### POST GRADUATE GOVERNMENT COLLEGE FOR GIRLS

### SECTOR-11, CHANDIGARH

TRAFFIC AWARENESS AND ROAD SAFETY SOCIETY

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# Traffic Awareness and Road Safety Society

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#### **Traffic Awareness and Road Safety Society**

Traffic Awareness and Road Safety Society of Post-graduate Government College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh under the aegis of IQAC held its Orientation Programme on 1st August 2023 for the freshers under the guidance of Principal Prof. Anita Kaushal. First year students from all streams participated in the orientation function. The function started with the address by the Programme coordinator Dr. CheenaGambhir in which she highlighted various traffic and road safety related issues and also motivated the students to come forward and generate awareness amongst the fellow students and the masses to make city safe and accident free. This was followed by an interactive session during which the student vowed to follow traffic rules. They were apprised about the number of hours each student has to put on for in-campus and off-campus activities which would be a part of community outreach programme. As many as 200 students registered themselves with the Society during the orientation programme.



#### Traffic Awareness and Road Safety Society

Traffic Awareness and Road Safety Society under the aegis of IQAC in collaboration with Department of Public Administration organized a talk on "Drive Safe Stay Smart" which was presented by Wg Cdr CS Grewal on 10<sup>th</sup> Februay 2024. The programme started with the welcome address and a brief introduction of Wg Cdr CS Grewal who had also been a Chief Traffic Marshal in Chandigarh Traffic Police since 2004. More than 300 under graduates of all streams attended the presentation.

The Chief Traffic Marshal appraised the students present about the rules and regulations on road safety. He also played some videos showing serious road accident and their cause. The rate of road accident in India has risen manifold whereas other countries have managed to control it. He expressed that heavy penalties for traffic violations are not the solution. People need to be made aware of the dire consequences if a vehicle is being driven without insurance or other valid documents. In the end, an interaction was held with the students and few questions were asked to be them for which they were rewarded. Finally, literature regarding road safety was distributed to the students. Mr. Ajay Kumar Sharma felicitated the guest with a token of Appreciation also.



