

PRESS RELEASE

International Literacy Day, 2019 was celebrated in the Model Jail, Chandigarh on 08.09.2019. A rally was organized by the inmates in the jail for the awareness of other inmates. The inmates took part in the rally with enthusiasm. The benefits of education in the life were described to the inmates. A play was also organized by the inmates regarding awareness of literacy. The Model Jail has a library where about 7000 different type books are available for the inmates. It is pertinent to mention here that the jail department is going to re-designate the name of jail library as **Ravinder Nath Tagore Pustkalaya** very shortly. The Joint Inspector General of Prisons was the chief guest on this occasion. He address the inmates and told them the benefits of education in day to day life. He motivated the inmates to enroll in the educational and vocational programmes conducted by jail administration.