

Govt Higher Secondary School Mahoo Students Visit CIED–IUST for Entrepreneurship Awareness

October 6, 2026: Students and faculty members of Govt. Higher Secondary School Mahoo, Banihal, visited the CIED–IUST Foundation at the IUST Innovation Campus to participate in an Entrepreneurship Awareness Programme (EAP) aimed at promoting innovation, skill development and entrepreneurial thinking among young learners.

The visiting delegation was welcomed by Mr. Tahir Showkat, Assistant Manager, CIED–IUST Foundation, who briefed the students about the Foundation’s vision, initiatives and entrepreneurship-focused programmes. He highlighted the growing importance of skill-based and industry-oriented learning, encouraging students to develop future-ready skills and explore entrepreneurship as a viable career pathway. He also apprised them of the Mission Yuva Scheme and various short-term skill development programmes offered by the Foundation.

As part of the experiential learning component, the students visited the iFactory Lab, Design & Development (D&D) Lab, Training & Development Lab and UltraTech Cement Lab. They witnessed demonstrations of advanced technologies, including 3D printers, 3D scanners, PCB prototyping, CNC machines and laser cutting equipment.

The visit was provided the students with valuable practical exposure to emerging technologies, innovation and entrepreneurship, while inspiring them to pursue skill-based learning and explore new opportunities in the evolving professional landscape.