

IIT Gandhinagar to host exhibition of products made by villagers

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Ahmedabad: The Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar will host an exhibition of products made by participants of an ongoing Vocational Skills Training Program (VSTP), to mark the celebrations of World Youth Skills Day on Friday. The participants who belong to neighbouring villages of IITGn have

made products such as wooden stools, benches, three-tier metal stands, metal folding cots, grill sections, extension boards, photo frames, laptop tables, grain storage tins, industrial trays, machine tools, gears and parts, etc.

The event will be attended by managing director of GIDC, D Thara on July 15. The VSTP is a two-month long vocational skills train-

ing course at IITGn that begun in last week of May and has 25 participants.

The participants are taught trades such as carpentry, fitting, wiring, plumbing, tin-smithy, machining and welding. In addition to vocational skills, the programme also includes modules on business skills, soft skills as well as field visit to local industries.