

Department of English
A Seminar on 19th Century Fiction

A Report

28 September 2024

A seminar on 19th Century Fiction was conducted by the Department of English for the students of post-graduation on 28 September 2024 in college ICT Lab under the guidance of Dr. Kulbhushan Sharma. Anupama Sharma and Sunita Thakur were also present as observers in the seminar. The main purpose of the programme was to make the students learn the art of presentation and to have a deeper understanding of the texts and how to critically examine various aspects of the novels dealt in the classes. It also gave an opportunity for the students of first semester to present their PPTs and the understanding of the texts was also checked. Dr. Kulbhushan Sharma (HOD) laid the thrust that such kind of regular seminars brings the best among the students and it creates their genuine interest in literature. Dr. Kulbhushan Sharma divided the teams into two groups- (1) Tess of D'urbervilles (2) Wuthering Heights. Tess of D'urbervilles team presented their subject matter first. Since, it was a group presentation so the entire team presented their content one by one. Everyone presented their content very well. After Tess of D'urbervilles team presentation, team Wuthering Heights and all other students put some questions to Tess of D'urbervilles team which they answered satisfactorily. After team Tess of D'urbervilles, team Wuthering Heights presented their presentation. The major focus of the presentations by both teams was to understand the novel and examine every literary aspect related to novel. Both the teams were applauded for their wonderful presentations.

Then Dr. Kulbhushan Sharma asked both the teams about their experience of seminar. At the end Dr. Kulbhushan Sharma appreciated all the presenters and guided the students and updated them about upcoming events. The seminar ended with Dr. Kulbhushan Sharma's motivational words for students. Anupama Sharma and Sunita Thakur also motivated the students and encouraged them to participate in such programmes.

Some Glimpses of the Seminar:



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