

## ECO-FRIENDLY GANESH MAKING – 26/08/2025

The NSS volunteers of **Sardar Patel College** organized an **Eco-Friendly Ganesh Making Competition** on **26/08/2025** on the college premises. The program aimed to spread awareness about celebrating Ganesh Chaturthi in an environmentally sustainable manner and to discourage the use of Plaster of Paris (POP) idols that cause water pollution.

The event was inaugurated by Principal **Dr. Hemalatha Ma'am** and Secretary **G.V. Ranga Reddy Garu**, who encouraged students to adopt eco-friendly practices and protect natural resources. Under the guidance of the NSS Programme Officers, students actively participated in making Ganesh idols using natural clay, turmeric, and other biodegradable materials.

Around **70 volunteers and participants** took part in the competition with great enthusiasm, showcasing creativity and devotion through their beautifully crafted idols. Many idols also carried meaningful messages of sustainability.

The workshop not only enhanced the artistic skills of the students but also instilled a strong sense of responsibility towards nature.



