

**THE ICFAI UNIVERSITY, SIKKIM, NSS CELL, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE
UNIVERSITY'S LITERARY CLUB, ORGANISED INTERNATIONAL LITERACY
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The event, which aimed to raise awareness about the significance of literacy in the modern world, was held with great enthusiasm and engagement from students and faculty alike.

The program highlighted the importance of literacy in today's society through various activities and interactive sessions. A notable part of the event was a debate competition on the thought-provoking topic: "Can Digital Literacy Replace Traditional Literacy, or Do We Need Both?" Two teams participated, one supporting the idea that digital literacy could replace traditional methods, and the other advocating for the need for both forms of literacy to coexist.

Sunny Singh from the MBA program led his team to victory with persuasive arguments and well-organized. His team secured the first place in the debate competition. On the other hand, Babyla Ethenpa from the BA-LL.B program and her team performed admirably, securing the position of runners-up.

The winners were felicitated by Ms. Sandhya R. Pant, Deputy Registrar, and Dr. Khina Maya Rimal, Associate Dean. They presented gifts and traditional Khadas to the winning teams. In addition to the debate, the faculty members who lead the Literacy Club were also honored for their contribution to the event.

To further engage the participants, a quiz competition was held, which tested the knowledge of students in various aspects of literacy. The event also featured a Q&A session where the audience actively participated by asking insightful questions related to the debate topic.

Overall, the event was a great success, emphasizing the crucial role of literacy, both digital and traditional, in shaping an informed and empowered society.