



# MURGAON EDUCATION SOCIETY'S COLLEGE OF ARTS & COMMERCE

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## REPORT ON FINANCIAL LITERACY PROGRAMME AT KIREN NIKETAN SOCIAL CENTRE

- Department : Post Graduate Department of Commerce
- Date: 12th August 2022 Time: 9.30 a.m. To 1.30 p.m.
- Platform : Offline ( Kiren Niketan Social Centre Birla)
- Speaker for the Session: M.com Students
- Audience: Women of Kiren Niketan social centre
- No. of participants: 50
- REPORT :
- As a part of 50 years of Golden Jubilee Celebration of M.E.S College of Arts and Commerce Zuarinagar, Goa, M.Com Department - M.Com Part II students organized an extension activity at "Kiren Niketan Social Centre" Birla Zuarinagar on the topic "Financial Literacy" which was conducted on 12<sup>th</sup> August 2022 from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm. The objective of the extension activity was to financially educate and empower the women of the social centre from Zuarinagar and the neighboring areas.

The hands on training session on "Financial Literacy" was guided by the M.Com Programme Mentor, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sancheliana Faria, with Co-Cordinator Asst. Prof. Mr. Suraj P. Tuyekar, Asst. Prof. Mr. Pranit S. Naik and Asst. Prof. Ms. Madhumeeta H. Dhar from M.E.S. College of Arts and Commerce, Zuarinagar, Goa on 12th August 2022 between 9.30 a.m and 1.30 p.m. for 50 Women of Kiren Niketan Social Centre Birla Zuarinagar Goa. Students in charge team leaders were Ms. Trupti Manerker, Ms. Haneen Khan, Ms. Vaishnavi Kumari and Mr. Sunny Passi M.Com Part II were supported by a team of 24 students. The compere was Ms. Haneen Khan, Ms. Vaishali Ralpat and Ms. Lovely Parihar all M.Com Part II students.

The formal function began at 9.30 a.m with the introductory speech by M.Com Part II student Ms. Haneen Khan and Ms. Lovely Parihar. In her address she acknowledged her gratitude to Sr. Phelisen D'souza Directress of Kiren Niketan Social Centre for giving permission to conduct a session on Financial Literacy to the Women of Kiren Niketan. She also expressed her gratitude to the Principal Dr. Manasvi M. Kamat for conducting the Financial Literacy Programme. Sister Phelisen Dsouza also addressed the gathering and conveyed her best wishes to the students of M.E.S College and the participants and encouraged them to ask questions relating to Financial Literacy affecting their day today life. The session commenced at 10.00 am. The session enriched the participants on Women Empowerment and how women can be independent through financial literacy and educated the participants on: the meaning of Financial Literacy and its significance in life, Techniques of managing money, Procedure of opening Account in Banks, Government Schemes, Importance of education, Emergency funds, Fraud cases and Digital Banking like Google Pay through interactive power point presentations and skits. Hands on

training were provided on how to fill deposit pay in slip and withdrawal slip. Students performed a "Act" on the various scams and educated the participants through the act on "Never share bank details like ATM Pin, CVV code and Passwords" and the second Act showed the significance of saving money and government schemes available for the women, financial inclusion and so on so forth. The whole event for the benefit of participants was presented in Hindi and Kannada language and the programme ended at 1.30 pm. On behalf of Management, Principal, faculty and students vote of thanks was proposed by M.Com Programme Mentor, Dr. Sancheliana Faria. Vote of thanks was also proposed by Sister Anne Fernandes and Father Joe Nazareth, Social worker. Sister Anne Fernandes and Father Joe Nazareth also appreciated the efforts taken by the faculties and students of the M.Com Department. Sr. Phelisen Dsouza expressed her gratitude to the students of M.Com Part II, the Faculty Members, Management and the Principal, Dr. Manasvi M. Kamat appreciated their hardwork towards empowering women with the financial literacy programme which made the programme a grand success. She said that all the women learnt a lot from this programme. She also suggested that they would associate with the college in organizing more such extension activities which would benefit the society at large. In total 24 students and 4 M.Com faculties participated in the financial literacy programme. It was a very nice gesture that food was provided by Indian Social Institute bengalote for the M.Com part II students and faculties. One Woman from social centre, Ms. Archana Karmakar a mother, tailoring student and an entrepreneur gave positive feedback on the programme and appreciated the efforts of students and the faculties. She said that the Financial Literacy programme was very useful and beneficial to the women as they were imparted education on various aspects of financial literacy by the students and faculties. The Programme concluded at 1.30 p.m. by singing the National Anthem.

Remarks of the Coordinator: The significance of the extension activity was to enrich the participants on Women Empowerment and how women can be independent through financial literacy.



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