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### Awareness Program on Student Startup and Innovation Policy At M. J. Swaminarayan School, Somanath

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Student Start-up Innovation Policy (SSIP) programmers is an initiative by education department of Gujarat to support more than 1.4 million students of the state and help them innovate and start up early in their college days.

The seminar on "An Awareness Program on SSIP" was organized at M. J. Swaminarayan School, Somanath by Dr. Subhash University on 3<sup>rd</sup> march, 2023. All faculty member and 253 students had attended this seminar. Respected Principal present during the awareness seminar to encourage the students to bring out their creativity to unleash their potential to end up with a start-up. In this seminar we elaborate SSIP in brief, how it's beneficial for students and also discussed future planning of making success in SSIP. Some of the student's discussed their ideas regarding innovation.

The entire awareness program was delivered by faculty member of Dr. Subhash University, Junagadh. Prof. Prof. Jigar V. Bhalodiya has introduced about SSIP Policy, aim and objectives of State Government through implementation of SSIP etc.., and delivered a session on basic about startups and Entrepreneurship, how novel idea can be converted to Startup etc., and also discussed about various phrases required for innovation, our contribution to region, state and national economy through startups and innovation etc., and also explained students about our role and functions, provision supports through nodal institute, screening of novel idea etc.

The last session of awareness program was about interaction with students. Many of them have taken interest and ask variety of questions about SSIP policy. Students have raise questions specially based on technology oriented innovations. Some students have inquired about participation criterion, eligibility, content required at the time of idea screening etc.

Faculty members from the **M. J. Swaminarayan School, Somanath** have taken special interest for this pioneer program of government of Gujarat. Some of them have discussed about students novel projects which contain novel concepts. Many of them have also discussed about their current research work, how they can be a part of SSIP work, Supports and Provisions through state government etc.

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