

**Report on Khadi Display as a part of the 150 years of
celebrating the Mahatma**

Held on 30.10.2019

Date of Event	30.10.2019
Name and Type of Event	Khadi Display as a Part of The 150 Years of Celebrating The Mahatma
Conducted by	Nikunj Naredi, Usha Kiran Barla
No. Of Participants	20

A Khadi exhibit was planned as a part of the celebration of Gandhi Jayanti.

Khadi is a symbol of India's Independence struggle; it is the fabric that made us independent and Atmanirbhar. Gandhiji was the first who laid foundations to what we now term as Atmanirbhar Bharat, hence Khadi, the textile holds a very important symbolism. Today the youth is required to be sensitized towards these issues. The Khadi Movement is also a very famous term coined and used worldwide.

The ensembles for the exhibit were created using Khadi fabrics in both Silk, Cotton and Silk-Cotton and garments showcasing the rich cultural and textile heritage of India whose foundations were laid by our Gandhiji. His belief was to make the Indians self-reliant; starting a Swadeshi Movement, he gave birth to a Textile Revolution.

The team of young designer put up a creative display in honour of The Father of our Nation.

A portrait of Mahatma Gandhi was created using a technique called cording (out of muslin fabric). At the display were various photos from the Freedom days – The Charkha, Spinning of cotton and other photos of Khadi, Weaving etc. The rich display was not just aesthetically pleasing but also very informative. During the course of creating the exhibit, the students learned various lesser known facts about the Freedom fight of India.

A rich map of India was also created with various Katran – various waste fabric pieces woven together. It created a very beautiful backdrop for the exhibit. Alongside, the display included a miniature charkha sourced from Gandhi Aasram, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, Weaving Shuttle, raw cotton fibres and Cotton Yarn. The stitching frames were beautifully created with wool and waste fabrics which added to the overall appeal of the display.

The onlookers were delighted to see the exhibit and it was a beautiful tribute to Mahatma Gandhi from the Department of Fashion Design.

#DesignIdeas #DesignExhibit #FashionDesign #Khadi #Cotton #Handmade
#Handwoven #TextilesOfIndia #Textile #Creativity #Styling #Swadeshi
#MakeInIndia #RichHeritage #Culture #Gandhi #IndianWear #EthnicWear



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**Khadi display as apart of 150
years of
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8:30 am onwards

**Venue - Outside Auditorium,
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