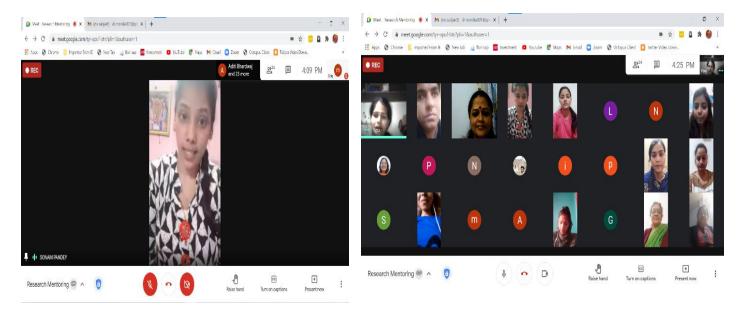
## **REPORT**

## Research Mentoring Session

An online Inter- disciplinary research mentoring session was organized by the Department of Sanskrit on 18th February 2021 at 2p.m. The topic of the research mentoring session was "Some Endangered festivals and their importance". The department of Sanskrit, department of Urdu and department of Punjabi participated in the Inter- disciplinary research paper presentation. Faculty of the department, Dr. Harsha Kumari, introduced the topic. The students of Second and Third year presented their paper on various topics like- rituals related to birds and animals. They also described the importance of various creatures such as crows, snakes, cows and the calf. They also discussed the significance of Govardhan puja, Yam dwitiya and other many festivals that are celebrated around the time of Diwali.



The senior faculty of Urdu department, Dr. Iffat Zarrin, discussed that the culture of India and islam are totally merged like ganga and Yamuna. Student of Urdu (hons) 2nd year, Pakiza Shaikh presented their paper on The scientific importance of some festivals of Indian culture.

Faculty of Punjabi Department, Dr. Harvinder Singh described the culture of Punjab and also discussed the teachings of Guru Nanak Dev. The student of Punjabi (hons) second year, Megha Bhatia presented her paper on the topic, Importance of traditional dress and jewellery of Punjab. A student of Punjabi, Ramandeep kaur, presented her paper on the topic "Nihang Singh aur unki boli", she has discussed about the nihang sena that

was created by Guru Gobind Singh who used code language as a means of communication during war which is getting extinct now.

The students of all three departments were present there and benefited from this session. The event ended successfully under the guidance of Dr. Harsha Kumari and successful hosting by Dr. Monika Mishra.