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Report: One Day Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)

The SSIP 2.0 and Innovation Club of Government Science College, Vadnagar, organized a comprehensive one-day Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)" on February 24, 2026. The seminar aimed to enlighten students about the legalities of protecting original ideas and the role of IPR in fostering a culture of innovation within the academic community.

The event was organized under the visionary guidance of **Dr. P.S. Patel**, Principal of GSC, Vadnagar. In his opening remarks, Dr. Patel emphasized that in the modern era of biotechnology and digital advancement, understanding "Intellectual Property" is as crucial as the research itself. He encouraged the participants to look beyond textbooks and aim for patentable innovations.

The invited expert speaker for the session was **Dr. V. R. Parmar**, from Pilvai Science College. Dr. Parmar, a seasoned expert in the field of institutional innovation, delivered an engaging and highly informative lecture.

Dr. Parmar's presentation was divided into three core segments:

- **Understanding IPR:** A deep dive into the definition of Intellectual Property and why it is vital for scientists and young entrepreneurs.
- **Patents & Copyrights:** Detailed explanation of the criteria for patentability (novelty, non-obviousness, and utility) and how copyright protects creative works.
- **The Patent Filing Process:** A step-by-step guide on how students can draft and file a patent application in India, including the role of the Indian Patent Office and Government support extended for start-ups.

A total of **24 selected students** participated in the seminar. The small group size allowed for an intensive interactive session. During the Q&A round, students raised pertinent questions regarding the "Biopiracy" of indigenous resources and the duration of protection offered by different IPR tools.

The event was meticulously organized and coordinated by **Dr. Neha A. Nandkeolyar**, Coordinator of the SSIP 2.0 and Innovation Club. The entire initiative was conducted under the able guidance and patronage of the Principal, **Dr. P.S. Patel**, whose continuous support is instrumental in promoting a culture of science, scientific temperament, logical reasoning, innovation and entrepreneurship within the college.



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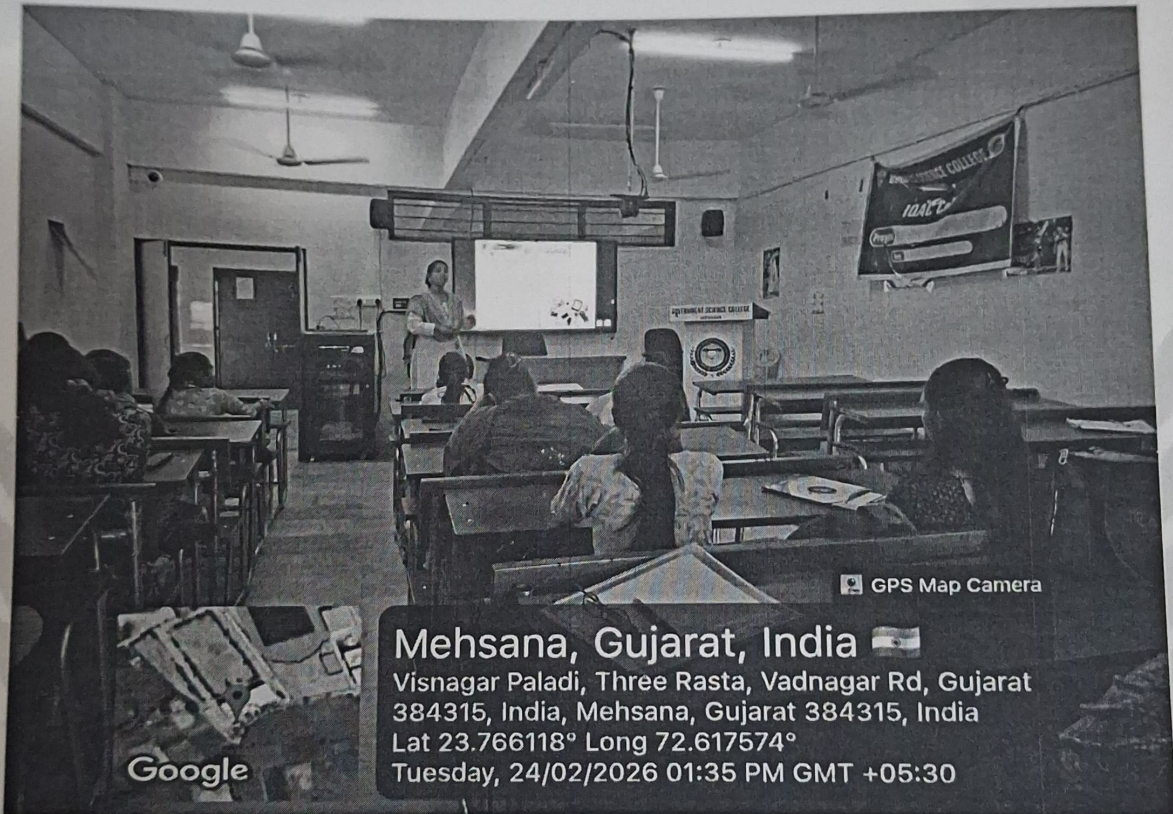
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