

**Bellary V V Sangha's  
VIJAYANAGAR COLLEGE HOSAPETE  
(Affiliated to Vijayanagar Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Bellary),  
Accredited 'B++' Grade by NAAC**

**DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY  
2021-22**

**FOOD ADULTERATION AWARENESS PROGRAMME**

Food is essential for sustenance of life. Adulteration of food cheats the consumer and can pose serious risk to health in some cases. Food adulteration is prevalent largely due to lack of awareness among common people, proper food laws, business ethics among the money minded manufacturers and standardization of food substances.

Based on this topic, students of Botany department have made an effort in developing awareness about Food Adulteration in day-to-day used food items among the people of Patel Nagar, Arvind Nagar, Hospet.





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79FH+F3V, Bharathi Nagar, Arvind Nagar, Patel Nagar, Hosapete,  
Karnataka 583225, India

Latitude  
15.27377115°

Longitude  
76.37748462°

Local 12:23:19 PM  
GMT 06:53:19 AM

Altitude 395.77 meters  
Friday, 04-02-2022



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Karnataka 583225, India

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Friday, 04-02-2022

**Report:** With the complete participation and efforts of the students, public were made to understand the concept and consequences of adulteration issues in our day-to-day lives.

Commonly used ingredients like chilly powder, turmeric powder, spices, beverages, which come from different manufactures were checked for adulterants by the students. With the help of solvents like water and ethanol most of the ingredients were tested by students for adulterants and the same were exhibited to the public. And also public were made aware of various food adulteration laws prevailing in our country and how a manufacturer or distributor or any supplier of the food product can be punished if found guilty of adulteration under these laws.

Taking up such awareness programs students will be able to gain higher knowledge on a particular social issue and also, they seem to understand moral and ethical values of the society. By making presentations and experiments out in the public, the students gain confident with their self-knowledge and can lose fear of public talking.