

The Impact of Atom Bomb on Hiroshima & Nagasaki

Preamble:

Arranged a Seminar on “*The Impact of Atom Bomb on Hiroshima & Nagasaki*” on 6th August 2024.

Participants:

150 Students of Science and Arts.

Resource Person:

Sri IKA Balaji, “Mundadugu” Organisation, Kolkata.

Dr.B.Aruna, Psychologist & General Secretary of Janasahithi

Description of the Programme:

The Department of Chemistry recently organized a seminar titled “**The Impact of the Atomic Bomb on Hiroshima and Nagasaki by the United States of America**” for first and second-year Science and Arts students. The seminar aimed to provide a comprehensive understanding of the atomic bomb’s historical and political significance during World War II. The event began with a detailed presentation by the resource person, who delved into the reasons behind the United States' decision to use atomic bombs against Japan. The discussion included an exploration of the political relationships between the U.S. and Japan prior to the bombings, offering valuable context for the controversial decision. Following this, Ika Balaji garu presented a slide show that vividly illustrated the devastating impacts of the atomic bomb on Hiroshima and Nagasaki. This visual presentation was designed to raise awareness among the students about the profound consequences of such a weapon. Dr. B. Aruna then took the stage to discuss the psychological effects experienced by survivors of the atomic bombings. Her insights into the long-term mental health impacts of the attacks provided a poignant reminder of the human cost of warfare. The seminar concluded on a powerful note, with both students and faculty joining together to voice the slogan, “No War, We Want Peace.” This collective expression underscored the seminar’s overarching message and left a lasting impression on all attendees.

