

## **B.A. PROGRAM 2021- ODD SEMESTER**

### **SUBJECT - Video Message for Independence Day**

**DATE- 15 AUGUST 2021**

#### **Rationale behind the video:**

Our freedom fighters endured countless sufferings to give Indians their freedom. Thousands laid down their lives so that our country can celebrate her independence. And thousands are still fighting to keep that freedom, peace and glory up high. Our defence forces have tirelessly contributed to maintain the sovereignty and integrity of our motherland.

To honor the defense forces of the country and commemorate 75 years of independence, the B.A Program Students' Council, Indraprastha College for Women, University of Delhi collected a set of video messages from retired officers of the defense forces.

#### **Veterans featured in the video:**

1. Maj. Gen. P.S. Rathore
2. Col. Dev Anand
3. Col. Lalchand Yadav
4. Capt. Deep Singh Shekhawat
5. Lt. Col. Adityanath Chaturvedi
6. Wing Com. Aniruddh Kumar Chaturvedi

#### **Description of the video:**

The video contained an excerpt of a motivational poem by Late Sh. Atal Bihari Vajpayee compiled by and available on an open online resource followed by the veterans introducing themselves and delivering a message to the youth to build a country they envision. The video concluded with the Vice President (2020-2021) of the B.A. Program Students' Council, Rishwa Shekhar, announcing and inviting participation for the first competition, "Aawam ko Sandesh" by the B.A. Program Fraternity as part of the Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsava.

#### **Important links:**

Link to the video on instagram:

[https://www.instagram.com/tv/CSmXnqCjX00/?utm\\_medium=copy\\_link](https://www.instagram.com/tv/CSmXnqCjX00/?utm_medium=copy_link)

Link to the video on the drive: [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1iA5TeS-XIvUexeXTnkDrpIu\\_lBYC1S0o/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1iA5TeS-XIvUexeXTnkDrpIu_lBYC1S0o/view?usp=sharing)

#### **Video Credits:**

The videos of the veterans were collected/ shot by Radhika Chaturvedi and Rishwa Shekhar, while the final video was compiled by Shruti Aggarwal and Radhika Verma with the help of the department's technical team.

We are grateful to everyone who helped transcending this video from abstract ideas into tangible results.

Thank you.

