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Area Of Assessment	Max. Points	Points Obtained	Remarks
1.Ability to handle activity	4		
2.Practical Knowledge Gained	4		
3.Attitude,co-operation with team mates and management	4		
4.Applicability of activity	4		
5.Writing Reports	4		

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## **Objectives of the Activity**

- Raise Awareness on Digital Payment Systems: This objective focused on educating community members about various digital payment options such as UPI, mobile wallets, internet banking, and card-based transactions. By highlighting the convenience, speed, and security of cashless transactions, the activity aimed to foster a better understanding of how digital payments contribute to modern financial inclusion and ease of transactions.
- **Promote Safe and Secure Digital Transactions:** Participants were informed about essential security practices while using digital payment platforms. This involved educating them on protecting personal data, creating strong passwords, recognizing phishing scams, and avoiding fraudulent activities.
- Encourage the Use of Cashless Transactions: The activity sought to encourage people to gradually transition from cash-based transactions to digital payments for daily needs. Emphasis was placed on the benefits of cashless systems like transparency, reduced risk of theft, and ease of record-keeping.
- Reduce Reliance on Physical Currency: A major goal was to raise awareness about the challenges posed by physical currency, especially during emergencies like pandemics. Participants were encouraged to adopt digital alternatives to minimize physical contact and manage finances more efficiently.
- Foster Community Involvement in Digital Literacy: This objective aimed to motivate individuals to assist others in understanding and adopting digital payment systems. The collective effort of community members was seen as key to achieving the broader goal of financial inclusion and a digitally empowered society..
- Create Digital Transaction Ambassadors: The activity sought to inspire participants to become advocates for digital payments within their communities. By adopting safe digital payment habits and promoting these to others, participants were encouraged to contribute to creating a digitally literate and financially secure community.
- Promote Awareness on Government Digital Payment Initiatives: In addition to general digital literacy, this activity highlighted government-supported initiatives such as BHIM, RuPay cards, and the Digital India campaign. This objective aimed to instil awareness about the role of digital payments in national development and economic growth.
- Demonstrate the Role of Digital Payments in Emergency Situations: Another key objective was to illustrate how digital transactions can be crucial during emergencies such as natural disasters or pandemics. The activity highlighted the importance of contactless, remote, and fast financial transactions in maintaining public safety and uninterrupted access to essential services.
- Encourage Small Businesses and Vendors to Adopt Digital Payments: The program aimed to educate small shopkeepers, vendors, and service providers about the ease and benefits of accepting digital payments.

## **Description of the Activity**

The **Digital Payments Awareness Program** was organized as a community-based initiative in Hiriadka. This activity involved a series of educational sessions, practical demonstrations, and interactive discussions on essential digital payment topics. The program was designed to engage participants in both theoretical knowledge and hands-on activities to promote long-term behavioral changes in financial management.

#### **Module 1: Importance of Digital Payments**

• Overview: The session began with an introduction to the objectives of digital financial systems, highlighting their role in convenience, financial security, and promoting cashless economies. Participants learned about the direct relationship between digital transactions and reduced financial fraud, improved transaction records, and ease of access.

#### Key Points:

- Emphasis was placed on using digital payments for personal and business transactions, online shopping, utility bill payments, and travel bookings, alongside the significance of shifting towards a cashless economy.
- **Interactive Session:** Participants engaged in open discussions on how they could adopt digital payment methods and encourage others in their communities to do the same.

#### **Module 2: Digital Payment Methods and Security Practices**

• Overview: This module focused on familiarizing participants with different digital payment modes and essential security tips. Participants were educated on using UPI, mobile wallets, internet banking, and card-based systems.

#### • Key Points:

- A live demonstration showcased step-by-step usage of popular digital payment apps and platforms. Participants were encouraged to practice these methods with the support of trained volunteers.
- **Interactive Session:** Participants engaged in open discussions on how they could adopt digital payment methods and encourage others in their communities to do the same.
- **Interactive Session:** The concept of 'Digital Transaction Ambassadors' was introduced, urging participants to take active roles in educating others and addressing doubts about digital transactions.

## **Geo-Tagged Photos**



## **Conclusion**

The **Digital Payments Awareness Program** successfully achieved its primary objective of educating participants about the critical importance of adopting and promoting digital payment systems. Through engaging sessions and practical demonstrations, participants not only gained valuable knowledge on how to use digital payment platforms securely but also developed a deeper understanding of how these practices positively impact financial security, convenience, and national economic growth.

Additionally, the program fostered a strong sense of community responsibility and collective action. Participants were not only motivated to implement digital payment methods in their daily lives but were also inspired to take active roles as digital transaction ambassadors within their local neighborhoods. The group activities and discussions helped build a shared commitment toward achieving the broader goals of the **Digital India initiative**.

By empowering individuals with the knowledge and tools needed to sustain these practices, this program laid the foundation for long-term financial literacy and inclusion. The participants left with a clear sense of purpose and determination to contribute to a cashless, secure, and digitally connected future for their communities. As a result, the program's success has paved the way for continued efforts and future initiatives aimed at enhancing public awareness and engagement in digital payment systems.

In conclusion, this program reaffirmed the belief that introducing digital literacy at an early age is a powerful step toward empowering communities, nurturing informed citizens, and preparing students for the demands of a digitally driven world.