

## A Day with Disciplined Youth – A Lighthouse with a Beacon of Hope

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Solidarity with illegaly India occupied Kashmir enslaved by India and hope in Azad Jammu

Kashmir was unique and meaningful experience to galyanize the support of

future generation while answering the queries raised by young minds during the interactive

session was net outcome. To handle the emotionally charged youth

intellectually is true blend of art and science because at this stage of life they are

adamant to borrow, how they see

the things is only perspective while as to inculcate in

young minds that there are multiple dimensions of any issue and perfect one is that

which has been accessed multi-dimensionally is nearer to reality which is still

comparative not absolute. The message at first glance was clear that there is enthusiasm in coming generation to know the reality when negativity is making the headlines. On a few occasions, one gets more than what he expected during the awareness campaigns the invitation and confirmation letter from the prestigious institute of Cadet College Palndri – Azad Jammu and Kashmir to spend a day at a disciplined institution was not just a professional courtesy but a gesture of belonging and honor of recognition as I preferred Cadet College instead of the local University. The perfect leadership after the security was profound, multi-dimensional, and reflective of professionalism. As I embarked on my journey from the capital, Islamabad, towards the Jammu division of Azad Jammu and Kashmir via Kohatta, the serpentine roads along the riverbanks and hills brought a sense of belonging as it is pretty much the same as my home town in Indian occupied Kashmir.

The ascent into the hilly area, guided by GPS, symbolized the perfect blend of modern technology and encouragement. Upon arrival, the college landscape within the valley immediately distinguished itself from others. The institution's discipline was exemplary, with a well-structured calendar of meticulously followed activities. The Vice Principal Professor Amjid, and the administration maintained constant communication, ensuring

seamless coordination. Having organised and attended countless events, seminars, and conferences, I could instantly recognise the uniqueness of this experience. Unlike many other occasions, this event carried a deeper essence—an affirmation that there remains a steadfast foundation capable of shaping the future in the right direction despite prevailing negativity and discouragement. Everything unfolded as per the schedule. The conference commenced precisely on time in a three-story hall, packed to capacity, with every arrangement in perfect order.

Professor Amjid, with remarkable leadership acumen, delivered a structured and research-oriented speech on unity. His articulation, deeply rooted in academic rigour, emphasised the importance of solidarity with oppressed communities. His experience and depth of knowledge resonated throughout the hall, setting the tone for the rest of the event. The speeches by Aman Sajad and Mohammad Hashim were emotionally charged, stirring enthusiasm among the attendees. Hasnain Khakhand and Aabid delivered remarkable, nationally spirited speeches that captivated the audience.

Evidently, the institution nurtured a

cadre of students who could

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articulate their thoughts

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paragons of knowledge, having

contributed to the education of

countless officers, doctors, and engineers serving both domestically and abroad. The

institution's impact was a testament to its leadership, ensuring students had the right

values and expertise to serve the nation. Organisations function like the human body,

where each part holds significance in its respective role. The seamless integration of all

components ensures the effectiveness of an entity, be it an institution, a movement, or

a nation. Faith, unity, and discipline remain the key drivers of success. True solidarity is demonstrated through national and international unity, as seen in the unwavering support for the Kashmir cause

### The 13 Words of Solidarity for Pakistan and the Kashmir Cause

1. Faith – The foundation of resilience and determination.

2. Unity – Strength in togetherness

Discipline – The guiding force for progress

3. 4.

Sacrifice – The willingness to endure for a more significant cause

5. Freedom A right that must be upheld.

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Justice – Ensuring fairness and equality.

7. Resistance – Standing firm against oppression

8. Hope – The belief in a brighter future

9. Courage – Defying challenges with bravery.

10. Loyalty – Devotion to a just cause

11. Leadership – Guiding the path to victory.

12. Education – Empowering minds for transformation.

13. Perseverance – Unwavering commitment despite adversity.

Throughout history, great leaders have demonstrated how unity and strategic vision can

reshape nations. Otto von Bismarck played a pivotal role in reunifying Germany, showcasing how strong leadership and political acumen could unite fragmented states into a formidable power. Similarly, small yet determined communities have repeatedly challenged larger adversaries, proving that direction matters more than speed and quality outweighs mere number. In today's era of rapid technological evolution, transitioning from sonic to super-sonic and hypersonic speeds and from traditional computers to supercomputers and quantum computing, the emphasis on quality over quantity has become paramount.

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despite

differences, we stand as one in

of Kashmir

our collective pursuits

Spending this day with disciplined

and dedicated youth reaffirmed my belief that the future of our nation remains secure in

the hands of individuals committed to excellence. The essence of authentic leadership

discipline, and unity was palpable throughout the event, serving as a guiding beacon for

the nation. As long as these values remain intact, the path to national strength and

success will always be within reach, regardless of the inevitable crests and troughs that

define the journey of any nation. Leadership is not an inherent trait but a cultivated

quality that emerges in environments where professionalism, discipline, and intellectual

engaged with were a testament to this

freedom are nurtured. The young minds

principle. They were inquisitive, bold, and unafraid to challenge ideas, showcasing their

capacity to think critically and engage with national, regional, and international affairs

Their ability to articulate logical arguments and counterpoints with clarity demonstrated not only intellectual depth but also a leadership acumen that is essential for shaping the future. One of the most encouraging aspects of the event was the interactive session, which stretched far beyond the duration of the speeches. This clearly indicated that these young individuals enjoy the highest degree of freedom to question, analyze, and evaluate issues that impact their country and the world at large. Their inquiries spanned broad spectrum, covering national governance, regional politics, and global dynamics. The depth and relevance of their questions spoke volumes about their upbringing in an environment that fosters intellectual curiosity and independent thinking. It was evident that their educators and mentors have successfully cultivated a culture where questioning is not only permitted but encouraged. This intellectual liberty is critical for producing future leaders who can navigate the complexities of modern governance and diplomacy. Leadership, after all, is not just about command and authority; it is about vision, adaptability, and the courage to engage in dialogue with reason and logic. The presence of such dynamic young minds reassured me that leadership development in Pakistan is in capable hands. The professional training they receive, coupled with their

exposure to global perspectives, equips them with the capacity, stamina, and futuristic approach required to assume leadership roles. Few institutions truly understand the intricacies of nurturing leadership, but those that do create environments where young minds can flourish, question, and ultimately lead with integrity and vision. This conference was a clear message that both the right individuals and the right organizational structures exist to shape a promising future. It reaffirmed that the seeds of leadership have been sown in fertile ground, nurtured by professionalism and guided by clarity of purpose. The youth of today possess not just the courage to ask difficult questions but also the humility to accept logical reasoning—an essential trait of great leaders. Their knowledge of global affairs, as well as their grasp of the issues dominating media coverage, reflects their comprehensive understanding of the world they will one day lead. The leadership potential of Pakistan's youth is undeniably bright. The responsibility now lies with institutions, mentors, and policymakers to continue providing them with platforms where they can grow, engage, and refine their abilities. As long as the values of discipline, intellectual freedom, and integrity are preserved, the nation will always find itself in capable hands. The dawn of a stronger Kashmir is being carved from the long night, and it is the young minds of today who will illuminate the

path forward.