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Awareness program on “Child Marriages”

The Internal Compliant Cell and Women Empowerment Cell organized an awareness program on “**Child Marriages**” on 10.12.2024 in SVA Government College, Srikalahasti.

Objectives:

- To raise awareness about the harmful impacts of child marriage on the physical, emotional and psychological health of young girls, their education and future prospects.
- To encourage local communities, parents and teachers to actively prevent child marriages and help identify and stop them in their neighbourhoods.

The program started with an opening speech by Principal Dr. K. Narasimha Varma, who highlighted the importance of educating young people about social issues and noted that despite progress, child marriage remains a significant problem, particularly in rural and semi-urban areas. Vice- principal Dr.T.Gangaram said educating girls and boys about their rights, health and empower them to make knowledgeable decisions. Dr.M.Thulasi WEC coordinator focused on the severe physical, emotional and mental consequences of child marriage, including early pregnancy, malnutrition, social isolation and mental health issues. Dr.T.Suneetha and Smt.Subhashini had created awareness on educating girls and boys about their rights, health and the dangers of child marriage can delay marriages and empower them to make informed decisions. In this program, several videos related to child marriages were shown. All staff members, along with male and female students, watched the videos. Totally 60 members were participated in this program. The awareness program on “Child Marriages” was successful in educating the students and community members about the harmful effects of child marriage.

Photographs

Principal Dr. K. Narasimha Varma had given speech on child marriages





Videos related to child marriages were shown to the students and staff





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The teaching staff, along with male and female students, watched videos about child marriages.



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The WEC Convener explained the videos about child marriage

