

Press Release

Vedanta launches career counselling centre in Lanjigarh

New Delhi, India, April 27, 2015: Vedanta's Lanjigarh business unit launched a career counselling center, 'Yuva Pragati Kendra' with the aim to impart soft skills and create awareness on varied career opportunities among the unemployed youth.

Yuva Pragati Kendra is to reach out to 1000 youth living in 40 villages around Vedanta's Lanjigarh business unit. The center will conduct counselling sessions, provide mentorship, and free training to impart additional knowledge in mathematics, English literature and computer softwares.

Nearly 15-20 youth are estimated to be visiting the center for counselling. Along with a well-equipped and qualified staff, the required tools and infrastructure, the centre also has a library with study material for competitive examinations.

"The youth of the villages will be updated on the job opportunities and entrepreneurial possibilities, through a transparent and efficient manner with the use of technology, counselling and training sessions," said Mr. K.K. Dave, COO, Vedanta's Lanjigarh business unit, while inaugurating the center.

Also, present at the launch were Mr. Jalaj Malpani-Head Finance, Lanjigarh business unit, Mr. Amit Joshi-Head HR, Lanjigarh business unit and over a 100 people, including local youth from the villages.

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