

As per the information received from the Head, Department of Family and Community Sciences, (UoA)

## Report

The Valedictory function of a two week workshop on "Capacity Building of Students in Food Preservation" was held on 4th April 2022 in the Department of Family and Community Sciences, University of Allahabad. There were 45 participants in this workshop. Dr. Priya Keshari, Convener of this two week Workshop informed that students learnt about the significance, steps of preparation and themselves prepared standardized food products viz., Mix fruit jam, Orange squash, Vinegar, Papaya chutney, Rose syrup, Tomato sauce, Tomato puree, Mix Veg Pickle etc. These food products can be preserved for one year. Further she stated that Food Preservation has potential of entrepreneurship and opens the door for self-reliance and promotion of this activity financial support is extended by the government. Prof. Shekhar Srivastava Dean Faculty of Sciences, University of Allahabad emphasised the importance of food preservation in present era in his valedictory address. All the faculty members, Deputy Director, Dr. Shukla from Horticulture and Fruit Processing Department, Prayagraj and In charge, Mr. V.P. Srivastava, Government Fruit Processing Training Centre, Prayagraj were present in the function.

