

JASPAL KAUR PUBLIC SCHOOL E- WASTE AWARENESS CAMPAIGN

E-waste or electronic waste is a rising menace in the country which is defined as ‘Waste generated from used electronic devices and household appliances which are not fit for their originally intended use and are destined for recovery, recycling and disposal’. The awareness of disposal of E-waste is almost nil in the country whereas E-Waste generation is high. According to a recent study in India one out of every two people are unaware of electronic waste and the proper means to dispose of it. This is an alarming situation for our country with a population of 1.39 billion people and hence calls for stringent actions.

Keeping this sensitive issue in mind, an awareness campaign was organized in JKPS on E-waste management for the students of classes **V-VI** on **28th October** in the school auditorium. The resource person for the same was **Mr. Santosh Gupta**. He represents as a trainer for **E Safai** initiative under the **Clean to Green Campaign**. Students were made aware of the various hazards caused by improper disposing of E-waste. Mr. Santosh has also explained how we all can contribute to saving our nature by learning the proper way of disposing of E-waste.

