

VISAKHAPATNAM CULTURAL AND ACADEMIC TOUR



As part of its ongoing commitment to cultural immersion and experiential learning, VFSTR University organized a five-day educational and cultural trip to Visakhapatnam from June 20 to 24, 2025, exclusively for international students. A total of 96 students representing eight countries Sudan, Nepal, Madagascar, Malaysia, Liberia, South Sudan, Zimbabwe, and Syria participated in this enriching initiative. More than a tour, this journey symbolized a celebration of diversity, intellectual curiosity, and intercultural unity. The experience offered students an opportunity to explore India's natural beauty, technological advancements, and deep-rooted cultural heritage, while also forging friendships and memories that transcend borders.

Day 1: Departure and Warm Welcome at VIIT

On June 20th, our group departed from VFSTR Vaddlamudi on a journey filled with anticipation and enthusiasm. As we travelled across scenic districts like Godavari and Gannavaram, the

changing landscapes, lush greenery, and peaceful countryside made the long hours on the road feel vibrant and captivating. Despite the bus speed being capped at 60 km/h, spirits remained high. By 8 PM, we arrived at the VIIT (Vignan's Institute of Information Technology) campus in Visakhapatnam. The hospitality shown by the VIIT team was deeply heartwarming. Students were assigned hostel accommodations and treated to a delicious dinner, including local delicacies like mutton curry and special rice. The warm welcome laid a comforting foundation for the days ahead.

Day 2: Nature and Innovation Gandhi Park & AMTZ



June 21st began with a visit to Gandhi Park, a serene and vibrant green space that offered moments of joy, laughter, and reflection. Students mingled, swung on playground swings, and took group photographs cherishing the childlike joy that such simple moments bring.

In the afternoon, the group visited Andhra Pradesh MedTech Zone (AMTZ) India's premier hub for medical device manufacturing. We explored cutting-edge facilities such as the Center for Electromagnetic Compatibility and Safety Testing, Biomaterial Testing, and 3D Printing Labs. It was an inspiring experience to witness how India is pioneering innovation in medical technology. The visit provided rare insights into the infrastructure and research driving the nation's indigenous healthcare solutions.

Day 3: Iconic Vizag – A Day of Discovery

On June 22nd, students embarked on a day-long exploration of some of Visakhapatnam's most iconic landmarks. We began at the Indira Gandhi Zoological Park one of India's largest zoological gardens where we walked amidst lush vegetation while observing wildlife in their natural habitats. The tranquility of the surroundings gave everyone a sense of peace and connection with nature.

The visit continued with a stop at the Aircraft Museum, which featured real fighter jets and exhibits about the Indian Air Force. The experience evoked feelings of awe and national pride. Following this, we enjoyed quiet moments at RK Beach, where the sea breeze and the rhythmic sounds of the ocean refreshed our minds. As the sun set, the view of the waves meeting the horizon left many of us speechless.

Our final visit for the day was to the INS Kurusura Submarine Museum. Stepping inside the decommissioned submarine offered a

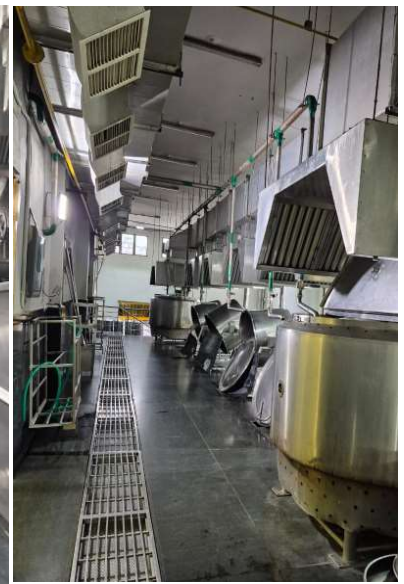
rare and humbling insight into the life of naval officers beneath the sea. It gave us newfound respect for the dedication and discipline of the armed forces.

Day 4: Technology, Service, and Tranquility

On June 23rd, we embarked on a meaningful journey across three distinct locations. The day began with a visit to Kalpataru Centre of Excellence, where we explored innovative technologies and gained insights into high-standard industrial practices a valuable experience for our academic and professional growth.

In the afternoon, we visited the Akshaya Patra Foundation, where we were moved by the unwavering dedication of those who work tirelessly to serve nutritious meals to thousands of children. It was a powerful reminder of the impact of compassion and service in shaping a better world.

We concluded the day at Kailasagiri, a serene hilltop offering breathtaking views and a peaceful ambiance. Surrounded by greenery and the majestic Shiva-Parvati statues, we took time to reflect, relax, and appreciate the beauty of nature a perfect end to a deeply enriching day.



Day 5: Farewell with Full Hearts

On June 24th, we packed our bags and prepared to return to Vadlamudi. After breakfast, we gathered for one final group photo with the kind and welcoming staff of VIIT. It was a bittersweet moment smiles for the camera, but heavy hearts knowing the trip had come to an end. The journey back was calm and thoughtful, as students quietly reflected on all they had experienced and learned.

This trip was not just a journey across the geography of Visakhapatnam but also across cultures, emotions, and ideas. It offered international students an unforgettable blend of education, inspiration, and human connection. We returned not only with photographs and souvenirs but also with broadened perspectives and friendships that transcend borders. The Visakhapatnam trip truly embodied the spirit of global learning and reminded us that when people from different corners of the world come together with open hearts, beautiful things happen.



Finance 21.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
Sudeepa Xerox (Prop: Kota Agnes), Vdl	32606
Student Internship Exp	20000
Security Deposit - Staff	85324
T.Chiranjeevi, Missionary Worker	17820
A.Lokaditya, Sr.Asst.	13103
Dean Student Affairs	2327
D.Vijay Krishna Dean T&P	576
Ch Suresh, Physical Director	40000
A.Lokaditya, Sr.Asst.	1440
The Jijo Events, VJA	51600
Krishtec, Coimbatore	25869
Sk.Noor Basha, Marketing Staff	8000
CDOE Course Fee Refund	55460
Innovent Engineering Solutions Pvt. Ltd.,	486000
Smaranika Agri Horti Services, Odisha	26495
Ch.L.Narasimha & Co., Gnt	9936
P.Ashok Kumar, HoD, Chem. Dept	50000
Dr. CH.Jithendra, HOD, Pharmacy Dept	50000
A.Lokaditya, Sr.Asst.	20527
Honorarium & TA Payable	1500
905 - Guest House Exp	5000
ByteXL TechEd Pvt. Ltd, Bangaluru	1829520
212 - Honorarium	5000
Hanuman Signs,Vijayawada	11160
TOTAL	28,49,263.00

Finance 23.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
408 - Seed Money for Students	17096.00
TOTAL	17,096.00

Finance 24.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
Sudeepa Xerox (Prop: Kota Agnes), Vdl	6247
True Colors, (Pro. K. Uma Mahesh) Dhobi	9415
Dharani Agencies	10600
Vignan Students Hostel, Vdl	60074
S V Ramana, Jr. Asst., Student Affairs	10755
VFSTR Transport A/c	264008
Sunrise Power Solutions	14302
Faculty Development Programme Expenses	4823
Syed Azeem	3811
Suryatej Printers VJA	56700
204- Staff Refreshments & Welfare Expenses	1617
Vihaan Techno Services, Gnt	53817
B.J.Vijendra Mess I/C	10350
TOTAL	5,06,519.00

Power Consumption on the campus

Date	(A, H, U & N -Block, Boys hostel, Guest house, etc.) Units
20.06.2025	12540
22.06.2025	4940
23.06.2025	13710

Lunch Availed by Staff

Date	(A', 'H', 'U' & 'N' Block) Strength
23.06.2025	490
24.06.2025	510
25.06.2025	523
26.06.2025	500
28.06.2025	830
30.06.2025	530

Finance 25.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
Sri Vasavi Jute Company	15070
G K Life Sciences, Gnt	8838
Extension Services- NCC	20181
VMK Works,Guntur	5278
D.Anandha Kumar Asst.Prof IT Dept	40000
Integrated Electronics -Guntur	40000
Vision Advertising, VJA	147634
A.Lokaditya, Sr.Asst.	9404
BOS Meeting Expenses	5000
Dr.T Naresh, Asst. Prof. AHS	1500
SV Power Solutions	105134
411-Career Development Fund	10400
Mahendra Lifts, Guntur	56160
Vision Tech Instruments, Bengaluru	21240
Security Deposit - Staff	79630
Ch.Pushya, Asst. Prof. Dept. of CSE	13037
Dr.L. Geethanjali, Asst.Prof. AHS Dept	11580
1011 - Campus Maintenance	3000
Sri Jayalakshmi Printers, Gnt	17325
918 - Telephone Charges	14750
Survive Systems, Gnt	2937
TOTAL	6,28,098.00

Staff Attendance Details

Date	Staff	VIMS Total	Present	Dynamic Thumb	OD	Total Attended	% of Attendance
23.06.2025	Teaching	537	357	27	3	387	72.07
	Non Teaching	464	341	36	2	379	81.68
25.06.2025	Teaching	537	384	26	3	413	76.91
	Non Teaching	464	344	33	3	380	81.90

Finance 27.06.2025

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A.Rajani Kumari, Librarian	12965
Accu Analytical, Hyd	2642
Dr.D.Venkatesulu ACSE HOD	7981
Aamoda Broadcasting Company Pvt.Ltd.,	487200
Sri Siddhi Creations, Gnt	1291239
TOTAL	24,30,125.00

Finance 28.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
Dr. Prasad Panda, Director, Industry Relations	53100
Director - Training Cell	2755
K.Bhargav Reddy (211FA01008) 4th Year	10000
Volkspantom IP Solutions Pvt Ltd, Guntur	28980
Sridhar and Sivarama, Gnt	27000
The Jijo Events, VJA	50568
Survive Systems, Gnt	17485
Faculty Industry Immersion Program Expenses	10000
8) Fee Refund (Tuition Fee)	700000
Dr.G.Mohana Charyulu, Assoc.Prof, Dept of English	50000
8) Fee Refund (Tuition Fee)	186900
601 - Remuneration to Paper Setters, Examiners Etc	68000
Dr.K.Meghana, CEO, VFSTR	540000
N.V.R. Enterprises	413589
VFSTR-HYDERABAD	350000
Sree RaAmasai Office Solutions, Pvt.Ltd	155000
School Research Board (SRB) Expenses	5000
NSL TEXTILES LIMITED	3469790
A.Lokaditya, Sr.Asst.	8900
Dr. Prasad Panda, Director, Industry Relations	100000
Vignan University Construction A/c	20000000
917 - Rates, Taxes & Licenses	118000
TOTAL	2,63,65,067.00

Finance 29.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
K.Phani Kumar, Asst.Prof, Dept of MBA	5536
VFSTR Transport A/c	5000000
411-Career Development Fund	56870
PD - Physical Education Dept.	2871
City Fashion, Delhi	384930
Ch.L.Narasimha & Co., Gnt	11567
Mani Industries Pvt Ltd- AAMCM1765D	2923
HOD, CSE Dept.	8410
A.Gourisankar Rao, Dy. Registrar & Head Media	50000
3118 Entry Scholarships(Hyd)	3094000
TOTAL	86,17,107.00

Girls Hostel Students Information

Date	Total No. of students in hostel	Presen-tees	Students went to outing
21.06.2025	1838	540	1298
22.06.2025	1838	543	1295
23.06.2025	1838	565	1273
24.06.2025	1836	578	1258
25.06.2025	1835	574	1261
26.06.2025	1833	573	1260
27.06.2025	1833	567	1266
28.06.2025	1827	543	1284
29.06.2025	1826	539	1287
30.06.2025	1823	562	1261
	Total no. of students attending for study hours	Attend-ed	Not Attended
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	Total no. of students engaging in sports/NCC	Partici-pated	Not partici-pated
	Sports -100 NCC-50	0	150
No. of sick students in the hostel UG			
1st year	2nd year	3rd year	4th year
5	3	2	1

Finance 30.06.2025

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
8) Fee Refund (Tuition Fee)	520000
MAANASA Bombay Dyeing Show Room, GNT	17568
HOD - AAC (ACSE) Imprest	7999
V. Ramu, Marketing Staff	7000
212 - Honorarium	5000
914 - Rental Charges	31692
Remuneration Payable (Teaching Assts)	1610544
Matrix E Services, Tenali	1151158
Harsha Electronics, Gnt	5700
Gratuity	554926
Optimal Media Solutions, Hyd	312546
R. Suresh Kumar, System Admn.	22385
Gratuity	727560
Gratuity	201655
Gratuity	118190
Dr.K.V.Madhuri, Prof S&H Dept	5528
Remuneration Payable for Consultan-cy Work (TexTiles	14784
HOD Bio- Informatics Dept	5000
Staff Bank Loan	246900
Salaries Payable	57565798
Vignan University Construction A/c	8996005
Vignan University Construction A/c	1368726
601 - Remuneration to Paper Setters, Examiners Etc	50299
TOTAL	7,35,46,963.00

Vignan Boys Hostel 21.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	485	1140	1625	8
Lunch	536	1089	1625	10
Snacks	394	1231	1625	7
Dinner	489	1136	1625	10

Vignan Boys Hostel 22.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	479	1146	1625	6
Lunch	525	1100	1625	11
Snacks	446	1179	1625	8
Dinner	420	1205	1625	12

Vignan Boys Hostel 23.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	474	1152	1626	8
Lunch	531	1095	1626	12
Snacks	469	1157	1626	7
Dinner	664	962	1626	15

Vignan Boys Hostel 24.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	489	1137	1626	7
Lunch	561	1065	1626	11
Snacks	496	1130	1626	6
Dinner	679	947	1626	14

Vignan Boys Hostel 25.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	528	1093	1621	6
Lunch	439	1182	1621	12
Snacks	367	1254	1621	5
Dinner	532	1089	1621	13

Birthday Wishes

Students, Staff and Management wishes

Happy Birthday to

22.06.2025

Mr.K.Venkata Naga Venu

Field Asst., AHS

Dr.Srinivasa Rao Kasarla

Asst. Prof., ENGLISH

Ms.Shaik Hamida

Jr Asst., IR

23.06.2025

Mr.Kunchala Venkateswarlu

Attender, MEDIA CELL

Mr.Simhadri Chinna Gopi

Asst. Prof., CSE

Mr.Raja Gopal Vangara

Graphic Designer, Media Cell

24.06.2025

Dr.Krishna Chenna Kesava Rao

Asst. Professor, ECE

Dr.S.K.Satpathy

Officiating Prof., CSE

Dr.Venkata Subba Rao Pittu

Sr. Design Engineer, EEE

Mr.Pasupuleti Bhargav

Jr. Asst., EEE (M)

Mr.Jampani Karthik

CP Lab Techn, ACSE

25.06.2025

Mr.K.Ramesh

Sr. Asst., EXAMCELL

Dr.Kubera Sampath Kumar S

Assoc., Prof., TT

Ms.Kakarla mudri Bhanu Teja

CP Lab Tech., S&H

Mr.Rayapati Rajkumar

Electrician, EEE (M)

26.06.2025

Dr.K.Kalpana

Professor, MBA

Ms.P.Bhanu

Sr. Asst., ECE

Dr.Gamini Suresh

Officiating. Prof., MECH

Mr.B.Hari Krishna

Jr. Asst., IQAC

Mr. Srinivas Gopiseti

Hardware Techn., IT

27.06.2025

Mr.Ravindra Babu Returu

Photo Cum Videographer, MEDIA CELL

Mr.Chandra Mouli Uppalapati

Asst. Prof., MBA

28.06.2025

Ms.A.Varalakshmi

Sr. Technician., BSH

Dr.P.L.N.Varma

Professor, MATHEMATICS

Birthday Wishes

Students, Staff and Management wishes

Happy Birthday to

30.06.2025

Mrs.Peeta Sowjanya

Jr. Asst., EXAMCELL

Mr.P.Bhaskara Rao

Consultant, FINANCE

Ms.Gera Chukkamma

Lift Operator, MAINTENANCE

Mr.B Venkat Sravan Kumar

Corporate Relationship Manager, IR

Vignan Boys Hostel 26.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	509	1110	1619	8
Lunch	463	1156	1619	13
Snacks	406	1213	1619	6
Dinner	420	1199	1619	12

Vignan Boys Hostel 27.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	504	1115	1619	7
Lunch	555	1064	1619	12
Snacks	368	1251	1619	7
Dinner	463	1156	1619	14

Vignan Boys Hostel 28.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	501	1118	1619	8
Lunch	632	987	1619	11
Snacks	469	1150	1619	9
Dinner	404	1215	1619	13

Vignan Boys Hostel 29.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	500	1121	1621	7
Lunch	696	925	1621	10
Snacks	533	1088	1621	8
Dinner	427	1194	1621	12

Vignan Boys Hostel 30.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	506	1116	1622	6
Lunch	622	1000	1622	12
Snacks	600	1022	1622	7
Dinner	422	1200	1622	11

Vignan Priyadarshini Girls Hostel 24.06.2025

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	498	1710	2208	7
Lunch	550	1658	2208	15
Snacks	490	1718	2208	5
Dinner	564	1644	2208	10

Whoever said, it's not whether you win or lose that counts, probably lost.