

**SNDT Women's University, Mumbai**  
**Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension,**  
**And**  
**Department of Social Work Jointly organized**

**Criterion III 3.3.2.1**

**Capability Enhancement Scheme 4: Workshop on Best out of waste**

**Brief Report**

Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension and Department of Social Work jointly organized a workshop on Best out of Waste on February 5, 2020 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The students of both the Programmes namely MA Non-formal Education and Development (12) and Master of Social Work (38) were present for the workshop. Ms. Harshita Shrivastav, Ph.D student of SNDT Women's University was the resource person of this workshop.

Dr. Asha Patil, Director Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension introduced the students to the workshop and Ms. Shrivastava.

One day before conducting the workshop initially Ms. Shrivastav briefed the students on how one can make things out of waste material through PPT presentation. Then, she had asked students to bring waste material from their homes which included plastic bottles, tin containers, oil containers old Newspapers, card boards, etc. Accordingly, on the day of workshop students brought the waste things from their respective homes.

The Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension provided the students with the other material required for making best out of waste which included gum, colors, stick fast, paints and other required stationery material.

In the Workshop Ms. Shrivastav first gave demonstration of things to be made and then asked students to make the things. The students were divided in to groups and each group was to make at least one finished product. She showed demonstration of various items like how to paint old bottles to turn them into table lamp or as hanging item, how to cut plastic tins to turn them to make as plant holders, how to emboss on the bottles, how to turn old bag into a new bag with new painted designs, how to use old Newspapers to make a basket or as a coaster, how to turn the card board cuttings into pen holder, etc.

The workshop ended with proposing vote of thanks to the resource person and students who attended the workshop.

Students enjoyed the activities so much that they decorated their class room with the best products which they made out of old materials. A few students prepared flower

vas which were sold in Swanubhav- Annual exhibition 2020. This way they contributed to Swachha Bharat Abhiyan launched by Hon. Prime Minister.