

**Vasantdada Patil Arts, Commerce and Science College  
Patoda, Dist. Beed (M.S)**

**Department of English**

**One Day National Webinar on *Society and Victorian Fiction***

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**REPORT**

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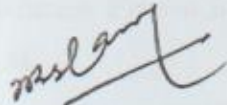
Department of English, Vasantdada Patil Arts, Commerce and Science College Patoda organized One Day National level Webinar on 01 February 2021. It was organized on zoom meeting platform. 210 participants from the various part of the country registered online for the webinar. Around 95 participants joined the actual session of the webinar. All the registered participants are issued E-Certificate after filling in the feedback form after the completion of the webinar.

Honorable principal Dr. Baliram Rakh chaired the webinar and Prof. B.K. Payagonde from Arignar Anna Govt. Arts and Science College Karaikal, Puducherry was the resource person of the webinar. Dr. Manojkumar Prakash, Convener and Head, Department of English welcomed chairperson, chief guest and all the respective participants at the beginning. Hon. Principal Dr. Baliram Rakh delivered the inaugural address. He pointed out that the Victorian period of English literature was completely about the social elements and norms. Most of the Victorian novelists depict society throughout their novels. Hence, this literary period gains much significance and it is a need to study. This literary period has a further scope to do research. Mr. K. A. Salunke introduced the resource person.

Prof. B.K. Payagonde delivered a power point presentation on the topic Society and Victorian Fiction. He explained various examples to show how the Victorian novelists depicted social concerns in their novels. He also pointed out the main points, which are needed to be emphasized while doing research and study for the NET SET exam. He explains to the participants some of the novels of the Charles Dickens and Bronte sisters in order to understand the relationship between society and Victorian fiction. He used some unique and rare images and

pictures to highlight major events of the particular period. At the end of the session the question answer session was there and some of the participants raised their questions regarding to the presentation. They got satisfactory answers from the resource person. Indeed, this session will really contribute to the academic excellence of the participant. It will be fruitful for the researchers for the further research on this particular topic.

Mr. K.A. Salunke proposed vote of thanks at the end of the session. The webinar ended on the note that as a Victorian novel is a phase of British Literature and it should be studied as realistic manner to relate our life.



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