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DELIVERED LECTURE CUM WORKSHOPS ON VERMICULTURE

1. Delivered an extension **Lecture on Vermiculture and its applications in agriculture** on 26 March 2011 organised by KVA DAV College for Women, Karnal.
2. Provide on -hand training to the students of lifesciences in a one day **workshop on Kitchen Waste Management and Vermicompost** on 29 September 2011 organised by KVA DAV College for Women, Karnal.
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