



# **SPECIAL CAMP REPORT - 2024**

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### **Introduction to the NSS Major Camp**

The National Service Scheme (NSS) Major Camp, conducted from **November 11, 2024, to November 18, 2024**, was a remarkable initiative aimed at fostering community development, volunteerism, and personal growth. It provided an opportunity for students to step out of their comfort zones and immerse themselves in meaningful activities designed to address social, educational, health, and environmental challenges in a rural setting. Held over seven days, the camp was a dynamic combination of service-oriented tasks, cultural engagement, and interactive learning.

The camp began with the journey from the college to a

Village Details:

Name: Chinna Kistapur

Location:https://maps.app.goo.gl/K37gXvHfHca4krG87

Latitude:17.8704° N

Longitude:78.8107° E

State: Telangana

District:Siddipet

Mandal: Kukunurpally

Constituency: Gajwel

Parliament : Medak

Reasons for selecting the location is because of believing it as the best place for conducting the camp and also it's a home town of one of our volunteer. The villagers ensured full support and encouragement for the conduction of the camp, secured accommodation has been assured in village community halls and the elder women will be appointed by the village committee for security purpose in response to our request in view of girl volunteers. So with all the above we recommend the above mentioned village for our Major camp.

This week-long program provided a platform for NSS volunteers to experience rural life firsthand and contribute to the community's welfare through various targeted activities. Here is a detailed breakdown of the camp's daily schedule and the significance of its activities.

### Day 1: November 11, 2024 – Departure and Orientation

The camp commenced with the departure from the college in the morning. After reaching the village, the volunteers were introduced to the surroundings, allowing them to observe and understand the basic layout and infrastructure of the area. This exploration laid the foundation for the activities planned in the subsequent days.

The first evening was marked by a **campfire session**, which served as an icebreaker for the volunteers. This session included introductions, a briefing about the objectives of the camp, and team-building exercises. The campfire not only fostered camaraderie but also created an atmosphere of enthusiasm and mutual support among the participants.

### Day 2: November 12, 2024 – Mapping and Awareness

On the second day, the morning began with the **identification of key infrastructure** in the village. Volunteers surveyed the schools, hospitals, temples, and other significant landmarks in the community. This activity was crucial in understanding the village's resources, strengths, and areas that needed attention.

The afternoon was dedicated to a **village survey and analytics** exercise. Volunteers conducted door-to-door surveys to collect data on the socio-economic conditions of the residents. These insights were later analyzed to identify pressing issues such as education gaps, health concerns, and sanitation challenges.

In the evening, an **Awareness program on Data Breaches** was organized. With the increasing reliance on technology in even the most rural areas, this session focused on educating the community about the importance of digital security. Topics covered included safe online practices, protecting personal information, and recognizing cyber threats. This session highlighted the role of digital literacy in the modern age and equipped the villagers with knowledge to safeguard themselves against cyber crimes.

### Day 3: November 13, 2024 – Cleaning Drives and Arts

The morning of the third day involved a **temple cleaning drive** and continued village surveys. Volunteers worked together to clean and beautify a local temple, which holds cultural and spiritual significance for the community. This effort not only promoted hygiene but also reinforced the importance of preserving heritage.

The afternoon brought a creative twist with an **arts and crafts session**, where volunteers and community members collaborated to create handmade items. This activity aimed to foster creativity and highlight the potential for small-scale income generation through artisan skills. For the villagers, particularly women and youth, this session served as a practical demonstration of how traditional crafts can be turned into sustainable livelihood opportunities.

The evening session focused on **women's hygiene and health awareness**, addressing a critical topic often neglected in rural areas. Volunteers facilitated discussions on menstrual hygiene, proper sanitation practices, and access to healthcare resources. This program empowered women with knowledge and tools to improve their health and well-being.

### Day 4: November 14, 2024 – Education and Interaction

Day four was dedicated to **government school visits** and interaction with children. In the morning, volunteers visited schools to engage with students through educational activities and storytelling. They aimed to inspire the students and make learning enjoyable. Volunteers also distributed educational materials to the students, reinforcing the value of education.

In the afternoon, the focus shifted to **competitions** organized for the students. Activities such as essay writing, drawing, and quiz competitions provided an opportunity for the children to showcase their talents and receive recognition for their efforts. These events boosted the confidence and morale of the students, encouraging them to pursue excellence in their studies.

The evening concluded with an **interactive campfire session** where volunteers shared their experiences of the day. This session was also open to community members, allowing for an exchange of thoughts and stories that deepened the connection between the volunteers and the villagers.

### Day 5: November 15, 2024 - Health and Sports

The fifth day began with a **medical camp** organized in collaboration with local healthcare professionals. The camp provided free health check-ups and consultations for the villagers. Common health issues were addressed, and basic medicines were distributed to those in need. Simultaneously, volunteers carried out a **school cleaning drive**, further emphasizing the importance of maintaining clean and healthy environments.

In the afternoon, volunteers participated in **sports and interactive sessions** with elders in the village. This activity was a lively way to engage with the community while promoting physical

fitness and recreation. Through games and informal conversations, the volunteers learned about the village's history, culture, and traditions.

The day ended with a cultural evening featuring **folk and tribal dances**. Villagers and volunteers came together to celebrate the rich cultural heritage of the region. This evening highlighted the power of art and music in bringing people together and creating lasting memories.

### Day 6: November 16, 2024 – Industry and Cultural Exchange

On the penultimate day, volunteers continued their cleaning efforts, focusing on temples and interacting with farmers in the morning. Discussions revolved around sustainable agricultural practices, crop management, and the challenges faced by the farming community.

In the afternoon, volunteers visited local **small-scale industries and women's groups**. They observed the workings of cottage industries, such as weaving and handicrafts, and engaged in dialogues about enhancing productivity and marketing products effectively. This interaction aimed to inspire entrepreneurship and provide practical insights into economic empowerment.

The evening was dedicated to **cultural activities**, where the villagers and volunteers showcased their talents through performances, skits, and storytelling. This celebration of culture fostered mutual respect and understanding, further strengthening the bond between the two groups.

### Day 7: November 17, 2024 - Exploration and Reflection

The day of the camp began with an early morning **trekking expedition**. This activity was designed to encourage physical fitness while appreciating the natural beauty of the region. Volunteers explored the rural landscape, deepening their connection with nature.

In the afternoon, they participated in an **agricultural field visit**, where they learned about traditional farming methods and modern innovations adopted by local farmers. This activity provided valuable insights into the challenges and opportunities in the agricultural sector.

The evening was reserved for **storytelling around the campfire**, where volunteers and villagers shared their experiences, challenges, and aspirations. This reflective session was an emotional culmination of the week, highlighting the impact of the camp on both the community and the participants.

### Day 8: November 18, 2024 – Village Festival Celebration

On the morning of November 18, the volunteers joined the villagers in preparing for the festival. Activities included decorating the village, assisting with traditional rituals, and setting up spaces for communal celebrations. This collaboration strengthened the bond between the volunteers and the local community, showcasing the essence of unity and teamwork.

The festival itself was a joyous occasion filled with **traditional dances**, **folk music**, **and rituals** that highlighted the rich cultural heritage of the region. Volunteers immersed themselves in the festivities, learning about the customs, history, and stories that made the event special for the villagers.

In the afternoon, the team helped organize activities for children and elders, ensuring that everyone in the community could enjoy the celebration. This included games, interactive sessions, and cultural performances. For the volunteers, it was an enriching experience that allowed them to witness and appreciate the villagers' way of life from a unique perspective.

### Valedictory and Departure

The extended stay concluded with an **informal valedictory session** in the afternoon. Villagers expressed their gratitude for the volunteers' efforts throughout the week, and both groups shared emotional goodbyes. The festival served as a fitting finale to the camp, leaving a lasting impression on the volunteers, who returned to their college the next morning with cherished memories and a deeper understanding of rural culture.

This unplanned yet meaningful extension added immense value to the camp, emphasizing the importance of adaptability and the joy of embracing opportunities to connect with the community on a deeper level.

The NSS Major Camp 2024 was a transformative experience for all involved. It provided volunteers with a platform to serve the community, learn from real-world challenges, and develop leadership and teamwork skills. For the villagers, the camp brought valuable resources, knowledge, and a sense of empowerment.

The combination of service, cultural exchange, and personal development made this camp a truly enriching journey. It not only addressed critical social issues but also fostered bonds of friendship and understanding that will last a lifetime. As the volunteers returned to their college, they carried with them the lessons learned and the memories created during this impactful week.

The NSS camp concluded with all volunteers reporting back to the college on **November 18**, **2024**. The team shared their experiences, insights, and outcomes with college management and peers. The camp fostered community engagement, cultural exchange, and personal growth, marking the successful completion of an impactful week dedicated to rural development and service.



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#### SUBMITTING: SPECIAL CAMP PROPOSAL

Name of the college and Address

Name of the Director

Name of the Programme Oficer

Camping Dates

Camping Place with Address

Strength of Volunteers

Distance of the Camp Site from the College

Nearest Railway station or bus station to the campaign Nature of programs to be undertaken in 7 days CMR TECHNICAL CAMPUS, Kandlakoya, HYD (www.cmrtc.ac.in)

Dr. A.Raji Reddy (9248727220) Mr. M. Saahul (9160737836)

11th November 2024 to 17th November-2024 Chinna Kistapur (V), Kukunurpally(M), Siddipet(D)

Male	Female 23	Total 55	
32			

Village under Kukunurpally Mandal (43 km radius from campus)

Kukunurpally (M), Siddipet

Clean and Green/Swachh Bharath
Village Visit and Temple visit
Survey
Government school visit
Trekking
Agricultural field visit
Plantation and medical camp

Any other specific activity

Agencies involved in Governmental /

Non-Governmental

Particulars of Pre-camp Planning

No. of camps so far organized during this year

Any other information

Developing new products for the needy of the village from the students. Computer education to kids. Girl child education importa

Government schemes awareness.

Local members of the village and Government officials; CMR Hos

Contacted the above officials more than two times and location to make arrangements,

Nil

To develop each house from the village strong enough in both economical and health

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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 1**

We started our journey from the college in the afternoon, filled with excitement and anticipation for the NSS camp. The bus ride was lively, with cheerful conversations and plans about the activities we would undertake during the camp. Upon reaching the campsite, we were greeted by the serene surroundings, which immediately lifted our spirits. Without wasting any time, we set to work on our first task—cleaning the camp area. Armed with brooms, shovels, and garbage bags, we worked together to ensure the space was neat and welcoming for the days ahead. The sense of teamwork and responsibility was evident as everyone contributed their efforts enthusiastically.



After completing the cleanup, we visited the village, a key part of our camp agenda. As the evening approached, we returned to the campsite and worked together to prepare food. The kitchen buzzed with activity as some of us chopped vegetables, others cooked, and a few ensured everything was clean and organized. It was a fun and collaborative experience, filled with laughter and the occasional mishap, like spilling water or adding too much spice. The shared effort made the meal all the more special when we finally sat down to enjoy it together.



As the day came to a close, we gathered around for the much-awaited campfire, a moment that brought everyone closer. The crackling flames illuminated the night, and the cool breeze added to the charm of the evening. One by one, each of us introduced ourselves, sharing our names, backgrounds, and hopes for the camp experience.



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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 2**

Our second day at the NSS camp was packed with a variety of meaningful activities and memorable experiences. We started the morning with an energetic parade, marching in unison to build discipline and teamwork. Afterward, we enjoyed a hearty breakfast that gave us the energy to dive into our next task: a village survey. As we moved through the village, we interacted with the locals, listening to their stories, and gaining a deeper understanding of their needs and lifestyle. During the survey, we also identified prominent places, such as the community center, school, and temple, noting areas that could benefit from improvement.





Later in the day, we turned our attention to creativity by engaging in art and craft activities. Using paper and simple materials, we created various decorative items, which added a colorful and joyful touch to the camp atmosphere. As lunchtime approached, we worked together to prepare a delicious meal, learning the value of collaboration and teamwork even in the kitchen. After a brief rest, we resumed our activities, focusing on organizing and planning further tasks.





As the evening approached, we conducted the awareness program in the village, focusing on topics like deep fake and spam calls. It was heartening to see the positive response from the villagers as they actively participated and asked questions. After wrapping up the program, we returned to the campsite and prepared a satisfying dinner together.



The highlight of the day was the campfire, where we gathered around the crackling flames to reflect on our experiences. One by one, we shared our thoughts about the day—how the parade taught us unity, the survey gave us a deeper understanding of rural life, and the awareness program allowed us to make a meaningful impact. The art and craft activities and shared meals strengthened our bond as a team. The campfire, with its laughter, storytelling, and heartfelt reflections, brought the perfect end to an inspiring and memorable day.

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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 3**

On Day 3 of the NSS camp, we started the day with the usual morning parade, building our discipline and teamwork. After a refreshing breakfast, we continued with our village activities by conducting a detailed survey, gathering insights from the locals about their challenges and suggestions for improvement. Post-survey, we dedicated time to cleaning a nearby temple, working together to restore its sanctity and make it a cleaner, more welcoming space for the community.





In the afternoon, after enjoying a delicious lunch prepared collectively, we explored our creative side with an art and craft session. Using paper and other simple materials, we made colorful decorations and creative items, adding a touch of fun to the day's activities. Later in the evening, we organized an awareness program focusing on women's hygiene, discussing important topics like menstrual health, sanitation, and access to healthcare. It was heartening to see the women engage actively, and the session left a meaningful impact on the community.





After the program, we returned to the campsite to prepare and enjoy a fulfilling dinner. The day concluded with a lively campfire where we gathered to share our experiences and reflect on the day's activities. Everyone spoke about what they learned, the fun moments during the art and craft session, and the satisfaction of making a positive impact through the hygiene awareness program. The campfire, filled with stories, laughter, and songs, was a perfect end to a productive and memorable Day 3.



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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 4**

On Day 4 of our NSS camp, we began the day with our usual morning parade, fostering a sense of discipline and unity among the volunteers. After a refreshing breakfast, we visited a nearby government school, where we spent the morning engaging with the children. Their enthusiasm was infectious as we interacted with them, listening to their stories, sharing knowledge, and encouraging them to dream big.





After lunch, we conducted various competitions at the school, including drawing contests, quizzes, and fun games. The students participated with great excitement, showcasing their creativity and talents. It was heartening to see their eagerness to learn and their joy in being part of the activities.





In the evening, after a fulfilling dinner at the campsite, we gathered for the campfire, where the warmth of the flames mirrored the camaraderie among us. Each of us shared our experiences as volunteers, reflecting on the joy of connecting with the children and the meaningful impact we were able to make. The campfire, filled with laughter, stories, and a sense of purpose, brought Day 4 to a perfect close, leaving us inspired for the days ahead.



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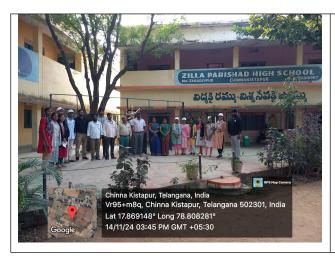
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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 5**

Day 5 of the NSS major camp was marked by activities that combined service, learning, and cultural appreciation. The day's schedule featured a medical camp and school cleaning in the morning, interaction with elders and sports activities in the afternoon, and a vibrant campfire session with folk dance performances in the evening. Each activity aimed to enhance community well-being while fostering personal growth and cultural engagement among the volunteers.





The morning began with a medical camp organized in collaboration with CMR Hospital. The camp provided free health check-ups, consultations, and basic medications to villagers. Volunteers assisted in registering patients, guiding them through the process, and spreading awareness about preventive healthcare practices. Simultaneously, another group of volunteers participated in cleaning a nearby government school. They swept classrooms, cleaned playgrounds, to create a cleaner and more welcoming learning environment for the children. These activities highlighted the importance of health, hygiene, and education in community development.

In the afternoon, the volunteers engaged in an interactive session with the elderly members of the village. They listened to their stories, life experiences, and traditional wisdom, fostering mutual respect and understanding. The interaction served as a valuable reminder of the importance of intergenerational bonds and the need to cherish the contributions of senior citizens. Following this, the volunteers organized sports activities for the local youth and children, promoting physical fitness and teamwork. Games like volleyball, and cricket brought smiles and enthusiasm to participants .

The day concluded with a lively campfire session featuring folk dance performances by the volunteers. The vibrant dances, traditional songs, and shared laughter created a joyous atmosphere that celebrated the rich cultural heritage of the region. Volunteers reflected on their experiences from the day, emphasizing the importance of teamwork, empathy, and cultural appreciation.





Day 5 of the camp embodied the NSS spirit of service, unity, and community engagement. The medical camp and school cleaning activities addressed essential community needs, while the interaction with elders and sports fostered social connection and teamwork. The evening's cultural celebration reinforced the values of diversity and collaboration, leaving participants inspired to continue their journey of selfless service.

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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 6**

Day 6 of the NSS major camp was a dynamic blend of service, education, and cultural celebration, reflecting the spirit of community engagement and personal growth. The day began with a temple cleaning activity as part of the Swachh Bharat initiative. Volunteers worked together to clean the temple premises, removing waste, and ensuring the space was restored to a clean and serene state. This activity not only emphasized the importance of maintaining public spaces but also inspired temple visitors to adopt cleanliness as a shared responsibility. The morning continued with an interaction with local farmers. Volunteers visited agricultural fields where they engaged with farmers to understand their daily challenges, including those related to climate change, crop pricing, and sustainability. These conversations highlighted the farmers' resilience and provided the volunteers with a deeper appreciation for their vital contributions to society.





In the afternoon, the group visited small-scale industries and women's self-help groups in the village. These interactions showcased the entrepreneurial spirit of the local community and emphasized the importance of small enterprises in driving economic growth. Volunteers learned about traditional crafts, manufacturing processes, and the innovative efforts of women entrepreneurs in the region. The discussions with women's groups were particularly inspiring, as they shared their experiences of overcoming social and financial barriers to achieve economic independence and contribute to their households. The activity underscored the significance of empowering women and supporting local industries for sustainable development.

The day concluded with a lively campfire and cultural program that brought all the volunteers together in a celebration of unity and creativity. The evening was filled with energetic performances, including songs, dances, and skits, showcasing the talents of the participants. Volunteers also shared reflections and stories from their week-long camp experiences, fostering a deeper bond among the group. The cultural exchange enriched the participants' understanding of diversity and reinforced the values of teamwork and collaboration.





Overall, Day 6 was a testament to the transformative impact of the NSS major camp. From promoting cleanliness and rural entrepreneurship to celebrating culture and unity, the day left participants inspired to continue their journey of selfless service and community engagement, embodying the NSS motto: "Not Me, But You."

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#### **EVENT REPORT OF SPECIAL CAMP DAY 7**

Day 7 of the NSS major camp was a memorable blend of adventure, learning, and camaraderie, leaving a lasting impact on the participants. The day began with an invigorating morning trek through—gentle slopes. This activity not only promoted physical fitness but also encouraged environmental awareness, as volunteers learned about local biodiversity and discussed issues like deforestation and climate change. The trek fostered teamwork, with participants supporting one another to overcome challenges, and concluded with stunning hilltop views that inspired reflection on the importance of preserving nature.





In the afternoon, the volunteers visited a nearby agricultural field to gain insights into rural life and farming practices. The farmers warmly welcomed the group, sharing their experiences and challenges, including the impacts of climate change and market instability. Volunteers engaged in hands-on activities like planting, watering, and weeding, which gave them a deeper appreciation for the hard work behind food production. The visit highlighted the significance of sustainable farming methods, while fostering a sense of gratitude and respect for the farming community.

The day ended on a high note with a lively campfire session. Participants gathered around the glowing fire, sharing stories, singing songs, and performing skits that celebrated their shared journey and the spirit of social service. Storytelling became a central theme, with inspiring narratives of leadership, perseverance, and personal growth taking center stage. The session not only strengthened bonds among the volunteers but also reinforced their commitment to the NSS values of selfless service and community engagement.





Overall, Day 7 encapsulated the essence of the NSS camp, blending physical activity, educational exposure, and emotional connection. The activities enhanced the volunteers' teamwork, empathy, and leadership skills while instilling a deeper appreciation for nature, agriculture, and social responsibility. The camp concluded with renewed energy and a collective pledge to continue serving society, embodying the NSS motto: "Not Me, But You."

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