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- 5.1.3    Capacity building and skills enhancement initiatives taken by the institution include the following**
- 1. Soft skills, 2. Language and communication skills, 3. Life skills (Yoga, physical fitness, health and hygiene),**
  - 4. ICT/computing skills**



Health and hygiene are top priorities in the current times owing to COVID-19. Frequent sessions in creating heightened awareness about the need for self-care has been the focus since the onset of covid. Learning to live amidst covid has also been inculcated to all the students through various methods. Since the traditional practices need to be altered currently, skills for managing professional needs have also been honed. Preparing the students for extension of their academic skills also qualify as essential life skills. Moving out of their comfortable zones of institutional boundaries and working amidst real life challenges have also helped in shaping the students. Participation in workshops and camps have been rated as the most desirable activities for the students; helping them in managing their professional lives as well.

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<b>Soft skill</b> Awareness of trends in technology	28/1/2016	Dept of Commerce, NISH	Mr K.G. Chandrasekharan retired professor of Commerce conducted a session on 'Importance of Commerce in the Modern Era' for the B Com students at NISH. The programme was coordinated by Ms. Bhavana, faculty member, B Com.		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf</a>
Life skills: Hygiene - Green initiative	4-3-2016	NISH	A Campus Cleaning Drive was organised by Karma, Bhoomithrasena, Students Council and New Initiatives Department on March 4, 2016.		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf</a>

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Life skills : BFA Students-Exhibition	12-3-2016 to 14-3-2016	NISH	Exhibitions of the creative works of the 8th semester BFA students of NISH 'Silent Memories' was conducted at Durbar Hall Art Gallery, Ernakulam from December 26 to 31, 2015 & ' Limited Edition' at Museum Auditorium from March 12 to 14, 2016		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf</a>
Life skills -Skill development for BFA students	2016	MASCOM Manorama School of Communication Erayilkadavu, Kottayam - 686 001	The journalism students from Mascom interacting with the Degree(HI) students of NISH		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf</a>

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Life Skills : Health- Dental check up for students	13/4/2016	PMS College of Dental Science & Research, Thiruvananthapuram	A free dental check up camp was organized by PMS College of Dental Science & Research, Thiruvananthapuram for NISH staff and students on 13th April 2016 at NISH		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf</a>
Life skills : Motivation - Biography of an individual with hearing impairment	2016	NISH - Michelle Friedner, PhD, a medical anthropologist and Assistant Professor of Stony Brook University, New York	Michelle Friedner, PhD, a medical anthropologist and Assistant Professor of Stony Brook University, New York visited NISH & interacted with the staff & students. She was born deaf and had a cochlear implant later in life and is very much involved in the empowerment of the deaf community		Issue-19.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skill-Health : CPR training	2016	NISH - IIEMS, international training centre of American Heart Association	The First Responder Course provided by IIEMS, an international training centre of American Heart Association has been arranged for NISH staff & students. This Certification course includes CPR also.		Issue-19.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Health - Cancer awareness	7/3/2017	NISH - Speaker : Dr Ramdas K. (Professor of Radiation Oncology, Medical Superintendent, Regional Cancer Centre)	Dr Ramdas K. (Professor of Radiation Oncology, Medical Superintendent, Regional Cancer Centre) delivering a talk on Cancer awareness at NISH on March 7, 2017		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf





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Life skill- Health : Awareness on fire and safety	25-4-2017	The Fire and Safety department, Govt of Kerala	The Fire and Safety department, Govt of Kerala conducted an awareness session on April 25, 2017 at NISH		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf
Life skill - Motivation : Know Yourself and Do Yourself	13-05-2017	NISH , Speaker : Mr Brahmanayakam Mahadevan, Director of Sahajeevan Special School	'Harmony' (NISH Students Council) conducted a motivational talk by the Director of Sahajeevan Special School, Mr Brahmanayakam Mahadevan on 'Know Yourself and Do Yourself' on May 13, 2017.		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf

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Life skill - Motivation for the students of NISH	2017	NISH - Speaker: Ms. Johanna Lucht, NASA's first deaf engineer, Ms. Kelsey Mitchel from Gallaudet, Washington DC	Ms. Johanna Lucht, NASA's first deaf engineer interacted with the students and staff of NISH from California over Skype. Her motivational talk was interpreted by ASL interpreters Ms. Arathy Manoharan and Ms. Kelsey Mitchel from Gallaudet, Washington DC and ISL interpretation was done by Ms. Bhavana, Mr. Prasanth and Ms. Raji Gopal		Vibrations--Issue22.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Health - A talk on "Drug Abuse"	24-2-2018	Pratheeksha De-addiction Center, Shangumukham	A talk on "Drug Abuse" by Mr Joseph from Pratheeksha De-addiction Center, Shangumukham was conducted at NISH on February 24, 2018. The programme was organized by Degree HI Department		Vibrations--Issue22.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skill- For DHI students- Educational tour for learning skills of independence	2018	NISH	Degree HI students at Golkonda fort during their final year tour to Hyderabad	 <small>Degree HI students at Golkonda fort during their final year tour to Hyderabad.</small>	Vibrations-- Issue22.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills- For ASLP students - Camp participation	20-3-2018	NISH	ADIP camp organized by NISH at Govt. Taluk Hospital, Konni on March 20, 2018 ADIP Scheme is one of the major initiative of the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India.		Issue-23.pdf (nish.ac.in)



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Life skills - For ASLP students - Camp participation	26-3-2018, 27-3-2018	M G University, Kottayam	NISH along with M G University Centre for Disability Studies organized a hearing aid camp at M G University, Kottayam on March 26 & 27, 2018.		Issue-23.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills- disaster management	8-5-2018	M.G. University, Kottayam- Speaker : Mr Baburaj (Associate professor), School of Behavioural Sciences	Mr Baburaj (Associate professor), School of Behavioural Sciences, M.G. University, Kottayam and expert member of State Advisory Board on Disability) along with Ms Shimmi Joseph (Research Scholar in the field of Disability) conducted a talk on Disaster Management for the students and teachers at NISH on May 8, 2018.		Issue-24.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills - Camp participation by ASLP students	29-5-2018	Gravya ENT project, Govt. Homeopathic Medical College	NISH and Gravya ENT project, Govt. Homeopathic Medical College together conducted a free hearing aid distribution camp at Homeo college, Trivandrum on May 29, 2018.		Issue-24.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills- Yoga day celebration	20-6-2018	NISH-	International Yoga Day was celebrated at NISH on June 20, 2018 with the staff and students doing different 'asanas' in Yoga. Ms Sheeja Madhusoodhanan, EIP faculty member took classes for the participant		Issue-24.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills : Health - Preventive health check ups	3-8-2018, 4-08-2018	Hindlabs Diagnostic & Speciality Clinic, Thiruvananthapuram	A preventive health check up was conducted by Hindlabs Diagnostic & Speciality Clinic, Thiruvananthapuram for the staff and students of NISH on 3rd & 4th August 2018		Issue-25.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills-camp participation by ASLP students	22-9-2018	NISH, Kizhakkambalam Gramapanchayat and Twenty20 club	Hearing test and distribution of free hearing aids were conducted jointly by NISH, Kizhakkambalam Gramapanchayat and Twenty20 club on 22nd September 2018.		Issue-25.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skill- Camp participation by ASLP students	29-9-2018	NISH & Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS)	Speech Evaluation Camp organized at Venjaramoodu by NISH & Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) on 29th September 2018		Issue-25.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Health-awareness programme on the theme, 'Young People and Mental Health in a Changing World	11-10-2018	NISH	The Department of Psychology at NISH conducted an awareness programme on the theme, 'Young People and Mental Health in a Changing World' on 11th October, 2018, the World Mental Health Day. The focus was to raise awareness among adolescents and young adults to look after their mental health and to help peers, parents and teachers to support their friends, children and students		Issue-25.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Name of the capability enhancement scheme	Year	Name of the agencies involved with contact details	Summary	Photo	Link of proof
Life skills : Health-Awareness about neonatal hearing screening	26-11-2018	Cochlear Medical Device Company India Pvt Ltd.	Cochlear's Global Hearing Ambassador and International Cricket Legend Brett Lee visited NISH on 26th November 2018 to spread awareness on Universal Neonatal Hearing Screening. He planted a tree in NISH campus to show his commitment to hearing and speech and also interacted with the students. The programme was organized by Cochlear Medical Device Company India Pvt Ltd.	 A photograph showing three men seated at a table during an event. The man in the center is Brett Lee, wearing a black shirt. To his left is a man in a blue shirt, and to his right is a man in a light blue shirt. A banner in the background features Brett Lee's name and the NISH logo.	Issue-26.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills workshop	24-1-2019	NISH	A one day workshop on Life Skills was conducted by the Degree HI department for the students of NISH on 24th January 2019.	 A photograph showing a group of students and staff members engaged in a workshop activity. They are gathered around a table, looking at documents and interacting with each other.	Issue-26.pdf (nish.ac.in)





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Life skills - camp participation by ASLP students	12-1-2019	NISH in association with 'Mridulasparsham', Pallippambil, Near Canara Bank, Irumpanam, Tripunithura,,Kochi	NISH in association with 'Mridulasparsham', an integrated training centre caring for children with multiple disabilities, Ernakulam conducted a speech and hearing camp on 12th January 2019		Issue-26.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skill - Awareness talk on fire and safety	21-11-2018	NISH	Awareness talk on fire & safety for the parents, staff and students of NISH was organized by Department of EIP on 21st November 2018		Issue-26.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills : Health - CPR training	8-3-2019	CPR/ AED training	On 8 March 2019, CPR/ AED training was given to the students and staff of Degree (HI) and the other deaf staff at NISH		issue-27.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills- Campus for Sustainable Kerala	14-3-2019	Student service department of the University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram	The student service department of the University of Kerala organized a seminar on 'Campus for Sustainable Kerala,' for the students of NISH, on 14 March 2019		issue-27.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skill: Health - Free dental camp	10-5-2019	PMS College of Dental Science & Research ,Golden Hills, Vattapara, Venkode, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala 695028	The PMS College of Dental Science & Research conducted a free camp for the students and staff of NISH on 10 May 2019.		issue-27.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills- Yoga session	21-6-2019	NISH	As part of International Yoga Day, a yoga session was conducted for the staff and students of NISH on 21 June 2019. The session was led by Ms Sheeja Madhusoodanan from the department of Early Intervention Program		Issue-28.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills: camp participation of ASLP students- Audiology screening camp	17-8-2019	Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd, LPG Plant, Kazhakuttom	An audiology screening camp was conducted on August 17, 2019 at Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd, LPG Plant, Kazhakuttom.		Issue-28.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Camp participation of ASLP students	23-9-2019,24-9-2019	HLL Lifecare Limited, Latex Bhavan, Mahilamandiram Road, Poojapura, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala 695012	A medical camp was conducted by HLL Lifecare Limited, a Government of India enterprise under Ministry of Health & Family Welfare for the staff and students of NISH on September 23 and 24, 2019. Around 266 participants utilized various services of the camp.		Issue-28.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills : Motivational talk	18-10-2019	NISH , Speaker : Mr. Kishore George (CoFounder of Liso Chocolatier)	IEDC cell at NISH and YOUNG INDIANS conducted a Motivational talk by Mr. Kishore George (CoFounder of Liso Chocolatier) on October 18, 201		Issue-29.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Health - Awareness talk on "Life Style Diseases and Management"	25-10-2019	NISH, Speaker : Dr. Ramakrishna Babu (MD. General Medicine, DIP. Diabetics)	Dr. Ramakrishna Babu (MD. General Medicine, DIP. Diabetics) conducted an Awareness talk on "Life Style Diseases and Management" on October 25, 2019 organized by Department of EIP, NISH.		Issue-29.pdf (nish.ac.in)




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Life skill : Talk on "Social work and Responsibility"	11-2019	NISH, Speaker - Mr Praveen Varghese Thomas, Trainer and Youth Activist	Mr Praveen Varghese Thomas, Trainer and Youth Activist addressed the students of NISH on "Social work and Responsibility" during the monthly assembly in November 2019.		Issue-29.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills : Health - Awareness talk on "Reproductive health and Hygiene"	16-11-2019	Thycaud Govt. Child and Women Hospital, Trivandrum, Speaker : Dr Shaliya James. R, Gynecologist	Dr Shaliya James. R, Gynecologist, Thycaud Govt. Child and Women Hospital, Trivandrum. conducted an awareness talk on "Reproductive health and Hygiene" at NISH on November 16, 2019 for all the women students of Degree(HI)		Issue-29.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills : Health - Break the Chain	2020	NISH	NISH has conducted a wide array of steps to create awareness on Covid 19, and 'Break the Chain' campaign among its staff, students, other supporting members and visitors. Awareness classes, thermal scanning, hand sanitising facilities, sterilisation of the campus etc.have been done by the institution when government started the campaign against Covid 19.		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-30-31.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-30-31.pdf</a>
Life skills : Health - anti narcotic program	16-1-2020	NISH, Speaker : Mr Genoy Abraham from Nairmalya Deaddiction - Counselling and National Resource Center	Students' Union of NISH conducted Anti Narcotic Program on January 16, 2020. Mr Genoy Abraham from Nairmalya Deaddiction - Counselling and National Resource Center conducted an interactive session clearing the doubts of the students regarding De-addiction		Issue-30-31.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Life skills : Health and hygiene - Biodegradable mask distribution	18-8-2020	NISH	As part of Bhoomitra Sena club activities, a biodegradable mask distribution was conducted at NISH on August 18, 2020. The program was inaugurated by Mr V. K. Prasanth, MLA. The whole programme was conducted observing the Covid -19 protocol. The masks were donated by Kanivu Charitable Society, Pothencode, Thiruvananthapuram		Issue-30-31.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Health and hygiene - Talks and sessions on providing mental health support to prevent the onset of mental disorders during Covid-19 pandemic	2020	NISH	The Department of Psychology at NISH is providing mental health support to prevent the onset of mental disorders during Covid-19 pandemic and to promote mental health among clients, students, parents, staff and others in the community through email, helpline, online help group, online individual sessions, webinars and other community development and awareness programs. Support is also provided for the Parental Support Group for the children		Issue-30-31.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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			with disabilities and Organizational Employee Development programs.		
Life skills: Camp participation for ASLP students	2021	Sonova India Pvt Ltd, 1501-1502,15th Floor, 38 Ansal Tower 110019 Nehru Place, New Delhi India	On the occasion of World Hearing day, on March 3, 2021, Sonova India Pvt Ltd distributed free Phonak hearing aids to thirteen children and one adult who were diagnosed with hearing loss at NISH. The programme was organised by the Dept. of Audiology at NISH		Issue-34.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Life skills : Camp participation of ASLP students	2021	NISH	The distribution of hearing aids under the ADIP scheme for the year 2020 -21 was held on March 26, 2021 at NISH. 17		Issue-34.pdf (nish.ac.in)





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			beneficiaries attended the camp strictly following the Covid pr		
Science exhibition	11/1/2016	Elon University 195	Students from Elon University organized a Science Exhibition for the students of NISH on January 11, 2016. Scientific principles like chaotic magnetic field, counterweight balance etc were demonstrated with simple experiments		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf</a>
Traffic awareness	22/1/2016	Kerala traffic police- Mr Samuel, Sub Inspector of Police & Mr Niyas, Circle Inspector of Police	Gravity club organised a talk on traffic awareness on Jan 22, 2016 to create an awareness on the importance of adhering to traffic regulations and also for avoiding traffic snarls. handled the session		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf</a>

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Green initiative	4-3-2016	NISH 195	A Campus Cleaning Drive was organised by Karma, Bhoomithrasena, Students Council and New Initiatives Department on March 4, 2016.		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf</a>
Others ( green initiative) Celebration of world forest day	21-3-2016	NISH 195	NISH Students Council organised a programme to celebrate the World Forestry day on March 21, 2016 with powerpoint presentations expalining the importance of nature conservation		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf</a>

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Others ( skills for banking for individuals with hearing impairment) Making banking enjoyable	31/1/2017	State bank, Akkulam  68	A team of experts from the State Bank conducted a daylong workshop on 'Practical Banking' for deaf and hard of hearing students on January 31, 2017. The attendees learned to use a bank account and its various features including online banking tools		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf
Others ( general information)	7/2/2017	NISH - Speaker - Mr Fritz Poerschke (Director, Research & Development, WISY AG, Germany)  194	Mr Fritz Poerschke (Director, Research & Development, WISY AG, Germany) handled a session on 'Rain Water Harvesting' during the monthly assembly on February 7, 2017.		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf

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Awareness about National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)	12/2/2017	NISH - S[peaker : Mr Aamod Samuel, Flight Systems Design Engineer from Armstrong Flight Research Center ,NASA  278	Mr Aamod Samuel, Flight Systems Design Engineer from Armstrong Flight Research Center ,NASA giving a talk on 'National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), USA' on February 12, 2017. It was an exciting, interactive session with the students & staff of NISH.		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf
Disaster management	14/2/2017	NISH - Speaker : Dr. Sekhar Lukose Kuriakose (Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority & Head (Scientist), State Emergency Operations Centre, Department of Revenue & Disaster Management, Govt. of Kerala)	Dr. Sekhar Lukose Kuriakose (Member Secretary, Kerala State Disaster Management Authority & Head (Scientist), State Emergency Operations Centre, Department of Revenue & Disaster Management, Govt. of Kerala) delivering a talk on Disaster Management at NISH on February 14, 2017		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf

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		Revenue & Disaster Management, Govt. of Kerala) 278			
Satellite technology	6-3-2018	NISH, Speaker : Mr. Praveen S R , Engineer , ISRO (recipient of the prestigious Young Scientist Award)	Mr. Praveen S R , Engineer , ISRO (recipient of the prestigious Young Scientist Award) delivered a talk on the 'basic concepts about ISRO satellite Launch vehicles 'during the monthly assembly on March 6, 2018. An interactive session followed the talk.		Issue-23.pdf (nish.ac.in)
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Others ( General knowledge) - Workshop on "Value Addition of Aquatic Weeds"	5-10-2019	NISH, Speaker : Dr Nagendra Prabhu, Assistant Professor, P. G. Department of Zoology and Principal Investigator, Centre for Research on Aquatic Resources, S. D. College	NISH IEDC cell has organized a workshop on "Value Addition of Aquatic Weeds" on 5th October 2019 by Dr Nagendra Prabhu, Assistant Professor, P. G. Department of Zoology and Principal Investigator, Centre for Research on Aquatic Resources, S. D. College		Issue-29.pdf (nish.ac.in)

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Others ( General Knowledge)	10-10-2019	NISH with Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre, Valiamala, a Centre of Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO), Speaker : Dr. S. Sunil Kumar, Deputy Director, LPSC	NISH in association with Liquid Propulsion Systems Centre, Valiamala, a Centre of Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) conducted a familiarization program cum mini-exhibition and a quiz for Degree(HI) students at NISH on October 10, 2019 as part of the World Space Week from October 4 -10 every year. Dr. S. Sunil Kumar, Deputy Director, LPSC presided over the function.		Issue-29.pdf (nish.ac.in)
Others ( General knowledge) - Talk on 'Cost Effective Agricultural Solutions'	24-01-2020	NISH, Speaker : Mr. Ejaz Salim, Grun Agro Ventures, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala 695316	The NISH IEDC team conducted a session for students and staff of NISH on 'Cost Effective Agricultural Solutions' on January 24, 2020. Mr Ejaz Salim, the founder of Grun Agro a startup that strives to provide cost effective agricultural solutions for high technology agriculture in developing nations handled the sessions		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-30-31.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-30-31.pdf</a>

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Life skills- Soft skills through interactive skill building exercises 'International Workshop for Deaf College Students	23-2-2017	NISH - Speaker : Mr Kevin J. Nolan Jr. (Director of Operations and Compliance at The Learning Center for the Deaf)	Mr Kevin J. Nolan Jr. (Director of Operations and Compliance at The Learning Center for the Deaf) handling a session at the 'International Workshop for Deaf College Students' organised at NISH on February 23, 2017.		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf
Life skill- Integration Interaction of students with hearing with typical peers	6-5-2017	ACE College of Engineering, Thiruvallom	Eighty students from ACE College of Engineering, Thiruvallom visited NISH and interacted with the deaf students of the degree programmes on May 6, 2017		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf





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ICT Skill: Introduction To Python Programming, Beginner's Level	27-05-2020 to 16-06-2020	Dept of Computer Science, NISH	15 students joined the course, 12 of them successfully finished the course. The certificates were distributed		<a href="https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1faHd4u24nZAO2C4851wS9YXraGc9mTM5?usp=sharing_eip_m&amp;ts=615b9a7a">https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1faHd4u24nZAO2C4851wS9YXraGc9mTM5?usp=sharing_eip_m&amp;ts=615b9a7a</a>
Science exhibition	11/1/2016	Elon University	Students from Elon University organized a Science Exhibition for the students of NISH on January 11, 2016. Scientific principles like chaotic magnetic field, counterweight balance etc were demonstrated with simple experiments		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/newsletter/Issue-18.pdf</a>

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Traffic awareness	22/1/2016	Kerala traffic police- Mr Samuel, Sub Inspector of Police & Mr Niyas, Circle Inspector of Police	Gravity club organised a talk on traffic awareness on Jan 22, 2016 to create an awareness on the importance of adhering to traffic regulations and also for avoiding traffic snarls. handled the session		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf</a>
Green initiative	4-3-2016	NISH	A Campus Cleaning Drive was organised by Karma, Bhoomithrasena, Students Council and New Initiatives Department on March 4, 2016.		<a href="http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf">http://www.nish.ac.in/images/news letter/Issue-18.pdf</a>

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(Skills for banking for individuals with hearing impairment) Making banking enjoyable	31/1/2017	State bank, Akkulam	A team of experts from the State Bank conducted a daylong workshop on 'Practical Banking' for deaf and hard of hearing students on January 31, 2017. The attendees learned to use a bank account and its various features including online banking tools		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf

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( general information)	7/2/2017	NISH - Speaker - Mr Fritz Poerschke (Director, Research & Development, WISY AG, Germany)	Mr Fritz Poerschke (Director, Research & Development, WISY AG, Germany) handled a session on 'Rain Water Harvesting' during the monthly assembly on February 7, 2017.		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf
( general knowledge) - Awareness about National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)	12/2/2017	NISH - Speaker : Mr Aamod Samuel, Flight Systems Design Engineer from Armstrong Flight Research Center ,NASA	Mr Aamod Samuel, Flight Systems Design Engineer from Armstrong Flight Research Center ,NASA giving a talk on 'National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), USA' on February 12, 2017. It was an exciting, interactive session with the students & staff of NISH.		NISH-Newsletter-Issue20-21.pdf

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