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Student Service Centre

"Aapka Vishwaas –Humara Prayaas" (Episode 79)





The **Student Service Centre** (SSC) at IGNOU proudly presented the 79th episode of its acclaimed phone-in programme *'Aapka Vishwaas – Humara Prayaas'* on Gyan Darshan on November 09, 2026, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. The episode was broadcast live from the state-of-the-art studio of the Electronic Media Production Centre, IGNOU.

Dr. Bhavana Gulati (Student Service Centre) emphasized institutional outreach via the *"Aapka Vishwas, Hamara Prayas"* series, bridging university headquarters and distance learners with critical academic and administrative updates. She highlighted key ODL milestones—such as upcoming term-end examinations, assignment submissions, and downloading Exam Hall Ticket etc.

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IGNOU Self-Learning Material (SLM): Design, Production and Distribution

During Episode 79 of Aapka Vishwas – Humara Prayas, titled All About Your Study Material, telecast on Gyan Darshan, **Prof. Parmod Kumar Mehra,** Director, SSC, and **Prof. Nehal A. Farooquee,** Registrar, MPDD, discussed the design, production and distribution of IGNOU's Self-Learning Material (SLM).

They explained that SLM is designed specifically for distance learners, following a 'Teacher In-Built' approach that guides learners through self-instructional content, summaries and self-assessment questions. The material is developed through a structured process involving syllabus formulation by expert committees, unit writing by subject specialists, academic and language editing, proofreading, layout and printing.

The speakers also highlighted the distribution mechanism, under which printed study materials are dispatched through India Post to learners' registered addresses. Delays may arise due to extended admission schedules, incorrect or incomplete addresses, postal disruptions and paper shortages.

Highlighting the academic value of IGNOU's SLM, they noted its wider acceptance as a reference resource among competitive examination aspirants, including UPSC and NET/SLET candidates, as well as other educational institutions.

They further emphasised that complete course materials are freely accessible through eGyanKosh and its app, enabling learners to begin their studies digitally without waiting for

RC Varanasi

IGNOU RC Varanasi Conducts Virtual Induction Meetings for July 2026 Session Learners



IGNOU Regional Centre, Varanasi, conducted **virtual induction meetings** for learners enrolled in the MAPS, MSO, BSC and BAM programmes for the July 2026 session on November 5, 6 and 10, 2026. The meetings were hosted by **Dr. Upendra Nabh Tripathi,** Regional Director and Head, Regional Centre Varanasi.

Dr. Tripathi and **Dr Shravan Kumar Pandey** oriented the learners about the various online student support services available through virtual platforms. The sessions also familiarized learners with the assignment process, **Online Assignment Management System (OAMS)**, **eGyanKosh** and other student services accessible through the IGNOU website.



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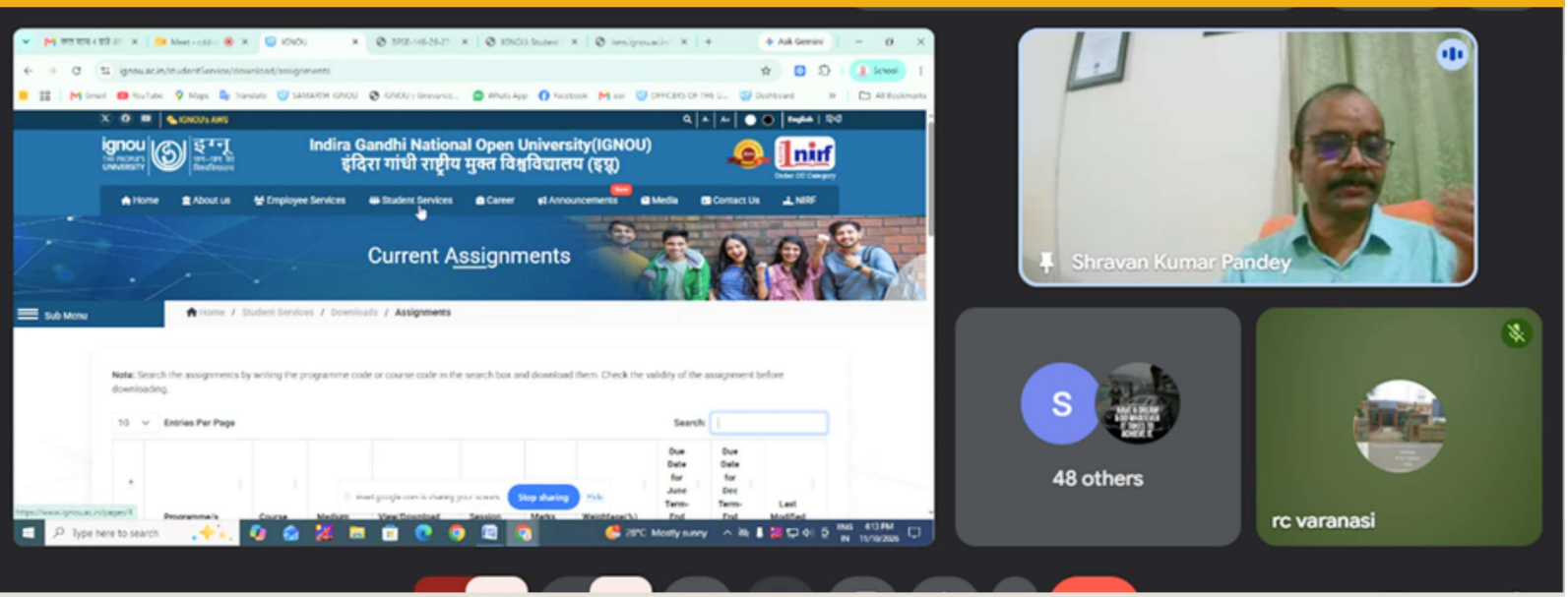
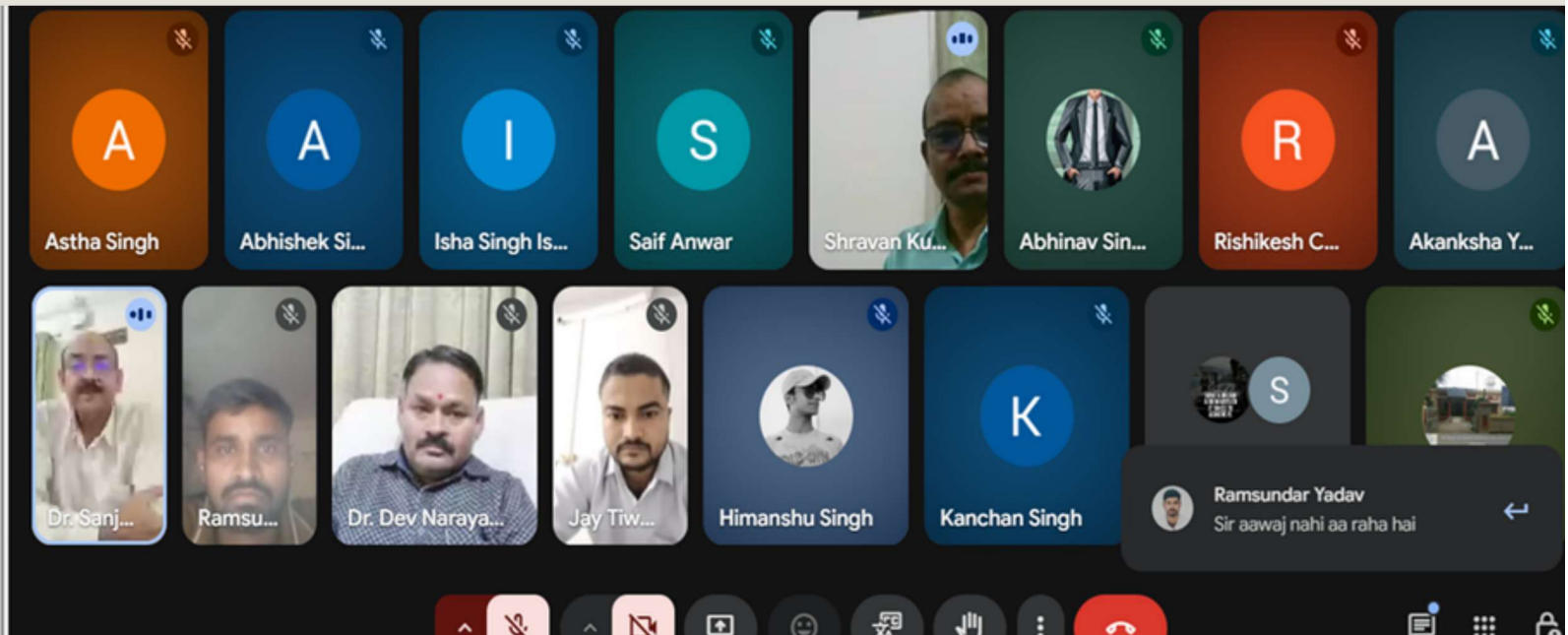


Dr. Sanjay Kumar, Assistant Regional Director (ARD), explained the process of writing and submitting assignments through OAMS and guided learners on accessing information related to study materials. **Dr D. N. Pathak** elaborated on the Term-End Examination (TEE), explaining the examination system and the flexibilities offered by IGNOU.

Learners' queries were addressed by Dr. Upendra Nabh Tripathi, along with other University officials and Learner Support Centre (LSC) Coordinators. The meetings concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by **Mr. Banmali Singh**, Deputy Registrar.

A total of **350 participants,** including newly admitted learners and IGNOU officials, attended the virtual induction meetings.



RC Lucknow

IGNOU RC Lucknow Organizes Online Orientation for CPY Learners



IGNOU Regional Centre, Lucknow, organized an **Online Orientation Programme** for learners enrolled in the **Certificate Programme in Yoga** (CPY) on November 11, 2026, through Google Meet. The meeting was attended by Regional Directors **Dr Reena Kumari** and **Dr Jai Prakash Verma, Dr Nishith Nagar,** Assistant Registrar, **Dr Parvat Singh,** Coordinator, and around 23 learners.

The programme commenced with the University Kulgeet. Academic Counsellor **Dr Anjani Kumar Dubey** was invited as the Resource Person to discuss the practical component of the BYGL-001 course.

Dr Reena Kumari welcomed the learners and provided an overview of the University's academic and administrative structure, along with its functioning. She familiarised them with the assignment submission process, examination system and various student support services. She also conducted a virtual tour of the IGNOU website and introduced the learners to the social media platforms of IGNOU Headquarters and Regional Centre, Lucknow.

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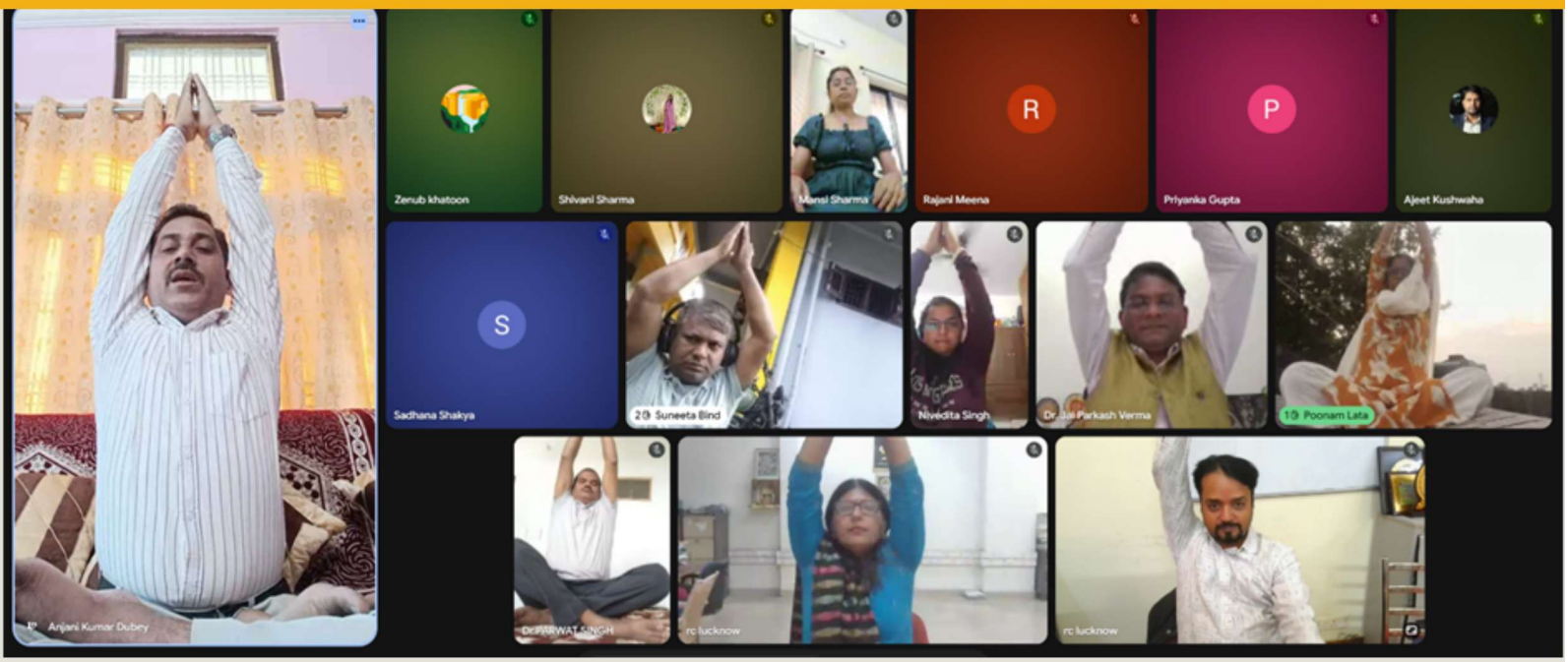
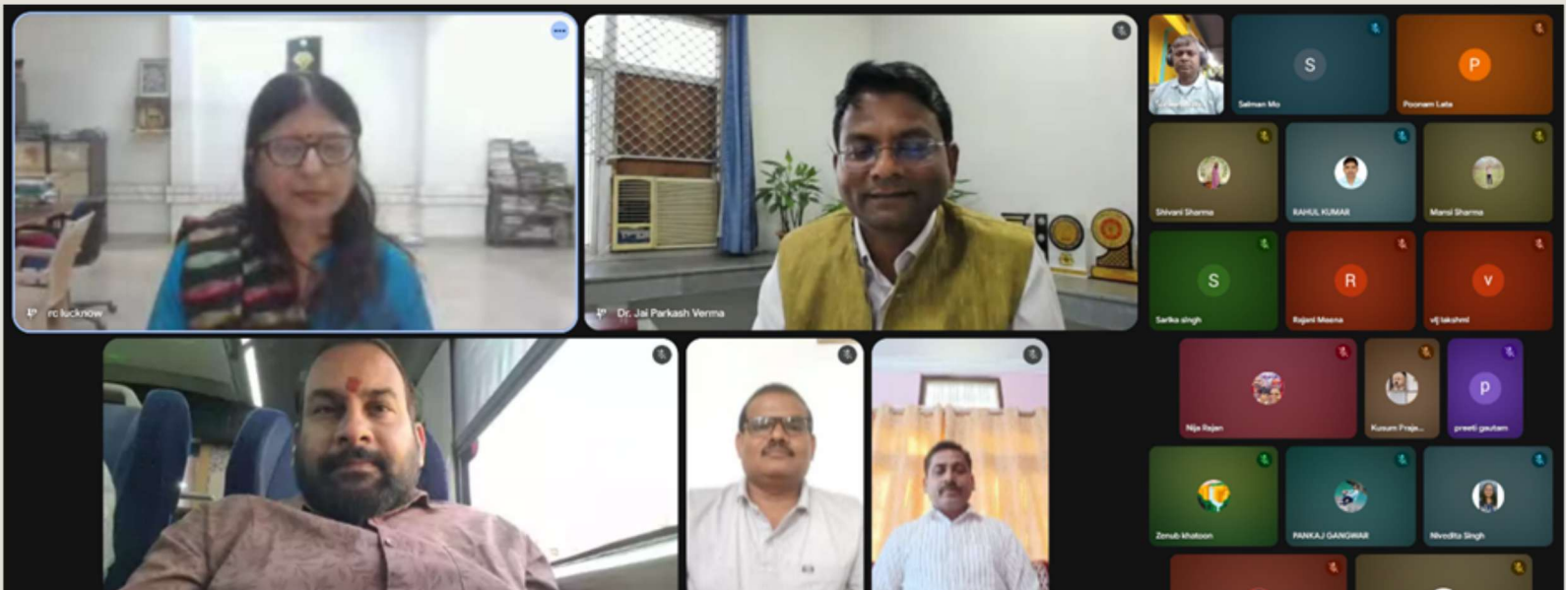


Dr Jai Prakash Verma highlighted the initiatives and activities of the Innovation and Placement Cell aimed at enhancing learners' career prospects.

Dr Anjani Kumar Dubey emphasised the importance of incorporating yoga into daily life, explaining how regular practice contributes to personality development and helps maintain physical and mental well-being.

Dr Nishith Nagar encouraged the learners to complete their programme within the minimum prescribed duration.

The programme concluded with a formal vote of thanks proposed by **Dr Parvat Singh.**



RC Jorhat

IGNOU RC Jorhat Organizes Induction Meeting for B.Ed Learners





IGNOU Regional Centre Jorhat organized an **Induction Meeting** for learners enrolled in the January 2026 **B.Ed programme** on 1 November 2026 at Study Centre 0428(P), Post Graduate Training College (PGTC), Jorhat. The meeting was attended by **Dr Sanjib Kataky,** Senior Regional Director, as the Chief Guest, along with 38 learners.

Dr Tridib Bordoloi, Principal, PGTC, highlighted the salient features of the IGNOU B.Ed programme and underscored the need for academic commitment and sustained efforts towards its successful completion. Sharing insights from her own experience as a learner of IGNOU's M.Ed programme, **Dr Arunima Dutta,** former Principal, PGTC, offered practical guidance on pursuing and completing a professional programme through the Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode.



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Dr Rashmirekha Devi, Coordinator, Study Centre 0428(P), familiarized learners with the structure of the B.Ed programme, its academic requirements and the various learner support facilities available through technology-enabled services. Addressing the learners, **Dr Sanjib Kataky** elaborated on their responsibilities in the ODL system, emphasising the importance of self-discipline, adherence to academic schedules and timely completion of programme requirements. He also explained the complementary roles of the Regional Centre and the Study Centre in providing continuous support to learners throughout the programme.

The meeting concluded with an interactive session during which **Dr Rashmirekha Devi** and **Dr Sanjib Kataky** responded to learners' queries and provided further guidance as resource persons.