

Live telecast of Hon'ble PM Modi speech addressing student leader's convention on the theme "Young India" from New India in the seminar hall at MMU, Sadopur.

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi addressed students across the nation from Vigyan Bhawan in New Delhi on Monday i.e. on 11th September 2017 to mark the centenary celebration of Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya and 125 years of Swami Vivekananda's address at the Chicago World Parliament of Religions. The theme of the event is Young India New India - A Resurgent Nation: From Sankalp to Siddhi. The PM addressed the nation to remind one and all about the relevance and significance of Swami Vivekananda's teachings in the backdrop of today's social milieu. It would be of particular importance for the youth of today to understand and absorb the content of Swami Vivekananda's messages to the world, in order to ensure their right educational, career and spiritual growth.



Addressing the event, PM Narendra Modi stressed on his Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan. He said that Indians do not have the right to chant Vande Mataram if they go on to spit pan and throw garbage on roads. He further added that those who clean the roads and surroundings have the first right in the country.



Speaking about Swami Vivekananda's address in at Parliament on Religion in Chicago on 11 September, 1893, PM Modi said people in India remember 9/11 of 1893. "Today is 9/11...this day became widely spoken about after 2001 but there was another 9/11 of 1893 which we remember. Just with a few words, a youngster from India won over the world and showed the world the power of oneness," the Prime Minister said. A film on Upadhyaya and Vivekanda was also shown at the event.

While Modi addressed the young audience, several cabinet ministers interacted with the participants on issues like poverty, cleanliness, terrorism, communalism, casteism and corruption. Young leaders had been called upon by the PM so that both the government and youth will find a way to contribute to the society. Deen Dayal Research Institute organized the event, in collaboration with the government. It would be a great opportunity for the policy makers to know the mind of the youth of the country. Prime Minister Narendra Modi once again reached out to students with a live broadcast to 40,000 higher educational institutes. The students and teachers from all branches of university attended the event.