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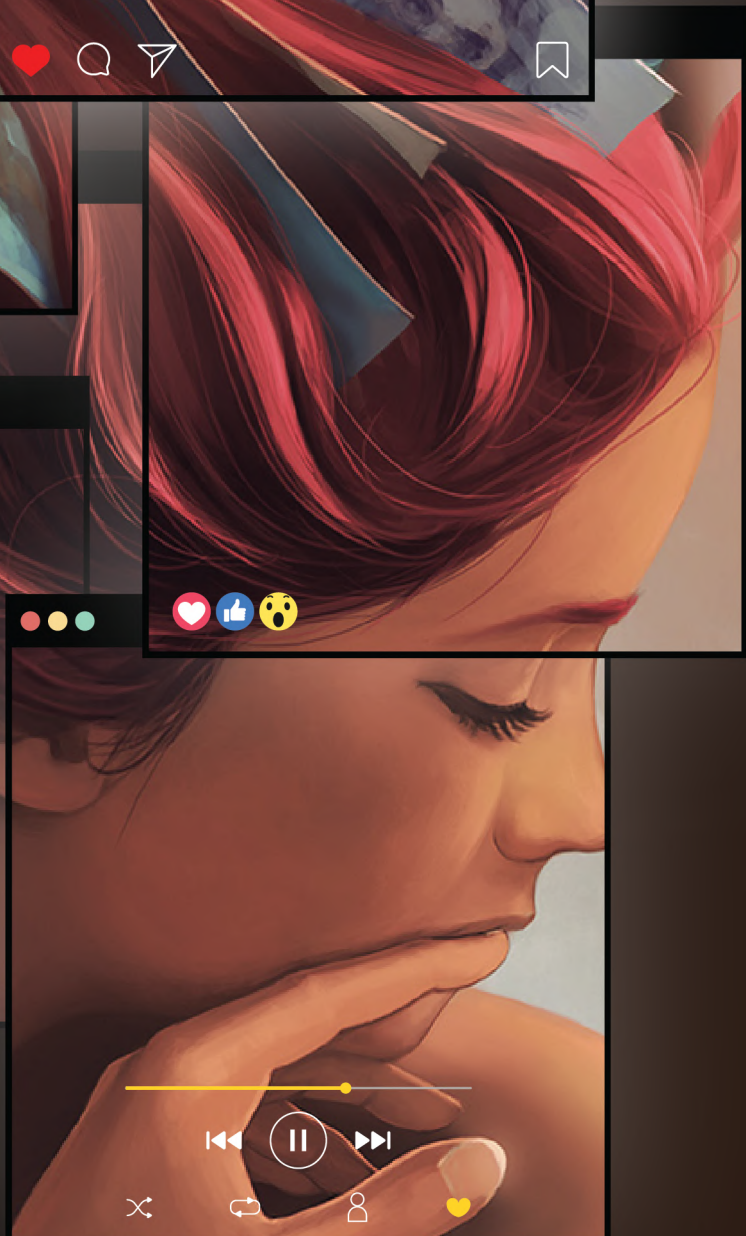
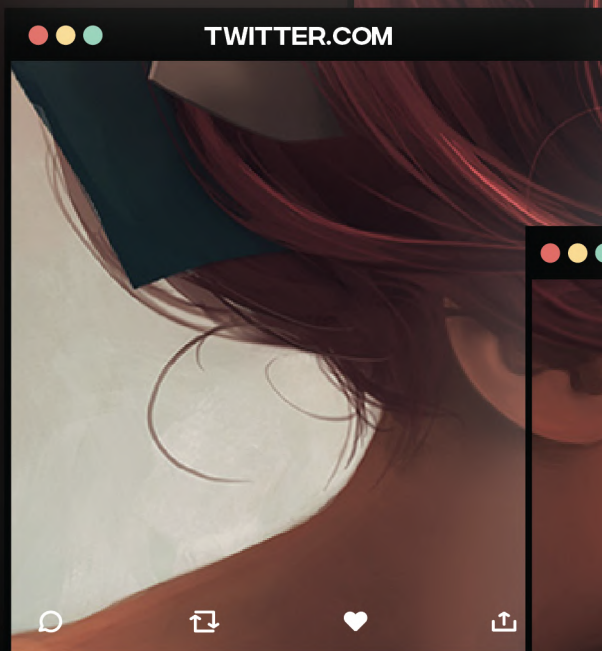
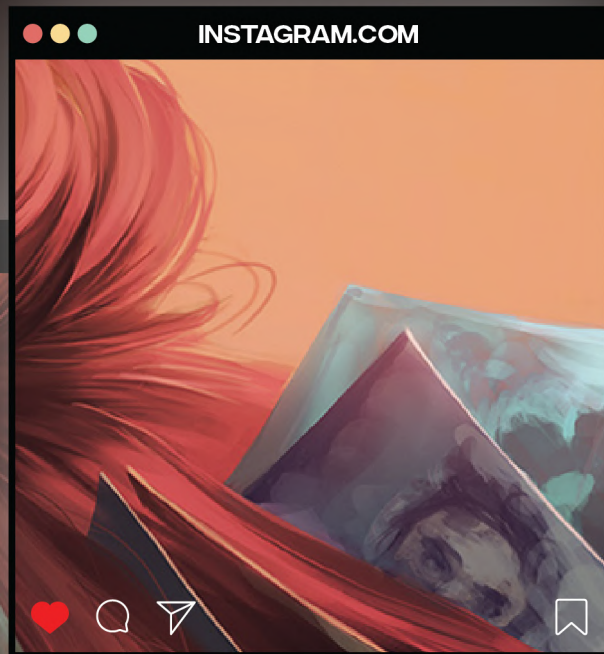
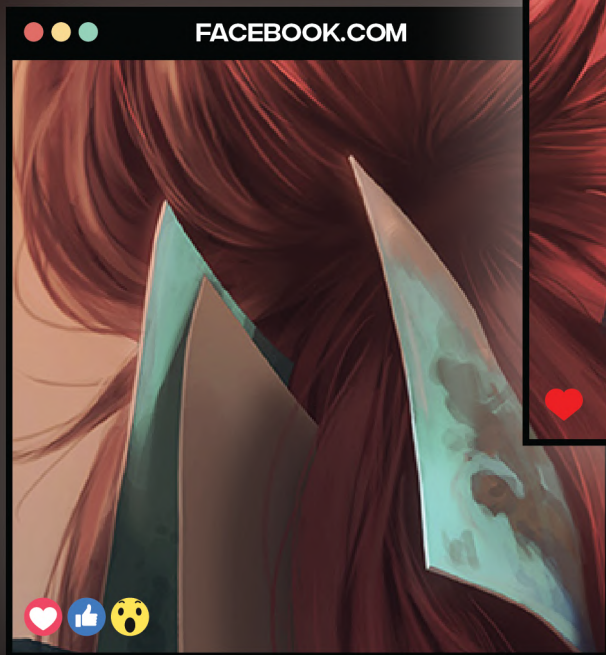
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The initial days when you enter college can get overwhelming, days when you don't know anyone around you and everything seems new. The world can feel alien and intimidating and you might struggle to find your place in it. But once you get the hang of it, coming to college will feel like coming home. To help you along this process, we bring to you NSUT Wrapped (in a cute little package that will help you understand the place you are going to spend the next four years at a little bit better.)

YOUR TOP SPOTS

NESCII

Lying down in these lawns on a lazy winter afternoon while a soft breeze blows on your face feels like getting a hug from nature. Head to NESCII for some much-needed serotonin release.

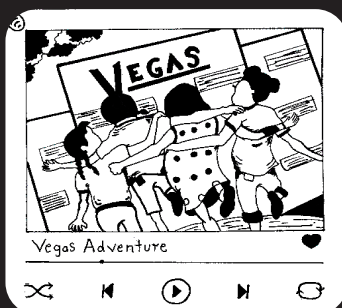


VEGAS MALL

When in doubt, go to Vegas (the mall, obviously)! This is the most happening place in Dwarka and also the place where NSUTians flock towards whenever they feel like spending time with their friends outside the campus.

CBT

On the small block connecting the ECE and COE blocks, the Connecting Block Terrace is the place where hoards of students assemble for a multitude of activities like debating, dancing or just chilling out. If you're on CBT, chances are that you'll bump into a DebSoc or Mirage member there.



APJ COMPLEX

Cross your fingers and hope that your classes are conducted here because this is one of the most beautiful places on campus. These classrooms will give you 'student of the year' vibes and make you feel like a college student for real. The charging point on every seat is just the cherry on top.



GURUJI BOOK DEPOT

This little bookstore located on the way to Dwarka Mor station is gonna be your go-to whenever you get tired of reading pdfs. You can rent books from here at a fraction of the price and even exchange them for other books when a new semester begins.

AMUL AND STUDENT CENTER

Located close to APJ and adjacent to each other, these are the only places you can go inside the college premises to answer the call of your tummy. Not to act like a salesperson for Amul (they didn't pay me, I promise) but the Hot Coffee is just the perfect drink to battle the winter chills and you NEED to try it out.



OTHER SPOTS

Admin block, North Gate, Chill Point, Library, Student Activity Centre and hostel are some of the other nooks in and around NSUT Campus that the students can usually be spotted. Since NSUT is going to be your home for the next four years, these spots are most likely going to be the places that you go to time and again, be it to chill or to study.

YOUR COLLEGE LIFELINES

Whenever you're in peril, your batchmates are going to be the first point of contact. Throw your ego and insecurities out of the window and just ask for help because these are the people who understand you the most. College is no place to be the lone wolf.

Your seniors have been where you currently are, they probably had to navigate the exact same waters that you are trudging through, so they are the perfect candidates to approach whenever you need guidance or feel overwhelmed and confused. Most seniors will be more than happy and willing to assist you and address your doubts whenever you feel lost. (Especially alliance seniors *wink wink*).

OUR RECOMMENDATIONS

There is no sure-shot formula that will get you through your college life. However; we would recommend you to follow (and chant) these mantras lest you completely lose your way:

EVERYTHING HAS CHANGED

You might feel that you have entered a whole new universe altogether, with the way of doing things so different from what you have known. But hang in there, it gets better. Our advice is to go out there and make friends. It won't be long before you start cherishing the days that you spend in college.

FIRST STEPS

Download the NSUTx app, made by the students of NSUT to save yourself the trouble of opening the IMS again and again. It is a one-stop solution to all your needs. You can view your attendance, syllabus, get previous year papers, look at notices put up on the IMS and even get reminders of your classes.

THE HEART WANTS WHAT IT WANTS

As it should. Your first year at college is when you have the most free time with a world full of opportunities at your feet. This is the perfect time to try out new things, be it debating, dancing, writing or singing. There is a society for almost everything in our college and you'll definitely find one or more where you fit in. (Refer to our article on societies in this edition)

I KNEW YOU WERE TROUBLE

Chant this mantra and be aware that low attendance can be your undoing. Having less than 75% attendance can get you into serious trouble so you should keep track of it and make sure it does not fall below the line of doom. Take care, dear fuccha, you have been warned.

MAINTAIN

Your GPA and your focus even in your first year. '12th pass karlo phir to mazze hain' is the and probably will ever biggest scam you have encounter. A good GPA can be the difference between getting internships and losing out on interviews, so make sure that you do not neglect your academics while trying to catch up on all the fun that you missed out on in the last couple of years. (We recommend maintaining an 8 or above GPA to keep yourself afloat).

NO FIXED DESTINATION

Just the fact that you have entered a technical institution does not fix your career and life path. You can choose between being in the technical or non-technical field, or try your hand at entrepreneurship. Extracurriculars or having managerial experience as a head of a society or an event go a long way in elevating your resume if you lean towards the non-technical side. Keep that in mind when you decide which societies to join (if any). If the tech industry is what you aspire to join, then we suggest you dip your feet into the world of coding and hackathons if you wish to gain an edge over others.

BALANCE

While we advise you to join all the societies that you strike your fancy, make sure not to have too much on your plate either. It is important to maintain an appropriate balance while juggling various societies, academics, and other activities unless you want all of them falling to pieces. The ideal path of action is to explore all you can in your first year and commit to what you know you love to do in your second year.

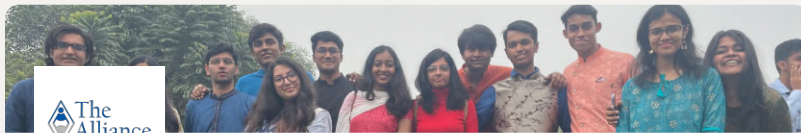
The Alliance in a nutshell

A reverse psychological process where you screen us first and then we recruit you!

By
Joy Mary



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Bachelors in wearing words on their sleeves, entrenchment of the creatively affluent tying the university together on glossy paper and electronic media since the last decade. Our bitmojis often party together, whenever we can't.

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Experience



The Team

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2010 - Present

Horizontally spread across 4 years on the campus' cartesian, luncheon-bound team that is responsible for heading the university's official newspaper (catering to East and West campus newbies as well) garnering a reach of over 10k+ through our social media platforms. Updating #LetsPromoteNSUT on all social media frequently to showcase student achievements and society accolades.



NSUT Times

The Alliance - NSUT's Newspaper

2010 - Present

Witness guest pieces and Artspectives from the student community as you leaf through the year in review, spanning research publications and interviews with competitive exam toppers and Masters & PhD admits to some of the top universities in the world.



Newsletters

The Alliance - NSUT's Newspaper

2020 - Present

33 editions old, we're acquainted with the #NSUTictionary, placement/research culture and the entourage queuing up the playlist for the Moksha, the annual fest. Copies of the same can be found on our website, of course including the one you've read this far now.

Nested in NSUT

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2020 - Present

From making it to the Forbes 30 under 30 list to UPSC top rankers, our podcast features interviews of some of the coolest alumni, ready to stream on all platforms.

Skills & endorsements

Writing & Designing

Aashna Jha and Muskan Sharma have given endorsements for this skill.

Even though all our work is extensively on Google docs, some of us might actually know how to delete a page on Word. In supplement, the ocular beauty of our work is unleashed via our designers' and caricaturists' ability to squeeze the most out of Adobe products.

Community & Journalism

The final-year senior interning at FAANG who you've spotted on LinkedIn? Do you want to know if they did any internships in the first year? They could mentor you while you go bookstore hopping with them, exhibits including Faqir Chand, or possibly anywhere in and around Delhi!

Podcasting

Aman Jindal and Shashank Singh have given endorsements for this skill.

The aux cord bridging eras between the sonic nooks of NSIT that were once recorded on camcorders to the 'NSUT on reels' generation, we're a factotum producing, editing and releasing the inspiring conversations that we have with our distinguished guests.

Most importantly, Warmth

 endorsed by 36 colleagues at The Alliance - NSUT's Newspaper

We're warmer than the winter sun. Take our word, we won't let you grieve the loss of college life, yet.

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The creation of our team and alumni who went on to work at Microsoft, JPMC, Sprinklr, Google, Salesforce, etc.

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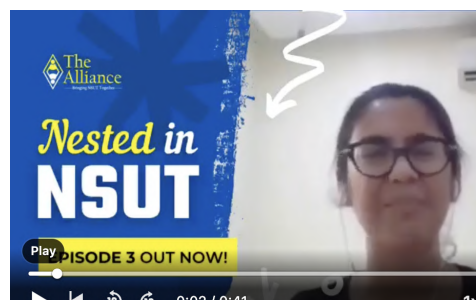
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We often feel trapped in a rat race where we try to outperform our peers as engineering students. In retrospect....

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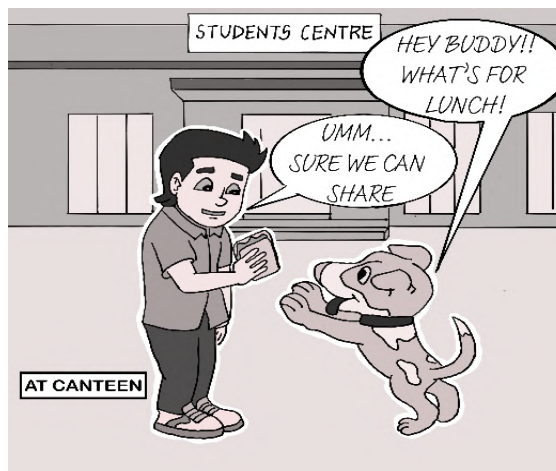
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 Since you'd want to know us better, go ahead and download one of our editions to *do in Rome as NSUTians do*. Gear up as we'll be recruiting across journalists, designers and caricaturists very soon!

WILDLIFE OF NSUT

By Arpit Juneja



NSUT GAMES

Written by Kruti Joshi

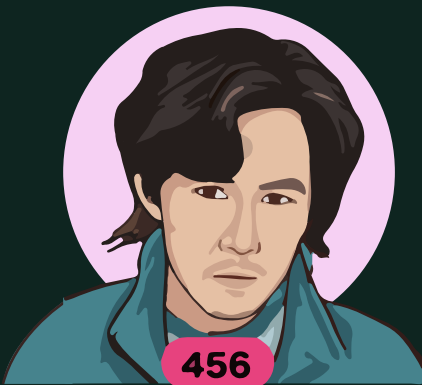
Hello there and welcome to the conveyor belt of emotions where fortunately you won't be greeted with a murderous head spinning doll (don't worry we aren't playing a gore game here) but instead the famous NSUT fountain and these strikingly familiar characters from squid games await you (I never mentioned it ain't gonna be hard, que **"The shape you have chosen is the shape you must piece out"**). Here are a few archetypical players that will accompany you in this razor sharp indictment of your college life:



Ali .

The kind and empathetic guy

The simpleton and naive JEE kid with dreams in their eyes and a never-ending compassionate smile on their face. Probably, the first person to befriend you in college and that one friend from first year that will stay by your side till the end of your life. Notes made by this person will see themselves being circulated around various class groups and their eleventh hour tutoring is what will get you through exams in college.



Song Gi-Hun .

The reckless charmer

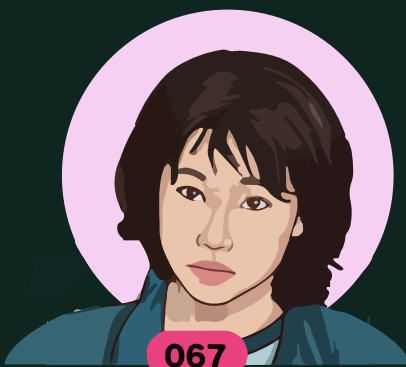
The one person who would most definitely get you in trouble with their ability of doing things based on emotions rather than logic. The supposedly slow witted person in the group but who will turn out to be the dark horse in times of trouble (despite the fact that it'll be them that will most likely be the reason for the said trouble). This person would also be the first one to announce class bunks and pranks in class but despite it all, would be the loyal friend that you dreamt of having in college.



Cho Sang-Woo .

The highly motivated go getter

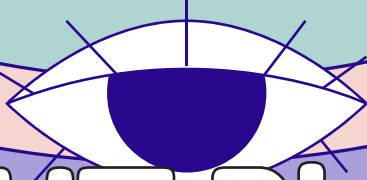
That one student who has already chalked out their life plans for the next ten years, from getting a 9 GPA in the first year to bagging the highest placement offer in college. Most likely to be found in libraries, these characters rival the population of peacocks in NSUT. (If you already didn't know, we are, after all, a college of achievers)



Kang Sae- Byeok .

The tough cookie

An introverted and closed off person in the beginning but if you manage to break through this hard exterior, you'll find the wisest and most courageous friend in this person. Preferring to sideline themselves from college drama you'll find them strolling through the hidden spots in college with a disdainful frown on their faces on encountering some very scant NSUT couples loitering the same spots.



NSUT Bingo

Made by Bhagya

marked proxy for your friend	refused to go to the washroom fearing the lizard that lurked inside	Spent most of your time on Zomato	forgot your room's keys and had to break the door lock	made yourself maggi in a kettle at midnight
fed up with ghar ka khaana	played a prank on your fellow hostel mates	taken a walk around the campus at 10 in the night	cried after seeing the day's menu in hostel	returned to hostel past curfew time
flexed about not having to do any chores to your hostel friends	had dreams about living in the DASA hostel	visited Witch's lane after sunset	compared metro distance with other day scholar friends	whined about having to reach home on time
scheduled all the work in one day to avoid coming another day	got food poisoning eating the food from mess	soaked in the afternoon sun in NESCII	gave treat from Amul to your friends on your birthday	heard disgusting stories about the food from SC
felt extremely jealous of your hostel friends	slept through the day's online classes	took pictures with your parents in front of the admin block	had class groups spammed the day exams got over	made Thuge party plans but ended up going to Vegas Mall again

REWARDS



For Row



For Column



For Full Grid

Societies



Managing academics and all the coding activities recommended by YouTube *bhaiyas* can be a taxing experience indeed. To act as an escape from this monotony and rekindle your interest with like-minded people, you have [societies](#): A group of [self-motivated](#) and [passion-driven people](#), who come together to form a club and explore a particular forte.

Person 1: *Hey, weren't you bored to death attending online college for months?*

Person 2: *If only I had the time to feel boredom. All the [societies](#) I'm a part of, ensured that meeting deadlines and attending all the meetings was a bigger headache for me than boredom itself.*

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The Alliance



One of the oldest societies of NSUT. This a place where creativity is celebrated, it is [The Official Newspaper Society of NSUT](#), though their domain exists far beyond the world of newspapers. A glance at their social media platforms will reveal how original they are in various fields of work, with their [journalists](#), [caricaturists](#) and [designers](#) donning multiple hats to cover everything from newsletters like the one you're reading right now to [poetry pieces](#), [blogs](#), [interviews](#) and even [podcasts](#) with notable alumni of our university. If you're a poet, writer, journalist, caricaturist or a graphic designer, this is the place to be.

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Ashwamedh



The Dramatics Society of NSUT, their hunger to showcase more drama in an already intense landscape has led people to recognise them by the iconic "[Jai Ashwamedh](#)" chants that easily reach any and every ear within a mile of their [perennially occupied NESCII lawns](#).

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Mirage



[Graceful movements](#) as a form of expression are not everyone's cup of tea. However, if you're one of those who do pride themselves on your dancing abilities, step up and join these [flawless](#) and [fabulous dancers](#).

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Prayas



With "[Education is not a privilege, it's a right](#)" being their motto, these are a bunch of goodwill ambassadors of the college with an aim to [mentor and help the underprivileged](#).

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Crescendo



Paraphrasing Shakespeare, if [music be the food of college life](#), [play on](#). And since you probably can't sing or play guitar (or any instrument for that matter) decently, let the Crescendo guys handle it for you.

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Junoon



The [photography club of NSUT](#). If it's an event and it has got NSUT associated with it, it's these people who get tasked with capturing these pristine moments on their DSLRs. Their biannual [Ethnic Day](#) event is a contender for one of the most enjoyable days you'll ever spend in your entire college life, skip these, and you'll regret it for years.

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DebSoc



It's [their voice that echoes through various auditoriums](#) of the Delhi Debating Circuit. Historically, they have sent delegations to The United States to participate in one of the pinnacle events of debating, i.e. the Harvard National MUN. Habitual winners, these people can be [always found celebrating an event victory, if not preparing for one](#).

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IGTS



Mathematics as a subject may not be to your liking, but staying aloof from its usage in the modern world would be blasphemous. These people at IGTS aim to alleviate just that by spreading awareness amongst the masses about the applications of Game Theory and Behavioural Economics in our daily life. All in all, their knowledge might help you become a better exponent of rational decision making.

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ARES Robotics



Inheriting their competitive spirit from the Greek god, whose name they borrowed, they're a bunch of robotics aficionados. If NASA's launching of martian rovers gives you a serious adrenaline rush and working hands-on on a real-life project intrigues you, their garage will welcome you with both its arms spread.

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The NSUT Quiz Club



Well, not to cut our work, but the name pretty much sums it up here. A budding curiosity to know something more about everything might not propel you to the top of the academic charts but will surely fetch you a place in this esteemed society.

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Enactus



These are the most unselfishly selfish guys on campus. Their brand of entrepreneurship with a social twist has resulted in the upliftment of some of our city's most underprivileged as well as their own CVs. Placement in dream company, check.

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