

Exploring new careers

Internship – Dr.Reddy’s Labs Banjara Hills - From 3rd to 7th October

Class XII - Science students.

Dr. Reddy’s internship program was a very enriching experience for all the students who had the great opportunity to attend the program. We were taken to the Business and IT segments of the organisation.

On the opening day, Mr Srikanth Malladi (Human Resources Dept.) had given us the chance to voice out our dreams and aspirations. He also had given us a motivational talk, driving us to ponder about our goals in life. The play of letters in different words was extremely fun, leaving us thinking about how we never discovered those ourselves. For instance, he said SILENCE is required for good LISTENING and the interesting thing about it is that when the word SILENT is rearranged, we get LISTEN. Subtle things like this made the talk preponderant for us.

From day 2 onwards, Mr. Malladi had invited two people, on each day, from our interested career fields and gave us a chance to interact with them. We spoke to Global head of clinical trials, Head of Merger and Acquisitions, Big Data Analyst and Marketing Head, of Dr. Reddy’s Organisation. The key learning was that Pharmaceutical industry doesn’t only require “science graduates” but an array of graduates from myriad fields. Moreover, they had a career ready for most of our aspirations.

Secondly, we learnt new options like investment banking and eclectic marketing careers. The Big Data Analyst also shared with us a few “secrets” that recruiters look into- that sets you apart from the crowd. Finally, we learnt about work environment in the organisation. A whole presentation was shown about Dr. Reddys and their progress. It was very inspirational for budding entrepreneurs with in our batch.

On the whole, it was a wonderful platform where we learnt some practicalities of the real working scenario and how different it is from the theoretical knowledge we acquire at school. Furthermore, this motivated us to start applying our “text book” knowledge to the “real” situations.

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