

**MSP Mandal's**  
**Vinayakrao Patil Mahavidyalaya, Vaijapur**  
**Competitive Examination Guidance Cell**  
**Guidance Workshop for Competitive Exam**  
**In Collaboration with**  
**Unique Academy, Pune**  
**Alumni Engagement Initiative**  
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**Report**

**Session I -Inauguration:** Dr. Dadasaheb Salunke, Vice Principal, welcomed the participants, dignitaries and the resource persons and deliver a brief introduction to the workshop. The dignitaries offered flowers to the image of Hon. Late. Vinayakrao Patil and lighted the ceremonial lamp.

**Session II – Lecture by 'Mr. Deva Jadhvar, Expert on 'Current Affairs' Unique Academy, Pune:** He said that the current affairs is an integral part of any competitive examination. In MPSC and UPSC examinations it carries significant weightage. Apart from this its impact on preparing the other components of the syllabus is very important. When a candidate equips himself of herself with the current affairs, he or she gains a sure foundation. He explained the study technique of preparing the current affairs. He said that the newspapers serve as a good reference for preparing this component. He said that we can prepare the current affairs by watching TV channels like DD News, DD Bharti, DD National etc. because they give a comprehensive view of the day-to-day happenings with news analysis.

**Session III: Mr. Vibhor Bothe, Expert on 'NCERT and Indian History' Unique Academy, Pune:** He said that the component 'Indian History' assumes importance in the overall preparation of MPSC and UPSC examinations. These components are taught from the school days, but a different and meaningful approach comes only when we look at the history from a different point of view. The people and events in the history should come alive and talk to us. We can start from the very local history and then accommodate it in the larger national and global perspectives. He enlisted the NCERT books pivotal for preparing the Indian history.

**Session IV: Open Session:** The participants had some doubts and queries regarding the competitive examination. During the open session there queries were resolved by the students. Their questions were related to the study techniques, important reference books, examination schedule, syllabi, guidance centres etc. The resource persons said that a student can start preparation from home also. Nowadays a lot of material is available online. For interview preparation some academies conduct workshops. Dr. Dadasaheb Salunke proposed the vote of thanks. 102 alumni and students participated in the programme.



Mr. Deva Jadhvar speaking on 'Current Affairs'



Rural aspirants at the programme

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