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Raman Festival of Innovation evokes good response on Day One

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THE Raman Festival of Innovation received an overwhelming response on Day One. The event is organised by Raman Science Centre and Planetarium at the Centre, Gandhi Sagar.

About 200 innovators from schools, science and engineering colleges are participating with their 80 working innovative projects in this festival.

Specially designed projects, which can potentially be taken up under start-up scheme and live demonstrations by artisans are also an added attraction in the festival.

A workshop on folding microscope, for students will also be organised during the festival.

The festival was inaugurated at the hands of Dr Vivek Nanoti, Principal, Priyadarshani College of Engineering, in presence of Dr Prashant Agrawal, Green Vention Biotech, Pune, and Vijay Shanker Sharma, Head and Project Co-ordinator Raman Science Centre.

"Population in the world is increasing. Think for the need of tomorrow and innovate, we should think for food requirement of fast-growing population. People have invented to produce meat from vegetation to reduce the water foot print.



Chief guest Dr Vivek Nanoti lighting the traditional lamp during the inaugural function as other guests look on.

You should aim to become an employer rather than becoming an employee," said Dr Prashant Agrawal while addressing the gathering on

the occasion.

In the inaugural address, Dr Vivek Nanoti said, "Be always in a learning mode, think what and how I can contribute to



society. Simply education cannot fetch you a success, but a single innovation will take you to a great height."

Dr Nanoti also suggested innovators to upload their ideas on site of National Innovation Foundation.

Vilas Chaudhari, Abhimanyu Bhelave, Education Officer, M K Panda, Curator, Raman Science Centre and large number of school, college students and teachers also were present on the occasion.

The festival will remain open for public from 11 am to 5 pm from February 13 to 15.

School, college students and public in general are requested to visit this festival in large numbers.



Visitors getting a look at an experiment at the exhibition.



Students explaining their projects to the guests and visitors on the inaugural day of the three-day Raman Festival of Innovation.