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## DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL

**CULTURAL COORDINATOR: Prof. BHAGIRATH PANDE**

**As Part of Co-Curricular and Extra Curricular Activities**



Savitribai Phule Jayanti Celebration Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2022, Dept. of Cultural organized a program of Savitribai Phule Jayanti in SSR College of Education at 10:00am. Program started with Worshipping and offering Garland of flower's to the Photo of Savitribai Phule by the Principal Dr. Meena Kute Madam. She also lightening the lamp as Savitri-jyoti, a symbol of ray of hopes in everyone's life. All the teaching and Non-teaching staff tribute's Savitribai Phule by offering flowers and lightening the lamp.

Cultural in-charge Prof. Bhagirath Pande with remembering the first lady teacher, Great Social reformer, very intellectual Educationist and kind personality Savitribai Phule, the importance of Savitribai's contribution in education, specially for all of us while we are working as a representative of Savitribai Phule Pune University's affiliated Education College.

Further in program Principal Dr. Meena Kute Madam in her speech gives brief information on the Savitribai Phule's life journey and her educational work. She explained that how Savitribai get her education in miserable circumstances and difficult



conditions against the contemporary social, religious custom's and traditions. She also explained the dedication and passion of Savitribai Phule for education, specially women's education. Savitribai after taking her education and training by Jyotirao Phule, She opened first School for women in Bhide wada, at Pune in 1848 with the support of her husband Jyotirao Phule. Savitribai not stopped and restrict herself with only women's education but also she had dedicatedly contributed for social reforms and women's development. She support for widow marriage and also gives shelters for widow women and other deprived classes women. She also greatly served in epidemic of plague in Pune.

Program end with the vote of thanks offered by Prof. Nirupama Sahu.