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## **Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and Mahatma Phule Jayanti**

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Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar (14 April 1891- 6 Dec 1956) was an Indian jurist, economist, social reformer and political leader who headed the committee drafting the Constitution of India. He gave his life working for the upliftment of the Dalits and the socially backward class of India.

Ambedkar Jayanti is considered to be the world's biggest jayanti. The day has been a public holiday in more than 25 states and union territories since 2015. Dr. Ambedkar is remembered for his contributions to drafting the Indian Constitution and fighting for equal rights for the underprivileged and Dalits. This day is also referred to as Bhim Jayanti or Bhimrao Ambedkar Jayanti. Janardan Sadashiv Ranapisay first observed the Bhim Jayanti in Pune in 1928.

Mahatma Jyotiba Phule (11 April 1827- 28 November 1890) was an Indian social activist, anti-caste social reformer and writer. He worked for eradicating untouchability and the caste system and for his efforts, he is remembered till date for educating women and oppressed caste people. He is a pioneer of Women's education in India.

Jyotirao "Jyotiba" Govindrao Phule was a well-known social reformer and thinker in India in the nineteenth century. He led the movement against the widespread caste system in India. He revolted against the rule of the Brahmins and fought for the rights of peasants and other members of lower castes. Phule got the honorific "Mahatma" from individual reformer Vithalrao Krishnaji Vandekar of Bombay. Throughout his life in India, Mahatma Jyotiba Phule fought for women's education and rights.

To remember these two great personalities, their Jayanti was celebrated on 14th April 2023, in our college of education. This programme was planned and organised by Prof. Dr. Kishori Ubhe under guidance of Principal Dr. Sunita Bhare.

All student teachers took part enthusiastically and a few of them gave speeches on these great personalities and their contribution to the nation. All staff members were present on this occasion.



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