

Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Sri Anandpur Sahib

P.G. Department of Political Science

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Nanhi Chhaan Committee

Independence Day Celebration Activity

“Role of Women in Independent India”

The PG Department of Political Science, Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Sri Anandpur Sahib, in collaboration with the Nanhi Chhaan Committee of the College, celebrated Independence Day with great enthusiasm on 18 August 2026.

Principal Dr. Jasvir Singh addressed the students and highlighted the significance of such activities in promoting patriotism, social responsibility, and a sense of national pride among the youth. Dr. Sunita Rana, Head of the Department of Political Science, emphasized the vital role of women in the progress of an independent India. She highlighted that women today are making the nation proud across diverse fields, including politics, science, sports, education, and defence. She stressed that the meaningful participation and empowerment of women are essential for building a strong, progressive, and inclusive India. Dr. Gagandeep Kaur, Convener of the Nanhi Chhaan Committee, addressed the gathering and highlighted the significant role of women in present-day India. She explained how government initiatives such as Nanhi Chhaan and Beti Bachao Beti Padhao have contributed significantly towards promoting women's empowerment and creating greater opportunities for girls. She emphasized that the true spirit of independence can be realized only when every girl is treated with equal respect and provided equal opportunities to learn, grow, and succeed. Dr. Veerpal Singh shed light on the historical background of India's Independence and emphasized its significance in shaping the nation's identity and democratic values. The programme was attended by the students of the Departments of Political Science and Chemistry, who participated with great enthusiasm.

