

2016 IEEE STAR | First Phase

Education is the most powerful weapon one can use to change the world and when we educate a girl, we not only change but also empower the world.

IEEE WIE Affinity Group of Kharagpur Section, India conducted the First Phase of its STAR program in the premises of Kendriya Vidyalaya No-2, Kharagpur on September 09, 2016. The program was attended by inquisitive and enthusiastic lot of 51 girls. The girls were from standard X to XII. The session included **introduction to Engineering, a sneak peek to the plethora of Engineering branches that exists, career opportunities, available entrance exam options for state level and national level entry to Engineering study and an exciting quiz session.** The students seemed intrigued by the many interesting facts of engineering shown to them through slides. The core branches like Electrical, Computer, Mechanical, and Civil etc. were dealt with in detail and remaining branches were introduced in a brief manner. Question and answer session in between helped them interact with us and get their doubts cleared. The students were awestruck by the fact that various career opportunities await them when they opt for Engineering.

The session ended with Science Quiz. The students participated actively. For every correct answers the students were given WIE goodies. WIE kits and Buttermilk were distributed to all the students. The smiling faces at the end marked the success of the event.

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