

SSIP Awareness Program for the First-year students of Mechanical Engineering organized by SSIP/IIC VGEC

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The Student Startup and Innovation Policy (SSIP) is a significant initiative to foster student innovation and entrepreneurship. To ensure the successful implementation of this policy, it is crucial to sensitize the students for nurturing the innovative capabilities of students. To foster the culture of innovation and start-up, SSIP cell VGEC conducted a session for the first year students as following schedule. The program was started with the information on the policy and presented and discussed various topics such as overview of SSIP: History, objectives, and key components, Importance of innovation and entrepreneurship in education, Overview of resources available for teachers and students under SSIP at VGEC and how VGEC can provide the support as a grantee institute to students for SSIP projects, and Collaboration opportunities with industry and higher education institutions. This event left an indelible mark on the journey of innovation, start-up and entrepreneurship.

Key Features:

- **Organizing Department:** SSIP/ECELL & Mechanical Engineering Department, VGEC Chandkheda
- **Date:** 27/06/2024 and 09/08/2024
- **Venue:** M-103
- **No. of Participants:** 36
- **Faculty Coordinators:** Prof. K T Dodiya and Prof. V A Thakar

Learning Lessons:

- Importance of innovation and entrepreneurship in education
- overview of SSIP: History, objectives, and key components
- Overview of resources available for teachers and students under SSIP at VGEC and how VGEC can provide support as a grantee institute to students for SSIP projects
- Provision of financial support for student-led projects under the SSIP policy
- Facilitation of collaboration and idea exchange among students and teachers
- Promotion of a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship within the school through innovation clubs
- Demonstrated various activities/projects completed by VGEC, SSIP cell

Glimpses:





