

THE NATIONAL COLLEGE
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Jayanagar, Bangalore
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

Report on visit to Krishimela

(Practicum component of Open elective course – Rural Economics)



The Department of Economics had organized a visit to Krishimela (Agricultural fair) organized by University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK, Bengaluru on 5th of November 2022. This visit was a part of practicum component of open elective course -Rural Economics.

The mela had various stalls on Agricultural inputs, Natural farming, Organic farming, Irrigation, Rural occupation, Self-help groups, livestock and also consultancies, demonstration plots and poly houses established in mela helped the students to get insights of various practices of agriculture like soil less farming, Bee rearing and growing of different exotic varieties of fruits, vegetables and flowers.

Further, Mr. Vijaykumar, B.T., Ph.D. Scholar and Horticulturist, took the accompanied the students in the visit, explained the students about agricultural practices followed in cultivation of exotic vegetables in polyhouses, Bonsai method of growing trees and importance and uses of Medicinal and aromatic plants.

The visited helped the students to understand basic knowledge of agriculture and allied activities, which are important contributors of Rural Economy.

Mr. Jeevan, S., Faculty of Department of Economics organized and guided the students in this visit.