



The screenshot shows the Anusandhan website header with the logo "Anusandhan Indian Science and Technology Portal" and the motto "एक बटव नुकसान की ओर". The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column lists several international and national conferences, including the 12th International Conference on Microwaves Antenna Propaga.., International Conference on New and Renewable Energy Resour.., EMBO Conference On Micro & Metabolic Regulators In Plants.., International Conference on Forestry Food & Sustainable Agr.., Food Security Through Augmented Seed Supply Under Climate U.., National Conference On Emerging Trends in Agriculture & Foo.., National Seminar On Biodiversity Conservation & Farming Sys.., Fourth International Conference on Energy Systems & Develop.., International Conference on Forestry Food & Sustainable Agr.., and National Conference on Innovative Research in Computer Scie.. The right column is titled "News" and lists several articles: Land Sensing Satellite Data.., Inter-Planetary Mission.., ISRO Rover on Lunar Surface.., Delhi school-goers to click Earth's images with NASA's astr.., To defang desi dengue mosquitoes, India inks pact for Austr.., Diabetes: Tamil Nadu leads among 15 states.., TeamIndus launches Space on Wheels for kids.., IIT Bombay: Chennai and Mumbai have high wind energy potent.., and CSIO transfers technology for electronic knee to pvt firm.. A "More..." button is located at the bottom right of the news section.

Delhi school-goers to click Earth's images with NASA's astronauts

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As part of an international educational programme of NASA, nearly 800 students from across 65 schools in New Delhi and Punjab will get a chance of imaging the Earth from a unique perspective of space.

In the mission, programmed by Sally Ride EarthKAM (Earth Knowledge Acquired by Middle school students) and organised by New Delhi-based Science Popularisation Association of Communicators and Educators (SPACE) organisation, the students with the help of on-board Astronauts will access the digital camera mounted at a nadir pointing window in the International Space Station (ISS).

"This is a special opportunity for the school students to access the camera on board of ISS, like professional scientists and astronomers, the students can use the acquired data for their classroom purposes," Sachin Bahmba, Chairman and Managing Director, SPACE Group, said in a statement.

The programme -- from Tuesday till February 10 -- will be held in nine schools of Delhi-NCR and six schools of Punjab.

The students will be guided by SPACE educators to select locations of geographical and environmental interest, based on weather and orbit checking, and through a software interface submit requests which will be sent to ISS.

"Sally Ride EarthKAM is a fantastic way to engage students in subjects such as Earth Sciences, Space Science, Geography, Social Studies, Mathematics and Satellite Communications," Bahmba added.