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World Meteorological Day – 2025

The World Meteorological Day (WMD) is being celebrated every year on 23rd March with a focal theme chosen by the World Meteorological Organisation (MWO). This year, the focal theme chosen by the WMO is "Closing the early warning gap together". Regional Meteorological Centre (RMC), India Meteorological Department (IMD), Chennai celebrated the WMD-2025 on 24th March 2025.

A special programme on the theme of the WMD-2025 was held at RMC Chennai on 24.03.3035/15:00 hrs IST. **Dr. M. Sai Kumar, IAS,** Additional Chief Secretary & Commissioner of Revenue Administration, Govt. of Tamilnadu presided over the function and delivered the keynote address.

Open House & a Meteorological Exhibition was held at RMC (Nungambakkam) campus IMD on 24.03.2025 during 10:30-17:00 hrs IST. Open House was also held at the Meteorological Observatory, Meenambakkam campus and at the Doppler Weather Radar station at the Port Trust building, Chennai-1 for the benefit of students and the public. About 200 students visited the RMC Chennai on 24.03.2025.

PROGRAMME

Time	Details	Speaker
15.00 – 15.05 IST	Invocation	
15.05 – 15.15 IST	Welcome Address & Introduction of Theme of WMD-2025	Dr. B. Amudha, Scientist – F & Head (Additional Charge), RMC Chennai
15.15 -15.20 IST	Honouring the Chief Guest Dr. M. Sai Kumar, IAS Additional Chief Secretary & Commissioner of Revenue Administration Govt of Tamilnadu	Shri. P.S.Kannan, Scientist-F, RMC Chennai
15.20 – 15.30 IST	Message from WMO Secretary General – Video Video on the theme of WMD 2025	
15.30 – 15.40 IST	IMD Theme Song (Tamil) IMD Activities - Video	
15.40– 16.00 IST	Keynote Address by the Chief Guest	Dr. M. Sai Kumar, IAS Additional Chief Secretary & Commissioner of Revenue Administration Govt of Tamilnadu
16.00 – 16.05 IST	Vote of Thanks	Dr.B.Geetha , Scientist –D, Research Section, RMC Chennai
16.05 – 16.10 IST	National Anthem	
16.10 IST onwards	High Tea	































