## **Celebration of Earth Day by Geography Department, Victoria Institution (College)**

The Department of Geography, in collaboration with the Department of Zoology celebrated the 'Earth Day' on 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2024 by Poster presentation and competition which was held in Keshub Memorial Hall from 12 noon to 5 pm. The theme of poster was "Ideas regarding sustainable wellness of the Earth". Earth is a planet that is threatened by climate change, environmental pollution, biodiversity loss etc. Earth Day is celebrated on 22<sup>nd</sup> April to remind each of us that the Earth and its ecosystems provide us with life and sustenance. The theme of Earth Day, 2024 is "Planet vs. Plastic" that highlights the threat plastics pose to our unique Planet and biosphere. The theme of the poster presentation as well as competition was very much associated with the wellness and sustainability of our very own abode. The students of Semester 6 GEOA took special initiative in preparation of the above-mentioned theme-oriented posters. Two groups of students with five each prepared posters with great care and enthusiasm. They also demonstrated the posters analytically. One group of Sem 6 GEOA students secured First position among all the competitors and received trophy from our respected Principal Madam Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal. The students also realized the significance of Earth Day through this activity.



The winning team receiving prize from Principal Madam Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal on the stage



The winning team (Ashmita Saha, Tanishka Sil, Joyeeta Dey, Pratiksha Mondal and Shreya Bose) with the trophy and their poster



All participants of Earth Day celebration displaying their posters



The other team members with Smt. Pubali Ghosh and Dr. Raj Kumar Bhattacharya, the faculties of Geography dept, VIC with their poster



The winning team students with the faculties of Geography
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