

## FIELD TRIP

Students visited Krishna patnam Port, Krishna patnam, Nellore on 9-08-2017.

This port is the largest automated port for exports and imports in South Asia. It rates high on all the parameters of operations, including optimum cost, reliability, time and the best available service to customers.

Krishnapatnam is a port town in Muthukur Mandal of Nellore District in the state of Andhra Pradesh, India. The history says that Vijayanagar Emperor, Sri Krishnadevaraya operates this port, hence the port was named as Krishnapatnam Port. The port operated small boats through Buckingham Canal, which runs behind the port and was used as a waterway for transportation between Chennai in the south and Krishna river delta in the north. Later in 1960s iron ore was exported by wooden boats from this port and in early 1980s Government of India declared this port as a minor port.

