MURGAON EDUCATION SOCIETY'S COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE ZUARINAGAR-GOA

(ESTABLISHED-1972)

AFFILIATED TO GOA UNIVERSITY

ACCREDITED BY NATIONAL ASSESSMENT & ACCREDITATION COUNCIL (NAAC) WITH B GRADE(3²⁰ CYCLE)

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT 2018-19

I. STUDENTS ADMITTED DURING THEACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19

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Program Name	Semester	Number of students	Total number
		enrolled	of students
			enrolled
B.Com.	I and II	278	767
	III and IV	249	
	V and VI	240	
B.A. (English, Sociology,	I and II	155	408
Economics, Konkani, Psychology,	III and IV	136	
Political Science, Tourism &	V and VI	117	
Travel)			
B.B.A.	F.Y.B.B.A.	44	128
	S.Y.B.B.A.	44	
	T.Y.B.B.A.	40	
B.B.A. (Shipping & Logistics)	F.Y.B.B.A. (S & L)	18	57
	S.Y.B.B.A. (S & L)	29	
	T.Y.B.B.A. (S & L)	10	
B.C.A.	F.Y.B.C.A.	37	141
	S.Y.B.C.A.	49	
	T.Y.B.C.A.	55	
M.Com.	Part I	22	37
	Part II	15	
M.A. English	Part II	07	07
Ph.D (Economics)		01	01
Ph.D (Sociology)		01	01
TOTAL			1547

II. RESULTS FOR THE YEAR 2017-18

Class	No. Of Students Appeared	No. Of Students Passed	Percentage
B.A.	110	95	86.36
B.COM.	285	223	78.24
B.C.A.	26	22	84.61
B.B.A.	44	43	97.73
B.B.A	15	15	100
(SHIPPING			
&			
LOGISTICS)			
M.Com.	26	25	96.15

III. <u>ACTIVITIES OF THE ASSOCIATION</u>

A) COLLEGE COUNCIL

College Council Election

The College Council began with the election on 16th August 2018, to the post of General Secretary, Ladies representative, Secretaries of various Associations and Class representatives

Mr Pankaj Naik of M.Com. was elected as General Secretary, Ms. Rashee Yadav from SYBA was elected as Ladies Representative, Mr. Shubham Sawant as Secretary of Association of Art and Culture, Mr. Abhishek Thakur as Literary Secretary, Mr. Akash Tomar as Debating Secretary and Mr. Sanjay Rathod as Sports Secretary. Besides CRs were also elected and in few cases nominated, in every division of all classes of B.A, B.Com, B.C.A., B.B.A and B.B.A (Shipping and Logistic), M.Com and M.A.

Teachers Day Celebration

On 5th September 2018 the teacher's day was celebrated in the MS commerce seminar hall which was very systematically organised by the elected student members of the College Council along with other students of the college. The programme on the occasion of "Teachers Day Celebration' included variety entertainment programmes for the teachers solely organised by the students.

Inauguration of College Council

The newly constituted college Council for the academic year 2018-19 was inaugurated on 7thSeptember 2018 at the hands of the Chief Guest, Dr. M.R.K. Prasad, Principal, V. M. Salgaonkar College of Law, Miramar, Panaji, Goa.

All elected members of the Council were felicitated by the chief guest followed by pinning of the badges and they were administered oath on this occasion.

Talent Search Programme

The Talent Search program was organised on 8th October 2018, to exhibit student skill and talents.

Participation in Carol singing competition

The students of our college participated in the inter-collegiate Carol singing competition organised by Government College of Commerce, Borda, Margao-Goa on 18th December 2018 under the guidance of Prof. Karun Cherian and Prof. Effigiena Miranda.

Annual Fun Week

The annual fun week was held by the student members of the college council from 20th December to 22nd December 2018 under the able guidance of the committee members namely Dr. Cosma Fernandes (Event Coordinator) and well-coordinated and monitored by Ms. Shruti B. Nayak, Mr. Karun Cherian, Ms. Efigenia Miranda, Mr. Selton Times, Ms. Savina Rebello, Ms. Michelle D' Mello, Mr. Bhagwan Morje, Mr. Rajesh Tanksal and Ms. Raisa Cardozo. The event included competitions like Solo Singing, Mr and Ms MES, Group Dance, Mute Beat, Solo Dance, Duet Singing, Carol Singing, Fashion Show, Crib Making, Flag Designing, Star Making etc.

B) DEBATING ASSOCIATION

1. OPINE 2018 QUALIFIERS: The 2nd edition of OPINE kicked off with the qualifiers being conducted on 4th September, 2018. Opine is an inter-stream public speaking

event initiated from the academic year 2018-19 by the Debate club of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce, under its Debating Association cell. The qualifiers were conducted to select the best 5 teams to be representing their respective streams in the finals of Opine 2018. A total of 20 teams participated in the qualifiers. Each team comprised of 2 participants. The teams competed across 5 events that tested different skill-sets required for effective public speaking. The final are to be conducted in the month of December.

- 2. Debate workshop/competition: AKASH TOMAR (TYBCA) & ABHISHEK THAKUR (TYBA) attended the 9th 'D.B. BANDHODKAR FESTIVAL ART & AWARENESS 2018' held on 25th September 2018. They won the 3rd place.
- 3. 3rd Edition of IDEAS UNLEASHED: THE INTERNATIONAL CENTRE GOA, invited entries for its 3rd edition of IDEAS UNLEASHED (essay competition). The topic for the essay was 'ACHIEVING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: CHALLENGES FOR GOA'. The debating association has sent 5 entries to represent M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce at Ideas Unleashed 2018. The results are yet to be declared.

The following students are the participants:

RIYA BHANDWAL (SYBCOM)

BHARVI KHARANGATE (SYBCOM)

PAWAN GORANTLA (SYBBA)

RABIYA SHEIKH (SYBCOM)

SHANIA CLEMENTINA BRAGANZA (SYBCOM)

- 4. VIGILANCE AWARENESS QUIZ: The directorate of Vigilance organized a quiz on 2nd November 2018. The quiz was based on General Knowledge. Two students participated, namely PAWAN GORANTLA (SYBBA) & RAJATH NAIR (SYBBA).
- 5. GALF -2018: International Centre Goa hoist a Literature and Arts festival annually and invites students from Colleges and HSS's to have the unique opportunity of interacting with emerging Authors from around the world. The debate club deputed 10 students to attend this event.

The following students are the participants:

- 1. Asif Shaikh
- 2. Aditya Prasad
- 3. Hemanshi Arlekar

- 4. Hasna Shaikh
- 5. Akash Tomar
- 6. Vijeyta Kumari
- 7. Sakhina Begum
- 8. Nathan Dias -
- 9. Riya Bhandwal
- 10. Franco Roberts

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C) WOMEN CELL JYOTI

The women's cell of MES college of Arts and Commerce had organized several activities for the girl students of MES College, for their skill and personality development for the Academic Year 2018-19.

The first activity namely Marathi Drama for 'Pause' was organized by JCI Verna Tattva which was held on 07th September 2018 at Ravindra Bhavan, Baina, Vasco-Goa. The aim of this was to reach younger generation with the message of hormonal imbalance caused among women during Menopause. Our four girl students of T.Y. and a committee member participated in this activity.

Women's cell also organized garland making competition on 11th September 2018 on the eve Ganesh Chaturthi for the girl students in the college premises. The theme for the day was using eco-friendly items. There were nine teams constituting 40 students. The participants of the group were given names of prominent historical women personality. The first place was bagged by Indira Gandhi group, second place was taken by Pratibha Patil group and the third place was acquired by Kiran Bedi group.

The third activity namely "DREAM CATCHER MAKING" was oragnised by Rotary club of Vasco Port Town on 09th October 2018 from 01:00 pm to 03:30 pm in the college premises. There were 19 participants in the workshop. This workshop helped the student to use their innovative and creative ideas to enhance their skills.





The following activities were also conducted during "Ladies Week" which was held from 20th Dec'2018 to 22nd Dec'2018. On 20th Dec'2018, vegetable carving and hair-style making competition was conducted; arm wrestling and cooking without fire competition was conducted on 21st Dec'2018; followed by wall hanging art of waste materials and shoe painting competition on 22nd Dec'2018.





D) CAREER GUIDANCE CELL

A talk on Topic "Career Opportunities for the students of B.A/B.COM semester VI" was organized on 6th December 2018 by the Chairperson Career Guidance Mrs. CHAMPA RAMKRISHNA PARAB, and Committee Members Mrs Cedila Gomes and Assistant Prof Rajesh Shetgaonkar. The Resource Person Prof. B.V. KOLEKAR addressed students on different career opportunities available to B.COM/B.A. after completion of their graduation.



Resource Person Prof B.V. Kolekar Seen With The Students And The Committee Members. Resource Person: Founder and Managing Director of Maxceell Institute of Professional Studies Shri Shyam Manavat and Ms Kanan Tandi.

A presentation on CURRENT EDUCATION AND JOB MARKETS SCENARIO IN INDIA was made on 18/12/2018 by Founder and Managing Director of Maxceell Institute of Professional Studies Shri Shyam Manavat and Ms Kanan Nandi spoke on career in Body Language and shared her experience on the occasion.

E) RESEARCH CELL

Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights



The Research Cell of M. E. S. College of Arts & Commerce organized a workshop for its faculty and post-graduate students on, "Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/Avoiding plagiarism and Use of MS Word in academic writing" on 16 October, 2018

to foster a spirit of ethical research and critical thinking. Dr. V. Gopakumar, Librarian, Goa University and certified Mendeley Advisor was the resource person for the workshop. The workshop led the participants through the ethics of academic writing which largely involves citing the sources and carefully acknowledging the same. Alongside plagiarism, the resource person introduced the Medeley software which is a reference management software and researcher network, enabling research work to be organized in a single place.

F) GENDER CHAMPION CELL

'PURPLE CAMPAIGN - A Workshop on Gender Sensitisation'

The Gender Champion Cell and Dept. of Sociology of MES College of Arts & Commerce in collaboration with Dept. of Women's Studies, Goa University organized 'PURPLE CAMPAIGN – A Workshop on Gender Sensitisation' on 08 September, 2018 for the final year students of the college. The half-day workshop was interspersed with creative games, role-plays, screenings and thought-provoking activities which brought to light the gender disparity and discrimination in various places and levels.

The team comprising of students in their second year of postgraduation were accompanied by members of the faculty, Dr. Mamta Kumari and Ms. Sulochana Pednekar from the Dept. of Women's Studies. Around 60 students attended the workshop and received certificates from the department of Women's Studies for their participation in PURPLE CAMPAIGN.

Workshop on Gender Roles



The Gender Champion Cell organized a workshop on Gender Roles for the students of the college on 17 December, 2018. Ms. Kavipriya Moorthy, Chennai-based author, TEDx speaker, Poet and blogger and Mr. Sri Sudharshan, an MBA graduate with 13 years of experience in BPM, IT sales and marketing, an avid blogger were the resource persons. The duo discussed roles of gender in everyday life and in the industry.

G) PLACEMENT CELL

The Placement Cell under the chairmanship of Asst. Prof. Cedila Pereira e Gomes and it's members, Asst. Prof. Shweta Naik and Asst. Prof. Rajesh Tanskali started on a positive note.

The following placements were conducted during the first half of the academic year 2018-19.

S.No	Name of The Company	No of Students Appeared	No. of Students Selected
1.	HQ Hotel	04	01
2.	Parinati Solutions	03	01
3.	Magson's Superstores	01	01
4.	Twf Flour	13	01
5	Titan Time Product	01	01
	Total	23	05

1) PLACEMENT BY HOTEL HQ:

4 students appeared for the interview conducted by this hotel based in Vasco, out of which **one student** was selected for the post of data entry.

2) PLACEMENT BY PARINATI SOLUTIONS:

3 students appeared for the interview conducted by this IT Company, out of which **one student** was selected for the post of technical recruiter.

3) PLACEMENT BY MAGSON'S SUPERSTORES:

One student appeared for the interview for the post of cashier by this enterprise in Zuarinagar and was selected.

4)PLACEMENT BY TWF FLOUR:

TWF is a technology driven flour company, trying to revitalize flours with traditional nutritional profile. 13 students appeared for the interview conducted by this enterprise for the post of an intern in Business Development and **one was selected** for the said post.

5)TITAN TIME PRODUCT:

One student appeared for the interview by this industrial estate in Verna for the post of trainee accountant and was selected.

6) VEDANTA LIMITED PVT. LTD:

For the purpose of recruitment of the present final year B.COM students for the post of trainees, this company in collaboration with the Placement Cell of the Goa University, requested the data of students to be filled in the prescribed format with requirement of first class throughout their academic career. The Placement Cell of the college provided the data of 27 students who qualified for the said post.

TRAINING MODULE CONDUCTED:

The **Placement Cell** in collaboration with **Divergent Alliance** conducted a training module for the final year students titled "**Smarter than Smart**" which was held from the 26th -28th of September 2018 inorder to equip the students with the skills required for gainful employment. '**Presentation Skills'**, '**How to face an interview with confidence'**, '**Group Discussion'** & '**Resume writing'** were some of the topics covered during the training session. The course methodology involved role play, group discussion, activities, case studies, audios/ visuals etc. The resource person for the training session was Ms. Neelam Kalangutkar, a Corporate Behavioural Trainer with over 10 years of experience as a Human Resource Professionalin the field of Learning and Development (*CIPLA* Ltd., Verna and Hotel Vivenda, Calangute). A nominal fee was charged for the training module and the students were awarded certificates on completion of the course. There was an enthusiastic participation of 74 students for the said course. Earlier Asst. Prof. Ms. Cedila Gomes introduced the resource person





H) COUNSELLING CELL

The Counselling Cell of M.E.S College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar organized an interactive session for the students of the college on 27th August 2018 on the following topic 'Enhancing Mental Health among Adolescents'. Dr. Ravi Agrawal and Mr. Samir Walavalkar, who are working actively in the field of mental health were the resource persons for the session. Dr. Ravi Agrawal, a consultant psychiatrist at Manipal Hospital-Panjim, R.G Stone Hospital-Porvorim & V.M Salgaonkar Hospital-Vasco discussed in length the 'Problems faced by adolescents' while Mr. Samir Walavalkar, a psychotherapist, counsellor and leadership trainer shared with the students the essence of 'Building resilience in Adolescents'. Dr Ravi Agarwal stressed on the vulnerability of young people to mental problems. He emphasized that enhancing resilience through cultivating the right attitude, learning life skills and indulging in a hobby would help in overcoming mental health problems among the youth.

Mr. Samir Walavalkar highlighted the fact that being aware of our problems was the key to enhance resilience in young people. According to him, negative emotions are harmful when we cannot control the intensity, frequency and duration with which we express these emotions. He also felt that the four tips such being aware of one 's feelings, accepting them, analyzing them and applying them appropriately were the key to healthy relationships. The session was attended by an enthusiastic number of students. Asst Prof. Cedila Gomes and Ms. Shweta Matonkar, members of the Counselling Cell along with with Dr. Freda Cota e Pereira and Ms. Swiszel Fernandes were the faculty who also present for the session.

I) VALUE EDUCATION CELL

Education does not mean developing only the intellectual qualities of the mind, but it is also committed to developing the qualities of the heart.

The Value Education Cell of the College tries its best to inculcate right Values among the College Community.

In September 2018, The Art of Living conducted a Value Education Session, highlighting the purpose of life. The modern generation is a technology obsessed generation, running after name, fame and fast money. Happiness can be achieved through simplicity and it is not external, but internal.

In December 2018, The Students Islamic Organisation of India conducted a talk on Human Dignity in December 2018. The speaker Mr Asif Hussain asserted that in this world of illusion of choice and independence, one has absolutely no choice regarding one's birth, family, choice of siblings, choice of death, etc. We owe our existence to the Almighty and the happiness could be attained by doing good deeds to others.

The Value Education Cell, chaired by Dr Sandhya N Bhandare, assisted by Michelle D'Mello will organize a two-hour insightful program on Psychoanalysis in the month of February 2019.

J) ASSOCIATION OF ART & CULTURE

The Association of Art & Culture for the academic year 2018-19 is headed by shri. Sandeep M. Kadam and the members, Shri. Satyawan Naik, Shri. Gorak Sirsat, Ms.Elezabeth, Smt. Gouri Dessai, Shri. Veeraj Mahatme and Shri. Shubham Sawant (Cultural Secretary). The Association conducted several meetings on various occasion and carried out the following activities.

On the occasion of international Youth Day (IYD) 2018, the Goa state AIDS control Society had organized a poster competition on the theme youth and HIV/AIDS on 12th August 2018. We received three posters. Out of these, the best poster was selected from BBA section, which was made by Shri Sairaj R. Naik. The poster was sent for the above competition.

Mormugao Yuva Manch had organized a state level cultural event 'Yuvotsav' on 26th August 2018 at Ravindra Bhavan Baina. Three of our students participated in solo Singing and comedy show competition. Mast. Julius Mesquita won third place in comedy show.

Rotract Club of Narayan Zantye College of Commerce, Bicholim Goa had organized an All Goa inter-collegiate Ghumat Arti Competition on 04/09/18. Our College team comprising of ten students which was lead by the Cultural Secretary, participated in the event.

A team comprising of 10 Students of our college participated in the Ghumat Arti competition 'Ghumat Samvaad' organized by Dnyanprasarak mandal's College and research Centre, Assagao On 7th September 2018.

The Association of Art and Culture organized an inter-class 'Ghumat Arti' and 'Makhar making' competition on 11/09/18. Seven teams participated for the Ghumat Arti Competition, which was held at M S Kamat Seminar Hall and 5 teams participated for the Makhar making competition. In the Ghumat Aarti competition the 1st prize of Rs. 1500/- and

Rolling Trophy was won by Mast. Anand Borat & team, 2nd prize of Rs. 1000/- was won by Ms. Vanshika Morajkar & team and 3rd prize of Rs. 700/- was won by Mast. Bhavesh Mistri & team. In the Makhar Making competition 1st prize of Rs. 700/- and Rolling Trophy was won by 'D' Warriors group, 2nd prize of Rs. 600/- was won by Wakratunda group and 3rd prize of Rs. 500/- was won by Maushi Boys. Shri. Santosh Tuyekar and Shri. Raj Madgaonkar were the Judges for Ghumat Aarti competition while Shri. Gajanan Desai and Shri. Narayan Mahale were the judges for Makhar Making competition.

The Goa Medical College Students association, Bambolim, Goa, had organized an annual inter-collegiate Cultural and sports event 'Plexus 2018' on 4th and 5th of October 2018. 77 students from our college participated for the same. The Dance team of our college won 3rd prize in the dance competition.

With reference to circular from Directorate of Higher Education the association of Art and Culture had organized inter class poster competition on the topic 'Portray Gandhi' depicting the values of Mahatma Gandhi. This competition was organized as a part of the yearlong celebrations of 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. The competition was held in the Board Room of M.E.S College on 11December 2018 from 11-30 a.m. to 1-00 p.m. Total 08 students participated in this Competition. The first prize of Rs.300 was bagged by Mr. Abhijeet Naik (Bcom Sem II), Second prize of Rs.200 was won by Ms. Valanka D'Cruz(B.A. Sem II) and Third Prize of Rs.100 was won by Ms. Roopa Adgal (Bcom Sem VI). The judges for the competition were Prof. Avinash Pereira and Prof. Narayan Mahale.

A team comprising of 11 students from our college participated in "1st All Goa Christmas Carol Singing Competition" on 18/12/2018 organised by Student Council of Govt. College of Commerce & Economics, Borda, Margao.

K) NATURES CLUB

Nature Club in collaboration with FERC (Foundation for Environment Research and Conservation) organised a talk on the topic "Conversation for Change".





Students, teachers and community members seen taking the oath on say no to use of plastic straw and single use plastic . 14 Nature Club students made posters on the theme "say no to use of straws". Our students participated in the "No Straw" Sticker design competition organized by FERC. Sticker done by Mr. Nikhil Khajnekar and Mr. Tukaram Shetye of BCOM semester V, Ms. Bharavi Kharangate of BCOM semester III and Ms. Sunanda Biradar of BCOM semester I were adjudged as best stickers. The best stickers after little bit modification were distributed among students to stick a hotels, restaurants and shops.



Sticker designed by Mr. Nikhil Khajnekar and Mr. Tukaram Shetye



Sticker designed by Ms. Bharavi Kharangate



Sticker designed Ms. Sunanda Biradar

12 nature club students participated in the "The Straw Sucks Selfie" campaign. Wherein they pasted the stickers promoting no use of straws at various hotels, restaurants and shopswhich are located around MES College neighbourhood.



Ms. Megha Gawas in selfie with sticker after persuading the owner of Dhanlaxmi Hotel

Nature Club in collaboration with NSS unit of MES College undertook "Beat Plastic Pollution" rally on 25/09/2018 in the neighbourhood of MES College. 117 students participated in the rally. The students also used various educative placards during the process of the rally further supported with appropriate slogans. 66 placards were made as a part of this rally.

Students in rally on "Beat Plastic Pollution"



Students sensitising fruit seller on ill effects of plastic

Nature Club in collaboration with NSS unit of MES College undertook "Beat Plastic Pollution" awareness drive on 25/09/2018 in the neighbourhood of MES College. Nature Club members as well as NSS volunteers participated in the awareness drive The students in groups visited stores, hotels, kiosks and also fruit and vegetable sellers. They sensitised the owners and employees of these establishments on the ill effects of using plastic and suggested them various ways to avoid use of plastic items. Most of the owners of these establishments happily cooperated with the students, minutely listened to them and also gave their feedback.



Students sensitising employee of hotel



Student sensitising bakery owner

Our students Mr. Aravind Sharma of BA semester V and Mr. Ravi Krishna of B.COM Semester I represented college in quiz competition on Wild life organised by Dy. Conservator of Forests, Wildlife & Eco-tourism (North) Division on 05/10/2018 at Goa Science Centre, Miramar, Panaji-Goa.

Nature Club in collaboration with Foundation for Environment Research and Conservation (FERC) started a unique initiative called "Kasturi". It is series of talks on the issues "concerning you and me" which will be conducted on the first Wednesday of every month. The series in started in memory of late Dr. Kasturi Desai who herself was an environmentalist and researcher. The talks are open to public.

i) The first series of Kasturi talk was organized on 05/09/2018. The Guest Speaker for the talk was Dr. Narayan Desai and Chief Guest was Shri. Umaji Chowgule. Dr. Narayan Desai spoke on the topic "Our **People Our World –The role of youth in the society".**



Dr. Narayan Desai addressing the gathering



Shri. Umaji Chowgule addressing the gathering

ii) Second series of Kasturi talk was organised on 03/10/2018. The Guest Speakerwas Ms. Puja Mitra (Founder Terra Conscious). She spoke on the topic **Enabling Collaborative** Action For Responsible Travel In Goa.



Ms. Puja Mitra addressing the gathering

iii) Third series of Kasturi was an interview. It was held on 01/11/2018. The topic of the interview was "Working Towards a Zero Waste Goa". The interviewee was Shri. Sanjit Rodrigues (Managing Director –Goa Waste Management Corporation)



Shri. Sanjit Rodrigues being interviewed by Shri. Parag Rangnekar

iv) Fourth series of Kasturi talk was organised on 05/12/2018. The topic of the talk was **Sustainable Architecture In Six (Not So Easy) Steps".** The Guest Speaker for the talk was Shri. Arch. Rajiv D'Silva (Director Studio 15,73) and special invitee was Shri. Raj Bhandare.



Shri. Raj Bhandare addressing the gathering

v) Fifth series of Kasturi talk was held on 04/01/2019. The topic of the talk was **Exploring Wild India: Journey of the Butterfly Man**. The Guest Speaker was Shri. Isaac Kehimkar (Director, India nature watch foundation).



Shri. Issac Kehimkar addressing the gathering

MES College has collaborated with Goa Waste Management Corporation for Dry waste Management which is getting generated on campus.

L) INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

The IQAC organized a National Seminar on 'Quality Enhancement and Assurance in Higher Education Institutions in the context of the Revised NAAC Assessment and Accreditation Framework' on 9th April 2018. Dr. Siddalinga Swamy, (Coordinator, Quality Assurance Cell, Department of Collegiate Education, Bengaluru) was the Chief Guest and keynote speaker for the inaugural function. Prof. Manikrao Salunkhe, Honourable Vice chancellor, Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University, Pune was the Chief Guest for the valedictory function The resource persons for the seminar were Prof. Pranab Mukhopadhyay, (Director, IQAC, Goa University).Dr. Shirish Chindhade (NAAC Assessor and Former Principal, M.U. College, Pimpri, Pune) and Prof. V.R. Shirgurkar (NAAC Assessor and Former Principal, Parvatibai Chowgule College, Margao, Goa). 103 participants from 16 local colleges and 6 outstation colleges (Maharashtra and Karnataka) participated in this seminar.

As per the decision taken by the IQAC, the process of internal academic audit has been initiated during this academic year with the objective of improving the quality of teaching-learning-evaluation. The college appointed external subject experts for this purpose. The

teachers maintained the documents in their respective course files pertaining to teaching plan and compliance of teaching plan, question papers of intra-semester assessment and semesterend examinations, students' cumulative attendance and analysis of students' feedback. The documents were presented for every paper taught for both semesters for the academic year 2017-18. The external subject experts examined these documents thoroughly and gave their valuable suggestions on the checklist forms. The process of internal academic audit was conducted from 26th April 2018 to 3rd May 2018.

The first IQAC meeting for the academic year 2018-19 was held on 24th October 2018. The IQAC coordinator highlighted the criterion-wise measures undertaken in the first quarter of the academic year. Plans for the next semester were also discussed. There will be three more meetings in January 2019, March 2019 and May 2019 respectively.

Dr. Meenakshi Bawa attended and made a presentation on one of the best practices of our institution, namely, the 'Go Green' initiative at the National Seminar on 'Best Practices of the Institutions of Higher Education' organized by Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts and Science (Autonomous) on 20th December 2018.

IV. NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)



NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar celebrates International Yoga Day

NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar celebrated International Yoga Day on 21st June 2018 at 7:30 am in the seminar hall in the college premises. Ms. Moura from Isha Foundation, an NGO committed towards the propagation of Yoga trained the NSS Volunteers about the various techniques of Yoga which can be adopted in the day to day life to make body and mind healthy. The Yoga session concluded at 08:30 am in the morning. The training program was attended by a total of 32 NSS Volunteers and NSS Program Officer In charge Mr.

Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar, NSS Program Officers Ms. Freeda Cota, Mr. Narendra Gaonkar, Mr. Shelton Gomes, Mr. Karun Cherian, Ms. Raisa Cardozo. NSS Program Officer In charge Mr. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar welcomed the session and the vote of thanks was proposed by the NSS Program Officer Ms. Freeda Cota.

2. NSS unit of MES College participated in rally in Panaji-Goa



NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar-Goa participated in the rally organized by the NSS Cell-Goa University. A group of 55 NSS Volunteers accompanied by the NSS P.O. In Charge Mr. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar participated in the rally in Panaji city. The rally was flagged off by the director of Sports and Youth Affairs Shri. V. M. Prabhudesai at 10:15 am on 21st June 2018 at Miramar junction in Panaji city. A total of 1100 students and NSS Volunteers from various parts of Goa participated in the rally. The rally concluded at 11:15 am near Mahavir Garden in Panaji city.

3. NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar celebrates Anti- Narcotics week



The NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar celebrated Anti-Narcotics week. To commemorate the same an awareness program was organized by the NSS Unit in the college seminar hall on Saturday 30th June 2018 at 2:30 pm. Deputy Superintendent of Police Ms. Sunita Sawant was the chief speaker for the program. Ms. Sawant explained the college students and NSS Volunteers about the ways and situations as a result of which youth succumbs to the peer pressure and start consuming psychotropic and narcotic drugs. The other resource person was Mr. Ninad Deulkar, Police Inspector, Verna Police station who explained how the youth in Goa has fallen prey to the drug lobby and the means and ways to come out of the same. Police Sub Inspector Ms. Priyanka Naik gave a presentation about the various dimensions of narcotic and psychotropic drugs and its medical and moral consequences.

An elaborate documentary was shown to students explaining about the real life situation of youth becoming victim of drug addiction.

The gathering was welcomed by the NSS Chief Program Officer Assistant Professor Dattaprasad Shirgurkar and vote of thanks was proposed by the NSS Program Officer Assistant Professor Karun Cherian. The program was also attended by the Police Sub-Inspector Mr. Sushant Sangodkar (Birla Outpost), Police Sub-Inspector Mr. Raghoba Kamat and other staff members of police stations from Murgaon Taluka.

From MES College, NSS Program Officer Assistant Professor Ms. Freeda Cota and NSS Program Officer Assistant Professor Ms. Raisa Cardozo were present to make the program smooth and convenient. A total of 128 NSS Volunteers (84 girls and 44 boys) attended the program.

4. NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar inaugurates NSS Activities for academic year 2018-19



NSS Unit of MES College, Zuarinagar inaugurated its NSS activities for the academic year 2018-19 on 5th July 2018 in the college seminar hall. Dr. Snehal P. Naik Goltekar was the chief guest for the function. The function started with the welcome address by Principal Dr. R. B. Patil, who stressed that with the changing socio-economic scenario the role of NSS is gradually changing and youth should incorporate such changes. The inaugural was done with the lighting of holy lamp by the dignitaries.

Chief guest Dr. Goltekar, who is an Additional Director- Vigilance pointed that the nation is going through a tough phase because of corruption, pollution and crime. Therefore the youth should play a role of the agents of positive social change. Similarly, NSS Chief Program officer Mr. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar stressed that everyone owes a credit to society and NSS is an opportunity to pay back the credit to society.

The vote of thanks was presented by Vice Principal Dr. Rekha Gaonkar. The other people who were present during the function were NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar. A total of 129 NSS Volunteers including 79 girls and 50 boys were present for the function. The compeering was done by NSS Program officer Prof. Freeda Cota.

Two outstanding NSS Volunteers attend National Integration camp: Two Outstanding NSS Volunteer selected for the National Integration camp held at Youth Hostel Mapusa Goa. Outstanding NSS volunteer of MES College, Nitin Shukla and Sarvesh Mayekar attended the National Integration Camp in Youth Hostel Mapusa from 21st to 28th July 2018. They were among the 20 selected volunteers among all the colleges and higher secondary schools of Goa.





NSS Unit of MES College organized a blood donation camp in collaboration with the JCI Dabolim and Goa Medical College on Monday, 23rd July 2018. A total of 101 students and NSS volunteers donated the blood. The program started with an inaugural function. NSS Chief Program Officer Prof. Dattaprasad Shirgurkar welcomed the gathering. The chief guest for the inaugural function was Mr. Siddhesh Bhagat, Sarpanch of Aquem-Baixo Village Panchayat, who congratulated the NSS Unit for organizing such a noble activity. Dr. R. B. Patil, the principal of MES College stressed on the importance of blood donation. Mr. Pushpesh Prabhu, member of JCI-Dabolim compeered the programme.

A team from Blood Bank of Goa Medical College, Bambolim Goa led by Dr. Clare D' Mello carried out the whole process of blood donation in a streamlined manner. The other dignitaries who were present were Mr. Manjunath Koppal, the president of JCI-Dabolim, Mr. Mahesh Bhandari, ex-president of JCI-Dabolim and Mr. Ganesh Lamani, member of JCI. The program was supervised by the NSS Program Officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program Officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program Officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar, NSS Program Officer Prof. Selton Gomes, NSS Program Officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo and NSS Program Officer Prof. Freeda Cota.

6. NSS Unit of MES College organized tree plantation program:



The NSS Unit of MES College in collaboration of Lions Club of Vasco organized a tree plantation program on 26th July 2018 in the college campus. Mr. Simon D' Souza, ex-MLA of Vasco was the chief guest for the program. As many as 23 student NSS volunteers participated along with Principal Dr. R. B. Patil and the NSS Chief Program officers Prof. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar. The other people who were present during the function were NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program

officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and NSS Program officer Prof. Selton Gomes. Mr. Ryan Menezes, President of Lins club Vasco, Mr. Daji Salkar, ex-Chairperson MMC along with the 8 members of Lions club graced the program.

7. NSS Volunteers collected the financial aid for Kerala Flood Victims:



The NSS Volunteer of MES College Zuarinagar collected 19000/- from the public donation for the Kerala flood victims. The same was later deposited in the Chief Ministers Relief Fund. Beyond the NSS volunteers NSS Chief Program officers Prof. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar, NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and NSS Program officer Prof. Selton Gomes were present for the same.

8. NSS Unit of MES College distributed cloth bags to create Swach Bharat Awareness:



The NSS Programme Officer Narendra Gaonkar along with team of 38 NSS Volunteers visited Adopted Village 'Zari' on 11th Aug 2018 with a motive of creating Swachata Awareness among the villagers and the shop keepers in the locality. The villagers were distributed with the cloth bags prepared by the NSS Volunteers. The both shop keepers and the family members of the households visited were happy to receive the cloth bags from the NSS Volunteers. The NSS Volunteers sensitized the villagers about the importance of using

cloth bags in the today's time. The villagers were informed about the ill-effects of using plastic in daily life. An attempt was made to educate the villagers that how the 1.1 lakh kilos of plastic that is being produced in small state like Goa is detrimental to its citizens and environment. The locals were told about the healthy hygienic habits and were appealed to maintain their surroundings clean which would further help in keeping the entire village in ensuring cleanliness.

9. Cleaning of Monuments to commemorate Swach Bharat Pakhwada:



Under the swachh Bharat pakhwada the NSS volunteers of MES College were provided with various events to offer their social service. One of such event was the cleanliness drive at Saint Andrews Church Vasco on 13th August 2018. Around 11 volunteers from Arts stream participated in this drive. They cleaned the church compound by making it plastic free and also remove the other trash/litter. They began their work by 2 p.m and wound it up by 5 p.m. The volunteers were provided with the garbage bags for collecting the trash and gloves for hygiene reasons.

10. Cleaning of Vasco Railway Station as a part of Swachata Pakhwada:



38 NSS volunteers with the NSS P.O. Bhiku Bhave cleaned the Railway Station premises of Vasco Railway station. As many as 9 bags of plastic were collected during this activity. 160 cloth bags were distributed.

11. Screening of movie on the life of Mahatma Gandhi:



A movie on the life of Mahatma Gandhi was screened for the NSS Volunters of MES College so that they derive inspiration from same. A total of 124 volunteers watched the movie. Beyond the NSS volunteers NSS Chief Program officers Prof. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar, NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and NSS Program officer Prof. Selton Gomes were present for the same.

12. Shramadan in the college campus on Gandhi Jayanti:



NSS volunteers cleaned the college campus on the eve of Gandhi Jayanti. Volunteers removed the plastic and similar nnon-biodegradable waste from the campus. Leafs, bushes and grass was cleaned. Beyond the NSS volunteers NSS Chief Program officers Prof. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar, NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer

Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and NSS Program officer Prof. Selton Gomes were present for the same.

13. **Door to door Swachata Awareness:**



To commemorate Gandhi Jayanti the NSS volunteers of MES College went to the adopted village Zari and visited 52 houses with an intention to create awareness about open defecation, construction of toilet, cleanliness, health and hygiene. Beyond the NSS volunteers NSS Chief Program officers Prof. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar, NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and NSS Program officer Prof. Selton Gomes were present for the same.

14. Anti plastic drive to commemorate Gandhi Jayanti :



The NSS volunteers carried out an intensive anti-plastic drive near the college campus in Vidyanagar area. The roads connecting the college from all the directions were cleaned and

made free from plastic. A total of 61 volunteers were present for the same. Beyond the NSS volunteers NSS Chief Program officers Prof. Dattaprasad D. Shirgurkar, NSS Program officer Prof. Bhiku Bhave, NSS Program officer Prof. Raisa Cardozo, NSS Program officer Prof. Karun Cherian, NSS Program officer Prof. Narendra Gaonkar and NSS Program officer Prof. Selton Gomes were present for the same.

15. Visit to an old age home



The NSS unit conducted a visit to an old age home situated at Bogmalo Vasco on 3rd October 2018. The NSS volunteers volunteered to do service to the home by cleaning the entire campus of the old age home after which from about 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. day interacted with the inmates and involved involve them in singing and and conversations with the inmates. About 20 students volunteer in campus cleaning activity and also interacting with the aged inmates. This activity started at 3 p.m. and ended by 5 p.m. on 3rd October 2018.

NSS Volunteers seen cleaning the premises of Old Age Home.



16. <u>Outstanding NSS Volunteer attended the National Adventure camp:</u> An outstanding NSS volunteer of MES College, Achari Vignesh Subramani attended the National Adventure Camp in Manali from 28th Oct to 6th Nov 2018. He was among

the 20 selected volunteers among all the colleges and higher secondary schools of

Goa.

17. Outstanding NSS Volunteer attended the National Integration camp: An

outstanding NSS volunteer of MES College, Shameer Ibrahim E.P. attended the

National Integration Camp in Kerala from 16th Dec to 21st Dec 2018. He was among

the 20 selected volunteers among all the colleges and higher secondary schools of

Goa.

1. ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARMENTS

1. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Report on Orientation of CA Course and CS Programme (CPT).

Date: 25th June 2018

The Commerce Association for the academic year 2018-2019 had organised orientation for

Chartered Accountancy Course and Company Secretary Foundation Programme for the first

year B.Com students. The Aim of this orientation was to encourage students to prepare for

the competitive exam of CA and CS. The orientation was held on 25th June 2018 at 12.30

p.m. in MS Kamat Seminar Hall. The students had represented themselves in large number.

The chief Guest and the resource person for the orientation were CA Shri. Manjunath Hegde

and Ms. Garima Vasudeva, Member of ICSI, CS. The orientation began with the welcome

address by head, Department of Commerce. Prof. Ms. Rochana Kharangate.

The first session of the orientation was the orientation of CA Course. The orientation was

delivered by CA Manjunath Hegde, wherein he spoke about the importance of CA course for

the commerce students and how they have to go about in preparing themselves for the

competitive exam. He also shared the mantra that hard work, commitment and strong

dedication is the only key to crack the CA exam. The second session of the orientation was

handled by the Ms. Garima Vasudeva, Member of ICSI, CS.

Ms. Garima Vasudeva appealed to the students on the importance of CS programme. He also

oriented students on the various aspects of CS programme and how they have to prepare for

the exam. Lastly the vote of thanks was proposed by the co-ordinator of Commerce

Association Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar.

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1. Report on Bridge course

Date: 25th June to 30th June 2018

The Department of Commerce conducted annual Bridge course for students who opted for streams other than commerce at plus two level. The course was conducted from 25th June to 30th June 2018. The resource persons for the course were Asst. Prof. Swati Shigaonkar and Asst. Prof. Narendra Gaonkar. The sessions during the course covered the concepts of Book Keeping, Introduction to Commerce, Accounting, Difference between accounting and Book Keeping, Branches of Accounting, systems of accounting, golden rules of accounting, accounting concepts and conventions, process of recording transactions, primary books and subsidiary books. The students were acquainted with various terms in commerce. The objective of the course was to analyse their level of understanding of the subject before the start of the curriculum and bridge the gap by enhancing their knowledge and bring them on par with students from commerce background. The course gave particular focus on Book Keeping, Rules of Accounting and Journal entries. The course was successfully concluded on the scheduled date.



2. Report on Orientation on CMA Course

Date: 26th June 2018

The Commerce Association 2018-19 organised an orientation on CMA Course for the B.Com students. It was held on 26th June 2018 at 12.30 p.m. in MS Kamat Seminar Hall. The Chief Guest and resource person for the orientation was CMA Shri Rammohan Menon. The welcome address of the orientation programme was done by the Co-ordinator of Commerce Association . Further the introduction of the Chief Guest Shri Rammohan Menon was done by Prof. Ms. Rochana Kharangate. Shri Rammohan Menon , urged students to opt for the course as there is lot of market recognition for the course. Shri Menon discussed the positives of pursuing CMA programme. The event concluded with the vote of thanks by Asst. Prof. Narendra gaonkar.



3. Report on Orientation on TYBCOM project :Date: 1st July 2017

The Commerce Department had organised orientation of project paper for T.Y.B.COM students on 1st July 2017 in MS Kamat Seminar Hall at 12.30 p.m. The orientation was conducted with the objective of providing insights of preparing for the project paper at the

University Exams. The resource person for the orientation was Dr.Harip Khanapuri from S.S.Dempo College of Commerce and Economics, Cujira-Bambolim.

The resource person discussed on the prescribed guidelines of Goa University for project paper. He also discussed in detail the research methodology, bibliography and other requirements of project. The session was followed by a question-answer round among the audience. The orientation aimed at addressing the queries of project study that would result into further quest for learning.



4. Report of Inaugural Function of Commerce Association 2018-19

Date: 19th July 2018

Department of Commerce of M.E.S. College held inaugural function of Commerce association for the academic year 2018-19 in the hands of Shri. Krishna Salkar who was invited as chief guest for the function. Function commenced with the welcome address of H.O.D of Commerce Dept. Ms. Rochana Kharangate. She highlighted the importance of commerce association in the inclusive growth and development of commerce students. She informed the gathering about the different activities conducted by commerce association for

first year, second year and third year students, she welcomed all the guest, teachers and Students for the function. Further the introduction of the chief guest was given by Ms. Merin Varghese, President of commerce association 2018-19.

Traditional lamp was lighted in the hands of the chief guest to symbolize the traditional culture among the students and teachers of M.E.S College. All the co-opted members were felicitated with the flower and a batch in the presence of chief guest and Vice Principal. In keynote address of the chief guest he emphasised on the overall development of the students with help of all other extra-curricular activities organised by the department of commerce. He also promised to extend the helping hand for the students for any kind of help needed. Vice-Principal Dr. Rekha Gaonkar in her Presidential remark congratulated the department of Commerce for inaugurating the commerce association the academic year 2018-19. She appreciated the entire department for conducting number of activities for the entire year. She said the department of commerce is the biggest department in the college not only in terms of students and faculty members in the department but also in terms of number of activities conducted by the department.

Mr. Mahabaleshwar Pednekar, Vice- President of the commerce association proposed the voteof thanks. He congratulated all the co-opted members and Dept. of Commerce. Special thank was given to Photography Secretary Mr. Rajat Narvekar for capturing all the moments. The programme ended with National Anthem.



5. REPORT ON INFOTAINMENT COMPETITION

Dated on; 24 August 2018

Commerce Association of MES College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar Vasco Goa, had organised Infotainment competition for the students of FYBcom. The competition started with warm welcome address by Prof. Seltan Gomes. There were total seven teams participated from all five divisions of FYBcom.

Each team selected the topic made available to them by organisers. Some of the topics were Life of students in college, Alcohol & Drug Abuse, Social Media a boon or a bane, Importance of traffic rules in our life etc. Every team shared various issues regarding the topics.

In the presidential address of the Principal R.B. Patil said, the opportunities like these competition gives the platform for the students to participate in co-curricular activities and develop their overall personality. The Judges for the competition were Prof. Bhiku Bhave & Prof. William Desouza. The prize distribution ceremony was in the hands of the Principal. The programme concluded with the vote of thanks by Ms. Merin Varghese, President of commerce association.



6. INTER H.S.S.C BUSINESS QUIZ COMPETITION

Date: 1st September 2018

The commerce department of M.E.S college of Arts and commerce, Zuarinagar, Vasco, Goa had organised an inter H.S.S.C business quiz competition for all the higher secondary schools in Mormugao Taluka on 1st September 2018. The competition started with the

welcome speech by the co-opted member. There were total 5 teams from five Higher secondaries from Mormugao participated and each teams were given the names as Samsung, Nokia, Oppo, Vivo, and Lenovo respectively. The Quiz master's were Ms. Bharavi Kharangate and Mr. Abdul Shameer. The first round was Question and Answer round .The second round was an audio visual round .The third round was buzzer round and fourth and final round was the rapid fire round.

Valedictory function was held in the presence of Principal Dr. R.B. Patil as chief Guest for the function. The welcome address was delivered by the president of commerce association Ms Merin Varghese and the students and teachers of Higher secondary school gave their valuable feedback. In the presidential address by Dr. R. B Patil, Principal said that these types of curricular activities should be adopted by the students for their better growth and knowledge of the students. The winners of Inter H.S.S C Quiz Competition 2018-19 were M.E.S Higher Secondary School, Zuarinagar Vasco Goa and Runner up were Kendriya Vidyalaya 1 School, Vasco Goa. The prize distribution was in the hands of Principal. And the gathering concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by Mr Mahableshwar Pednekar , Vice President of commerce association.



7. REPORT ON FINANCIAL LITERACY & AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Date: 05th October 2018

Department of Commerce organised Financial Literacy and Awareness Programme on Friday, 05th October 2018 in MS. Kamat Seminar Hall. The Guest Speaker for this programme was Mr. Rajendra D. Dalvi (Financial Educational Trainer) appointed by SEBI. The programme began with the welcome address and introduction of guest speaker by Prof. Ms. Rochana Kharangate (H.O.D Commerce Dept.). Students of PG level as well as UG level were present for this financial literacy programme. The guest speaker Mr. Rajendra D. Dalvi pulled the attention of the students towards various investments and saving options available to every individual. He further insisted students to save money at very young age to get better returns in the future. The programme concluded with vote of thanks proposed by Asst. Prof. Ms. Jamina D'souza.



8. Report on Certificate Course in MS EXCEL in Accounting & Taxation.

Date: 21st October to 04th November 2018

Department of Commerce of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce had organised a short term certificate course on MS Excel in Accounting and Taxation. It was a 2 credit (30 Hours) Course held from 21st October to 04th November. CA D Shravan Swarup, a practicing CA was the faculty for this course. Total 35 students enrolled for this course out of which 32 were T.Y.B.COM and 3 were S.Y.B.COM students. The objective of organising this course

was to give practical knowledge about MS Excel and calculation of various taxes including GST in MS Excel to the students which has been basic need at the entry level in the job market. The performance of the participants in the examination held at the end of the course was good.



9. Report on Study Tour 2018-19

The Department of Commerce set on its journey for Study tour 2018-19 on 21st November 2018 with emphasis on experiential learning and to enable learners to explore new territories, cultures,

and

people.

The study tour for academic year 2018-19 was a practical experience with specific learning goals. The Day one of the tour involved the travelling. The 35 students with five faculty members ventured out for enhancing their knowledge horizon on 9 Days Short Trip. The first half of day two also followed the travelling. We arrived at Ernakulam Railway Station at Cochin on the second Day of the trip and checked in hotel. The day began with a visit to the SPICE BOARD, Sugandha Bhavan, Ernakulam. The students were given the details of the spice business in India and also discussed about the Export of Indian Spices to the foreign countries. The students were taken to LULU Mall Asia's largest mall at the evening wherein we learnt about different brands and business available in the mall.

The Day-IV started with a visit to Wonder La (Water Theme Park). We spent 5 hours to see different rides, waterslides and other amenities at wonder aAt 4.30 p.m we proceeded to the Munnar Hill station for night stay.

The Day-IV was meant for visit to Ervikulam National Park. There students learnt biodiversity of Munnar which is a heaven in itself. We saw wild animals and different flowers including NEELAKURINKJI flowers in the park. Evening time was meant to visit to Muttupatty Dam and Echo point.

The Day V was meant for visit to the TATA TEA MUSEUM and Shopping of different items like tea, coffee, spices, chocolates etc. In Tata Tea Museum the Students were briefed about different varieties of tea such as green tea, strong tea, white tea etc. different steps to manufacture tea was highlighted by the industry expert. Then we were taken to the tea manufacturing unit to show how tea production takes place and what are the different machines and other inputs required to produce tea. On the way to Kanyakumari we visited Cheeyappara Waterfalls. It was 9 hours night journey to kanykumari

The Day-VI early morning we visited sunrise point to see the sunrise at 6.15 a.m. after having breakfast we visited Swami Vivekananda Rock and Temple by boat. There some of our students set for medication in a special room for medication. Evening after watching the sunset at sunset point students were allowed to go for shopping in local market at kanykumari.

The Day- VII early morning we proceeded towards Trivandrum. We checked in to the hotel and immediately visited to visit the ZOO. Students excitement was high to see different types of birds,animals,snakes etc. we also payed visit to the india's richest temple (Sri Padmanabaswamy temple)

The tour had reached at its end on 8th day and the students arrived back in Goa at Madgaon Railway Station by Netravati Express on 29th November 2018.





Associate Professor Mrs Rochana V. Kharangate (HOD Commerce Dept.)

- Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.
- Convenor for state level seminar on the topic 'Factors Influencing Investment
 Opportunities in India' organized by PG Department of Commerce of M.E.S.
 College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar-Goa. On 11th December 2018.
- Introduced the short term course of 2 credits (30 Hours) namely MS Excel in Accounting & Taxation for Commerce Students for academic year 2018-19

Associate Professor Shri. B. V. Kolekar

 Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.

Associate Professor Ms Champa R Parab

Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.

Associate Professor Mrs Sanchiliana Faria

Sanchiliana Faria was on two years UGC leave for Faculty Development Programme at Goa University for pursuing P.h.D from November 2016 to November 2018.

Papers Published

- **1.** Purse-seine Fishing in Goa: A Cost Benefit Analysis (2018), Published in International Journal of Emerging Technologies and Innovative Research, Vol. No. 5, Issue 5, May, 2018, pp. 632-640, ISSN No.2349-5162, Peer Reviewed Referred and UGC Listed Journal No. 48296.
- **2.** Analysis of Capital Investments, Costs and Profits of Trawling Fishing Business in Goa (2018), Published in International Journal of Movement Education and Social Science, Vol. No.7, Special Issue 3, August, 2018, pp. 106-114, ISSN No.2278-0793, Peer Reviewed Referred and UGC Listed Journal No. 41683.
- **3.** An Analysis of Costs and Profits of Motorized Fishing Business in Goa (2018), Published in International Multidisciplinary Journal, Ajanta, Vol. No. VII, Issue III, July to September, 2018, pp. 7-14, Peer Reviewed Referred and UGC Listed Journal No. 40776.

Associate Professor Shri. Ashish M Joshi (On Study Leave)

Associate Professor Mrs. Savia Mendes

Associate Professor Shri. Sanjeev Shirodkar

- ➤ Co-ordinator for NSS Cell under Goa University for academic year 2017-18.
- Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.

Assistant Professor Mrs. Swati Shigaonker

- ➤ Took charge as caretaker of Girls Army NCC wing from the Academic year 2018-19.
- ➤ Published a paper at an International Conference on Digital Economy and Its Impact on Business & Industry on 3rd October 2018 organised by VP. Institute of Management Studies & Research, Sangli. The paper was titled "

- Success of Digitalisation in Tourism Industry In India".journal ISSN: 2456-6470.
- ➤ Presented paper at the 1st India- Greater Mekong Sub- Region International Conference (1st IGMSIC) 2018 on the theme "Emerging trends in Social Sciences and Management organised by Fr. Agnel College of Arts & Commerce, Pilar Goa in collaboration with Mae Fah Luang University as copartner along with FATER Academy of India from 15th to 17th November 2018.
- Attended Refresher Course in Commerce, Economics & Management at Guru Jambheshwar University on Science & technology, Hisar Haryana from 26th November 2018 to 15th December 2018.
- ➤ Participated in one day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic writing/ avoiding plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic writing organised by the Research Cell of MES College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa on 16th October 2018.
- Completed a UGC sponsored Short term course in Gender Sensitization at Human Resource Development Centre, Goa University from 19th March to 25th March 2019

Assistant Professor Ms. Shveta Desai

- ▶ Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.
- Completed the UGC sponsored Refresher Course in Commerce, Economics & Management at Guru Jambheshwar University on Science & technology, Hisar Haryana from 26th November 2018 to 15th December 2018.
- ➤ Published a paper in international conference on comtemprary issues in Business Innovation, Technology and Social Sciences, Paper titled "A Study of investors perception towards Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund", in the book titled Management Research and Innovation ISBN No. 978-93-86608-58-1.

Assistant Professor Ms. Safal Narvekar

- ➤ Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.
- Completed the UGC sponsored Refresher Course in Commerce, Economics & Management at Guru Jambheshwar University on Science & technology, Hisar Haryana from 26th November 2018 to 15th December 2018.
- ➤ Coordinator for C.S. foundation course coaching classes.

Assistant Professor Shri. Atmaram Tarpe (Study Leave)

Assistant Professor Ms. Teja Kerkar (On Child Care Leave)

Assistant Professor Shri. Narendra Gaonkar

Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics
in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic
Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce
Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.

Assistant Professor Shri Seltan Gomes

- ➤ Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.
- ➤ Participated in MASTER CLASS IV , on the topic, "HAPPY & ENGAGED CLASSROOM" Organized by Directorate of Higher Education, Goa in association with state project Directorate of Rashtriya Uchchatar Siksha Abhiyan (RUSA) on 14th December 2018.
- ➤ Co-ordinator for the short term course of 2 credits (30 Hours) namely MS Excel in Accounting & Taxation for Commerce Students for academic year 2018-19.

Assistant Professor Ms. Thomasin D'souza

Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic **Writing** organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar-Goa on 16 October 2018.

Assistant Professor Ms. Daksha Kukoliakar

➤ Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.

Assistant Professor Ms. Jamina D, Souza

Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar-Goa on 16 October 2018.

Assistant Professor Ms. Seema Dharani

Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar-Goa on 16 October 2018.

Assistant Professor Ms. Shubada Parab

Participated in the one-day workshop titled, Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College of Arts & Commerce Zuarinagar- Goa on 16 October 2018.

2. <u>DEPARMENT OF SOCIOLOGY</u>

The department of Sociology conducted the following activities for the academic year 2018-2019.

Department activities

• Commemoration of Bastille Day/French Revolution Day (229 Years). Students made presentations on the theme. Videos and a documentary film were shown on the theme.

- Bridge course for FYBA Sociology students from 16 to 23 July 2018. A total of 10 students benefitted from this course.
- Five students namely; Ms. Shweta Singh. Ms. Bhageshree Parate, Ms. Sudiksha Naik,
 Ms. Harshali Naik and Mr, Akshay Bhandari of TYBA participated in a State-level
 Seminar for Students 'Saving the Lifeline of Goa Mhadei ', at Carmel College of
 Arts, Science & Commerce for Women, Nuvem, on 31 August, 2018.
- TYBA Sociology students participated in 'Purple Campaign', Workshop on Gender Sensitization organised by the Gender Champions Cell and Department of Sociology in collaboration with Department of Women's Studies on 08 September, 2018.



(Seen: Purple campaign held on 8th September 2018 in collaboration with gender champion and dept. of Sociology.)

• Annual Intercollegiate event of "Socio-Expressions" was held on 22 September, 2018. The theme for the State level Student's Seminar was 'Vulnerable Sections in India: Socio-legal Issues and Concerns'. The chief guest was Dr. Badruddin, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Political Science, PES College, Ponda. There were ten paper presenters from various colleges of Goa.





(Seen: department of Sociology organised annual Inter-Collegiate event 'Socio-Expression' on 22nd September 2018)

• A group of three TYBA Sociology students – Ms. Anjana Gundapur. Ms. Neelam Thakur and Ms. Manjula Chalwadi participated in 'Poster Making' competition with a caption "Empower Persons with Disabilities to promote an Inclusive Society for a Sustainable World" to observe the International Day for Persons with Disabilities, 2018, organised by Sangath and Colorcon Asia Pvt. Ltd., Verna in association with Ramnath Kare College of Law, Margao, held on 1st December, 2018 at Sanskruti Bhavan, Panaji.

Faculty Profile

Dr. R. B. Patil

Dr. Sonal Thakker (Associate Professor & Head)

- Participated in a Workshop 'Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Awareness Programme organised by ASSOCHAM, Goa University on 11 December, 2018.
- Participated in celebration of International Day for Persons with Disabilities, 2018, organised by Sangath and Colorcon Asia Pvt. Ltd., Verna in association with Ramnath Kare College of Law, Margao, held on 1st December, 2018 at Sanskruti Bhavan, Panaji.

- Participated in a workshop on 'Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS Word in Academic Writing' organised by the Research Cell of M. E. S. College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar on 16 October, 2018.
- Presented a paper 'Migration of Spouses and Coping Strategies of Stay Behind Women', which was also selected as best paper at the XII Karnataka Sociology Conference at Hampi, Karnataka from 31August to 1 September, 2018.
- Presented a research paper 'Colonial Rule and Displacement of Goan Population' at a
 National Seminar 'Population, Displacement: Domestic, Regional and International
 Dimensions' organised by Department of Political Science, P.E.S's RSN College of
 Arts & Science, Farmagudi, Ponda from 27-28 July, 2018.
- Published a paper 'Trajectory of Goan Diaspora through the Ages' in a book 'Goan Diaspora through the Ages and Gramdevta Worship in Goa' by the Directorate of Archives and Archaeology, Government of Goa.
- Appointed as Nodal Officer for Persons with Disabilities w.e.f. 30.06.2018
- Appointed as Grievances Redressal Officer for Persons with Disabilities w.e.f. 02.07.2018.
- Ms. Raisa Cardozo and Ms. Elizabeth Bara participated in CBCS Syllabus Workshop for Semester III, organised by St. Xavier's College, Mapusa on ...July, 2018.
- Ms. Raisa Cardozo and Ms. Elizabeth Bara Participated in a workshop on 'Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS Word in Academic Writing' organised by the Research Cell of M. E. S. College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar on 16 October, 2018.

3. <u>DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS</u>

- 5 students underwent one month summer internship training programme at Goa
 Shipyard Ltd. from May to June 2018.
- Sanjay Bind, a student of SYB.Com stood first in the college for Know Your
 Economy Quiz organized by Parvatibai Chowgule College, Margao, Goa
- Bridge course in Economics was undertaken for students of B.A./ B.Com Semester I from 9th July 2018 onwards.

- Started certificate course in Economics for students of the College.
- Project orientation talk was organized for the students of B.A. Semester V by Dr. Vishal Chari on 3rd August 2018.
- Undertook an extension activity in collaboration with NSS units of supplying paper bags as a part of Go Green Campaign on 13th August 2018.
- Organized Collage competition on 25th August 2018 for all the students of the college on the topic interlinkages between Economy and Environment.

DETAILS OF THE FACULTY

<u>Dr. Rekha Gaonkar</u> (Vice Principal)

Details of publications

➤ Published a book entitled "Inclusive Growth in India Issues & Concerns " having ISBN No. 978-81-936607-0-6.

Dr. Meenakshi Bawa

Details of publications

➤ Paper titled 'Financial Inclusion and its Determinants: The case of Goa' has been published in *Journal of Economic Policy and Research*, Vol 13 No 2 April-September 2018, (ISSN 0975-8577), Indexed in: Indian Citation Index, Ebsco Database, ProQuestand Ulrichsweb)

Mrs. Shivani Shirodkar

- ➤ Attended the Master Class III, of the Master Classes series on the topic "Entrepreneurship Education" organized by the Directorate of Higher Education, goa on 20th September 2018.
- ➤ Attended Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Awareness workshop organized by Goa University on 11th December 2018.

Shri Rajesh Shetgaokar

➤ Completed the UGC sponsored Refresher course in Development Economics at Human Resource Development Centre, Sardar Patel University, Anand, Gujarat, from 12th November to 2nd December 2018

4. **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

The Department of English had an eventful year 2018-19. In the PG Admission Ranking Test for MA in English, held at Goa University on 11th June, 2018, eight of our students obtained Ranks among the first 27 Rankers out of 68 students who appeared at the Ranking Test, with Sahila Shaikh standing fourth and Niveta Kudalkar standing sixth.

The 'SANSKRITI' Association was inaugurated at the hands of ex-Professor of English from Dhempe College Dr Ms Isabel Santa Rita Vas on 14th July, 2018. Speaking on the occasion Dr Vas highlighted the importance of collaboration in theatre activities. T S Eliot Lecture series was conducted by Mrs Mary Ann D'Mello for TYBA and MA Students in July-August 2018.

The Sixth Edition of the Annual FUN *WITH LITERATURE* with Assist. Prof. William D'Souza as the Coordinator was organized for Higher Secondary Students in the vicinity of Vasco on 29th September, 2018. A Story-telling Competition was conducted in which the students of the Naval Children's Higher Secondary School and MES Higher Secondary School emerged out winners. Thirty Students of The Skill Enhancement Course from SYBA presented The Donnellys, Act I by the Canadian Playwright James Reaney on this occasion. The play was directed by the HOD Dr Sandhya N Bhandare.

Dr Susan Deborah presented a paper titled 'An ecocultural reading of transwomen in India' at the International Conference in Seoul, South Korea in December,2018, while Dr Sandhya Bhandare went on a Study Tour for 10 days in Rajasthan. Dr Bhandare is the Member of the Affiliation Inquiry Committee. She also holds the rare position as the Observer of Examinations of Goa University.

5. <u>DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY</u>

The department of Psychology has actively involved in organizing many activities for the development of the students of our college. A Bridge course was organized for FY BA students who had no background knowledge of Psychology as a discipline in the month of July. An inauguration of Psychology club and diploma in counseling course was held on 11th July 2018. Students of BA, B.Com, MA and BBA enrolled for the diploma course. The Chief Guest of the programme was a Psychiatrist Dr. Rajendra Hegde who highlighted the importance of Psychology related careers and importance of mental health.





Outstanding students of psychology were felicitated for their academic performance for the academic year of 2017-18. Student's performance was excellent with 100% result in Psychology with six distinctions out of 15 students who had appeared for the board exams. Dr. Freda Cota Periera, Asst. Prof. Cedila Pereira Asst. Prof. Fatima Gomes were also felicitated by the college for securing 100% result in the Psychology.



The Psychology students completed an internship with Presentation Society at Vasco wherein the students educated the public on HIV with regard to its implications and also spread awareness about the ill effects of substance abuse and cigarette smoking.









An interactive session was held by Antarman NGO team Dr. Ravindra Agarwal, Mr. Sameer Walawalkar and Counselor Tanushri Sharma on "Building Resilience among adolescents".

As an extension activity of the college, Dr. Freda Cota Pereira conducted sessions for school children by highlighting the importance of stress management and mental health awareness and measures to deal with issues relating to such problems encountered by them.



A session was organized on 9th October 2018 specially for the female students of the Psychology department on the Importance of Personal Hygiene, causes related to problems of women and treatment of the same. The Chief Guest of the event was Dr. Mayur Pai who had enlightened the students with his valuable inputs and showcased informative pictures and power point presentations.





On 10th September 2018 on world suicide prevention day a discussion forum was organized on "Suicide a cry for help whose listening and whose responsibility". The chief guests of the event were Dr. Nemlekar & Counselor Ms. Tanushri Sharma who enlightened the students on various issues leading to suicide and measures to deal with the same. Students of Psychology performed a skits on prevention of Suicide inorder to sensitize students on measures to deal with suicide.





A session was organized by the department of Psychology highlighting the topic "healthy diet – a way of Healthy Life". The resource person for the event was Prof. Sheryl Afonso who shared some valuable inputs on healthy lifestyle with the students.



Poster Competition was held on 19th July 2018 for all the students of the College on "Measures to deal with Physical and Psychological Trauma". The judges of the event were Dr. Sonal Thakar (HOD of Sociology Department)and Dr. Rekha Gaukar (Vice Principal). The winners were Sairaj Naik (first prize), Jude Fernandes (second prize) and Pankaj (third prize).









Achievements of the faculty

Dr. Freda Cota Pereira:-

- Member of BOS Psychology at Goa University.
- Management representative of MES college at Navy school.
- Member of PTA at MES Higher Secondary School.
- Mentor for UGC NET preparation appointed by Directorate of Higher Education.
- Extension Activity organized for St. Andrew School students on mental health awareness and stress management.
- Successfully published research papers titled "need for psychological interventions in building healthy parent child relationship among adolescents in international journal of social sciences IAHRW.

- Published paper titled "impact of psychological interventions in reducing anxiety among adolescents" in Indian journal of health & well-being IAHRW.
- Successfully presented research paper titled "impact of stress management on Marital adjustment among married couples" at international conference on stress management Hyderabad.

Assistant Professor Cedila Pereira

Admitted to the Ph.D Program at Mumbai University in July 2018.

Paper published: 'Leisure as a Means to Reduce Stress, arouse Curiosity and enhance self-esteem in children' in Stress Management: An International Journal Vol 6, No 2, and July to December 2018. ISSN: 2347-9124.**Paper presented:** 'Impact of perceived stress and coping styles on the psychological well being of women professionals' at the 5th International Conference on Stress Management (ICSM 2018) held on 10th& 11th November 2018 at Hyderabad, India.

Workshops attended:

- ➤ Participated in a Discussion Forum on "Tolerance to Intolerance: A Psychological Disease" organized by Psychology Department, Chowgule College held on 24th August 2018.
- ➤ Participated in a workshop on Self-Hypnosis' organized by Silver Linings Guidance and Counselling Centre held on 31st August 2018.
- ➤ Participated in the Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/Avoiding Plagiarism & use of M.S Word in Academic Writing' organized by the Research Cell of the College held on 16th October 2018.
- ➤ Participated in the DOPT Sponsored Programme on 'Life Skills Education for Adolescents held from 24th -26th October 2018 organized by Goa Institute of Public Administration & Rural Development (GIPARD), Ela Farm.
- Completed a Short term Course: Workshop on MOOC'S and E-content Development and Open Educational Resources at Human Resource Development Centre, Goa University from 12th March to 18th March 2019

Assistant Professor Sweta Matonkar

- Secured first rank in Goa at M.A Psychology in the year 2018.
- Cleared CBSE-UGC NET examination in 2018.

- Participated in one day seminar on "Inclusive Education, Learning Disability & ADHD" organized by collaborative team of Antarman centre for well-being, Psychiatric Society of Goa & Dept of Psychology of Chowgule College on 24th November held at Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts & Science Margao.
- Participated in one day workshop on "Research Paper Writing & Publishing in Reputed Journals" organized by Dept of Management Studies at Goa University on the 3rd August 2018.
- Participated in one day workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/Avoiding Plagiarism & Use of MS Word in Academic Writing" organized by the Research Cell of M.E.S. College on 16th October 2018.
- Conducted Bridge Course for students of FY BA Psychology at M.E.S. College in July 2018.
- **Paper presented:** 'The Coping Strategies Utilized among Emergency Service Employees in Goa' at the 5th International Conference on Stress Management (ICSM 2018) held on 10th& 11th November 2018 at Hyderabad, India.
- Published paper titled "A Study on Coping Strategies & Quality of Life among Emergency Service Employees in Goa" in Indian journal of health & well-being IAHRW – International Journal of Social Sciences.
- Registered for Ph.D Program at Karnatak University Dharwad in December 2018.

6. <u>DEPARTMENT OF KONKANI</u>

7. DEPARTMENT OF TOURSIM & TRAVEL

On the 03rd of August 2018 the department of tourism and travel had organised a guest lecture for the students of TY.BA which covered the basics of Advertising. The guest lecturer was Mr. Ravi Carvalho the Ex. editor of Times of India, Goa.

2) On the 27th of September 2018, World Tourism day was organised bearing the theme 'Tourism and Digital Transformation. Mr. Anand Chatterjee the current General Manager of Planet Hollywood was the chief guest and spoke on the importance of digitalisation in the advancement of tourism.

two interactive theme-based events were organised for the students on that day, namely:

- a) Traditional dish making
- b) Rangoli making

On 06th October 2018 the students participated in 'ENTRADA' an event organised by Rosary College Navelim, where our students of Tourism and Travel secured first place in videography, first place in presentation on the theme: 'Heritage and digitalisation' and second place in drawing, theme: "Digital India"

on 15th of December a field trip was organised for 10 students showing promise and interest in the area of hospitality and accommodation at Planet Hollywood Resort a 5-star property in order to give them first-hand knowledge of the functioning of a hotel.

During the field trip the heads of department oriented the students on the functions of their respective area. Later the students were taken on a tour of the entire hotel. The hotel was also kind enough to offer lunch to the students, which the students enjoyed to the fullest.

The Department of Tourism and Travel in collaboration with the Language study centre of M.E.S College has started a Conversational Portuguese course for our students. The duration of the course being 30 hours, 36 college students and 4 faculty members total of 40 students are being taught conversational Portuguese under the guidance of Prof. Filomena Dourado.

Planned activities to be executed:

- 1) Guest lecture on Sustainable tourism
- 2) Guest lecture on tourism Policy
- 3) Field trip to Goa International Airport
- 4) Heritage walk for Travel and Tourism students in collaboration with students of S.S Dempo College, Department of Masters in Tourism and Travel Management.

8. <u>DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE</u>

9. <u>DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS</u>

- Ms. Shruti B. Nayak attended 1 day workshop on Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by MES College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa on 16/10/2018.
- Ms. Shruti B. Nayak completed a UGC sponsored Short term course on Research Methodology in Science organized by HRDC, Goa University from 5th February to 11th February 2019
- Ms. Savita Talawar attended 1 day workshop on Intellectual Property Rights: Ethics in Academic Writing/ Avoiding Plagiarism and Use of MS word in Academic Writing organized by MES College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar Goa on 16/10/2018.
- Ms. Savita Talawar is conducting CPT coaching in the subject of Quantitative analysis for BCOM students.
- The Department organized Poster making competition on the theme "Mathematics in Art and Culture" for B. Com semester II, IV and VI students on 08/01/2019. All together 18 teams (each team comprising of 2 participants) participated in the competition.

The following teams have been declared as winners for the Poster making competition:

1st prize: Ms. Simran D'Souza and Mr. Vishal Arondekar of B.Com semester II

 $2^{nd}\,$ prize : Ms. Upashree Salaskar and Ms. Juhi Bugde of B.Com semester VI

3rd prize: Ms. Ishwari Lingodkar and Ms. Rabia Shaikh of B.Com semester IV

Consolation Prizes:

Ms. Sonam Maulankar and Mr. Amey Chandaikar of B.Com semester IV

Mr. Kundan Kumar and Mr. Afran Shaikh of B.Com semester IV



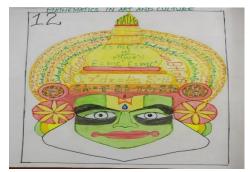
1st PRIZE



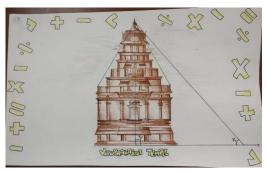
2ND PRIZE



3rd PRIZE



Consolation Prize 1



Consolation Prize 2

10. <u>DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY</u>

Facilities provided by IT department:

o Internet & Wi-Fi

- ➤ Internet in IT Laboratory for the students/staff and in office of MES Collegewith a speed of 80 Mbps.
- ➤ Wi-Fi facility for Staff.

The department offered the services of IT laboratory to conduct various activities as mentioned below

- To conduct interviews of various posts for teaching and non-teaching staff including MES HSS.
- Facilitated the students to do students registration and student enrolment under GUMS.
- Facilitated the Teaching Staff to provide the information to Goa University under GUMS.
- Facilitated the students who received Laptops under cyberage scheme, Govt. of Goa, to activate and upgrade Microsoft Package on their Laptops.
- Facilitated the Demonstration of College Automation Software by various Vendors.
- Offering the Services of Scanner, Vacuum Cleaner, etc. to College Office and BCA.
- Facilitated to obtain session wise printouts of practical's to the students of B.A. SEM
 I and B.Com. SEM I/III in GroupWise manner.
- ➤ Introduced a paper "Computer Applications for Business" under Skill Enhancement Course for the students of B.Com. Sem III/IV.
- ➤ 15 students of B.Com. SEM I along with Shri. Sandeep M. Kadam, Assoc. Professor had attended the Goa IT Day 2018 on 14th and 15th of July 2018 organised by Dept. of IT, Govt. of Goa.
- ➤ Two students of B.Com. Sem I along with Ms. Soniya Govekar, Asst.Proffessor participated in one day state level seminar on "Intellectual Property Rights & Case Studies on Cyber Crimes" on 06th October 2018, organized by the Departments of Law & IT, DCT'S S.S Dempo College of Commerce & Economics, Cujira, at Sanskruti Bhavan, Patto,Panjim.
- ➤ On 22nd September 2018, a session on SPSS was organized for the students of B.COM. Sem III, in Skill Enhancement Course(SEC) from 9.15 am-11.15 am. and the resource person was Prof. Gauri Manerkar, HOD, Dept. of Economics.
- ➤ Introduced Google Class Room concept in Generic Elective courses as well as Skill Enhancement courses.

As a part of compulsory activity at the end of each Practical Session the students are asked to search e-books/e-journals using N-LIST i.e. National Library and Information services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content.(www.nlist.inflibnet.ac.in)

Shri. Sandeep M. Kadam:-

- ➤ Oriented the students of B.A./B.Com. Sem I regarding CBCS and also to the Teachers recruited in this Academic Year.
- ➤ Is a nodal officer for AISHE programme.(All India Survey On Higher Education)
- ➤ Nodal officer for NIRF (National Institutional Ranking Framework).
- Nodal officer for MOOC programme by IIT, Powai.
- ➤ SWAYAM Mentor for the college and oriented HODs of different departments regarding the MOOCs on SWAYAM platform also to English Department and students of B.A./B.Com. SEM VI.
- ➤ Is an IQAC member and Chairpersons of NAAC Criterion IV, Association of Art & Culture, Monitoring Committee.

11. M.COM. DEPARTMENT

The academic year 2018- 19 began on 12th June 2018.

The number of students for admitted for M.Com Part I is 21 students and 15 students for M.Com Part II.

During the course students were given glimpse about the current scenario by organising various guest sessions by experts in the required field. The followings are the prime activities undertaken during the year for the M.Com Course for the academic year 2018-19.

Activities Conducted by the Department

- 1) The M.Com Department organized a guest lecture on entrepreneurship on 29th August 2018 at 10.30 am to 12:00 noon. Mrs. Sneha Bhandare owner and Ceo of Nirvana Arts was the resource person. She shared her experience of being entrepreneur, the challenges faced and the future plans. She also encourage students to be job creators rather than job seekers.
- 2) The M.com Department organized a guest lecture on "IFRS Reporting and Accounting Standard Compliance" on 11th August 2018 at 9:00 am to 10:30 am by CA SatyaPrakash

Kamath. He gave a brief introduction about IASB (International Accounting Standards Board), IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards), IAS (International Accounting Standards), SIC, IFRIC, GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles), Ind –AS (Indian Accounting Standards), Convergence of Indian Accounting standards with the global accounting standards and the phases of IFRS adaptability in India by the companies.

- 3) The M.Com department organized a session on "analysis of Data using Econometrics Models" on 25th and 26th July 2018 using Gretl and EVIEWS software. The resource person for the session was Dr. Vishal Chari, Department of Economics, Shree Damodar College of Commerce and Economics. It was a practical session on using the tools for data analysis
- 4) The M.Com Department organized an Industrial visit on 6th October 2018 to Nestle India Ltd. The students were given a glimpse of the production department, assembly line of products and quality control section at Nestle India Ltd



5) The M.Com Department conducted a State level Seminar Sanshodhan - "Factors Influencing Investment Opportunities in India" for Post Graduate students of Commerce of all affiliated colleges of Goa University on 11th December 2018. Six colleges participated for the event wherein 16 papers were presented and a total of 25 participants from other colleges. Dr. Sanjay Dessai Pricnicpal of CES College was the chief guest for the Inaugral Function and resource person who spoke extensively on the various factors influencing investment opportunities in India. The technical session I involved paper presentation for which the moderator was Asst Prof. Veeraj Mahatme, BBA Dept of M.E.S College of Arts & Commerce. Dr Manoj Kamat Principal of Shree Malikaarjun College was the resource person for the technical session II and spoke on Ease of doing Business in India He was also the chief guest for the valedictory function.

Seminar/workshops attended by students

4 students of the m.com department attended a one day state level workshop organised by DMC College and Research centre on "How to write M.Com Dissertation Effectively."

3 students will participate and present a paper at Government College of Khandola on the topic "Entrepreneurial Opportunities"

Seminar/workshops attended by M.com Faculty

Ms. Savina A Rebello attended UGC HRDC (RUSA) sponsored One Week Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology using R and EVIEWS from 22nd Oct to 28th Oct 2018.

12. DEPARTMENT OF B.B.A. & B.B.A. (SHIPPING & LOGISTICS)

COURSE COMPLETION CEREMONY (BATCH 2015-18)





Course Completion Ceremony for class 2015-2018 was held on 5th of May 2018 at Hotel HQ, Vasco da Gama. 43 graduates of BBA course and 15 graduated of BBA (shipping and Logistics) courses were conferred their caps and scrolls by the Chief Guest Shri. Prashant Joshi – Honarary Consul of the Republic of Korea. Shri Lalit Saraswat – Vice Chairman – CII (Confederation of Indian Industry) Goa Council was the keynote speaker. The Principal Dr. R. B. Patil welcomed the gathering, Mrs. Semele Sardesai- Coordinator BBA course, presented the annual report for the year 2017-18, Mrs. Lalita Joshi- Director Planning and Development administered the "Oath" to the graduate . Mr. Aditya Narvekar (Mumbai) and Ms. Divine Pereira were the Valedictorians for the BBA (s&l) and BBA courses respectively. Mr. Pranam Neelkeni received a special award for excelling in the BBA (s & l) course in spite of facing great adversities. Mr. Veeraj Mahatme, faculty member was the host for the ceremony.

IV) EVENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT

Teachers Development Program: This program was conducted for all the visiting faculty to introduce the changes in the new ordinance for the BBA course. The facilitators were Mr. Veeraj Mahatme, Ms. Semele Sardesai and Mr. Tejas Maangaonkar

i) INAUGURAL CEREMONY

This academic year 2018-19 commenced with the INAUGRATION OF BATCH 2018-2021. On 29th June 2018, an orientation program was held for the students and Parents of FYBBA and FYBBA(shipping and Logistics). Captain Eddie Viegas was the keynote speaker . He spoke about management education in general and job opportunities in the shipping and logistics industry . Principal of MES College Dr. R. B. Patil welcomed the gathering , Course Coordinator of BBA course, Ms. Semele Sardesai explained about both the courses and Mr. Veeraj Mahatme proposed the vote of thanks. Dr. Pawaskar hosted the ceremony.







ii) ICEBREAKING SESSION FOR FYBBA and FYBBA (S& L) Was held on 3^{rd} July









iii) World Maritime Day Celebrations

The BBA (Shipping and Logistics Students, interacted with the Owner of India's first Cruise Liner 'ANGRIYA' Captain Nitin Dhond after its maiden voyage from Mumbai to Goa







iv) Summer Internship Presentations





V) ACHIEVEMENTS OF STUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS (2018-19)

1) Abbas Shaikh from TYBBA won the "GMA BEST MANAGEMENT STUDENT AWARD 2018" (UNDER GRADUATE LEVEL). The award consists of Trophy and Silver Salver and was presented on 28th September 2018 at Annual Day Function of GMA at Cidade de Goa, Dona Paula, and Goa. This was preceded by a competition held on 1st September 2018 to decide the winner for the Undergraduate category as well as the Post graduate category. The undergraduate category included 18 students belonging to various management colleges in Goa. The competition comprised of 3 different assessments i.e. an aptitude test, a group discussion and a personal interview moderated by a panel of 3 judges. The students were judged on the basis of their understanding of Management principles, current economic scenarios/current affairs, individual academic achievements, experience, and ability to display confidence and communication skills.



2) Ribhav Sardesai from FYBBA represented India U-19 in the 'Four Nation Football Tournament' held in Croatia from 4th Sept to 10th Sept 2018. The participating Nations were France, Croatia, Slovenia and India.





3) Madhukar Goghale from SYBBA (Shipping and logistics) won the Silver Medal at International level combat Martial arts open Karate Championship 2018 organised by Combat Martial Arts Association, India. Three countries participated Nepal, Italy and India. This competition was held at Mumbai on 4th November 2018





- 4) Farhan Shaikh of TYBBA took part in "ALL GOA DIRT CHALLENGE 2018" organised by TAPLA boys on 9th September 2018 at Valpoi and won
- ➤ 1st place in Indian expert first moto
- ➤ 3rd place in Indian expert second moto (overall 2nd)
- ➤ 2nd in Impulse class





5) Saloni Talavanekar FYBBA (Shipping and Logistics) and Madhukar Ghogate SYBBA (Shipping and Logistics) won Bronze in Taekwondo at University Games 2018



6) TY BBA (Shipping and Logistics) students, won first place in All Goa Portuguese competition held at St. Xavier's college Mapusa



7) Adnaan Memon of TYBBA secured 2nd place in presentation event at 'Entrada' organised by Rosary college, Navelim on 6th October 2018



8) Prasad Satardekar student of FYBBA (shipping and logistics) and President Mormugoa Yuva Manch organised "Yuvaotsav" a State level competition for the youth of Goa on 25th August 2018





VI) COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

 Our TY BBA students, volunteers for a community program organised by COOJ, Vasco on 16th September 2018



2) On 6th October, World Peace Day 21st September was celebrated by the students of BBA and BBA shipping and logistics at Peace Cottage, Betalbatim, with Eleanor Viegas and Godeliva Rodrigues e Gomes. Activities were performed from the book Ubuntu....The Spirit of Humanity by Helen Sayers.





3) The Banyan Tree Project (NGO Management) students TYBBA students target a community and work out strategies and an action plan to create awareness about the project (needle work).





4) Mr. Prasad Satardekar from FYBBA, celebrated his birthday in a unique way - by feeding 80 needy people. Keep up the good work Prasad





5) On Monday, 10th September 2018, a talk on "community service and how to create awareness in eye donation" by Guest lecture by Rtn Gautam. Rotary club of Panjim was held for students of TYBBA as a part of NGO Management.





VII) FIELD TRIPS

On 11.09.18, The SYBBA and TYBBA (shipping and logistics) students visited the yard of Vijay Marine Shipping, Rasai to see a passenger Ship "NEFERTITI" built by them. They were accompanied by Faculty members Tejas Mangaonkar and Motilal Pednekar



On 20th July 2018, SYBBA students visited Radio indigo radio station as a part of the subject Music appreciation.





VIII) GUEST FACULTIES INVITED

1) Viveka Naik our alumni of Batch 2009 sharing her experiences in industry with FYBBA and SYBBA students on 5th November 2018 as part of the subject, interaction with executives. Viveka joined 'The Queeny' in 2013 as Executive Sales after 2 years she joined 'Planet Hollywood where she joined as Senior Executive Sales and rose to the rank of Asst. Manager Sales. Recently she joined 'The Leela' which is in the list of top 20 hotels of the world as Assistant Manager Sales.





2) Ms. Mignonne Misquita our alumni from Batch 2004 and Service Operations Manager at IDBI (Vasco) interacting with students of FYBBA and SYBBA on 13 th October 2018 and sharing her experiences from the HR and Finance departments. This is for the subject interaction with executives.



3) The MysticRiders interacting with BBA and BBA (shipping and logistics) students on 27th October 2018. The topics covered were "Preparing for your career by developing additional skills" and "road safety"



4.

Mr.



Ramchandra Prabhu Salgaonkar, Founder Marketing Warriors and Shahapedia Heritage Walks interacting with the FYBBA students



 Ms. Divine Pereira – Executive – Sales Hyderabad (ex – student)interacting with the FYBBA 2018 batch on how to get the maximum from the BBA course - Preparing for sessions - summer internships - preparing for management competitions etc. 23rd July 2018.



IX) TEACHER'S ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1. Mr. Veeraj Mahatme attended a work shop on Entrepreneurship
- Mr. Motilal Pednekar attended the interaction session with Mr. Vikram Kirloskar , Vice President CII (Confederation of Indian Industries) on 16th October 2018 at Taj Vivanta
- 3. Course Coordinator Semele Sardesai attended a one week Faculty Development Workshop on SEM at Vellore Institute of Technology from 13th to 19th August 2018



2. Course Coordinator Ms. Semele Sardesai, was felicitated by Lions Club of Mormugoa for her contribution in the field of education on 7th October 2018



DEPARTMENT OF B.C.A.

DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

BCA Department inauguration was held on 16th July 2018. The Chief Guest for the function was Ms. Pallavi Dessai – HR Manager of Persistent Systems Private Limited (PSPL) Verna.



- BCA students organised an inter class event "Tech Astra" 2018. Various competitions such as Movie Making, Quiz, Debate, Fashion Show, Badminton, Control Cricket, Third Degree, NFS, CS-GO and face Painting were organised.
- 1-hour competition was organized for BCA students on 7th August which includes Poster Making Competition, Designing Rakhi, T-shirt Painting, Mehendi Competition and Wealth out of Waste.

- Dept of BCA organized lecture series in Android Technology for 5 days for Third year BCA students. Mr. Deepak Agarwal, CEO Swastek Technology was the Trainer for these lecture series.
- Dept of BCA organized lecture series in Human resource management and organizational behaviour for Third year BCA students .Ms. Akhila Kamat, Head of operations, Akademia conducted these lecture series.
- Dept of BCA organized Project trip for T.Y.BCA students in the area of Human Resouce Management. Students have visited following organization 1. Academia Ltd.
 Winsar 3. Country inn.
- Dept. of BCA organized Guest session on Public speaking on 26th July 2018. Guest speaker was Mr. Ritesh Kumar Mishra, Store Executive Berger Paints.
- Dept .Of BCA organized Guest Session on Robotics and Audrino on 10th August 2018. Mr. Rajaram Parsekar, CEO, Electronics was the speaker.
- Dept of BCA students won the intercollegiate competition "INSPIRUS" which was organized by Don Bosco College. Mr. Prathamesh Buva and Mr. Aditya Chatterjee won second place in Video Making.
- Dept of BCA, students won the intercollegiate competition "GIGATECH" which was organized by Chowgule College. Mr. Rameet Khorjuvekar and Mr. Sampat Asangi won second place in Coding.
- Dept of BCA, students won the intercollegiate competition "IRIX" Event which was organized by Chowgule College. Mr. Guruksh Naik and Mr. Joy Pereira was the runner up for Master of Muster event and Mr. Justeave Pereira and Mr. Shubham Kumar was the runners-up for Code it All event.
- Mr. Rajesh Tanksali attended 1 day workshop 21st July 2018 on "NPTEL National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning" organised by Don Bosco college of Engineering, Fatorda Goa.
- Mr. Aniketh Dessai attended 2 days' workshop 27th& 28th July on "Introduction to data science using Python" organised by Dhempe college, Miramar, Panaji Goa.
- BCA Department conducted its "Technosparks 4.0" Event on 18th December 2018 for Higher Secondary Students. M.E.S Higher Secondary School won the first place and was awarded a Rolling Trophy.

13. NCC NAVAL UNIT

- Associate NCC Officer Sub. Lt. Rajesh Shetgaokar attended CATC Camp 2018 from 10th December 2018 to 19th December 2018 organize by 8 Karwar Naval Unit.
- Mr. Sagar Harijan successfully completed a one-month long mountaineering course at Nehru Institute of Mountaineering (NIM), Uttarkashi, Uttarakhand, India. Sagar Harijan was the sole naval cadet at all India level to participate in this course.
- Naval cadet Arjun Gadewad and Darmendrakumar Bind with success completed a 10-day group level camp at Yatcing Regatta Mysore, Karnataka. They were the only naval cadets from Goa to participate in this camp.
- Cadet Lalitha Rathod, won *Gold medal* in Rigging and *Silver medal* in Boat pulling at All India Nau Sanik Camp 2018 held at Karwar, Karnataka.
- Cadet Vikram Chowdery won of 1 **Gold** *medal* in Rigging and Semaphore respectively at All India Nau Sanik Camp 2018 held at Karwar,
- Cadet Pawan Faujdar was selected as **Captain Cadet** at All India Nau Sanik Camp 2018 held at Karwar, Karnataka.
- Ms. Nidhi Sharma won *Gold Medal* in Firing Competition at ATC camp 2018.
- Ms. Rupam Munankar won *Gold Medal* in Cross country at ATC camp.
- DarmendraKumar Bind won *Gold medal* in Marathon at ATC Camp.
- 10 cadets participated in ocean sailing camp organised by 1 Goa Naval Unit from 16th
 May 2017 to 6th May 2018. Cadets Sail from Daunapaula Jetty of Goa to Karwar
 Naval Base, Karnataka.
- Seven Naval Cadets participated in 7 days All India level Sea Sailing camp conducted by 1 Goa Naval Unit at Chicalim Jetty, Vasco –da-Gama in April 2018
- 10 Naval cadets participated in first phase of All India Nau-Sanik Camp held Bangalore in August 2018.
- Twenty Four NCC Naval Cadets and Associate NCC Officer Sub Lieutenant Rajesh
 V. Shetgaokar participted in Samll Arms Practice organised by 1 Goa Naval Unit at INS Mandovi, Verem, Goa.
- NCC Naval Wing organized one-day trek to Amboli Ghat, Sindhuragh, Maharashtra.
 Twenty-Eight cadets together with Sub Lt Rajesh V. Shetgaokar participated during this trek.

 Cadets and NSS Volunteers went around various streets, market area and door to door in Vasco City and Rs. 1, 40,000/- was collected from donation drive. The donation amount was credited to the Kerala Chief Minister's Relief Fund

Achievement of Naval Cadets



Karnataka and Goa NCC Directorate have been crowned as the champion in the All India Nau Sainik Camp-2018 (AINIC-2018) of the NCC held at Karwar from 14th October 2018 to 22nd October 2018. Real Admiral K.J.Kumar, Flag Officer, Karwar, who was the Chief Guest of the closing ceremony handed over the championship trophy.

Cadet Lalitha Rathod, won **Gold medal** in Rigging and **Silver medal** in Boat pulling at All India Nau Sanik Camp 2018 held at Karwar, Karnataka.

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Figure 1





Sole Naval Cadet to complete one Month Mountaineering Course At All India Level - 2018







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Naval cadet Arjun Gadewad and Darmendrakumar Bind with success completed a 10-day group level camp at Yatcing Regatta Mysore, Karnataka. The cadets got short-duration sea experiences, furling and unfurling large-sized sails on tall masts and negotiating strong sea winds off the East coast of India. They were the only naval cadets from Goa to participate in this camp.

Participation in Camp

Ocean Sailing Camp





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Sea Sailing Camp -2018



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NSC First Phase-2018



10 Naval cadets participated in first phase of All India Nau-Sanik Camp held Bangalore in August 2018.

Weapon Training



Adventure Activities







NCC Naval Wing organized one-day trek to Amboli Ghat, Sindhuragh, Maharashtra. Twenty-Eight cadets together with Sub Lt Rajesh V. Shetgaokar participated during this trek. The trekking began from Police check post of Amboli to Shivgad point, seven kilometer journey through the dense forest. Cadets conjointly visited the vital ecological point of Kavale Shet and Amboli waterfall. It had been a challenging climb for many however all managed to accomplish the goal with sheer grit and vigor.

Field Visits

3 MILITARY TRAINING CENTRE



Naval Cadets participated in military equipment display organized by Thirds Military Training centre, Naveleim, Goa.

GOA SHIPYARD LTD.



Naval Cadets visited Goa Shipyard ltd. in September 2018 to acquire the practical knowledge of Shipbuilding

HUTATMA SMARAK



BONDLA WILDLIFE SANCTUARY



Social Service

Beach Cleaning Drive



Statue Cleaning Drive in City



Campus Cleaning





Donation for Kerala Flood Relief Fund



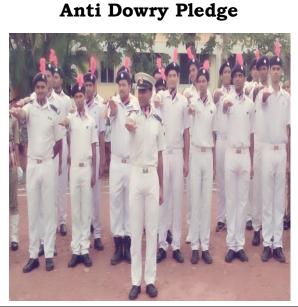
Cadets and NSS Volunteers went around various streets, market area and door to door in Vasco City and Rs. 1, 40,000/- was collected from donation drive. The donation amount was credited to the Kerala Chief Minister's Relief Fund.

Blood Donation



Blood Donation camp was organized in collaboration with Lion Club. 97 units of blood were donated by cadets, students and public.





- 1 Goa Girls Bn NCC army wing of MES College of Arts & Commerce, Zuarinagar started its regular parade on 20th June 2018.
- Our cadets participated in International Yoga Day which was celebrated on 21st July 2018 in the seminar hall of the college. PE director Shri. Shailesh Chodankar was the resource person/ Yoga Instructor.
- On 4th July 2018 new enrollment was conducted for first year cadets. Interested students from FYBA/BCOM/BCA/MES higher secondary school participated in the enrolment process which comprised of fitness test, command, cultural and drill. 21 students were selected. Capt. Divya Sharma and SM Thapa from Girls NCC unit coordinated in the enrolment process. Capt. Divya Sharma also gave a brief orientation to all the interested students about NCC. A short video was also shown to newly enrolled cadets.



• Following table shows the breakup of first year, second year and third year cadets.

	first year	second year	third year	total
-	21	20	11	52

XIth std arts/	XIIth std arts/	First year	Second year	Third year	Total
sc/comm.	sc/comm	BA/BCOM/B	BA/BCOM	BA/BCOM	
		CA			
05	13	15	08	11	52

Higher secondary cadets	College cadets	Total
18	34	52

- 4 cadets attended TSC camp in Belgaum from 14th to 23rd July 2018. They won overall 3rd place in the camp.
- Regular parades are conducted on Wednesday with class for special and common subjects and drill. PI staff also visits the college regularly.
- On 23rd July 2018 4 cadets participated in blood donation camp organized by NSS unit of our college in association with JCI Dabolim.
- On 25th July 2018 we organized malaria and dengue awareness rally in Birla and Zari areas. 40 cadets participated in the rally.





• On 14th August 2018, 40 cadets attended the military display exhibition at 3 MTR navelim.



• On 15th August 2018 Independence Day was celebrated. Girls NCC cadets took part in the flag hoisting ceremony.



• On 15th August 2018 Swacchta Pledge was given to all the cadets and a Swacchta Abhiyan was organised in Vidyanagar area in collaboration with Sancoale Panchayat.





On 25th and 26th August 2018 girls NCC cadets collected Rs. 13969/- for Kerala flood victims through a donation drive in Vasco City and surrounding areas of Vasco.





- On 6th September 2018, the Commanding Officer, Col. D.K. Pal visited the college.
 He interacted with the Principal and cadets. Selection was also done for pre-RD camp.
 7 cadets were shortlisted to appear for further selection to be held Military Camp,
 Bambolim.
- One cadet, CPL IshwariLingodkar was selected was Group RDC I camp held at Hubli from 29th September 2018 to 5th October 2018.
- 6 cadets attended the CATC camp at Belgaum from 12th October 2018 to 21st
 October 2018. They are Cdt. Anupama Sarraf, Cdt. Bharati Jadhav, LCPL. Madhavi
 Mule, CPL. Puja Das, Cdt. Suparna Dhar, and Cdt. Naziya Mulla.
- One cadet CPL. Puja Das attended Rock Climbing Camp at Gwalior (MP) from 15th November 2018 to 26th November 2018.
- On 1st October 2018, cadets organized cleanliness drive in Vasco Municipal Market.
- On 29th September 2018 Parakarm Parv- Surgical Strike day was observed. Special
 parade was organized. Colonel. Manguesh Dani gave a talk on this occasion. All 3
 units of the college participated in the celebration of Parakarm Parv- Surgical Strike
 day





Colonel. Manguesh Dani gave a talk on Surgical Strike



• Rastriya Ekta Diwas was organised on 31st October 2018. Cadets were given pledge



- Our cadets participated in Goa River Marathon organized by Vasco Sports Club on 9th December 2018.
- As a part of Swacchta Pakhwada, cadets organized a swacchta rally and Swacchta drive and cleaned the surroundings of the college on 12th December 2018.



 Our cadet L/CPL Puja Das attended Rock Climbing Camp at Gwalior from 15th December to 26th December 2018.



• Goa Liberation day was celebrated on 19th December 2018.





 Joint photo of the 3 units of NCC of our college on the occasion of Goa Liberation day.

15. NCC BOYS ARMY BATTALION

- Celebrated International Yoga Day on 21st June 2019. A total of 56 cadets participated in the programme which was instructed by PE Shailesh Chodankar.
- Cadet R. Prashob was felicitated by DG NCC award for outstanding performance in NCC, held on 5th July 2018 at Christ College, Bangaluru.



- JUO Nasheema Aslumabash Adur and Cadet Prem Bahadur Thapa represented Karnataka and Goa Directorate in the Thal Sainik Camp - IGC –I held at Vijayapur, Karnataka from 3rd to 12th August 2018.
- Cadet Prem Bahadur Thapa also participated in the Army Attachment Camp held at AOC Centre, Secundarabad, Telengana from 26th Nov. to 6th Dec. 2018.

• JUO Punit Kumar Yadav will represent Karnataka and Goa Directorate in the Republic Day Camp 2019 to be held on 26th January 2019 at New Delhi.





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