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English Language Lab Inaugurated



The School of Humanities, Social Sciences and Management, has inaugurated the English Language Lab at Laboratory Complex (LBC) on 26th July 2024.

Dr. Naresh Chandra Sahu, acting head of the School and the Language Lab coordinator, Dr. Amrita Satapathy inaugurated the Lab, in the presence of the faculty members and research scholars of the School. It was followed by a day long training session on the software delivered by Mr. Suprabhat Jha, the chief instructor from M/S Sanako India Pvt. Ltd. The session aimed to familiarize the faculty members and research scholars with the functioning and usage of the software, including the audio-visual facilities and other interactive tools.



The English Language Lab is a 64-seater laboratory employing cutting-edge technologies to revolutionize technical and communicative English education to cater to the needs of students from diverse backgrounds. It primarily focuses on enhancing the listening, speaking, reading and writing (LSRW) abilities of the users while prioritizing student engagement by making learning fun, interactive and collaborative. The Lab will prove to be an invaluable aid in the teaching-learning practice of not only English language but for learning other languages too.

Safety Drill



The Security Unit of IIT Bhubaneswar conducted a fire safety drill at Kendriya Vidyalaya on 26th July 2024. Mr. Abinash Baral, ASO and Mr. Sujit Kumar Jena, Fireman briefed about the fire equipment installed at the residential buildings. The event was witnessed by Smt. Shruti Karmalkar, Residents, students, and school staff.



This drill was aimed to spread fire safety awareness among students and residents; to sensitize, facilitate, and train the staff/teachers/residents to counter the emergencies; to test the various elements of the prepared response plan and to evaluate and revise the safety preparedness plan for further improvement.



IIT Bhubaneswar welcomes new students

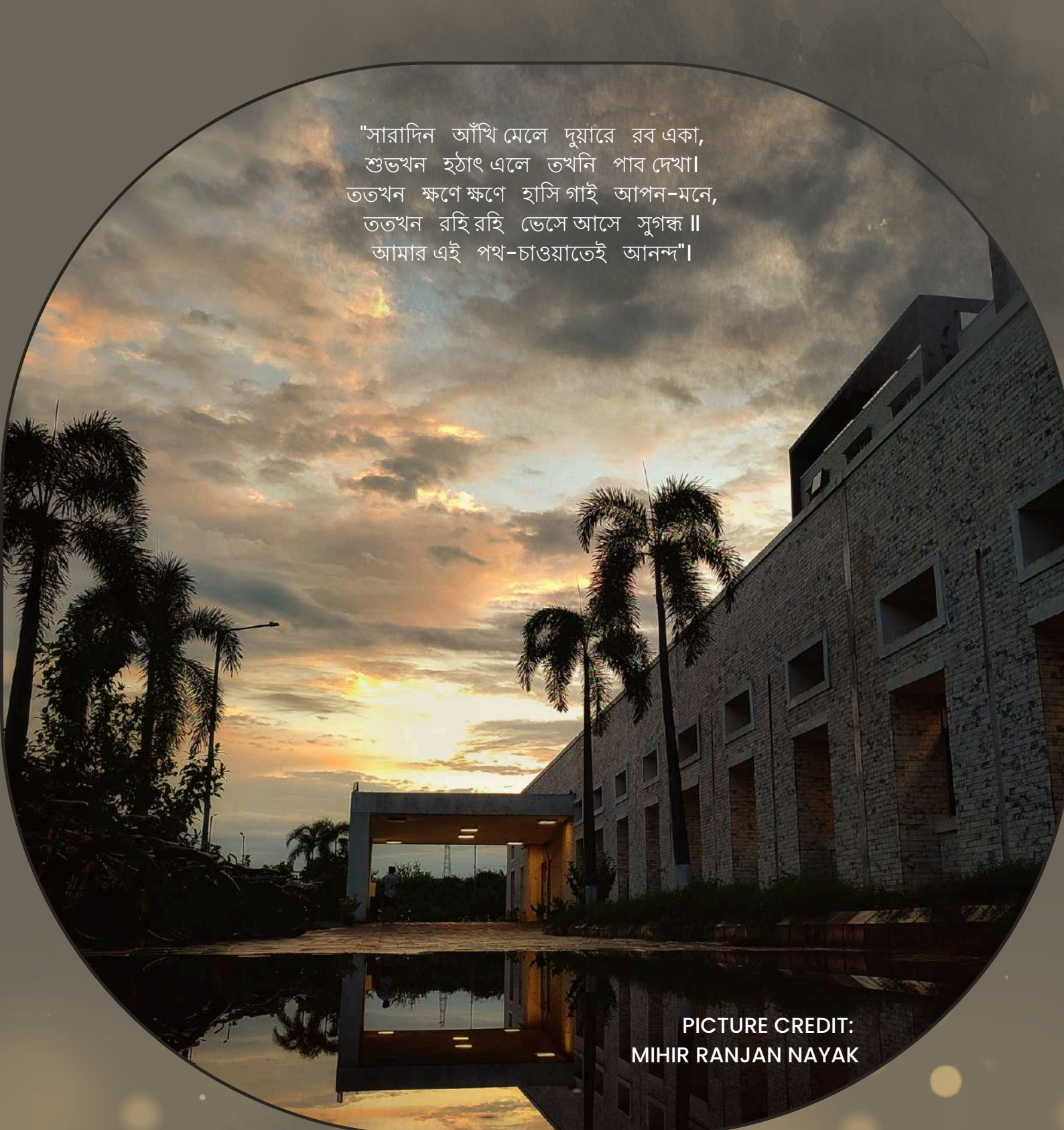


IIT Bhubaneswar welcomed the new B.Tech. students with a great enthusiasm. The admission of these students, followed by the counselling session for the parents were held on 30th July 2024. An orientation programme for the students was held on 31st July. Prof. Shreepad Karmalkar, Director, introduced the new members of the campus to unique features of IIT Bhubaneswar. Deans, Senior Faculty Members and other Officials briefed the members about various academic and non-academic facilities of the Institute. The queries and concerns of the students and parents were addressed during these sessions.

Noble Gesture



In a commendable initiative, the Feminine Fusion Club of IIT Bhubaneswar has donated Rs. 15,000 to support the education and welfare of children of migrant laborers working on the Institute's campus. Led by Smt. Shruti Karmalkar, President of the Club, members presented the cheque to Dr. Seema Bahinipati in the presence of club members Dr. Kajari Chatterjee, Smt. Sangita Sahu and Smt. Brahannayaki Sekkar, last week. As part of its social responsibility, CSR cell of IIT Bhubaneswar is running a Literacy Programme for these children. This programme, driven by the CSR Cell, faculty members, and student volunteers, educates and supports approximately 15 children. The mission benefits from the contributions of around 27 volunteers from the IITBBS community, including faculty, staff, residents, UBA volunteers, and several scholars from the SHSSM Literacy Programme.



"সারাদিন আঁখি মেলে দুয়ারে রব একা,
শুভখন হঠাৎ এলে তখনি পাব দেখা।
ততখন ক্ষণে ক্ষণে হাসি গাই আপন-মনে,
ততখন রহি রহি ভেসে আসে সুগন্ধ ॥
আমার এই পথ-চাওয়াতেই আনন্দ"।

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*Saaradin aankhi mele duarey rabo eka,
Subhokhon hatthat ele tokhoni paabo dekha.
Totokhon khone khone haasi gaai aapon-mone,
Totokhon rohi rohi bhese aase sugandho.*

Aamar ei poth-chaawatei aanondo...

From dawn till dusk I sit here before my door,
and I know that of a sudden the happy moment will
arrive when I shall see.
In the meanwhile I smile and I sing all alone.
In the meanwhile the air is filling with the perfume of
promise.