

Department of Botany St. Bede's College, Shimla

Activities for the session 2016-17

1. Field visits

Potters Hill Nature's Park

On 07 April, 2017, the Department organized an excursion to Potter's Hill Nature Park. The visit was a great learning experience where the students got to see numerous trees native to Himachal Pradesh. Project Reports on Biodiversity were also prepared by the students of B.Sc. IV Sem. Botany.



Indian Institute of Advance Studies

On the 07 April, 2017, the Department had organized visit to the Indian Institute of Advance Studies, where the students were made familiar with the historical institute and its functioning. The students also visited Flower Nursery where they were acquainted with various plants grown in the nursery and the students were also made familiar with Bonsai Technique (Growing small trees in pots).

2. Interdepartmental Activities

Department of Botany in collaboration with the Department of Biotechnology and Microbiology organized a field visit to Potter's Hill Nature Park. Students learned about numerous native plants of Himachal Pradesh along with their economical uses.



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3. Student's Presentations

A series of lectures and presentations were given by the students of IVth Semester on various topics related to Biodiversity and its Conservation.



4. Department Achievers

• Akanksha Thapa attended one month internship programme at Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Panthaghati on Basic course in Basic Taxonomy in the month of June 2016.

