

EDUCATIONAL TRIP TO BANBASA

About the Trip

The Civil Engineering Department organised an educational and industrial trip from **17th to 19th November** with the objective of providing students with practical exposure to major hydraulic and irrigation structures and strengthening the connection between theoretical knowledge and field-level engineering practice. The trip covered **Banbasa, Sharda Barrage, and Nanak Matta Dam** and included direct interaction with senior engineers and departmental alumni. Proper arrangements related to travel, accommodation, meals, and safety were ensured throughout the duration of the tour, making the visit academically productive and well-managed.

Key Points

- The journey commenced on **17th November at 7:30 AM**, with the bus departing at **8:00 AM**. Students enjoyed the journey with music and snacks.
- A halt was made at **Sehramau Dhaba**, where a simple lunch of **dal fry, seasonal aloo vegetable, and tandoori roti** was served, allowing students to rest and recharge.
- Due to traffic congestion after Kanpur, the group reached **Banbasa** at around **11:00 AM**.
- Upon arrival, students were accommodated in the **guest house**, with **separate lodging arrangements for boys and girls**.
- On the night of arrival, **Sub-Divisional Officer Mr Prashant Verma** personally welcomed the group and took complete care of arrangements related to **stay and meals**.
- **Dinner on arrival, breakfast the next morning, and lunch on the following day** were efficiently organised under his supervision.
- The next day, students visited **Sharda Barrage**, where officials provided a detailed technical briefing covering its **history, purpose, structural components, and operational mechanism**.
- A **group photograph** was taken at Sharda Barrage to commemorate the academic visit.
- A **felicitation and interaction session** was organised with senior officials and alumni, including:
 - Chief Engineer** – Shri H. N. Singh Sir (Alumni)
 - Superintending Engineer** – Mr. Rajiv Niranjana Sir
 - Executive Engineers** – Mr. Rajiv Kumar Singh Sir, Mr. Vijay Veer Yadav Sir (Alumni), Mr. Praveen Gautam Sir (Alumni)
 - Sub-Divisional Officers** – Mr. Prashant Verma Sir, Mr. Sumit Sachan Sir, Mr. Awadh Ram Sir
 - Junior Engineers** – Mr. Rohit Chaudhary Sir, Mr. Sarvesh Kumar Sir, Mr. Sanjay Singh Sir, Mr. Gaurav Jaiswar Sir, Mr. Atul Varshney Sir, Mr. Saurabh Singh Sir
- The group later visited **Nanak Matta Dam**, where students observed dam components and water management systems.
- **Refreshments and tea** were provided at the dam site, which were appreciated by all participants. The group returned safely on **19th November at approximately 6:00 AM**, successfully concluding the educational trip.



