in this activity.

The slogans were written on the following themes:

- Use of Swadeshi Goods by the consumers
- Avoid eating Packaged/Fast Foods and Beverages like Pizza, Burger, Chips, Kurkure, Cold Drinks etc.
- > In the slogans, the emphasis was given on drinking of Lemon water, Pitcher water, Buttermilk, etc.



Students and staff of IGNOU RC Khanna participating in Slogan Writing/Poster making Competition on Swachhata Pakhwada (12.09.2025)



Displaying the Slogan Writing/Poster making after the completion of the activity (12.09.2025)

Swachhata Rally with Slogans/Posters (12th September 2025)

A Swachhata Rally was conducted at IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna on Friday, 12th September 2025. All the staff members and students of RC Khanna participated in this activity. This rally was conducted from the premises of IGNOU RC Khanna to the G.T. Road, Khanna covering UBA adopted village Bulepur. Slogans were raised by the participants on the use of Swadeshi Goods and avoidance of foreign products and also on keeping our environment healthy, clean and green.

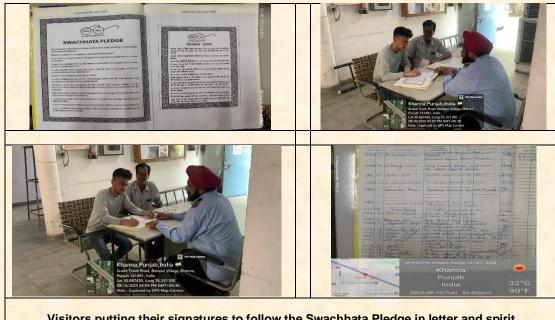


Conduct of Swachhata Rally by the staff and the students of RC Khanna from the premises of Regional Centre to the G.T. Road, Khanna covering UBA adopted village Bulepur.

Slogans were raised by the participants during the rally (12.09.2025)

Signature Campaign on Swachhata Pledge (Starting from 12th September 2025)

Under RC Innovation Club activities, IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna started a Signature Campaign w.e.f. 12th September 2025 by opening a register in the Regional Centre. Swachhata Pledge (both in English and Hindi languages) has been pasted in the register and the inquirers/learners visiting the Regional Centre put their signature after going through the pledge. They are encouraged to keep the environment Clean & Green and also motivated to advise their friends/relatives to give their contribution by keeping their surroundings, work place, School, College and their community clean, green and pollution free.



Visitors putting their signatures to follow the Swachhata Pledge in letter and spirit

Swachhata awareness campaign at Govt. Middle School, Kauri, UBA adopted village (15th September 2025)

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna conducted an Awareness Programme during Swachhata Pakhwada among the students of Govt. Middle School, Village: Kauri, Tehsil: Khanna, District: Ludhiana on 15th September 2025. This school is situated in UBA adopted village Kauri.

The Head of School was present on this occasion along with some teachers. Due to the ongoing rainy season, the gathering was made aware about the fact that they should not leave any unused vessels in their surroundings which is filled with unused/rainy water so as to prevent mosquito breeding.



Sh. Papu Singh, Deputy Registrar made the students aware about the cleanliness of the surroundings.



Dr. Santosh Kumari, Sr. Regional Director introduced the concept of Swachhta Pakhwada to the students and made them aware about the benefits of using Swadeshi Goods.



Dr. Manju Goel, Regional Director encouraged the students to take care of their health by taking nutritious diet.

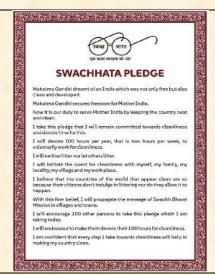


Promotional material i.e. Pamphlets (in Punjabi) about IGNOU Programmes being distributed among the students

Taking of the Pledge by the staff and students on Swachhata Pakhwada, Swahhata Hi Seva and Swachhotasav 2025

IGNOU Regional Centre, Khanna administered the Swachhata Pledge on Swachhata Pakhwada on 11/09/2025 and on Swachhata Hi Seva on 18/09/2025. Also administered the E-Pledge on Swachhotasav on 18/09/2025.





Swachhata Pakhwada Pledge taken by staff and students (11.09.25)





Swachhata Hi Seva Pledge taken by RC staff (18.09.25)





Swachhotsav E-Pledge (18.09.25)

Repair/Maintenance of Regional Centre building under Swachhotasav 2025

Regional Centre building, taken on lease from Department of Technical Education & Industrial Training, Govt. of Punjab, needs maintenance from time to time. As a consequence of heavy rains during the months of July & August this year, the ceilings of the rooms on the first floor developed the problem of water leakage.

The roofs were got repaired under Swachhotasav campaign 2025. The ladies' toilet on the first floor was also repaired since the female staff/students were facing difficulty as the toilet was not fully functional.

There was a big hole in the premises of the office which was also got repaired.



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