

**Press Release:**

## **TSPL employees conduct career counselling sessions for government school students**

**Mansa, 6th Oct 2020:** Employees of Talwandi Sabo Power Limited (TSPL), the largest thermal power plant in Punjab, and its business partner for operation & maintenance, STEAG, volunteered to conduct career counselling sessions for senior students of Chehlanwali Govt. Senior Secondary High School, Mansa. Virtually connecting with more than 60 students, the employees shared personal experiences with the young minds and guided them on exploring potential career options available post completion of schooling.

The volunteers deep dived into opportunities in engineering, law, cinematography, sports, music, teaching, mass communication, journalism and many more streams. They also oriented the students on how to go about choosing the right colleges, preparing for entrance exams and striving for professions of their choice, including government jobs. They motivated participating students, especially the girls, to work hard, explore their interests and shared with them several, new and emerging career options.

Speaking about the session, Mr Vikas Sharma, CEO & WTD, TSPL said, "TSPL is committed to be a partner in the progress of the country, our people and communities. I am glad to see this connect between our employees and the students of the region. As Punjab's largest power plant, we will continue to work for our communities and nurture the future generations, fulfilling our mission to transform lives in areas where we operate."

Grateful for the dedication of TSPL and STEAG towards helping the students, Mr Rajendra Singh, School Principal, Chehlanwali Govt. Senior Secondary High School said, "It is heart-warming to see the employees come forward to help our students. They motivated our students to not give up during this tough time. Their experiential guidance has made our students more aware of various career options they can explore after completing school education. We are grateful to the TSPL family for their kind support."

Pooja Rani, a student of the school and participant in the sessions, said, "We thank the employees of TSPL and STEAG for taking out time for us and guiding us in the best possible way. These sessions have helped me and my friends see the path ahead more clearly and we are motivated to explore careers of our choice in the future."

**TSPL has been at the forefront of Corporate Social Responsibility initiatives in Punjab. The company has undertaken several developmental projects around and far beyond the plant site, in the areas of education, livelihood, healthcare and infrastructure.** In the changing paradigm of social fabric due to COVID-19, TSPL has rolled out several relief measures and continues to closely work with the district and police administrations for helping communities sustain amid the pandemic.

Vedanta's Talwandi Sabo Power Limited (TSPL) is a supercritical 1980 MW world-class thermal power plant in Banawala, Mansa district, Punjab and supplies 100% of the electricity it generates to Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd. TSPL deploys globally benchmarked

environment and safety practices making it Punjab's greenest thermal power plant, and among the foremost zero-harm, zero-waste, zero-discharge thermal power producers in the country. The plant has been instrumental in the socio-economic development of the region since inception.

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