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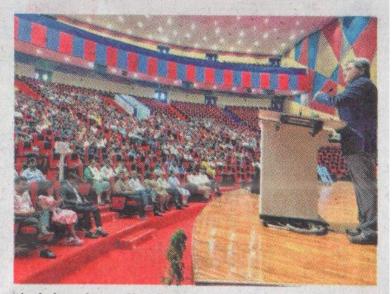
## Orientation programme at IIT Indore to welcome new B Tech batch

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Stating that students should understand the needs of society, IIT Indore director, Prof Suhas Joshi, asked the new pupils of B Tech to understand their responsibility and come up with innovative ideas and solutions to make their work beneficial to the people.

"You should understand the societal needs. Take it as your core responsibility and come up with innovative ideas to develop solutions which would be beneficial to the people who are in the bottom of the pyramid and should pick up at least one project which caters to the needs of the society." he said while addressing the orientation programme of new B Tech students on October 27.

The offline programme was conducted where all the students along with their parents were invited. Around 366 students enrolled in various programmes including 77 girls and 9 preparatory students from last year. 82, 84, 89, 55 and 56 students in Computer Science & Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Civil Engineering and Metallurgical Engineering & Materials Science respec-



tively have been offered admission at IIT Indore for academic year 2022-23 (Autumn Semester). Prof Suhas Joshi, director, congratulated all the newly joined students and addressed the community.

He said "Students need to understand that they are here for a cause. I urge all my dear students to pick up at least one sport during your stay here and excel in it. You must inculcate a fitness routine to lead a healthy life." He further said to the parents "You should regularly question your child that as an engineer what they are doing that is relevant to the society, what they are learning new which would help the people who are in the bottom of the pyramid, who will be beneficiary of

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their innovative research. These questions of yours will pester your child to think differently and creatively."

As a new practice, the newly joined students will be oriented on life skills, academic research & development, student affairs, training & placement, innovation & incubation, international outreach, safety & security, hostels and medical facilities, library and minority cell for three days commencing from October 28.