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A Report on

“Organizing Innovation & Entrepreneurship Outreach Program in Schools”

(Academic Session: 2024-25)

Organizing Committee:

Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) & SSIP
IAR

Event Coordinator:

Dr. Jyotin Kateshia, Asst. Prof., DCSE
SSIP Coordinator, IAR

Date of the Event:

24th Feb, 2025



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Name of the Event	Organizing Innovation & Entrepreneurship Outreach Program in School	
Event Type (Co-curricular/ Extra-curricular)	Extra-curricular	
Platform	Offline	
Date, Time & Place:	24 th Feb 2025 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM SAFAL VIDYALAYA, Sector 22, Gandhinagar, Gujarat 382022	
Total Number of participants:	Participants from IAR: Faculty from Institute: Dr. Jyotin Kateshia (Associate Professor, DCSE, IAR cum SSIP Coordinator)	59 Students from the school actively participated and discussed doubts.
Guest/Expert invited	NA	
Media coverage	NA	
Link to session on online platform	NA	
Payment advice from the Accounts department:	NA	
Sponsoring authority	Institute of Advanced Research (IAR)	



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Expert (Internal): Dr. Jyotin Kateshia – Assistant Professor, DCSE (SSIP Coordinator)

Brief biography of the expert:

Dr. Jyotin Kateshia is an Assistant Professor in the Computer Department at IAR, Gandhinagar where he has been actively contributing since the past 2 years. With a robust background in academics and research, Dr. Jyotin brings over a decade of teaching experience to his role, enriching the academic environment with his deep knowledge and innovative teaching methodologies.

In addition to his teaching responsibilities, Dr. Jyotin serves as the SSIP (Student Startup and Innovation Policy) Coordinator for the institute. His expertise in the SSIP field spans 5 years, during which he has been instrumental in fostering entrepreneurship and innovation among students.

Dr. Jyotin holds his academic qualifications from Nirma University, where he earned his doctoral degree in Mechanical-Renewable Energy. Passionate about education and fostering a culture of innovation, Dr. Jyotin continues to inspire and mentor students, preparing them for successful careers in the dynamic field of computer science and entrepreneurship.

Brief overview of the Event:

On 24th February, 2025, an Innovation & Entrepreneurship Outreach Program was organized for students of SAFAL VIDYALAYA, Sector 22, Gandhinagar, Gujarat 382022, with the theme "How to Become an Entrepreneur." The event was conducted by Dr. Jyotin Kateshia - the SSIP coordinator of IAR and aimed at inspiring and educating students about entrepreneurship, innovation, and the support available through the Atal Tinkering Labs (ATL) and School Innovation Council (SIC).

The program was part of the broader initiative to engage students with innovation and entrepreneurship opportunities, especially focusing on the active role of Atal Tinkering Labs and SIC in fostering a culture of entrepreneurship and creative thinking. During the event, students were introduced to the basics of entrepreneurship, innovative thinking, and how to transform ideas into successful businesses. Dr. Jyotin Kateshia shared practical insights, success stories, and the resources available for students to turn their entrepreneurial dreams into reality.

The session aimed at providing students with a comprehensive understanding of what it takes to start a business, the skills required, and the mindset needed to succeed as an entrepreneur.



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Outcome of the Event:

The outreach event was highly successful, meeting its goal of educating students about entrepreneurship. Students were informed about the various SSIP initiatives and resources available to help them develop their ideas, including mentorship, funding opportunities, and workshops. The event encouraged students to think creatively and consider how they could innovate within various industries or sectors. Students gained a clear understanding of the entrepreneurship landscape and were encouraged to think creatively about starting their own ventures. Many students expressed newfound enthusiasm about pursuing entrepreneurial ventures and exploring business ideas they previously hadn't considered. Students benefited from the event, gaining insights into how they can get support from local entrepreneurs and apply innovative thinking in their own lives and businesses.

The workshops and interactive sessions were well-attended, with participants showing a keen interest in learning about entrepreneurial processes and innovative thinking. Students gained an understanding of what it means to be an entrepreneur and how they can start their own business. Many expressed enthusiasm about exploring entrepreneurial ideas.

Feedback from Attendees:

The students of SAFAL VIDYALAYA expressed great enthusiasm and appreciation for the Innovation & Entrepreneurship Outreach Program. They found Dr. Jyotin Kateshia's session both insightful and inspiring, especially the practical advice on how to transform innovative ideas into successful businesses. Many students were excited about the opportunities provided by Atal Tinkering Labs and the School Innovation Council, and they felt motivated to explore their entrepreneurial aspirations. The success stories shared during the event were particularly encouraging, helping them believe that their dreams could become a reality with the right mindset and skills. Overall, the session greatly enhanced their understanding of entrepreneurship and opened their eyes to new possibilities for their futures.

Report for Social Media: NA



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Glimpses of “Organizing Innovation & Entrepreneurship Outreach Program in School” held on 24th Feb, 2025:





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Media Coverage: NA

Link to the FB Page/Google Meet/YouTube etc.: NA

Acknowledgement –

The committee members acknowledge contribution of:

- Dr. Jyotin Kateshia for delivering Expert talk
- Director, IAR
- Registrar
- Dean Academics
- Dean Research
- Chief Coordinator SIP
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Enclosures:

- Annexure- A (Attendance sheet)

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- Office of Director and Registrar
- Office of Dean Research and Academics
- SSIP/IIC Coordinator

Signature

Dr. Jyotin Kateshia

Assistant Professor, DCSE, IAR

(Event Coordinator)

Date: 24-02-2025

Place: Gandhinagar



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Annexure – A

Attendance of Students:



Attendance of Students

Date: 24/02/2025

Name of Event: Visit to school.

Venue: Satul Vidyalay, Sec-22, Gjs.

Sr. No.	Name of Student	Signature
1	Kiradiya Poojank	
2	Jignesh Prajapati	
3	Dhruv Chaudhary	
4	Parth Nagar	
5	Heni Pansuriya	
6	Anvi Patel	
7	Harshi posekh	
8	Palak baktaniya	
9	Pseksha Prajapati	
10	Brajakta Vichare	
11	Tanisha Thakor	
12	Christian Nerya	
13	Mans Patel	
14	Siddhearth	
15	Rishi chondwani	
16	M. Kasim Shaikh	
17	Patel Heliben m.	
18	Rohit Chaurvi J.	
19	Thakor smit S.	
20	Patel gopal P.	



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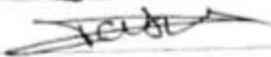

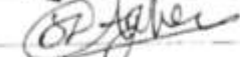
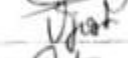
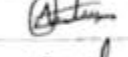

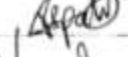
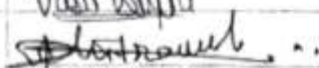

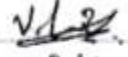



Sr. No.	Name of Student	Signature
21	Keyur Vadgama	Keyur v.
22	Sujal Shah	Sujal
23	Somesh Patel	Somesh
24	Meet Chauhan	Meet
25	Tejasvi Saraliya	Tejasvi
26	Poochi Rawal	Poochi
27	Vidhi Goswami	Vidhi
28	Vachhani Prachi	Vachhani
29	Dhruv Patel	Dhruv
30	Vaghela Ketan	Vaghela
31	HARSH PRAJAPATI	Harsh
32	Denish Ahul Pray	Denish
33	Drish Jain	Drish
34	Devam Karua	Devam
35	Yajun Dholakia	Yajun
36	Indrajeetsinh Parmar	Indrajeet
37	Dev Chavda	Devchavda
38	Rubel het	Rubel
39	Pamaya yug	Pamaya
40	Prince Patel	Prince

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41	Jainam D. Chowda	
42	Peter Vasu	
43	Prince Ravat	P. J. Ravat
44	Gaurya Bhadkolia	
45	Aghera Shubh J.	
46	Vagadiya Ujash R	
47	Aghara Tejas Y.	
48	Ved Patel	
49	Kanam Patel	
50	Vasu Saini	Vasu Saini
51	Chitransh Panchal	
52	Shashwat Mandali	Shashwat
53	Smit Thakar	Smit...
54	Shivang Panchal	
55	Harpara Vraj	
56	Padia Tejas H.	
57	Shrey Dave	
58	Shreshth Groti	
59	Arpan Sharma	