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Flowers of the campus

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Flowers

Flowers occupy an important place in our lives. Flowers are regarded as a symbol of beauty and a gift of nature. Flowers have the power to make people happy and cheerful. Flowers' importance in nature is everywhere—they can feed insects, birds, animals and humans; provide natural medicines for humans and some animals; and aid in a plant's reproduction by enticing outside pollinators. Without flowers, plants would merely be green, and the world would be a duller place.

In ABV-IIITM, flowers represent: a) a vital part of bio-diversity and , b) an opportunity to appreciate mother nature and her grand design !

The following are some of the points highlighting significance of flowers:

Vital part of Eco-system

Flowers form a vital part of biological cycle. Flowers offer more to the planet than merely natural artwork and beauty. They are essential to removing carbon dioxide and toxins in the air. They feed the honeybee population that's responsible for promulgating food crops.

Landscaping

Whether planted in the ground as part of a garden or blossoming from shrubs and trees, flowers add depth and interest to landscapes. For example, flowering plants have been used in MDP, Sports

Complex and other locations of our campus as a part of landscaping. Seasonal flowers are planted at various locations on our campus as a part of enhancing the quality of landscaping.

Food

Many animals eat flowers for nourishment. You may have seen peacocks on the campus, eating flowers!. Popular flowers used in cooking and preparing meals include lemon, coriander, gardenia, marjoram and garlic chives. The flowers of herbal flowers usually taste similar to the actual herb.

There are a variety of insects that feast on the nectar of flowers, but the most notable ones are bees, wasps, ants and butterflies. Because these flowers rely on an outward source to pollinate them,

Tradition

Flowers carry enormous symbolism, provide soothing sympathy and are an integral part of many of life's ceremonies, thus flowers are a traditional part of both joyous and somber occasions. Flowers play an integral role in Indian weddings and often are the focal piece in a wedding's design. Flowers is used as offerings to the deities in many cultures across the world. No Hindu worship is complete without flowers. Even it is believed that different deities have different preferences of flowers. The colour of the flower is also very significant in this act.

The role of flowers can be mapped out in old religious texts, myths and folk tales.

Medicine

Many flowers are crushed and used for medicinal purposes. The hibiscus sabdariffa, also called roselle, is one example of a flower that serves as an effective laxative and has been used for centuries by herbalists and folk medicine practitioners. The flower contains high doses of ascorbic acid and glycolic acid and may also fight inflammation and water retention,

A lot of studies even proved that flowers have healing properties as well. Presence of multi-coloured flowers can produce joyful impact on people's mind. A garden and a park full of different flowers is the best place to spend some quality time.

Expression of emotions and feelings

From ancient time love, happiness, peace, friendship and sympathy are being expressed by the means of flowers. Different kinds of flowers express different emotions and feelings. For example, the magnificence and tenderness of red rose has been widely praised ever since the ancient times. Coloured roses like white (purity), red (love), lavender (excitement), yellow (joy), orange (enthusiasm),dark pink (gratitude) and light pink (admiration) also express different emotions of our life.

Apart from expressing feelings and emotions, studies have also shown that flowers are capable of influencing our moods. Beautiful flowers kept in hospital rooms can reduce the stress of patients and improve their recovery.

Source

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Variety of Flowers on the campus

S.No.	Name of Flower
1.	Antirrhinum, Snapdragon
2.	Aster, Michaelmas Daisy
3.	Begonia Vanusta, Golden Shower
4.	Bottle Brush ,Cheel
5.	BougainVillea, Paper Flower
6.	Brass DabarPotika, Shalina, Tapaspriya
7.	Calendula,
8.	Candytuft, Snow Flake
9.	Champa,
10.	Chrysanthemum, Chandra Mallika, Sevanthi
11.	Cosmos
12.	Dahlia ,
13.	Dianthus
14.	Double Chandni
15.	Galatia,
16.	Gudhal
17.	Guldavdi
18.	Gulphanus
19.	Hari Champa, Madanmast, Manorangini
20.	Harsingar, Night Jasmine, Parijat
21.	Hollyhock, Gulkhaira
22.	Jasmine, Chameli, Mogra, Jai, Madanban
23.	Kaner, Indian Oleander
24.	Lantana , Raimunia
25.	Larksper,Dolphinium
26.	Madhukamini, Kamini
27.	Mari Gold -Hybrid
28.	Nostrum
29.	Pansy , Sreevat
30.	Petunia,Screw Pine,Sandhya Malti
31.	Phlox , Blue Emerald
32.	Рорру
33.	Raat Rani, Night Blooming Jasmine
34.	Red Leaf Musterd
35.	Rose, Gulab
36.	Sadabahar ,Periwinkle
37.	Salvia, Sage Weed, Kamarkas
38.	Sweet Sultan
39.	Sweet Vilium ,Indian Pink
40.	TecomaStans, Yellow Bells
41.	Venidium ,Cape Daisy
42.	Powder puff

Beautiful quotes about flowers

"If we could see the miracle of a single flower clearly, our whole life would change". Buddha

"The earth laughs in flowers." Ralph Waldo Emerson

"Flowers always make people better, happier, and more helpful; they are sunshine, food and medicine for the soul". Luther Burbank

"Flowers... are a proud assertion that a ray of beauty outvalues all the utilities of the world". Ralph Waldo Emerson

"The lovely flowers embarrass me, they make me regret I am not a bee" Emily Dickinson

"Every flower is a soul blossoming in nature." Gerard de Nervel

"I hope some day to meet God, because I want to thank HIM for the flowers." Robert Brault

"Flowers don't worry about how they're going to bloom. They just open and turn toward the light and that makes them beautiful." Jim Carrey

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