



National Youth Day (12 January)

To commemorate the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda

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"My faith is in the younger generation, the modern generation, out of them will come my workers. They will work out the whole problem, like lions. "

- Swami Vivekananda



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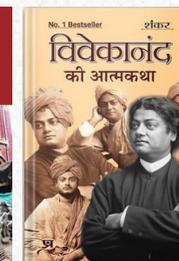
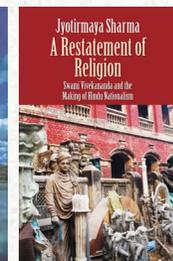
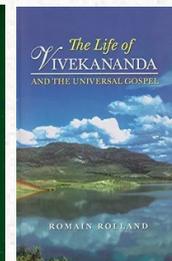
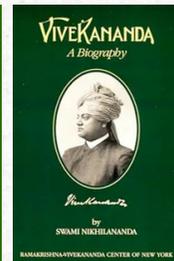
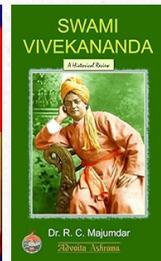
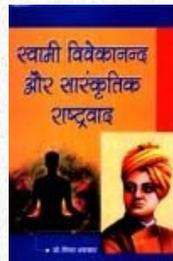


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National Youth Day, celebrated on January 12th in India since 1985, marks the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda, a visionary spiritual leader and youth icon. He was just 39 when he died, but he left behind an enduring legacy through his work, philosophy, and disciples.

The day honors his teachings and ideals, emphasizing the power of youth in nation-building. Events such as speeches, debates, seminars, cultural programs, and yoga sessions are organized across the country to inspire young minds. Swami Vivekananda's message of self-confidence, dedication, and service to society resonates deeply, motivating the youth to embrace their potential.

National Youth Day serves as a reminder of the importance of education, discipline, and moral values in shaping a progressive and empowered generation.

Read more about Swami Vivekananda:

- <https://www.artic.edu/swami-vivekananda-and-his-1893-speech>
- <https://vedantasociety.net/vivekananda>
- <https://ramakrishna.org/vivekanandagallery.html>
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"I have formulated the idea and have given my life to it. If I do not achieve success, some better one will come after me to work it out, and I shall be content to struggle."

- Swami Vivekananda

Vivekananda (January 12, 1863 – July 4, 1902) was a Hindu monk, spiritual leader, preacher, and reformer in India and an activating force in the propagation of Vedanta philosophy in the United States and Britain. Vivekananda, who first gained national and global attention with his historic final speech at the World's Parliament of Religions in Chicago in 1893, upheld the ideals of social work and humanitarianism as the highest virtues. He laid the foundation for twin spiritual organizations: Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission. He was addressed as Swami, a title given to Hindu ascetics.

Narendranath Datta was born into an upper-middle-class family in Bengal. His father, Vishwanath Datta, an attorney at the High Court in Calcutta, was a well-read man of culture and a rationalist. Narendranath's mother, Bhuvaneshwari Devi, was a homemaker and a deeply religious woman.

Narendranath was one of eight siblings and was affectionately addressed as Naren or Bilé by his loved ones. Biographies of the monk paint a picture of him as a boy: mischievous, bubbling with energy, daring, and possessed of an exceptional memory. After finishing his primary schooling, Narendranath enrolled in the Metropolitan Institute in 1871. He was involved in several extracurricular activities and sports such as wrestling and boxing. In 1879 he enrolled in Presidency College, Calcutta. It is said that Narendranath had mystical experiences as a child and became increasingly spiritually curious about the existence of God. In 1881 he met Ramakrishna, the Hindu mystic and Kali devotee who would be at the helm of Vivekananda's spiritual journey.

During his wanderings the monk, encouraged by his disciples and well-wishers, made up his mind to go to Chicago to attend the upcoming World's Parliament of Religions, a platform for representatives from different faiths and parts of the world to convene.

After his return to India with a small group of Western disciples in 1897, Vivekananda founded the Ramakrishna Mission Association.

His teachings and lectures are still widely read and revered in India and around the world. His birthday has been celebrated as National Youth Day in India since 1985.

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