## **REPORT ON WALKATHON**

The students of the NSS forum and YODHA club, JSS Academy of Technical Education, Bengaluru(JSSATEB) conducted a walkathon to raise awareness about 'Drug Abuse' on the 6<sup>th</sup> of March, 2020. Around 90 students from the first, second and third years took part in the event under the supervision of NSS Programme Officer Dr. Girish N. The chief guest for this event was the Sub-Inspector Madhu of Rajarajeshwari Nagar Police Station accompanied by Assistant Sub-Inspector Cholappa.

The chief guests spoke about drug abuse and its effects and shared a few kind words about NSS and YODHA. The event was inaugurated by the chief guest, Sub-Inspector Madhu along with our respected Principal, Dr. Mrityunjaya V Latte. The event commenced with a skit performed by the YODHA members highlighting the ill effects of drug abuse.

The walk began from the Mirror Entrance, JSSATEB at 10 am and completed at Rangamandira, Rajarajeshwari Nagar. The students were holding posters made by them and shouting out slogans throughout the walk to bring attention to the issue of drug abuse.

The walk was constantly supervised by the police who ensured our safety throughout the event. The skit was performed at prominent locations on the route such as in front of RNSIT, Royal Indraprastha Hotel and at the RR Nagar Police Station to bring about awareness to the people in the area. Inspector Naveen Supekar of the RR Nagar Police Station addressed the students and educated them about how as students they can report and stop the selling of drugs.

Transportation was provided by the college bus to return to campus where refreshments were arranged for the participants. The students reached the campus by 12:30pm.

Once the students were refreshed, the skit was performed at the mirror entrance for the students and teachers of the JSSATE at 1pm.

































































