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Students' short film wins laurels

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Mysore: `The Missed Class,' a short film shot by four students of Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatha Institute of Management Development has bagged the first prize in the National Social Harmony Film Contest held at the Xavier Institute of Management, Bhubaneswar.

It also won the second place in the short film making competition organized by the Mareechika – Mudra Institute of Communications, Ahmedabad, best movie in the Dual Thought's statelevel short film competition and second position in short film (B-school category) in IMT Nagpur.



CREATIVE MINDS: Omkar, Ashwin, Himanshu and Varun

According to Omkar Rajyaguru, Varun Kumar, Himanshu Singh Gurjar and Ashwin S Prasad, their aim was to

recapture the spirit of Gandhian principles. Himanshu, a 1st year PGDM student, is an expert in video making and video editing. Omkar, who is from Gujarat, has acted in Gujarati plays. When they came to know of the short film competition, they involved Varun Kumar and Ashwin S Prasad and started working on the movie. According to Omkar, the theme of the competition was social harmony.

The 8-minute film revolves around a father and a son. The father who respects Gandhi and his principles, but doesn't follow it. But the 8-year-old son who does not have any idea of Gandhian principles, but follows it.