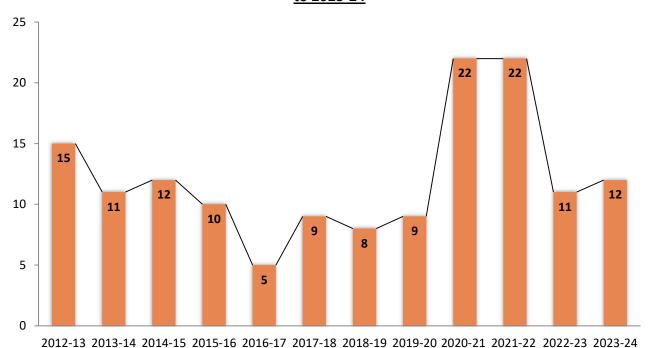
HRD Activities during in last Twelve Year (2012-13 to 2023-24)

Sl.		HRD Activities during last six years				
No.	Year	National	International	National/	Farmers	Student's
		Training	Training	Regional	Visit	Visit
		(Offline/		Workshop		
		Online)				
1.	2012-13	10	0	5	0	0
2.	2013-14	11	0	0	0	0
3.	2014-15	12	0	0	0	0
4.	2015-16	10	0	0	0	0
5.	2016-17	4	0	1	1	1
6.	2017-18	9	0	0	4	2
7.	2018-19	6	1	1	1	2
8.	2019-20	9	0	0	3	2
9.	2020-21	22	0	0	4	3
10.	2021-22	22	0	0	5	2
11.	2022-23	9	0	2	5	1
12.	2023-24	10	0	2	6	4
	Total	134	1	11	29	17

National/International Training/workshop (Offline/ Online) during 2012-13 to 2023-24



# National Seed Congress Organized by NSRTC, Varanasi

NSRTC organizes annual meet of scientists, officers, policy planners and all stakeholders of seed industry. The "National Seed Congress", a national forum to discuss the recent technological advancement, scientific research, exhibition on new technologies on different aspects of seed science for the cause of development of seed industry in the country and making it competitive globally.

Since inception, NSRTC organized "National Seed Congress in association with ICAR, SAU, State Seed Corporation and Certification Agencies at different parts of the country.

Sl. No.	National Seed Congress	Date	Venue
1.	1 <sup>st</sup> National Seed Congress	2008	Bengaluru
2.	2 <sup>nd</sup> National Seed Congress	2009	New Delhi
3.	3 <sup>rd</sup> National Seed Congress	2010	Pune
4.	4 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2011	Chandigarh
5.	5 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2012	Raipur
6.	6 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2013	Lucknow
7.	7 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2014	Bhopal
8.	8 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2015	Hyderabad
9.	9 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2019	Varanasi
10.	10 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2020	New Delhi
11.	11 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2022	Gwalior
12.	12 <sup>th</sup> National Seed Congress	2023	Aurangabad

Details of achievements (1st April, 2023 to 31st March, 2024) of NSRTC, Varanasi is given as below:

# i) <u>5% Re-testing programme:</u>

Under this programme, Twenty Two Thousand Six Hundred Seventy two (22672) seed samples have been received from various Seed Testing Laboratories (STLs) across the country and all the sample have tested & seed analysis reports have sent to the concerned laboratories.

# ii) Court referred samples:

Under this programme One Hundred Ninety Seven (197) seed samples have been received, tested and the reports have been sent to the concerned Judicial Magistrate.

# iii) ISTA Seed Samples:

Under this programme Nine (09) seed samples have been received from the International Seed Testing Association (ISTA), Switzerland. These samples have been verified, tested and their reports have been sent to ISTA.

# iv) HRD Activity:

1. Five days National Training Programme on "Advancement in Seed Testing" during August 07-11, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days



National Training programme on "Advancement in Seed Testing" during August 07th -11th, 2023 at NSRTC campus. The main objective of this National Training is to update the knowledge, skills and to provide hands on experience to Seed Testing personnel. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in seed testing

were delivere

d by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts. In addition to technical sessions, practical sessions were conducted at CSTL in which participants have completed their various practical's on seed testing. Participants were





also visited to International Rice Research Institute- South Asia Regional Centre, Collectry Farm, Varanasi and field of ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi (U.P.). Total twenty six (26) nos. of participants from

different sates were benefitted by this training programme.

Training was commenced on August 07th, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. Dr. S. K. Chakrabarty, Principal Scientist, Division of Seed Science & Technology IARI, Pusa, New Delhi and other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training Compendium and Certificates to participants by



the chief guest Dr. G. Balasubramani, Scientist, ICAR- Central Institute of Cotton Research, Nagpur, Maharashtra and guest of honour Dr. J. Amudha, Principal Scientist, ICAR- Central Institute of Cotton Research, Nagpur, Maharashtra.

# 2. Five days National Training Programme on "Seed Law Enforcement" during August 21-25, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.



National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National Training programme on "Seed Law Enforcement" during August 21<sup>st</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on various aspects of Seed Law Enforcement were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

Besides the classroom lectures, there were field visit to Regional Agriculture Testing & Demonstration Station,

Varanasi, & National Seed Corporation Ltd., Ram Nagar, Varanasi. Total **26 nos.** of Participants

from different states were benefitted by this training programme.



Training was commenced on August 21st, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. T. K. Behera, Director, ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research,



Varanasi (U.P.) and guest of honor Dr. D. K. Srivastava, Deputy Commissioner (QC), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, DA & FW, New Delhi. At the end of training, training

compendium and Certificates were distributed to participants by the chief guest Dr. H.B. Singh, Ex-

Professor & Head, Dept. of Mycology and Plant Pathology, BHU, Varanasi (U.P.) and guest of honor Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Principal Scientist, ICAR-Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi (U.P.).



# 3. Three days National Workshop Programme on "Seed Testing" during September 04-06, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted three days



National Workshop programme on "Seed Testing" during September 04<sup>th</sup> -06<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at NSRTC campus. The aim of the workshop was to emphasis on quality seed regulation through making awareness among the trainees. A series of lectures on various aspects of Seed Testing were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

Besides the classroo m

lectures, there were practical sessions and field visit to Seed Molecular Laboratory, Department of Mycology & Plant Pathology, IAS, BHU, Varanasi. Total 30



**nos.** of Participants from different sates were benefitted by this workshop programme.



Workshop was commenced on September 04<sup>th</sup>, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. S. K. Yadav, Principal Scientist, Division of Seed Science and Technology, IARI, Pusa, New Delhi and guest of honor Dr. Sangita Yadav Principal Scientist, Division of Seed Science and Technology, IARI,

Pusa, New Delhi and other

delegates. At the end of workshop, workshop compendium and Certificates were distributed to participants by the chief guest Dr. S. S. Vaish, Professor & Head, Department of Mycology & Plant Pathology, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, BHU, Varanasi, U.P.



4. Five days National Training Programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Vegetable Crops" during September 11-15, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.



National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National Training programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Vegetable Crops" during September 11<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in quality seed production technology of

vegetable crops were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

In addition to technical sessions, practical sessions were conducted at CSTL. Participants were also visited to molecular laboratory and field of ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi (U.P.). Total twenty five **(25)** nos. of participants from different



states were benefitted by this training programme.

Training was commenced on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. T. K. Behera, Director, ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable



Research, Varanasi (U.P.) and guest of honor Dr. S. K. Goyal, Assistant Professor, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, RGSC, BHU, Varanasi, U.P. and other delegates. At the end of training, training compendium and Certificates were distributed to participants by the chief guest Dr. Harshawardhan Choudhary, Principal Scientist, Division of Seed Science, ICAR- IARI, New Delhi.

5. Five days National Training Programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Pulse Crops" during October 16-20, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National training programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Pulse Crops" during October 16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on



various aspects of new techniques in quality seed production technology of pulse crops were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

In addition to technical sessions, participants were also visited to Seed Testing Laboratory, Regional Agriculture Testing & Demonstration Station, Varanasi & Seed Production field of BHU, Varanasi (U.P.). Total twenty five (25) nos. of

participa

nts from different states were benefitted by this training programme.



Training was commenced on October 16th, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the



chief guest Dr. J. P. Lal, Ex-Professor Emeritus & Head, Department of Genetics and Plant Breeding, Institute of Agriculture Sciences, BHU, Varanasi, U.P. and other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training

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guest Dr. Nagendra Rai, Principal Scientist, ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi, U.P. and guest of honour Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh, Head of Seed Technology Division, ICAR- Indian Grassland & Fodder Research Institute, Jhansi, U.P..



# 6. Five days National Training Programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Cereal Crops" during December 04-08, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.



National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National training programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Cereal Crops" during December 04<sup>th</sup> - 08<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in quality seed production of cereals were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

In addition

to technical sessions, participants were also visited to Seed Testing Laboratory, Regional Agriculture Testing & Demonstration Station, Varanasi & Seed Production field of BHU, Varanasi (U.P.). Total twenty five (25) nos. of



participants from different states were benefitted by this training programme.

Training was commenced on December 04<sup>th</sup>, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. Kavita Shah, Former Director & Professor, Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, BHU, Varanasi and other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training Compendium and Certificates to participants by the



chief guest Dr. C.P. Sachan, Ex-Professor & Head, Dept. of Seed Science and Technology, Chandra Sekhar Azad University of Agriculture & Technology, Kanpur, U.P.

# 7. Five days Advance Training Programme on "Seed/DNA Testing" during December 18-22, 2023 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days



Advance Training programme on "Seed/DNA Testing" during December 18th -22nd, 2023 at NSRTC campus. The main objective of this Advance Training is to update the knowledge, skills and to provide hands on experience to Seed/DNA Testing personnel. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in seed/DNA testing were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

In addition to technical sessions, practical sessions were conducted at CSTL in which participants have

completed their various practicals on seed/DNA testing. Participants were also

visited to International Rice Research Institute- South Asia Regional Centre, Collectry Farm, Varanasi and field of ICAR-Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi (U.P.). Total twenty six (26) nos. of participants from Andhra Pradesh state, Department of Agriculture were benefitted by this training programme.





Training was commenced on December 18th, 2023 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. Dr. P. M. Singh, Principal Scientist, ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh and other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training Compendium and Certificates to participants by the chief guest Dr. Manimurugan C., Senior Scientist (Seed Technology), ICAR- Indian Institute of Oilseeds Research, Hyderabad.

# 8. Five days National Training Programme on "Seed Certification" during January 08-12, 2024 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

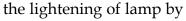


National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National Training programme on "Seed Certification" during January 08<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in seed certification were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

Besides the classroom lectures, there were field visit to Regional

Agriculture Testing & Demonstration Station, Varanasi, & Farm field of BHU, Varanasi. Total twenty five (25) **nos.** of participants from different sates were benefitted by this training programme.

Training was commenced on January 08th, 2024 with





the chief guest Dr. Nakul Gupta, Scientist, ICAR, Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh and other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training Compendium and Certificates to participants by the chief guest Dr. Sadashiva V, Director, Karnataka State Seed Certification & Organic Certification Agency and guest of honour Dr. A. K. Konda,

Scientist, ICAR- Indian Institute of Pulses Research, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh.



# 9. Five days National Training Programme on "Seed Health Testing" during February 05-09, 2024 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National training programme on "Seed Health Testing" during February 05<sup>th</sup> - 09<sup>th</sup>,



2024 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in seed health testing were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

In addition to technical sessions, practical sessions were conducted at CSTL.Participants were also visited to Department of Mycology & Plant Pathology, Institute of Agriculture Sciences, Banaras

University,
Varanasi (U.
P.). Total

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twenty five (26) nos. of participants from different sates were benefitted by this training programme.

Training was commenced on February 05th, 2024 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Prof. Dr. M. Bhaskaran, Pro-Vice Chancellor, VISTAS, Chennaí, Tamil Nadu and



other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training Compendium and Certificates to participants by the chief guest: Dr. A. N. Singh,



Principal Scientist & Head, Division of Crop Protection ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi, U.P. and guest of honour Dr. Abhijeet Ghatak, Assistant Professor, Department of Plant Pathology, Bihar Agriculture University, Sabour, Bihar.

# 10. Five days National Training Programme on "Post Harvest Handling & Management of Seeds" during February 12-16, 2024 at NSRTC, Varanasi.



National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National Training programme on "Post Harvest Handling & Management of Seeds" during February12<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at NSRTC campus. The aim of the training was to emphasis on quality seed regulation through making awareness among the trainees. A series of lectures on various aspects of post harvest handling and management of seeds were delivered by eminent scientists and experts.

Besides the classroom lectures, there were Field

Visit to Seed Processing Plant of Uttar Pradesh State Seed Development Corporation, Varanasi and Seed Processing Unit of National Seed Corporation, Ram Nagra, Varanasi and the participants were also exposed to the various activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, Seed Processing Unit and Library of NSRTC, Varanasi. Total **25 nos.** of Participants from different sates were benefitted by this Training programme.



Training was commenced on February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Principal Scientist, Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, ICAR, Varanasi and guest of honour Dr. C. M. Abroal, Associate Professor, College of Agricultural Engeenering, JNKVV, Jabalpur, (M.P.). At the end



of training, Training compendium and Certificates were distributed to participants by the chief guest Dr. Lal Mani Verma, Professor, Deptt. of Seed Science & Technology, CSAU&T, Kanpur (U.P.).

# 11. Five days National Training Programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Oilseed Crops" during February 19-23, 2024 at NSRTC, Varanasi.



National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted five days National training programme on "Quality Seed Production Technology of Oilseeds Crops" during February 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024 at NSRTC campus. A series of lectures on various aspects of new techniques in quality seed production technology of oilseeds crops were delivered by eminent Professors, Scientists and experts.

In addition to technical sessions, practical sessions were conducted at CSTL. Participants were also visited to Mustard farm field of BHU,

Varanasi. Total twenty five (25) nos. of participants from different sates were benefitted by this training programme.



Training was commenced on February 19th, 2024 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest Dr. Anand Vishwakarma, Principal Scientist, ICAR-JNKVV, Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh and other delegates. Training was concluded with the distribution of Training Compendium and Certificates to participants by the chief guest Dr. V. K. Yadav, Director (Seed & Farm), CSUA&T, Kanpur, U.P., guest of honour Dr. Umakant Dubey, Deputy Registrar, PPVFR, Ministry of

Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, New Delhi and special guest Dr. Jawahar L. Jatoth, Senior Scientist (Plant Breeding), ICAR- Indian Institute of Oilseed Research, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad.



# 12. Three days National Workshop Programme on "Seed Testing" during March 13-15, 2024 at NSRTC, Varanasi.

National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi has conducted three days



National Workshop programme on "Seed Testing" during March 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at NSRTC campus. The aim of the workshop was to emphasis on quality seed regulation through making awareness among the trainees. A series of lectures on various aspects of Seed Testing were delivered by eminent Professors,

Scientists and experts.

Besides the classroom lectures, there were practical

sessions and field visit to ICAR- Indian Institute of Vegetable Research, Varanasi. Total **30 nos.** of Participants from different states were benefitted by this workshop programme. Workshop was commenced on March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024 with the lightening of lamp by the chief guest



Dr. Poonam Malakondaiah, IAS, Special Chief Secretary to Chief Minister, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Velagapudi, Andhra Pradesh and guest of



honor Dr. J. P. Rai, Associate Professor, Institute of Agricultural Sciences, RGSC, Dept. of Mycology & Plant Pathology, Banaras Hindu University, Barkachha, Mirzapur, U.P. and other delegates. At the end of workshop, workshop compendium and Certificates were distributed to participants by the chief guest Dr. Prof. M. Bhaskaran, Pro-Vice Chancellor, VISTAS, Chennai, Tamil Nadu.

# v) <u>Exposure Visit</u>:

**1.** Shri Ram Naresh, US (B&F) and Shri Arbind Kumar Choudhary, SO (B&A) from Ministry of Agriculture, DA&FW, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi have visited CSTL, NSRTC, Varanasi on 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2023. NSRTC staff exhibited the various activities of CSTL to the visitors.



**2.** Dr. Sanjay Kumar, Director, IISS Mau, Dr. M. Bhaskaran, Ex-Vice Chancellor, TNOU, TamilNadu and Shri Sudhanshu Singh, Director IRRI-SARC, Varanasi have visited CSTL, NSRTC, Varanasi on **24**<sup>th</sup> **June**, **2023**. NSRTC staff exhibited the various activities of CSTL to the visitors.





**3.** 50 nos. of farmers including 16 women farmers from **Sub Mission on Agriculture Extension (SMAE) under "ATMA Yojna"** Ballia were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2023.





**4.** 40 nos. of farmers including 16 women farmers from **Sub Mission on Agriculture Extension (SMAE) under "ATMA Yojna"** Ballia were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2023.





5. Under Secretary (Seeds), Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, DA & FW, New Delhi has visited this centre during 31st October to 1st November 2023. NSRTC staff exhibited the various activities of CSTL to him.









**6.** 40 Officials from The Directorate of Agriculture and Food Production, Odisha have visited this centre on 02<sup>nd</sup> November 2023. NSRTC staff exhibited the various activities of CSTL to the visitors.









7. 27 nos. of farmers including 08 women farmers from **Jharkhand Samajik Kalyan Sansthan, Panchayat Loba, Hatu under "ATMA Yojna"** Ranchi were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2023.









**8.** 66 nos. of Students from **Jai Public School, Allauddinpur, Korauta Bazar, Varanasi** were visited and exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi during 14.12.2023.









9. 40 Officials under Odisha Integrated Irrigation Project for Climate Resilient Agriculture (OIIPCRA) from The Directorate of Agriculture and Food Production, Odisha have visited this centre on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023. NSRTC staff exhibited the various activities of CSTL to the visitors.









**10.** 33 nos. of Students from **UP College, Varanasi** were visited and exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi during 18.01.2024.









**11.** 38 nos. of farmers including 21 nos. female farmers from **Sub Mission On Agriculture Extension (SMAE) under "ATMA Yojna"** Ballia were exposed to the

different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 31 January, 2024.



**12.** 80 nos. of farmers including 04 nos. female farmers from **Krishi Pradhyogiki Prabandh Abhikaran under "ATMA Yojna"** Saran, Chapra, Bihar were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 14 February, 2024.









**13.** 32 nos. of from **Sub Mission on Agriculture Extension (SMAE) under "Harit Krishonnati Yojna"** Janhit Pragati Sewa Sansthan, Vikashnagar, Gorakhpur, U.P. were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 04 March, 2024.





**14.** 06 nos. of Students from Vindhya Gurukul College, Gosaipur, Chunar, Mirzapur were visited and exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi during 05.03.2024.









**15.** 08 nos. of farmers from **Senior Agriculture Development Officer under "Millet Mission"** Devlopment Section, Kusmi, District- Sidhi, M.P. were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 11 March, 2024.







**16.** 32 nos. of farmers from **Swakchta Action Plan Namami Gange under "Clean Abhiyan Yojna"** Deputy Agriculture Director, Bhadohi were exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi on dated 12 March, 2024.





**17.** 14 nos. of Students from **Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya**, **Raipur**, **College of Agriculture & Research Station**, **Boirdadar**, **Rajgarh**, **Chhattisgarh** were visited and exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi during 18.03.2024.









# vi) Other Activities:

1. All the staffs of National Seed Research and Training Centre have celebrated the 9th International Yoga Day on 21st June, 2023 in the NSRTC Campus.





**2.** All the staffs of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have celebrated **77**th **Independence Day** on 15th August, 2023 at the NSRTC Campus.





**3.** All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi are participating in "**Swachhata Hi Seva**" during 15 September – 02 October, 2023.









**4.** All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have participated in "Swachhata Hi Sewa" under "Special Campaign 3.0".









**5.** All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have participated in "Swachhata Hi Sewa" under "Special Campaign 3.0".





6. All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have participated cleanliness programme at Bhaskar Talab, Keshripur, Varanasi on 01st October, 2023 under "Special Campaign 3.0".









7. All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have celebrated "Gandhi Jayanti" and also organized rally on 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2023 under "Special Campaign 3.0".









8. All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have participated in Cleanliness drive during 2<sup>nd</sup> - 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2023 under "Special Campaign 3.0".









Cleanliness programme at NSRTC Vehicle Shed.





Cleanliness programme at in front of NSRTC Guest House.









Cleanliness drive of weeding out files and cleanliness office cabins at NSRTC.





Cleanliness programme behind NSRTC hostel.





Cleanliness Programme near premises of NSRTC.





Cleanliness drive near vehicle shed at NSRTC.





Cleanliness programme near CSTL lab at NSRTC.





Cleanliness drive at lawn of CSTL.

**9.** All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have participated in "**Vigilance Awareness Week**" during 30<sup>th</sup> October to 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 by taking pledge and display of banners and posters.





**10.** All the staff of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have participated in "**Vigilance Awareness Week**" during 31<sup>st</sup> October to 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2023.









Rally conducted by the staff of NSRTC on 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2023









Vigilance Awareness Programme by the staff of NSRTC at Bharthara, Lohta, Varanasi on 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2023.

**11.** NSRTC has participated in farmer's fair and exhibition organized by R.A.T.D.S., Varanasi. In this fair and exhibition, NSRTC has demonstrated the different techniques of seed testing to the farmers on 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2023.









**12.** 200 nos. of Students from Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS) belonging to various states of the country were visited and exposed to the different activities of Central Seed Testing Laboratory, NSRTC, Varanasi during 24.11.2023.









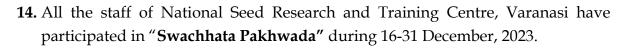
**13.** NSRTC has participated in "**Krishi Unnati Mela**" organized by Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare at Khrsawan, Jharkhand. In this fair and exhibition, NSRTC has demonstrated the different techniques of seed testing to the farmers on 01 January, 2024.















Cleanliness Programme at Hostel area









**15.** All the staffs of National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi have celebrated **75**<sup>th</sup> **Republic Day** on 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 at the NSRTC Campus.







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