


## Agricultural Education Day

<b>Organized by:</b>	<b>SOA</b>
<b>Date of Activity:</b>	<b>26 Dec 2025</b>
<b>Duration:</b>	<b>1 Day</b>
<b>Venue:</b>	<b>SoA Building</b>
<b>Participants:</b>	<b>Open to All</b>
<b>Resource Persons/Experts/Guests</b>	<b>NA</b>

<b>Aligned SDGs</b>	<b>Rationale for SDG Linkage</b>
 The icon for SDG 2, Zero Hunger, is a white bowl with three wavy lines above it, set against a blue square background. The number '2' is in the top left, and the words 'ZERO HUNGER' are in the top right.	Scope, significance, and future potential of agricultural education in addressing contemporary challenges such as climate change, declining natural resources, food and nutritional insecurity, and farmers' welfare.

### Objectives of the Activity

Highlighting the vital role of agricultural education in nation building, food security, rural development, and sustainable livelihood generation. Agricultural Education Day is observed to commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Rajendra Prasad, the first President of India and an eminent statesman who strongly believed in the power of education and agriculture for national progress.

### Description of the Activity

The celebration underscores the importance of agriculture as a science-based, innovation-driven, and socially relevant discipline that goes far beyond traditional farming practices. Through this event, the School of Agriculture aims to promote awareness among students, academicians, and young aspirants about the scope, significance, and future potential of agricultural education in addressing contemporary challenges such as climate change, declining natural resources, food and nutritional insecurity, and farmers' welfare. The programme

emphasizes how modern agricultural education integrates diverse fields including agronomy, horticulture, soil science, plant protection, agricultural engineering, biotechnology, agribusiness management, and sustainable farming systems to create skilled professionals capable of transforming Indian agriculture.

### **Outcomes of the Activity**

Special emphasis is laid on innovation, start-ups, and agri-entrepreneurship, encouraging students to explore self-employment and value-addition opportunities in the agricultural sector. By fostering a spirit of inquiry, responsibility, and service, Agricultural Education Day reinforces the role of agricultural institutions in shaping competent professionals who are sensitive to farmers' needs and environmental concerns.

### **Photographs With caption**





***Faculty and students engaged in the session***