

Title of Workshop: Punjab di Lokdhara

Date -04 Dec., 2023

Time - 9: 00 am to 10:30 am

Venue - Shri Guru Harkrishan Khalsa Girls Senior Secondary School

Resource Person: Dr. Veenakshi Sharma (Assistant Professor, Department of Punjabi)

Convenor: Dr. Pooja (Assistant Professor, Department of Elementary Education)

Co-Convenors:

- Dr. Ravneet Kaur (Associate Professor, Department of Elementary Education)
- Mr. Ritesh Singh Tomar (Assistant Professor, Department of Elementary Education)

Teacher In-charge:

- Dr. Aarti Mathur, Teacher In-charge, Department of Elementary Education
- Dr. Gurjit Kaur, Teacher In-charge, Department of Punjabi

Under the School collaboration-SAHYOG Community outreach initiative, the Department of Elementary Education and Department of Punjabi, Mata Sundri College for Women, organized a Workshop on 04 Dec., 2023 for the students of Sri Guru Harkrishan Khalsa Girls Senior Secondary School. Dr. Veenakshi Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Punjabi conducted the workshop with XI-XII grade students. Dr. Pooja, Assistant Professors, Department of Elementary Education was the Convenor of the programme. Dr. Ravneet Kaur, Associate Professor and Mr. Ritesh Singh Tomar, Assistant Professor, from Department of Elementary Education were the Co-convenors of the programme. Dr. Aarti Mathur, Teacher In-charge, Department of Elementary Education and Dr. Gurjit Kaur, Teacher In-charge, Department of Punjabi facilitated smooth conduction of the event. A total of 46 students attended the workshop in the school. The event was organized to provide students insights into the contours of Punjab di Lokdhara. The rich culture of Punjab and its Lokdhara was brought alive by the resource person where she shared the sayings, metaphors, folksongs and folktales of Punjab. The resource person also emphasized how the history of Punjab dovetails with its food, clothing, work culture and so forth. The colours of Punjabi culture were brought forth the participants of the workshop when the gidida team of the students performed gidida during the workshop. It left all the participants spellbound and the energy generated by the students of Mata Sundri College. The Resource Person concluded the session by emphasizing the significance of remaining rooted and connected to one's rich cultural heritage.