

The Chief Executive Officer of Haryana Kisan Kalyan Pradhikaran Visited Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Kurukshetra

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Dr. Ravinder Singh Chauhan, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Haryana Kisan Kalyan Pradhikaran, visited the Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Kurukshetra, to review the agricultural extension and farmer welfare activities being undertaken by the centre.

During the visit, Dr. Chauhan was welcomed by Dr. Ashwani Dahiya, Plant Protection Scientist, along with the KVK team. He toured various demonstration units and interacted with the scientists to gain insights into the innovative technologies and farmer-oriented programmes being implemented at the centre.

The discussions focused on natural farming, crop diversification, agroforestry, soil health management, water conservation and capacity-building initiatives aimed at enhancing farmers' knowledge and productivity. Dr. Chauhan also reviewed the training and demonstration programmes conducted by the KVK to promote the adoption of modern and sustainable agricultural practices among farmers.



Appreciating the efforts of the scientists, Dr. Chauhan emphasized that Krishi Vigyan Kendras play a vital role in bridging the gap between agricultural research and field-level implementation. He stated that the dissemination of improved technologies and practical demonstrations is essential for increasing farm productivity, ensuring environmental sustainability and strengthening farmers' livelihoods. The visit concluded with an interactive session with the scientific staff, including Dr. Ashwani Dahiya, Dr. Fateh Singh, Dr. Lalita Rani and Dr. Kavita, who briefed the CEO on the centre's ongoing activities, achievements and future plans for promoting sustainable agriculture in the region.

The CEO also visited the Regional Research Station (RRS), Uchani, Karnal. The Regional Director, Dr. Maha Singh, welcomed the CEO and apprised him of the research work being undertaken at the centre. Dr. Maha Singh emphasized that the scientific fraternity is working with full zeal to evolve new and improved varieties of major crops such as sugarcane, maize and rice, besides developing innovative cultivation practices to enhance productivity, resource-use efficiency and sustainability in agriculture. The CEO appreciated the dedicated efforts of the scientists and interacted with the research team regarding the ongoing projects and future research priorities for the benefit of farmers.