

## 2.INNOVATION DAY/KALAM DAY--15October2019



RKGITWE organized a seminar on the Innovation Day, which was the birth anniversary of Dr APJ Abdul Kalam. The Director of the institute, along with other dignitaries paid homage to the noble soul. Director spoke about Dr Kalam's grandeur. He informed the student how visionary Dr Kalam was. Dean R&D recalled the incidents when he had got to meet Dr Kalam personally. He told students that Dr Kalam was not only dedicated but also humble. He felt blessed to have met Dr Kalam in his life. Everyone gave their tribute to the "people's president", and that is how the program went on. In the end, there were two competitions for all students of each year.



The first event was a GK quiz on the life of Dr APJ Abdul Kalam. Every student was given a question paper which was of MCQs, about the incredible life of Dr Kalam. Most students had come prepared to exhibit their knowledge on the life of the "People's President" who is rightly considered as the most loved President of all times. After the GK quiz, an essay writing competition on the role of Science and

Technology in the development of the nation was conducted. Every student was given a sheet of paper to write upon. The students laid out innovative ideas out of their mind and showcased them on the sheet provide to them.



Meanwhile, the entries for the quiz were checked, and its result was declared. Interestingly, three people scored the same marks, and all of them were at the third position. Since only one person for the third position was to be selected, the judges decided to conduct a small quiz of three questions again for those three students. As interesting as it may sound, the second quiz was again a tie among the three of them. Now, to decide the third positioned, the three people were asked to exhibit their views on Dr APJ Abdul Kalam. It was an extempore of one minute through which the third winner was selected who was the sole participant from the first year. By God's grace, he also secured the first position in the essay writing competition. Every student participated in the event with tremendous zeal and ecstasy. Thus, RKGITWE found it to be an astounding success.

The life of Dr Kalam will always keep inspiring the young minds.