

# Gender Sensitivity Programme – "My Gender, My Identity"

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**Name of the Institution:** SWR Government Degree College for Girls, Kanchikacherla

**Date of Programme:** 23-07-2024

**Venue:** College Seminar Hall

**Organized by:** Women Empowerment Cell and NSS Unit and Vasavya mahila mandali

**Target Group:** Degree Students and Teaching Faculty

No. of Participants: 135

## **NEED:**

In today's evolving society, there is a strong need to promote gender sensitivity and inclusiveness among students and academic communities. Gender identity and equality remain misunderstood in many circles, leading to discrimination, stereotyping, and lack of equal opportunities. The programme titled 'My Gender, My Identity' aimed to instill respect, understanding, and awareness among students about diverse gender identities and the importance of equal treatment for all.

## **ACTION:**

The programme was conducted on 23-07-2024 and included the following key activities:

- Inauguration by the Principal, highlighting the relevance of gender inclusivity in academic spaces.
- Keynote address by Geddam Jhansi, Gender Rights Activist, on the topic 'Gender is not Binary'.
- A session by Dr.Mahima, Psychologist, on 'Breaking Gender Stereotypes'.
- Interactive discussion with students on issues of identity, equality, and respect in classrooms and society.
- Poster exhibition and slogan competition on gender sensitivity themes.
- Student pledge on respecting gender diversity and promoting inclusion.

## ACHIEVEMENT:

- Over 135 participants sensitized to gender issues and rights.
- Students showcased awareness and creativity through posters and slogans.
- Increased understanding of gender-based challenges and legal protections.
- Positive student feedback indicated enhanced empathy and commitment to promoting inclusivity.
- The programme strengthened the college's initiative toward gender-just education.



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