

## Malaviya National Institute of Technology Jaipur Faculty Dinner Initiative



## **About:**

The Faculty Dinner initiative is an engaging activity organized under the guidance of the Wellness Club, DSW Office, MNIT Jaipur, in collaboration with the Hostel Committees of various hostels. This unique program is designed with the idea of creating a more personal and approachable connection between students and faculty members. Unlike formal academic interactions, the dinner setting offers a relaxed and informal platform for meaningful dialogue.

The dinners take place on different Fridays across multiple hostels, ensuring wide participation. Faculty members from different departments are invited on rotation to join the hostel residents during the dinner. To ensure smooth execution, each dinner is coordinated with the active support of the allocated Wellness Ambassadors and Wellness Club members of the respective hostels.

The initiative covers both girls' and boys' hostels, including Vinodini Girls Hostel, Gargi Girls Hostel, and other boys' hostels, thereby involving students from all corners of the campus. Faculty members not only share dinner with students but also interact with them to understand their experiences, concerns, and suggestions about hostel life. At the same time, the initiative also provides faculty an opportunity to observe the quality of the food being served, its taste, and overall arrangements, ensuring constructive feedback can be given for improvement.

This effort is envisioned as a bridge to strengthen faculty-student relations, build trust, and encourage students to openly express their views in a friendly environment.

## **Motive:**

The purpose of the Faculty Dinner is to foster informal communication and build stronger faculty-student connections. By sharing dinner with the hostel residents, faculty members could better understand the internal environment of the hostel, listen to students' opinions and concerns, and also review the quality of hostel meals.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Stronger bonding between students and faculty beyond the classroom.
- Constructive feedback from faculty on hostel food quality and services.
- Students felt encouraged to voice their opinions in a relaxed setting.
- The initiative promoted transparency, trust, and a more supportive hostel environment.



Dr.Kamlendra Awasthi Sir with 2 of his PH.D Scholars at Aravali boys hostel on 01.08.2025





Dr. Bhagwati Prasad Sir visited Vinodini on 01.08.2025





Dr. Akansha Kataria Mam visited Gargi on 29.08.2025



Dr. Bhawna Shrivastav Mam Visited Gargi on 20.09.2025