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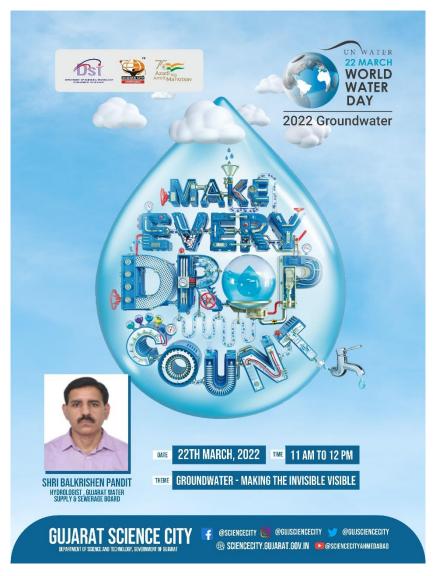
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1.0 Introduction:

Gujarat Science City celebrated World Water Day with a special interactive session & Drawing competition with the theme: 'Groundwater: Making the Invisible Visible' World Water Day is on 22 March every year. It is an annual United Nations Observance, started in 1993, that celebrates water and raises awareness of the 2 billion people currently living without access to safe water. A core focus of World Water Day is to inspire action towards Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 6: water and sanitation for all by 2030.

WORLD WATER DAY 2022 GROUNDWATER - MAKING THE INVISIBLE VISIBLE

Groundwater is invisible, but its impact is visible everywhere. Out of sight, under us feet, groundwater is a hidden treasure that enriches our lives. Almost all of the liquid freshwater in the world is groundwater. As climate change gets worse, groundwater will become more and more critical. We need to work together to sustainably manage this precious resource. Groundwater may be out of sight, but it must not be out of mind.



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A day-long celebration of World Water Day with a take home message of appreciating Saving water for today and a sustainable tomorrow



• More than 200 Students from English Teaching School, Nadiad participated the interactive session and drawing competition.



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Balkrishen Pandit, Hydrologist in Gujarat Water Supply & Sewerage Board (GWSSB), conducted the interactive session. He said, "Life cannot exist without water, which is one of the earth's essential elements. A living being like a human, animal or plant is impossible without water. Therefore, it is rightly said that "Water is life". Human life, however, is facing some questionable situations such as acute water shortages due to overconsumption, industrialization, and overuse of natural resources."

