

Lecture on ‘Global Warming – Most Challenging Issue of Today’s World’ – Nand Lal (Kurukshetra University) and Promila Batra (Principal Senior Secondary Model School, Kurukshetra)

In order to popularize geoscience among school students, a function was organized in the University Senior Secondary Model School, Kurukshetra on 20.10.2009 under aegis of Geological Society of India (northern India Chapter). K.R.Gupta, Secretary, Geological Society of India, presided over the function while

M.S. Jaglan, Chairman, Department of Geography, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra delivered a lecture on “Global warming – Most challenging issue of today’s world”. At the outset, Nand Lal, Dean Faculty of Science and Vice-Chairman of the school welcomed and introduced the speaker and K.R.Gupta to the audience

consisting of more than 400 students and 15 teachers of the school. M.S. Jaglan in his lecture through Powerpoint presentation apprised the school teachers and students of 8th to 12th standard about the meaning of global warming and how it will affect the mankind if not checked. The active participation of all the

students and teachers provided vitality and enthusiasm to the programme. K.R. Gupta in his presidential remarks told the students about the importance of geosciences for the developmental of society and how Geological Society of India was promoting the geoscience education in India. The speakers delivered especially for the convenience of the students. The overwhelming interest of the teachers and students in geoscience was reported by the various leading newspapers. In the end Smt. P. Batra, Principal of the school, proposed a vote of thanks.

The School also plans to hold such lectures in future to sensitize the students about the geoscience education and its importance for the society.

