



Report

Van Mahotsav Week Quiz Competition 2026

1. Introduction & Background –

To observe Van Mahotsav Week from 01 July 2026 to 07 July 2026, Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga organised the Van Mahotsav Week Quiz Competition 2026. The initiative was conceptualised to move beyond ceremonial observances and to foster substantive academic engagement with critical environmental issues. Situated in Bihar's Mithila region, where challenges of deforestation, water scarcity, climate variability, and biodiversity loss have direct bearing on agrarian livelihoods and ecological balance, the college identified a gap between students' symbolic concern for nature and their informed understanding of concepts such as forest conservation, tree plantation, wildlife protection, pollution control, waste management, and sustainable development. Accordingly, an inter-college online quiz was structured as a democratic and inclusive platform, open to all students without registration fee or institutional restriction, reflecting the principle that environmental awareness must be accessible to every learner. Conducted on a zero-budget model through voluntary faculty contribution, the quiz addressed themes of ecology, importance of forests, climate change, renewable energy, biodiversity, and government initiatives for environmental protection. Its objective was to position the environment not merely as an academic subject, but as a shared responsibility requiring informed action. The competition recorded participation from 105 students across various colleges, of whom 98 participants successfully qualified. This outcome indicates strong learning engagement and awareness. This background provides the context for the report that follows, documenting an event in which environmental consciousness was translated into active learning and sustainable values were reinforced through academic practice.

2. Participation & Result Summary

- Total Participants Attempted: 105 students from multiple colleges
- Total Students Passed: 98 students
- Total Students Not Qualified: 7 students
- Pass Percentage: 93.33%
- Certificates Issued: 98 Certificates of Appreciation to qualified students only

3. Quiz Structure & Evaluation

- Format: Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)
- Total Questions: 30
- Marks per Question: 1 mark each, Total: 30 marks
- Qualifying Marks: 15 marks (50%) and above
- Evaluation: Automated system to ensure transparency and accuracy

4. Financial Details

- Budget Allocated by College: **Nil**
- Funding from External Organizations: **Nil**
- Registration Fee from Students: **Nil**
- Total Expenditure: **Nil**

The event was executed using existing digital infrastructure and voluntary support from faculty members. No financial burden was placed on any stakeholder.

5. Outcome & Achievements

1. 93.33% Success Rate: 98 out of 105 participants secured 50% or above.
2. Inter-College Engagement: Participation from multiple institutions promoted constitutional literacy.
3. Zero-Cost Model: Proved that impactful academic events can be organized without financial resources.
4. Academic Rigor: With 30 questions and 50% cutoff, the quiz maintained standards while ensuring inclusivity.

6. Certificate Distribution

Certificates of Appreciation were digitally issued to the 98 students who scored 15 marks or above. The certificate recognised their active participation and qualifying understanding of key environmental concepts including forest conservation, tree plantation, biodiversity, climate change, and pollution control. The remaining 7 students who did not meet the qualifying criteria were encouraged to participate in future academic and environmental awareness events to strengthen their knowledge base.

7. List of Students

SI No.	Full Name	Name of College	Department/ Subject	Total Score	Percent Score	Certificate ID
1	Vandana kumari	Lalit Narayan Mithila University Darbhanga	Home Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000001
2	Mr Dhruv Agrawal	Poornima University	BBA	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000002
3	Juphin Abraham Philip	SNGOU, Kollam	Sociology	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000003
4	Nilesh Bhattacharya	Faculty of Arts, Delhi University	Political Science	20	66.7%	KVXVT4-CE000004
5	Aditya Pathak	J Yoganandam College Raipur	Commerce	18	60.0%	KVXVT4-CE000005
6	Gauri Sharma	DAV PG College Dehradun	Economics	15	50.0%	KVXVT4-CE000006
7	ASHISH ANAND	MLT College, Saharsa	English	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000007
8	Rabita kumari	Mahatma Gandhi College Darbhanga	Hindi	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000008
9	Ashok Kumar Sahu	GHS, Dumerpani	Science	18	60.0%	KVXVT4-CE000009
10	Rajveer Kumar	Gaya College Gaya	Geography	22	73.3%	KVXVT4-CE000010
11	Shilpashree PV	MS RAMAIAH College of Arts, Science and Commerce	Biotechnology	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000011
12	Abhinav Anand	Gniot Institute of Professional Studies	Commerce	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000012
13	Rajni kumari	Mahatma Gandhi College Darbhanga	Hindi	27	90.0%	KVXVT4-CE000013
14	Rajnish Kumar	Mahatma Gandhi college	Hindi	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000014
15	Anu	Davv	Science	9	30.0%	
16	Shraddha Saini	Bansal College Indore	Management	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000015
17	Prasad NV	Dr Ambedkar college	Mechanical	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000016

18	Juphin Abraham Philip	Alagappa University, Karaikudi	PSYCHOLOGY	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000017
19	Mr Pervody Bheema Bhat	Manasagangotri, Mysore	History	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000018
20	Hannan Sher	Wmdc	Medical	12	40.0%	
21	Samarth	University of Delhi	Economics	9	30.0%	
22	Mr. Ram Kishor Chicham	Rani Durgawati University, Jabalpur MP India	Hindi	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000019
23	ARP Ruchi Sharma	BRC kandhla Shamli Uttar Pradesh India	Hindi	25	83.3%	KVXVT4-CE000020
24	Manish Mardi	Sister Nivedita University Kolkata	MCA	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000021
25	Er Ghanshyam Das Garg	HAL Lucknow	PLANNING	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000022
26	Mr Partha Pratim Talukdar	Gauhati University	Sociology	19	63.3%	KVXVT4-CE000023
27	Dr Ganesh Kharat	Special Education Department Kochi Kerala	EDUCATION	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000024
28	Ansari Raees Ah Babu Ali	A.A.M Urdu Girl's High School And Jr College Of Art's Dhule	Science	13	43.3%	
29	Lorlie J. Villanueva	University of Southern Mindanao - Kidapawan City Campus	Industrial Arts	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000025
30	Ccghhj	Fh	Bk	3	10.0%	
31	Shekh mohammad qaisar rizwi	National Institute of Health Education & Research, Patna	Anatomy	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000026
32	Puja Patra	Vidyasagar University	B Ed	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000027
33	Vikas Namala	S.V.E.T's College of Pharmacy	Pharmaceutical Sciences	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000028
34	Shuddha Satwa Misra(A.T.)	Tetia Pry. School, Malda, West Bengal	Elementary Education	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000029
35	Mr Rohan Singh	IGNOU	Political Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000030
36	ASHISH KUMAR	S.P.M College (Nalanda)	Arts	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000031
37	S.M.Shaheriya	Smt.H.S.P.S.	Edu.	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000032
38	Subhadeep Sinha	Santipur Public School	Library	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000033
39	Pokala Srinivasa Rao	DMS SVH College Of Engineering	ECE	15	50.0%	KVXVT4-CE000034
40	Muhammad Jakiuddin Azad	Paschim Dagory Government Primary School	MPME	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000035
41	Yordan Alberto Huaman Kong	Instituto Avanti Empreendedores	Turismo	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000036
42	S. Sripriya	ICAI	Acc	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000037
43	Ambika Bareth	Banasthali vidyapith Tonk Rajasthan	Chemistry	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000038
44	Imanuel Wicaksono, S.Kom.	IT	IT.	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000039
45	Chavali-Srinivasa-Chandra-Sekhar	other	other	17	56.7%	KVXVT4-CE000040

46	Anushka Garai	Bolpur Girls' High School	Ee	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000041
47	Shubham Singh (Golu Singh)	Shri Meghbaran Singh Mahavidyalaya Bhadaila Karampur Ghazipur	Education	27	90.0%	KVXVT4-CE000042
48	Yaudhveer Singh Shikarwar	Govt.model science post graduation college rewa m.p.	Biology	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000043
49	Chandan Samal	IGNOU	Chemistry	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000044
50	Harshal Mohan Nipane	Jain University Bangalore	Cybersecurity	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000045
51	BHONG PRACHITA BALAJI	Suman Madhav Mahila Mahavidyalay Zari	ARTS	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000046
52	M Sampath Kumar	STATE RP	English	12	40.0%	
53	Adv. Anil kumar jatav	Jiwaji University Gwalior	LAW	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000047
54	Minakshi Sunil Mantri	Suman Madhav Mahila Mahavidyalay Zari	Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000048
55	Kotwal Kavita Satwaji	Suman Madhav Mahila Mahavidyalay Zari	Bachelor of Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000049
56	Ashvini Shankar Tate	Suman Madhav Mahila Mahavidyalay Zari	Home Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000050
57	Dr.Monika Keshavrao Wankhede	Suman Madhav Mahila Mahavidyalay Zari	Chemistry	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000051
58	Hannan Sher	Wmdc	Medical	17	56.7%	KVXVT4-CE000052
59	Mr. Naman Kumar Pasi	Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh	Mathematics	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000053
60	Mokariya maheshkumar b	Nv gandhi	NA	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000054
61	Thejashree M J	Ambika padavipoorva vidyalaya	Science	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000055
62	Ganeshbabu N	MAVMM AV College Madurai	Commerce	19	63.3%	KVXVT4-CE000056
63	Shubham Rajesh Pathakar	SSPMS college of hotel management and technology	Tourism and hospitality	27	90.0%	KVXVT4-CE000057
64	Disha Roy	Bijoy Krishna Girls' College	Commerce	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000058
65	Ashok Dhawan	DAV College	Eco	27	90.0%	KVXVT4-CE000059
66	Dr. Ravi Madrasi	CTES AAPWC Chikodi	Admin	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000060
67	Anup Kumar Sahoo	Global Institute Of Management	Management	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000061
68	ANIK SHARMA	SRG	Environment science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000062
69	Anik sharma	Srg	Environment	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000063
70	Goutam Bhattacharjee	Teacher UPU Swami Atmanand Government English Medium School	Dhamdha	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000064
71	Ashok Dhawan	DAV College	Economics	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000065
72	Abdusharifova Ruhshona Uzbekistan	Uzbekistan	Student	9	30.0%	

73	Suvajit Ghosh Dastidar	University of Calcutta	Commerce	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000066
74	Prince Kumar	Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga	Zoology	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000067
75	Ms Sujitha Anto	Tamilnadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	Agriculture	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000068
76	Kadarbhai n. Mansuri	Visnagar	IEDSS	21	70.0%	KVXVT4-CE000069
77	PONNUSAMY	Remo college tamil nadu	Fashion designing	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000070
78	Shri Naveen Katiyar	Olympus High Dehradun	History	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000071
79	Nysa Suri	Bal Bharati public school Rohini sec 14.	Commerce	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000072
80	Badal Kumar Pandey	Shobhit Deemed to be university, Meerut	Agriculturists	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000073
81	Lakshminarayanan V	NPRNSwami Vivekananda Payilagam	Biology	28	93.3%	KVXVT4-CE000074
82	Hannan Sher	Wmdc	Medical	25	83.3%	KVXVT4-CE000075
83	Sakshi Deepak Tiware	Raipur Chhattisgarh	CS	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000076
84	Er. Deepak Sakshi Tiware	Raipur, Chhattisgarh	ECE	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000077
85	Abhishek Dutta	Assam Engineering College	Elect. Eng.	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000078
86	Soumyadeep Ray	Dakshin Barasat Sibdas Acharya High School (H.S.)	Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000079
87	Dimple JUneja	Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur	Education	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000080
88	Basit Mushtaq Mir	GDC Anantnag	Science	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000081
89	Basanta Kumar Samal	Govt.U.P.School,Kenduudar	Education	23	76.7%	KVXVT4-CE000082
90	Zainab Khatoon	J.D. Women's College (Patna)	Economics	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000083
91	Piyush Sudhakar Zamare	Government Polytechnic, Arvi.	ASC. (Applied Science)	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000084
92	Rohit Singhal	Brij university	Science	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000085
93	Divyadharshni K	PSNA College Of Engineering And Technology, Dindigul	BE-ECE	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000086
94	Ganesh Manik shinde	The Sia college of thane	Accounting and financial	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000087
95	Debanjan Roy	Swami Vivekananda University	Microbiology	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000088
96	Rayian	Uhs college	Science	15	50.0%	KVXVT4-CE000089
97	Asiya usmani	Mg college	English	29	96.7%	KVXVT4-CE000090
98	Kushagra Manas	Patna College	History	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000091
99	Mounisha B C	Nagarjuna College Of Engineering And Technology	BCA	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000092

100	Chinmay Khare	T. A. Pai Management Institute, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	Economics	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000093
101	Subhrajit Mahapatra	Pm shri Govt High School, Balimela	Geography	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000094
102	Manohar Ahuja	Mumbai, Maharashtra, India	.	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000095
103	Charvish Jain	Lalpat rai collge	FYJC	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000096
104	Chinu Jain	Lala lajpat rai college	Fyjc	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000097
105	Karan Kumar	Ram Krishna Dwarika College Patna	Commerce	30	100.0%	KVXVT4-CE000098

8. Acknowledgement

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Our sincere appreciation extends to all faculty members of the college who contributed their time and expertise in question preparation, content verification, technical management, and result evaluation. Their voluntary effort after college hours ensured transparency and academic integrity throughout the event. We also acknowledge the vital support of all non-teaching staff members whose cooperation in logistical arrangements, communication, and record-keeping was indispensable for the smooth execution of the quiz.

Above all, we thank the 105 students from multiple colleges whose enthusiastic participation and sincere preparation led to a 93.33% success rate. This quiz stands as a tribute to Van Mahotsav Week, reinforcing the ideals of forest conservation, tree plantation, biodiversity protection, and collective responsibility. We are grateful to every individual who helped translate environmental consciousness into meaningful student engagement.

9. Conclusion

The Van Mahotsav Week Quiz Competition 2026, organised by Mahatma Gandhi College, Darbhanga from 01 July 2026 to 07 July 2026, successfully achieved its core objective of converting environmental awareness into meaningful learning. With 105 students from multiple colleges participating and 98 students securing 15 marks or above out of 30 questions, the event demonstrated that youth are eager to engage with pressing ecological issues when given accessible and inclusive platforms. The 93.33% pass rate reflects not just academic preparation but also genuine concern among students to understand forest conservation, tree plantation, biodiversity, climate change, and pollution control beyond textbook definitions. By covering themes of ecology, importance of forests, wildlife protection, renewable energy, and government initiatives for environmental protection, the quiz encouraged participants to view the environment as a shared responsibility rather than a distant subject.

A defining feature of this initiative was its zero-budget, zero-fee model. Without any financial support from the college, external organisations, or students, the quiz was executed entirely through voluntary faculty efforts and existing digital infrastructure. This proved that impactful academic engagement does not require monetary resources but relies on institutional

intent, planning, and collective responsibility. It also embodied the Van Mahotsav principle that environmental awareness and action must be accessible to all, irrespective of economic background.

Beyond numbers, the quiz fostered inter-college dialogue and environmental literacy at a time when climate action and deforestation need active reinforcement among youth. It reminded participants that Van Mahotsav is not limited to a week of plantation but is a practice for long-term survival and ecological balance. For Mahatma Gandhi College, this event reaffirms the institution's commitment to value-based education and its role in nurturing informed, responsible citizens. The organising committee believes that such initiatives should become a regular practice, ensuring that Van Mahotsav Week is observed not merely as a ceremony but as an annual renewal of our commitment to forests and nature. The success of this quiz encourages us to expand such efforts in the future.

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