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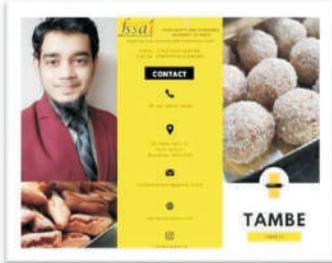
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CARE Incubatee Ayman Tambe Successfully Launched his Enterprise TAMBE SWEETS



Ayman has been manufacturing and marketing 'Sweets of Kokan' like methi ke laddu, khajuri, coco khajuri, almond khajuri, sandan, sakroli, duderi etc. from his home. To start with, he has strategically identified colony like BARC-Anushakti Nagar with a population of around fifty thousand. In the immediate future he intends to market his sweets through various malls in Mumbai.

Ejaz Shaikh has 2 Channels and 430k+ Subscribers on YouTube



Ejaz Shaikh a B.Sc.-IT graduate of 2020 established two YouTube Channels in 2017. '**Ejaz Vlogs**' to share NEWS related to Celebrities, Youtubers & Instagram Influencers and '**Ejaz Lifestyle**' for Roasting & Vlogging. His channels have 315k+ & 115k+ subscribers respectively and over 550+ videos collectively.

Star Of Maharashtra College 2020

24 Students Secured Admission in Various Fields of Medicine



3 in M.B.B.S.:-Zubeda Idrisi, Humera Idrisi & Hamna Ansari

3 in B.H.M.S.:- Shaikh Naveerah, Ansari Munazza, Bano & Shaikh Zubeda Akhlaque

2 in B.U.M.S.:-Balbale Unaiza Junaid & Ismat Faizi Abdul Matin



1 in B.D.S.:-Shifa Shoeb Ahmed Nagdawala

4 in B.P.T.:- Farheen Chandiwala, Shaikh Saadiya, Ansari Saba & Shaikh Areeb

3 in B.Pharm:- Mohammed Shadab Motorwala, Mohd. Amaan & Idridi Fatima



3 in B.Sc. in Occupational Therapy:-Ansari Shazia, Samiya Golandaz & Hiba Azmi

6 in Paramedical Lab Technician:- Shaikh Umme Sharmin, Nikhat Alyani, Ansari Naba, Ansari Muskan, Tamana Banoo Shaikh & Wajiha Fatima

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MAHARASHTRA COLLEGE

OF ARTS, SCIENCE & COMMERCE



OUR VISION

To bring higher education to the doorstep of the economically underprivileged students especially belonging to the Muslim Minority Emphasizing on their all round development



OUR MISSION

To provide opportunity for higher education especially to girls from Muslim Community within their locality. To disseminate quality education and equip the students with tools of gainful employment To encourage and inspire teacher and students to attain excellence in education To develop moral and intellectual outlook among students and inculcate principle of unity and national integration

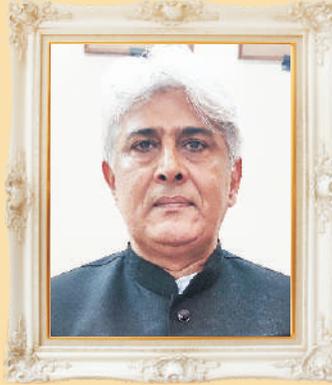


OBJECTIVES

To provide platform for excellence in academic growth to the minority community To Develop among students a sense of self confidence a spirit of competitiveness cooperation and adaptability to face the challenge of future To encourage students to participate in national and international activities in academics sports and co curricular activities To inculcate good moral values and sense of nationalism among the students.

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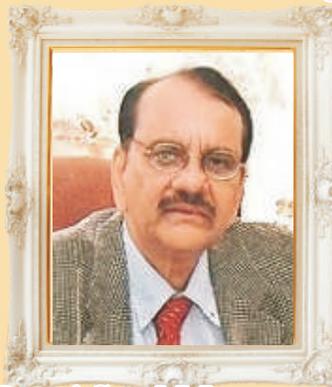
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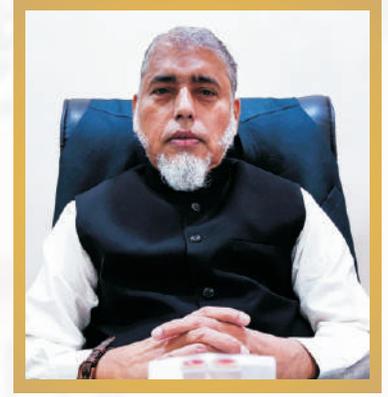
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From

The Desk of the Principal



There have been times in history when the world has faced challenges due to manmade problems. The twenty first century has witness one such challenge which brought the world to a total halt. History, historians and the people of India will always remember 24 March 2020 when the GOI imposed for the first time nationwide lockdown for 21 days to start with to encounter the Covid-19 threat. This kept on extending for almost one and a half year. Over this period the nation underwent a churning on every front and every individual got affected individually and collectively in one way or the other.

The education sector on one hand suffered a lot and on the other hand also gained a lot. Maharashtra College like all educational institutions also witnessed similar ups and downs. The students, the staff and the management of the College have undergone necessary changes to adapt to the situation.

We lost our legendary first Principal Dr. A. A. Munshi due to age related health issues. Many of our retired staff left for heavenly abode affected by Covid. The most hearting part is that though few of our current staff was affected by Covid but all are healthy and hearty and rearing to go.

On 6 April 2021 Covid gave a jolt to the College with the sad demise of our beloved President Padmashre Dr. Fatma Zakaria. Now the reins of the institution were passed on in the hands of young and dynamic Mr. M. Ahmed Khan to steer it towards the future glory.

During these testing times the College has taken strides to sign MOU's with various Colleges, Corporate, Publishing house, NGO's and even an University to work in collaboration for sharing knowledge, hosting webinars and seminars, publishing books and placement and training for students.

The students were continuously motivated to participate in various online competitions, host departmental programs, undertake work from home internship and many more other activities thereby keeping their morale high and in the positive frame of mind.

The College students, teachers and also the alumni association together undertook community outreach programs by participating in raising fund for Covid migrants in Mumbai, Kokan Nisarga Cyclone, Kokan Relief Fund and Kolhapur Relief Fund.

Looking back we all can vouch that we have learned many lessons which will be our guiding stars for molding our future.

Principal
Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale



Message

Dr. Abdul Majid Ansari
Vice Principal

Education is vital and compulsory. But along with it character building is equally important because mere qualification without character can be very dangerous for the society.

We must try to spread education but at the same time we must also focus on virtues.

Today there are large number of qualified persons but how many of them are morally sound?

We need to inculcate the virtues like honesty, sincerity, dedication, hard working, patience, sacrifice, cooperation, helping others, wilderness, politeness, humbleness and true patriotism by serving for the country.

Remember, one qualified but dishonest person may bring more liabilities to the nation than an illiterate honest person.

So, be educated and always be ethical too.

Message

Mr. Suresh Ramnath Gupta
Junior Collge Supervisor



“If you can't do great things, do small things in a great way.”

Yesterday is not ours to recover, but tomorrow is ours to win

or lose. One failure brings down the spirit of students. A single exam or failure does not define who you are . The moment you give up on yourself and stop working hard because you faced a defeat, that's when you are truly defeated. Your failure begins when you refuse to get up. Always remember that there's nothing you cannot achieve, if you work hard. Succeeding in life is easy as long as you believe in yourself. It doesn't matter how slow you go as long as you don't stop.



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Mr. M. Ahmed Khan

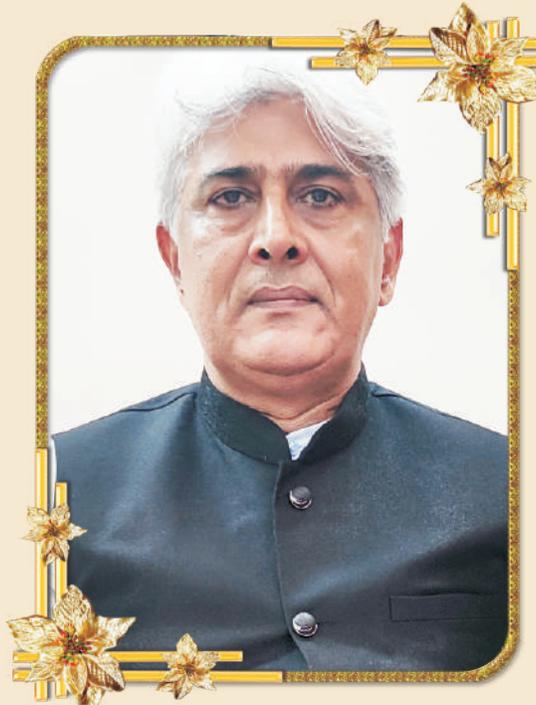
President

Khairul Islam Higher Education Society, Mumbai

A Profile

The Khairul Islam Higher Education Society lost its former president Madam Fatma Zakaria on 6 April, 2021. (It should be noted that Maharashtra College of Arts, Science and Commerce & Dr. Rafiq Zakaria Center for Postgraduate studies and Research are run under the aegis of RIHES.) A meeting of the members of the management was held on 26th August, 2021 to elect the new president of the society. And the young and dynamic Mr. Ahmed Khan, a doyen in the fields of social work as well as education, was elected unopposed as the president of the Khairul

Islam Higher Education Society. Mr. Ahmed Khan's long association with RIHES, his pleasant and approachable personality, his inspiring and leadership, his farsighted ideas for development, his thinking are just a few valuable and the growth and ahead of the curve traits of his idealistic personality that make him an adorable person by one and



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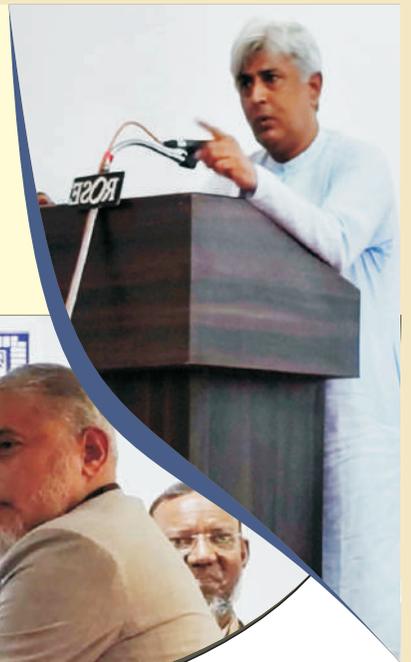
the Governor of Jharkhand. Similarly he has worked as the Education Inspector at the University of Jharkhand. He was the member of Central Board of Film Certification, Govt. of India for two terms. He is also the General Secretary of the Green Movement, Mumbai. He had been appointed as the Secretary of the Mumbai Chindies and Waste Merchants' Association as well. The saga of the services that he rendered for the welfare of all and sundry is never-ending.

It should be noted that Mr. Ahmed Khan was also appointed as the Chairman of the RIHES Society during the life of Late Madam Fatma Rafiq Zakaria. The members of the management and the Principal of Maharashtra college Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale congratulated Mr. Ahmed Khan on his election as the president, and expressed hope that under his visionary leadership the college would go from strength to strength.

MAHARASHTRA COLLEGE FELICITATES

Mr M Ahmed Khan

The New President of KHIES



THE TIMES OF INDIA MUMBAI
MONDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2021

College Funds

When principal Dr Sirajuddin Chougale and the staff of Maharashtra College of Arts Science and Commerce at Central Mumbai recently felicitated M Ahmed Khan, the newly elected president of Khairul Islam Higher Education Society which runs the institution, many recalled its history. Located amidst working class people, the college has helped educate three generations of poor, predominantly Muslim students, who would have otherwise dropped out after SSC. Before scholar and educationist Dr Rafiq Zakaria became the society's founding president in 1968, one noble soul, Mohammed Ali Miththa, and his friends virtually begged to raise funds for the college. Octogenarian professor Haji Kalania recalled an interesting incident. The then young Kalania would accompany Miththa to a mosque in Hajli Ali to offer morning prayers. Once an Arab came and began distributing Rs 100 notes to each of the beggars outside the mosque. Miththa prodded Kalania to queue up behind him. "I tried to reason with him that the Arab was helping the beggars but Miththa sahib was adamant. That day we earned Rs 200 through begging and deposited it to the college's funds," said Kalania.

(Contributed by Sharmila Ganesan Ram & Mohammed Wajihuddin. Compiled by Rucha Biju Chitrodia)

KHIES's Maharashtra College of Arts, Science and Commerce and Rafiq Zakaria Centre for Post Graduate Studies and Research organized a Felicitation Ceremony on 18th of September, 2021 in the college hall to honor MR. Mohammed Ahmed Khan for being unanimously elected as the President of Khairul Islam Higher Education Society, founded by educationist and philanthropist Mohammed Ali Mitha.

The esteemed guests at the event included members of the KHIES, Prof. H.N. Kalaniya,

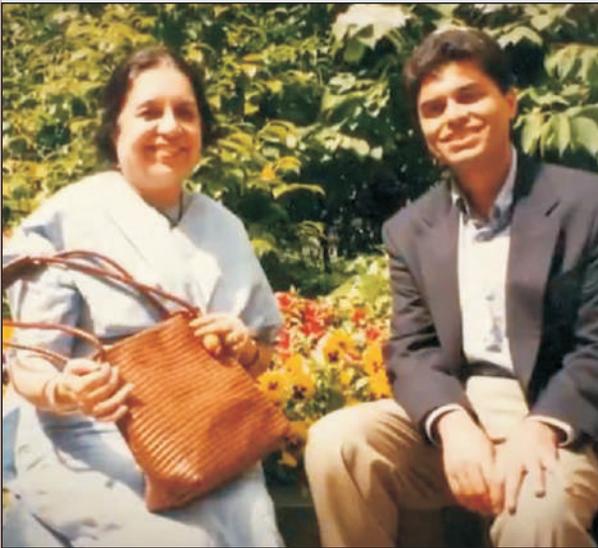
General Secretary, Prof. Dr. M.A. Waheed, Dr. Khalil E. Mukadam, Treasurer, Dr. Syed Munnawar Ali Razvi, Academic Coordinator, Mr. Sarfaraz Arzu, acting Chairman and Trustee of the All India Khilafat Committee Trust and media persons from Hindustan, Sahafat, Times of India and Janmabhumi and teaching and non-teaching staff of the College.

*Tribute to a
Passing Soul*

PADMASHRI

*Fatma
Zakaria*

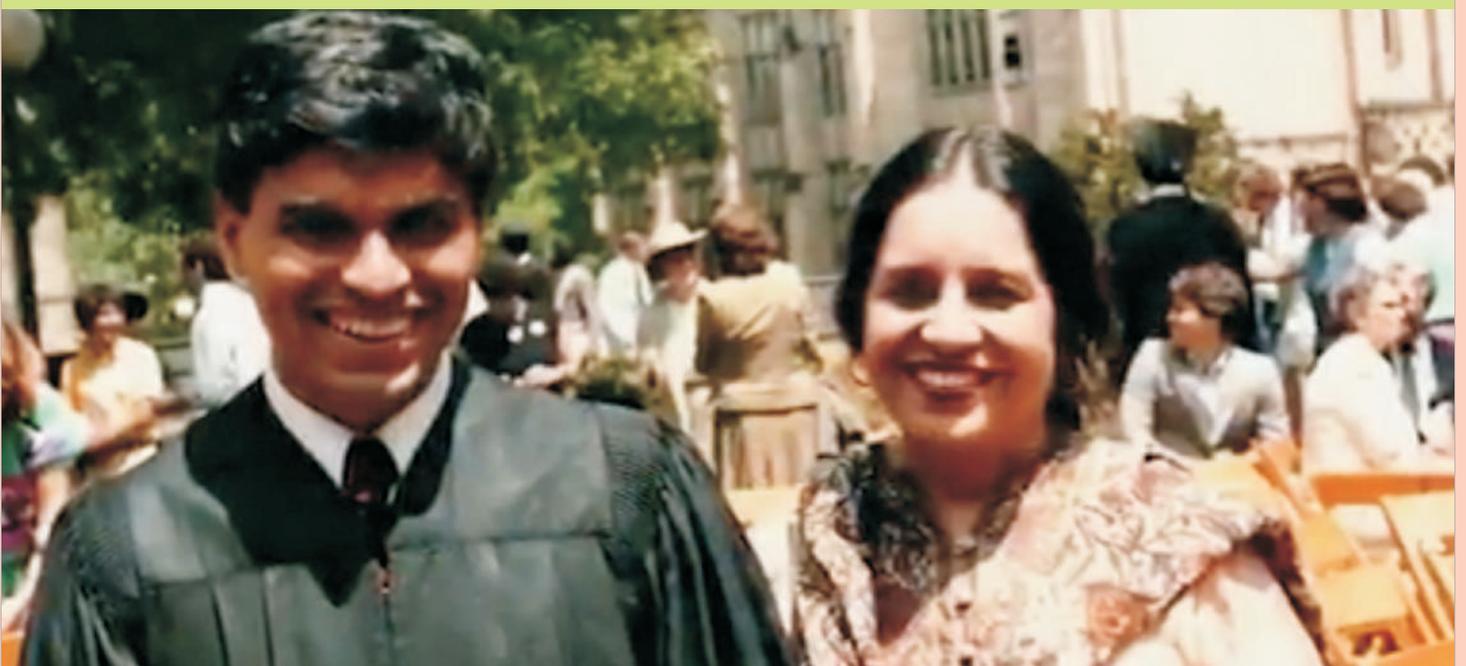
1936 - 2021



Fareed Zakaria



My mother, Fatma Zakaria, passed away last night at 85. She lived a long, rich, eventful life, with children and grandchildren whom she adored. She loved this photograph.





Obituary

Empress of Education Bids Adieu

Professor
Shamsurrah Khan



“Education is an important medium of social transformation. The benefits of education and training ultimately accrue to multiple sectors of society.”

Mrs. Fatma Zakaria (1936-2021)

“Goodbye ma, I love you,” concludes the US-based renowned global media personality, intellectual and thinker Dr. Fareed Zakaria in a tearful tone in his show 'Fareed Zakaria GPS' on CNN on Monday, April 12, 2021. He was paying tribute to his mother Mrs. Fatma Zakaria who had breathed her last almost a week ago in the Indian city of Aurangabad. A son was pained, but he was not alone. There were innumerable along with him across the globes who were mourning the loss of a grand figure that had transformed countless lives through her life-long devoted services.

Mrs. Fatma Zakaria was a towering personality. She was a trained social worker, veteran journalist, renowned educationist, noted academician, able administrator, chairperson of many reputed institutions and Padma Shri awardee. She had a long career spanning over 50 years and left indelible imprints in fields as varied as social work, journalism, publishing and education.

Glimpses of Early Life

Mrs. Fatma Zakaria was born on February 17, 1936 in Mumbai, then Bombay. She studied at the Prestigious Isabella Thoburn College, popularly known as IT College in Lucknow. Later, she joined the Institute of Social Work at Nirmala Niketan in Mumbai and qualified as a professional social worker.

Relationship with Pen

In 1963, Mrs. Fatma Zakaria started her journalism career under the legendary editor and 'dream boss' of every budding journalist, Mr. Khushwant Singh. From 1970 to 1980, she rose through the ranks in the Illustrated Weekly of India becoming Sub-editor & Chief-sub-editor first and Assistant Editor later.

Thereafter, she worked as Senior Assistant Editor and later Acting Resident Editor at the Times of India for ten years. Mrs. Fatma Zakaria also worked as the editor of the coffee table magazine Taj, a quarterly publication by the Taj group of hotels. During her career as a journalist, Mrs. Fatma Zakaria wrote extensively, mainly on political and cultural affairs.

Spreading the Light of Education

Mrs. Fatma Zakaria played a very productive role in the field of education. She had been associated with Maulana Azad Educational Trust (MA&T) and Maulana Azad Education Society (MA&S) since their very inception in 1962. Under the chairmanship of her renowned husband, the late Dr. Rafiq Zakaria, she worked as a Managing Trustee in founding over 15 colleges including a girl's college and institutions in Aurangabad. These institutions provide high-quality education to around 15000 students in three beautiful campuses with state-of-the-art infrastructure. She toiled selflessly to improve the quality



of these educational institutions, brought in foreign educational collaborations and ultimately made them comparable to the best centres of learning in Asia.

She also served as the Executive Vice-Chairman of the Board of Governors for the Trust's Institute of Hotel Management in collaboration with the Taj Group of Hotels. She also introduced hotel management course in alliance with a British University.

Besides these institutions, she acted as the Chairperson of the All India Khilafat Committee which runs colleges of education in Mumbai. After the death of her husband in 2005, she worked as the President of Khairul Islam Higher Education Society (KIHEES), Mumbai, which manages the reputed Maharashtra College of Arts, Science & Commerce and Dr. Rafiq Zakaria Centre for Postgraduate Studies and Research, Mumbai. She was also a member of the Senate of the University of Mumbai as the Chancellor's nominee from January 2000 for a period of five years.

Awards

Mrs. Fatma Zakaria was honoured with Sarojini Naidu Integration Award for Journalism in 1983. In 2006 she was awarded Padma Shri by the Government of India in for her extensive work in the field of education and The University of Huddersfield, UK bestowed upon her the honorary Doctorate in Education for her contribution to international education

Tributes Pouring In

Below is the reproduction of some of the messages and tributes from the people who knew her from close quarters:

"Late Madam Fatma Zakria was the person standing steadfastly behind the great and glorious personality of Late Dr. Rafiq Zakaria. She was kind, approachable, dainty, graceful and cheerful. With a beaming smile on her face, she was always within easy reach for us.

Her personality stood like a cool, shady tree for the people who reeled under the sunlight of angry nature of Dr. Sahab. She was not only talented and insightful but also a very good administrator.

She would reprimand someone for a mistake so gently that the person would resolve determinedly to never commit the same mistake again.

She was fond of preparing meals and serving it to her near and dear ones. The fortunate like us –who had got the pleasure of basking under her motherly affection- whenever we were invited at her home, we would be on cloud nine that today we would delight in her lavish and gracious hospitality.

Her sad demise gives me a feeling as if I have lost a motherly figure.

May Allah forgive her and grant her the highest abode in Paradise. Aameen!"

M. Ahmed Khan : President, Khairul Islam Higher Education Society (KIHEES), Mumbai

"Madam Fatma Zakria shall remain alive in the memories of each and every individual she interacted with for she was the light which expelled darkness and led towards prosperity." Prof. HN Kalaniya : General Secretary KIHE Society, Mumbai



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“Madam Fatma Zakaria was not merely a name or a designation, but she was a living example of humbleness, perfection, cheerfulness, elegance, soft-talking and kindness. The civic values that she represented, are becoming extinct in our society these days. After seeing her way of dressing, her way of living one felt that some fairy tale character from 'Alf Laila' had come for a walk amongst us.” Dr. A. G. Khan : Executive Member, RİH& Society, Mumbai

“I recall distinct memories of Padmashri Fatma Zakaria madam which shall remain engraved forever in my mind.

During my interview for the post of Principal, she asked me how much time I shall devote to the college to which I replied 24x7. She gave a beaming smile and said, “I will check”. Thereafter, whenever she came to college (fortunately this was the time she always visited college when she came to Mumbai which was something rare), she always patted me for the progress of the college.

Before taking charge as Principal, I visited Aurangabad along with other management members at her request. I cannot forget the moment when we reached there, she herself was waiting with a beautiful bouquet to welcome me, as if a mother was welcoming her son's homecoming. The hospitality we received over two days of stay was awesome. I got another opportunity to visit Aurangabad to celebrate her 78th birthday.

She was very fond of flowers and serving meals. Her home both in Aurangabad and Mumbai had exotic flowers on display. People always waited for invite from her for lunch or dinner. I was fortunate to dine both in her Aurangabad and Mumbai residences.

Whenever I was with her, I always felt as if I was with my mother.

May Allah forgive her and place her in the highest abode, Jannatul Firdous, Aameen!”

Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale : Principal, Maharashtra College, Mumbai

“Life was never the same again in Mumbai after Dr Rafiq Zakaria had exited. Life at the beautiful educational campus Dr Rafiq Zakaria built in Aurangabad will never be the same again after Fatma Zakaria's departure.” : Mohammad Wajihuddin, Times of India

“I couldn't have been a film critic without her [Mrs. Fatma Zakaria]. She saw a spark in me even while I was a trainee.” : Film critic Khalid Mohamed

“She [Mrs. Fatma Zakaria] is part of my memory of life-making kindness when I was starting out.

“...there was Fatma Zakaria, Mrs Zakaria to me. So regal in her bearing, so elegant in her sarees, she reminded me of a kindly queen from an empire run from Bori Bunder where commoners like me from Bihar were prohibited from entering until Mrs Zakaria opened the doors to heaven. I was suddenly writing for the Sunday edition of the most famous newspaper in India.” Journalist Subhash R Jha

“Khuda hafiz, Fatma Zakaria – an unruffled editor and gracious host.” Journalist Shobhaa De

The life of Mrs. Fatma Zakaria is so rich and eventful that it's difficult to encapsulate it in a few pages. For the time being, I draw curtains, say goodbye to the noble soul and join countless others to pray for her forgiveness and a blissful abode in Paradise.

Alvida, ma' am! May the Almighty accept your good deeds and reward you well in the life hereafter for all you did for the weak and underprivileged! Alvida to the empress of education...



PANDEMIC OVERVIEW ON ONLINE EDUCATION

Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale
Principal

The Covid Pandemic has taken a great toll on the education system and on all the stakeholders especially the students. Almost for two precious years the students have been deprived of physical interaction that schools and colleges provide. These two years they have become slave of the 'mobile'. Excessive exposure to the net has made them addict to the media. Now apart from their daily dose of online teaching both school and classes, remaining time is also devoted to online surfing. Parents are unaware of the sites they excess and explore. Chances are high that they are trapped in illicit websites that may erode their morals in the time to come. This is a big blow for the young generation as they grow.

The teachers have been learning new skills to handle the new medium of teaching. When someone is pushed in the water and has no option but to learn to swim to save oneself, it has been the same conditions for the teachers. They had to take a plunge and start adjusting and learning new skills to understand and tackle the medium. At times they had to take the help of their own students or their children have to overcome the hurdle. Teachers who were on the verge of retirement also overcame the challenge. This brought forth the factor that age is not a barrier for learning. It is to the credit of the teachers that they overcame the technology related learning disability very quickly. To go an extra mile many teachers became innovative in teaching online.

Online and out of sight from the teachers the school kids have a faceless tutor. It becomes difficult for the teachers to mentor the students. The teachers are helpless and so are the parents. These young minds are missing a very crucial input which plays an important role in molding them for a lifetime. To imagine the outcome because of absence of the input of these ingredients is scary. With no hands on training and only theoretical inputs (that too online) the students who have passed their exams and especially their graduations will find it difficult to get foothold in the market. There are large numbers of students who because of the problem of not having appropriate devices and no consistent network have lost umpteen hours of online education. Students from rural and semi urban areas are the major sufferers. Similarly poverty has always been a hurdle in acquiring education and with online mode of education the students from these strata have been literally thrown out of reach.

In conclusion we have to agree that on one hand some students and institutions may have gained technically but on the other hand in general the student community and the education sector has eroded their values which will be difficult to fill in the years to come. But as it is said that every coin has two sides, keeping this in mind we should try to turn the coin and see the brighter side of the situation. So, in spite of all odds, we should take it as a challenge or even opportunity to come out with new ideas, techniques and strategies.

For example the lock down has provided ample time and this free time can be used to read, learn and train ourselves. We can learn soft skills, new languages give flight to our fantasy by writing stories and poems; start painting, explore our hobbies and latent talent and so on, the sky is the limit.

Let's not waste this opportunity. Let's use this for the benefit of ourselves, family, friends, relatives, community and country. The parents need to play a pivotal role in this transformation which is their duty. This is because we need to keep it in mind that the online or work from home is surely here to stay even after we overcome the covid pandemic.



Maharashtra College

Life Long LESSONS *From The* COLLEGE



Dr. Abdul Majid Ansari
Vice-Principal

When students join the college, most of them have the aim to get a degree only. This is important and necessary but not sufficient.

In fact the college life teaches many more important aspects of life and the students must keep in mind the other broader aspects of education and take home all of these along with their degree.

Some very important attributes are:

1. DISCIPLINE:

The biggest lesson college teaches to a student is discipline. He or she becomes more responsible. They learn that everything that happens to them and their success or failure is almost entirely dependent on them. They become self-motivated.

2. TIME MANAGEMENT:

Apart from studies, most of the college students have other commitments such as tuitions, family work, job etc. Juggling with them isn't easy. College life is a crash course in efficient time management. Out of compulsion, the students learn the techniques of effective time management.

3. BEING PROACTIVE:

College is filled with interactions with others, such as professors, teammates on a group project. Students communicate with others to be pleasant, but disagreements or tricky situations will probably arise a few times during their college career. All these events lead them to become proactive and find solutions in advance. Because of this they develop the ability to deal difficult conversations with other people without stressing.

4. GAIN PERSEVERANCE:

For Students College is not always easy. From difficult courses to stress from balancing work, college and family, there are likely times when they feel like giving up. They struggle and struggle well. In the due course of time they gain perseverance as a key factor in making it through. The early and tough years struggles help in achieving greater success for them. They also develop lots of good habits.

5. TEAMWORK:

Students learn the art of working in a team. In college they work with Professors, classmates, friends and family are all there to support them when they need it. A lifelong supportive circle is also developed. Helping each other become a habit of most of them.

6. SELF-LEARNING:

One of the most important aspects of college life is that it makes students self-learners. As grown up students they need to take every activity on their own and find a solution to this. College life teaches self-learning. Students can learn new skills. College places students in situations where the answers don't always come easily. Therefore they have plenty of opportunities to take learning into their own hands and find a way to acquire the skills they need to turn their dreams into reality.



7. INTEGRITY:

College gives students plenty of opportunities to strengthen their personal integrity and stay true to values. They become honest, hardworking, sincere, dedicated and responsible towards themselves, their life, family, friends and society.

8. LEARNING BEYOND THE BOOKS:

College gives students the knowledge to take the next step on their career path. The basics are ready and they are able to develop their future on the basis of these fundamentals of life.

It's true that the college journey is an investment and those students reap best results who learn these characteristics from the college.

Remember that the success in life does not have any elevator, we need to take stairs.

Research Scholars in Commerce



Ms. Qudsia Virani: The Role of Out of House (OOH) Advertising Media in creating effective Brand Awareness with special reference to Mumbai (A Case Study of Loreal).

Abstract: A consumer sees outdoor advertising almost every day. It is said that hundreds of outdoor advertisements are seen by customers every day, more if living in a city like Mumbai. Doing it the right way is imperative; else it is simply a waste. Out-of-home (OOH) advertising is a broad term that describes any type of advertising that reaches the consumer when he/she is outside of the home.

Ms. Shah Miloni: A Critical Study of Jain Women Entrepreneurs with special reference to their contribution towards women empowerment in Mumbai.

Abstract: The Indian economy has been seeing a drastic change and huge developments since the mid 1991. However, any strategy aimed at economic development will be lop-sided without involving women, which is half of the population. This development and support is more so needed when we look at women entrepreneurship in a minority community like the Jain Community. Through the research, study will show how the women of such a minority community have over time developed and contributed to the society and economy.



Ms. Farheen Sayyad: Topic: Micro Health Insurance (MHI): A Comparative Study between Conventional Health Insurance & Community Based Health Insurance in Mumbai & Thane.

Abstract: India is a developing country with huge population & a



wide range of prevalent health problems. Despite huge population, only few people are covered under the health insurance services. Micro Health insurance pools the resources to mitigate health risks and cover health care services in full or in part for those people who are unable to bear high premiums of normal health insurance. It is very important for the Insurance providers to fill the gap in health services of underprivileged by providing them affordable health insurance plans.



Mr. Mir Riyazul Haque: A study of various facilities offered to tourist by MTDC for Promotion of Tourism in Maharashtra with special reference to Beach Tourism in Kokan.

Abstract: State of Maharashtra has the longest coastline of 720-km. The Government of Maharashtra has provided an impetus for providing various facilities to tourist in beach tourism. There are no scientific studies on this topic. Hence, the present study aimed to understand Facilities available for tourist from the supply side (that is, service providers) and demand side (that is, the guests. The study aims to investigate the perception of guests/travelers using the facilities establishments. Such a unified view serves as a comprehensive study offering actionable findings and suggestions, besides adding up as a pioneering study in the literature.

Mr. Inamurrahman Abullais: Analytical Study of Local FMCG brands with reference to contribution in the growth of Commerce in Malegoan (District Nasik) since 2011.

Abstract: Fast-Moving Consumer Goods (FMCG) or Consumer Packaged Goods (CPG) is products that are sold quickly and at a relatively low cost. Examples include non-durable goods such as packaged foods, beverages, toiletries, over-the-counter drugs, and other consumables. While it's not possible for popular brand to put specialized attention on particular niche market on the same line, local brand have too limitations to understand consumer behavior for developing market in an organized form. When two brands work in one segment, competing to each other many have potential threat as new entrance in same market leads to innovation or modification in existing product. These changes in existing product have greater impact on consumer behavior.





IMPORTANCE OF STUDYING AND COMPARING RELIGIONS

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Religions have exerted massive power on the way of life since the beginning of the human race. It has been established that Religions do have links with each other and they neither exist nor are they studied in a vacuum.

Encyclopaedia Britannica has described Religion in terms of the relationship of human beings with that which they consider sacred, holy, divine, absolute, spiritual and worthy of special reverence. It also consists of the concerns of people regarding the purpose of life and their fate after death. It includes the relationship of humans with God and their attitude towards it. From this, stems the attitude towards other human beings and nature.

Individuals and societies are motivated by their religious identities to take action in the world. These actions have positive effects such as extending outreach programs and providing a sense of security or negative effects such as intolerance and violence. In order to comprehend the motivations behind the thoughts and behaviours of people of different faiths, it is essential to understand their religious ideals. It is one way of reducing the misunderstandings, sectarianism and conflicts encountered in today's world.

Interaction with other communities and cultures is inevitable. In order to understand others, awareness of various sets of values, ideals and customs is essential. If each one knows more of the other, prejudices will be overcome and relations between people will be better. The media and some segments of society create stereotypical images of people from other faiths. Knowledge and understanding of different faiths will help to combat the stereotype and build amicable relations.

Followers of each religion have propagated it as the best to attain peace and prosperity in this life and the Hereafter without analysing the philosophies of other existing religions. In fact, many of them do not possess a correct understanding of their own religion to designate it as the best for all. This has led to hatred, jealousy and enmity among adherents of various religions to such an extent that it has even led to wars causing destruction to life and property.

Huge inequalities exist in societies in spite of adopting principles of equity in theory. Such gaps have been filled by ideologies such as Marxism and Communism that abandon religion altogether. However, confusions regarding a guided way of life still persist.

The other easy way is to accept that all religions lead to the same end and no effort is taken to study them all. To avoid any trouble, people neither contradict their own religion or



other religions, nor praise any. Another category of people who find that their own religion is not very logical and that it contradicts the scientific principles of society, abandon religion altogether considering that all religions are illogical and not required for a progressive society. They do not have an idea of any religion and denounce the institution of religion altogether. Hence enmity between followers of different religions is not due to religion itself but due to lack of adequate knowledge about one's own religion and other religions. The only solution therefore is to study judiciously the religion adopted by us and other important religions existing in the world.

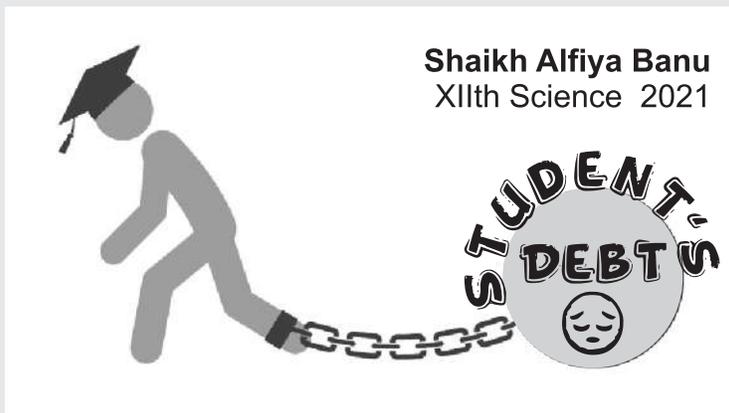
Knowledge and awareness of different religions creates compassion and tolerance for others. Comparative religious studies can be a source of firmness and commitment in our own religion once we are convinced of its clarity and superiority. This will enrich our religious practices and moral conduct.

Students are considered important as they are the future of our country. If most students are educated, developed and skillful, that country will develop and become economically stable. But this will be possible if students are allowed to go for higher studies and make progress in their educational life.

Pursuing higher education is becoming a more requisite in people's futures and business firms are expecting potential employees to have higher professional degrees. As a degree becomes more of a requirement, students are having a hard time keeping up with the financial cost of obtaining it. The reason is because colleges are increasing tuition fees, on top of that, there are exam fees and the board each other fees from year.

Students themselves stuck decision of going being in debt, or job. But taking up fulfill the acquire a degree stereotypical path. The student increasing over the years which has been affecting the economy as students are forced to earn enough money to pay back the loans, hold off on major purchases that can improve their way of life.

However there are certain scholarship programs running throughout India to help those students financially so that they become successful in their Educational life and help them to make a better future for our country. With the help of these scholarships, the problem of student debt is decreasing.



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Being Thankful

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The word gratitude comes from the Latin word gratia, which means grace, graciousness, or gratefulness (depending on the context). Gratitude encompasses all of these meanings in some ways. Gratitude is a grateful appreciation for what one receives, whether it is tangible or intangible. People who are grateful acknowledge the goodness in their lives.

People frequently realise that the source of that kindness is at least partially outside of themselves during this process. As a result, gratitude allows people to connect to something bigger than themselves - whether it's other people, nature, or a greater force.

Gratitude is strongly and persistently connected with greater happiness in positive psychology research. Gratitude aids people in experiencing more positive emotions, appreciating wonderful experiences, improving their health, dealing with hardship, and developing great connections.

Here are some suggestions for practising appreciation on a regular basis.

Write a thank-you note to the person who helped you. Writing a thank-you note or email expressing your satisfaction and appreciation of that person's impact on your life will make you happier and develop your relationship with that individual. If at all possible, send it or, better yet, deliver and read it in person. Make it a monthly habit to send at least one thanksgiving note. Write one to yourself every now and again.

Count your blessings: Pick a time every week to sit down and write about your blessings- reflecting on what went right or what you are grateful for. Especially during this pandemic, we are indeed so blessed to see another day. As you write it down in a journal, be specific and think about the sensations you felt when something good happened to you.

Thank someone mentally: No time to write? It may help just to think about someone who has done something nice for you, and mentally thank the individual.

Pray: People who are religious can use prayer to cultivate gratitude.

With each holiday season comes high expectations for a cosy/festive time of the year. However, for many this time of the year is tinged with sadness, anxiety or depression. Some people feel lost or overwhelmed at this time of the year. Research and common sense both suggests that one aspect of any festival is "Being Grateful" which leads to sharing and the spread of happiness.

"Happiness is not getting what you want all the time. It's about loving what you have and being grateful about it."



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COVID 19 PANDEMIC AND LITERARY RECEPTIVITY



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Literature has a vital role to play in framing our responses to the Covid-19 pandemic. With the sudden paralysis that the Covid 19 virus had created across the globe, with worldwide lockdown, failing economy, quarantine, fear and death looming around, literature as always had helped humanity to retain its sanity, offered much in the way of catharsis, ways of processing strong emotion, and political commentary on how human beings respond to public health crises.

The new literature that gained prominence during pandemic lockdown is that of literature on microbes, isolation, fear, hopelessness and an unparalleled desire to beat the severity of Covid 19 virus. However, it is nothing new. Literature as always had performed the role of a mirror to the society. Not to forget Homer's Iliad and Boccaccio's Decameron to Stephen King's The Stand and Ling Ma's Severance, stories about pandemics have – over the history of Western literature such as it is have offered the much needed advice, suggestions and lessons to live with epidemics, sickness, isolation and loss.

The pandemic literature that cropped up especially in the Indian subcontinent during the Covid 19 pandemic from literary desks of contemporary Indian writers like Shobha De (No Love Lost and Other Stories, Lockdown Liaisons), SiddharthGigoo(Love in the Time of Quarantine) and lesser known writer like Gayatri Gill (The Day Before Today) have focused not only on the pain of suffering, loss on multiple levels but have touched each and every chord of human existence that was seeing life from a dark lens; difficult to believe but no choice has to experience it. Besides the

novels that captured the shelves of most of the households, the world of poetry too made its way into the heart of numerous literature lovers. Singing in the Dark, edited by K. Satchidanandan, a Random House initiative to capture the emotions of more than 100 poets from 6 continents is a collection of poems choking with anguish, rage, disappointment and disillusionment.

Time and again a vital question that has kept the literary minds engaged is, “in times of such acute desperation and uncertainty, what is the role of Literature?”The literary output of the time is itself an answer to this nagging question. When the discourse of the day is about the microbes, social distancing, quarantine, vaccinations and life and death, then definitely the literary discourse will be nothing but a reflection of such anxious times. The pandemic literature, in short can be summarized what C.P. Shafeeq captures in his poem Covid 19.

A virus can change your life
As it is with the humanity now;
And that created a new world order
Where paradoxes rule
Over the rule of normalcy,
Where quarantine is socializing
Untouchability isn't a crime,
And a mask isn't a taboo
The poets who envisaged
The vastness of the world are
Shrank to fortified walls
By applying hand sanitizer
As frequently as they could.
This reminds me of that critic
And his language of paradox
Which is now applied
Beyond the horizons of Poetry!



Department of Botany (Research Guide)

Maharashtra College
MUMBAI
MAHARASHTRA COLLEGE
WISDOM INCREASES ME IN KNOWLEDGE

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I joined Maharashtra College in July 2015. In March 2017, I had been recognized as Ph. D. guide of Mumbai University in the subject of Botany. In the same year, the University of Mumbai recognized our department as a Research Center with five Ph. D. students in intake capacity. Presently three students registered for Ph. D. degrees under my supervision. And more than 12 students successfully completed their M. Sc. projects (dissertations). My specialization is Mycology and Plant pathology.

All the three students are doing research in different applied aspects of Botany such as Medicinal Botany and Fungal Biotechnology. My first two students Mrs. Nikhat Shaikh and Mrs. Supriya Janbandhu are working on Antioxidant, antimicrobial activities and phytochemical analysis of Euphorbiaceae and Ceasalpinaceae family respectively. Third student Miss. Amrin Ansari is working on 'Isolation, purification and characterization of Pectinase from fungi'. We choose these topics because plants are diverse chemical synthesizing machinery as they produce and assimilates millions of chemical compounds in their life cycle for their proper growth, development, reproduction, and protection from their invaders. These chemicals having potential and can be utilized for the welfare of human beings after proper evaluations in a scientific way. According to one estimation, more than 2.5 lakh higher plants species exist on this planet out of which only ten percent species have been evaluated for their bioactivities such as antimicrobial, antioxidant, antiviral, antidiabetics, and so on. Such chemical compounds can be exploited in different industries like Pharmaceuticals, Agrochemicals, Herbal Drugs, etc.

Antioxidants compounds are capable to inhibit or scavenge the free radicals from the human body that deteriorate the human health and also responsible for causing different diseases such as cancer, hypertension, heart attack, diabetes, atherosclerosis, and other degenerative diseases. Most of the antioxidants are manufactured synthetically but exhibits some side effects. On the hand, antimicrobial agents are just like antibiotics as they kill or inhibit the growth of microorganisms but derived from other than microorganism. We are witnessing the role played by antibiotics to save the life of millions of people especially during the Second World War (1939-1945). After discovery of an antibiotics Penicillin by Sir Alexander Fleming researchers spent a lot of time in search of new antibiotics throughout the world from different sources and even still searching because these antibiotics are specific in nature and due to indiscriminate use of antibiotics various pathogens have been developed resistance to the available antibiotics. Therefore, we must search the new antibiotics or antimicrobial agents from different sources like plants with a different mode of actions.

My one student is working on enzyme Pectinase. Enzymes are nothing but biocatalysts that alter the rate of biochemical reactions in the living system without taking part in the



reaction. They are necessary to do the normal functioning of life. There are hundreds of enzymes that have been reported and isolated from different living organisms. These enzymes play an important role in various industries for the production of particular products from Bakery to the textile industry. Industrially important enzymes, pectinases hold a special significance due to their several uses in different industries such as food, textile, and bio-fuel, etc. and thus capturing 25% of the total enzyme market of the world. Most of the commercial preparations of pectinases are produced from fungal sources. Pectinases can be classified into acidic and alkaline pectinases based on the pH requirement for optimum enzymatic activity. Our main objective is to search for a new potent pectinase-producing fungal strain with a wide range of pH and temperature tolerance.

Overall our research is mainly focusing on searching new noble chemical compounds from plants and fungi.

These works cannot be accomplished without the support of Management, Principal, and ex and current HODs for providing all the necessary requirements from glassware to instruments. On behalf of my students and department, I am thankful to the Management and our visionary Principal for their consistent support and expecting the same in future too.

Department of Botany (Research Scholars)



Mrs. Nikhat Shaikh

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I am working on 'Antioxidant, antimicrobial activities and phytochemical analysis of Euphorbiaceae' since 2019 under the supervision of Dr. Zafar S. Khan in the Department of Botany.

Antioxidants are molecules that can scavenge free radicals from the human body. Free radicals have been playing an important role in affecting human health by causing several chronic diseases such as cancer, diabetes, aging, atherosclerosis, hypertension, heart attack, and other degenerative diseases. At present, most of the antioxidants are manufactured synthetically. The main disadvantage with synthetic antioxidants is the side effects. Fungi and bacteria cause diseases to men and plants, especially in tropical regions. Despite the availability of potent antifungal and antibacterial agents, resistant or multi-resistant strains are continuously appearing, imposing the need for a search antimicrobial agents from different sources and the development of antifungal or antibacterial compounds. Members of the Euphorbiaceae family are used in traditional folklore medicine to cure various ailments in developing countries as it produces a huge number of secondary metabolites. These compounds are the potential to cure different diseases caused by pathogens.

Scope: It is expected that the plants from the Euphorbiaceae family possess significant antioxidant, antimicrobial agents that can serve as free radical inhibitors or scavengers, or fungicides and bactericides like antibiotics to control fungal and bacterial diseases of men and plants. In agriculture, it may be used as biofungicide against plant pathogens. These molecules can be used by Pharmaceutical industries and Agrochemical industries to manufacture drugs and fungicides/bactericides respectively.



Department of Botany (Research Scholars)

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I am working on 'Isolation, purification and characterization of Pectinase from fungi' from 2020 under the supervision of Dr. Zafar S. Khan in the Department of Botany.

Enzymes are substances present in the cells of living organisms in small amounts which are capable of speeding up biochemical reactions without themselves being altered after the completion of the reaction. The demand for industrial enzymes has been increased to new heights which tends for constant research and development to optimize their production and minimize resource costs. Out of the total enzymes being used industrially, more than half are extracted from fungi and yeast, one-third are obtained from bacterial systems, and the remaining are from animal (8 %) and plants (4 %) sources. Industrially important enzymes, pectinases hold a special significance due to their multiple uses in important sectors namely food, textile, and bio-fuel industries thus capturing 25% of the total enzyme market (Rombouts and Pilnik,1980). Pectic substances are the complex polysaccharides present in the middle lamella of plants cells and are degraded by a group of enzymes called pectinases. Pectinases can isolate from both plants and microbes. Many plant pathogenic bacteria and fungi have long been known to produce pectinolytic enzymes and it is widely accepted that the production of these enzymes is a major means by which these microorganisms invade the host tissue. Almost all the commercial preparations of pectinases are produced from fungal sources. Based on the pH requirement for optimum enzymatic activity, pectinases can be classified into acidic and alkaline pectinases. Acidic pectinases are mainly used in the fruit industry and winemaking. Most commonly these are isolated from fungal sources, especially from *A. niger*. Alkaline pectinases are used mainly in the degumming and retting of fiber crops, pre-treatment of pectic wastewater from the fruit juice industry, production of paper and pulp, oil extraction, coffee, and tea fermentation. Pectic enzymes are also involved in wood preservation. This is because the pH optima of enzymes produced by fungal strains are naturally in a wide range found in materials to be processed. Due to the potential and wide applications of pectinases, there is a need to do more research in recent developments on several aspects related to their productions. Therefore in the present study fungal strains are selected and efforts will be made to isolate, purify and characterize pectinases that are having efficient in the production of pectinase; and having more temperature and pH tolerance levels.

Scope: Fungi are potent producers of pectic enzymes and the optimal pH of fungal enzymes are very close to the pH of many fruit juices. There is a possibility to get more efficient pectinases producing fungal species which can tolerate a wide range of physical parameters and may be used for the production of various products at the commercial level.



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METAL MIRROR OF ARANMULA: A METALLURGICAL MARVEL OF KERALA



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“Tradition is tending to the fire, and not worshipping the ashes” – Gustav Mahler

Be it the Taj Mahal or the Iron Pillar, India has always attracted global attention to her ancient architectural, scientific and technological innovations. Amongst these marvellous creations, there exists innumerable underdog sculpts whose crafts are popular yet very few of us know their prominence in detail and one such exceptional tour-de-force which received a GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION (GI) tag is the famous ARANMULA MIRROR.

Aranmula, a town in the Pathanamthitta district of Kerala boasts of being home to the famous Aranmula Kannadi. Kannadi means Mirror in Malayalam, and Aranmula Kannadi is exceptional for it is made up of a metal alloy in striking contrast to the ordinary mirrors made up of cut-glass. The amalgamation of this alloy is known only to the members of the family who have been in its making for centuries together. Metallurgists claim it to be a special combination of copper and tin; however the exact composition of the same remains known, only to the makers of this marvellous masterpiece.

The alloy is manually polished for several days by means of the old and traditional low-tech process only to attain a sophisticated reflective surface at the end. This mirror, thus, has a first reflective surface, whereas the usual glass mirror has a second reflective surface owing to the mercury paste on its back surface. The first reflective surface of Aranmula mirror thereby has an advantage over usual mirrors as it eliminates secondary reflections and deviations and also any aberrations caused in the back surface mirrors. Apart from this, when it comes to socio-environmental factors, mercury pollution arising in the making of the usual mirror is yet another factor that is ruled out in this process, thus gaining it yet another feather on the hat.

Legendary tale says that centuries ago, eight families, proficient in temple crafts and architecture from Tirunelveli district of Tamil Nadu, were invited by the royal chief to work on the mirrors of the Parthasaarathy temple. These families mastered the art of making unique mirrors and settled in Aranmula since then, passing on their family secret to future generations.

These exquisite mirrors have great significance not only scientifically but also it is considered as a price collection by art lovers globally. The British Museum in London has managed to display a 45 centimetre tall Aranmula metal mirror in its collection.

Aranmula mirror is exceedingly expensive owing to the materials and the labour that goes into its making. This mirror is also considered as a Good luck charm. So if you wish to own or gift one, let me inform you that it is priced between Rs.2000 and Rs.15 lakhs, depending on the size and is available online too!



Tips And Rules To Draw A Correct Biological Diagram

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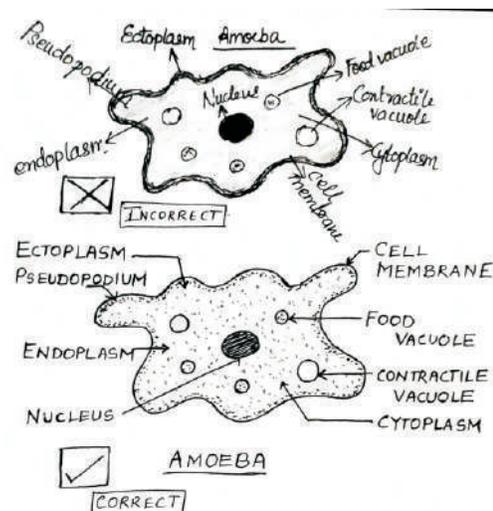
Unlike School curriculum, in College level exams, answers are expected to be supported with diagrams in all science subjects, particularly BIOLOGY. Many a times, the Question paper comprises Questions for Diagrams alone. Special marks are allotted to diagrams in Long Answer Questions too. Eliminating the myth that good diagrams can be drawn by good artistes alone and to help remove the fear for diagrams in the students; here are a few tips and rules to be followed in order to score marks in Diagram based Questions:

1. Always remember, in Diagram questions, only 25% marks are allotted for Diagram proper. Rest 75% marks are allotted for correct labellings which means that if a diagram question carries 4 marks, only 1 mark is allotted for drawing the figure, whilst remaining 3 marks are allotted for 3 correct labellings. Hence, despite the fact that you are not good at sketching, you can be confident to fetch 3 out of 4 marks in the said question. This ought to relieve 75% of your worries!
2. Diagrams should be simple, neat and proportionate. This means that beautiful or perfect diagrams are just add-ons.
3. Shading and/or use of colours are strictly prohibited. To enhance a particular area, use dots instead.
4. Draw using Clear cut lines. Multiple stroked lines are not acceptable in Biological drawings. (Refer sample diagrams given herewith)
5. Diagrams and labellings must be done with pencil only, be it in the Answer paper or Journal. Use a good quality pencil and eraser (rubber). Never use a pen for drawing or labelling or even naming the Diagram.
6. Avoid frequent use of eraser. Draw the diagrams lightly first, preferably starting

with an outline and darken it later.

7. Diagrams should be large enough to present all the intricate details to the observer. It should be well placed on the paper. It is advisable to keep your diagram to the left side of your page and use the right side for labelling purposes.
8. Labellings should be correct, short and precise. The arrow should point to the part of the diagram and not the lettering of the label. (Refer Diagrams)
9. The labels should be legible and clear. It is advisable to use BLOCK letters for labelling purposes. The lines should be straight, horizontal and parallel to each other. (Refer Diagrams)
10. The arrows should not cross each other. This can lead to confusions about the parts that are labelled.
11. All labels should always be outside the figure. (Refer diagrams)
12. Every diagram must have a title which should be written below the diagram and not above. The title must be full, clear, correct and concise.
13. Most important: Practise the diagrams thoroughly and take the guidance of your teachers to draw difficult diagrams.

Make sure to follow these rules as closely as possible while drawing diagrams and you can definitely score well in the exams! All the Best!!!





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The Lockdown and Social distancing have pushed users to experiment with various digital solutions, some of them by desire while others due to compulsion.

Teachers play the role of guardian, friend and mentor along with their primary job. With temporary shutdowns, the support system and comforting presence of teachers have taken a huge toll on students. There is turmoil in the lives of students. But the teachers, being strong role models, are adopting new methods to stay in contact with their students through WhatsApp Chats, audio or video calls.

Teaching during Covid-19 lockdown has proven to be extremely challenging. Most of us had to adapt to Technology that we weren't familiar with, overnight. There were staggering teachers facing challenges in delivering education digitally with close to half the teachers facing issues related to the internet, both signals issues and data expenses.

However, let us browse through the positive side. Due to online teaching, we had immense opportunities to create simplified, dynamic and indigenous solutions in order to aid the education sector in the country. Institutions which were oblivious to the importance of technology realized they can't survive without upgrading themselves. Pandemic has radically changed the concept of traditional education in the past few months and virtual learning is going to be the new future of education. Before the pandemic, technology was just considered as a means of entertainment. Online teaching is more an opportunity than a challenge for teachers today.

Teachers are the Backbone on which the system of education is standing. Their work has become more mentally draining and emotionally challenging than ever. As a Teacher today, this difficult situation has taught us to unlearn a lot of things and learn some new things.

We, the teacher fraternity, has upgraded ourselves technologically and we have adapted to new methods, including uploading our lectures on Youtube. So that our students enjoy the lectures with the creative teaching aids. Infact, with the help of video and audio aids, the lectures have become more interesting and students are in fact enjoying the virtual class.

HOW TO SOLVE AN ODD NUMBERED MAGIC SQUARE



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Due to the popularity of math-based games such as Sudoku, magic squares have become more popular than ever. In a magic square, the sum of each row, column, and diagonal is equal to one constant integer, the so-called "magic constant." An odd-numbered magic square is explained in this article.

Calculate the magic constant : You can find this number by using a simple math formula, where n =the number of rows or columns in your magic square.

So, for example, in a 3×3 magic square, $n=3$, $m=n[(n+1)/2]$. So, in the example of the 3×3 square.

$$m = 3(3+1)/2 = 6$$

Hence all rows, columns, and diagonals must add up to this number.

Place the number 1 in the center box on the top row: This is always where you begin when your magic square has odd-numbered sides, regardless of how large or small that number is. So, if you have a 3×3 square, place the number 1 in Box 2 of the top row; in a 15×15 square, place the number 1 in Box 8 of the top row.

Fill in the remaining numbers using an up-one, right-one pattern: You will always fill in the numbers sequentially (1, 2, 3, 4, etc.) by moving up one row, then one column to the right. You'll notice immediately that in order to place the number 2, you'll move above the top row, off the magic square. That's okay — although you always work in this up-one, right-one manner; there are three exceptions that also have patterned predictable rules:

If the movement takes you to a "box" above the magic square's top row, remain in that box's column, but place the number in the bottom row of that column.

If the movement takes you to a "box" to the right of the magic square's right column, remain in that box's row, but place the number in the furthest left column of that row.

8	1	6
3	5	7
4	9	2

If the movement takes you to a box that is already occupied, go back to the last box that has been filled in, and place the next number directly below it.

It's a great method to build mental math abilities by working on any odd-numbered magic square puzzles!



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I WAS RAISED TO SHOW RESPECT

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I was taught to knock before I open a door. Say hello when I enter a room. Say please and thank you, and to have respect for my elders and seniors. I'd let another person have my seat if they need it. Say 'yes sir' and 'no sir' and help others when they need me to, not stand on the sidelines and watch.

Hold the door for the person behind me, say 'excuse me' when it's needed and to love people for who they are and not for what I can get from them and most importantly, I was also raised to treat people exactly how I would like to be treated by others. It's called RESPECT.

Just like with yourself, when you demonstrate respect for others, you give value to their being and ideals. In addition, you'll make someone feel good by granting them respect, provided, of course, that it's something that they deserve. Respect is one of mankind's most noble sentiments. The highest levels of respect are always earned ...never given. This is true of self respect as well as respect for others. Respecting someone indicates the quality of your personality. The respect you show to others is an immediate reflection on your self respect. Respect requires empathy, the capacity to anticipate and understand the feelings of others. It requires consideration. When I look at a person, I see a person ...not a rank, not a class, not a title. Never respect people for their riches, name, fame, money, but rather for their philanthropy, we do not value the sun for its height, but for its use. Life is too short to waste your time on people who don't respect, appreciate, and value you.

Respect is a two way street, if you want to get it, you've got to give it.

RESPECT: GIVE IT TO GET IT !!!!!

A RIDDLE FOR YOU
AYESHA

*You break her she'll come stronger
You hurt her she'll come back harder
You try to suppress her, babe, she's already impressing the world!
You claim to be stronger than her but dude,
lemma tell you those muscles are of no use in front of her mind
She handles her home, her kids, her family,
her office and all of the stress,
tension that comes along with a smile on her face
Coz she is Resilient! No matter how hard you try she'll try her
best to take that "t" out of her every 'can't'.*



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STAYHOME AND BE PREPARED

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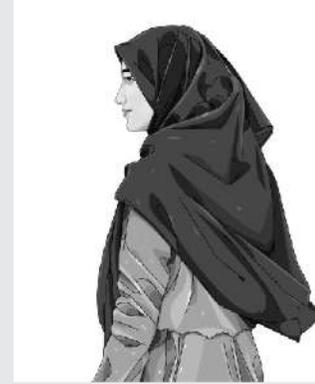
We may be young or old,
But we must be bold,
Against the enemy untold.
We can't go to malls,
Nor can we go to waterfalls,
Because this virus is a-scaring,
Sending our spines into a shivering.

If you have to go out, think twice,
Wear your mask, be wise.
After coming home, sanitise,
And wash your hands thrice.
COVID-19 is the name,
It is playing a hide-and-seek game.
By following the rules, we can ensure an endgame.

Veil the Beauty of Women

Shaikh Ruqaiya Shehzad Ali
T.Y.B.A.

Women have a very special place in Islam. Allah (S.W.T) has given only women the power to procreate. Allah (S.W.T) has given so much respect to women that whole surah النساء تسور has been dedicated in the name of women. Allah has imposed a veil on women for their benefits, but many people consider this veil as a prison. Our God has forbidden even the animals to be imprisoned, so women is the human being. The truth is that Islam has not imprisoned a woman, but has protected her from the eyes of the lust. A woman is like a diamond in Islam. Just as diamond is very precious and is not left open outside but is kept inside cupboards so that it is safe from strangers, in the same way if a woman veils, she will also be safe from strangers. The real jewellery of a believing woman is not gold and silver but modesty and veil. The veil of a woman is better than the blood of a martyr. The prophet (S.W.A) said to the unveiled women that they will neither enter into paradise nor they will be able to smell the fragrance of paradise even though its fragrance reaches miles away. Women who wear hijab should be proud of themselves because there are many books in the world but the holy Quran is covered, there are many buildings in the world but only Kabah is covered, there are large numbers of women in the world but only Muslim women wear the veil, that is because honourable things are always covered. When a woman wears hijab, everyone recognizes that she is a Muslim. What a wonderful identity!!! Nowadays, people consider every obscene thing to be beautiful. But the fact is that if a nation is to be destroyed, then leave the women of that nation unveiled. But unfortunately, this unveiledness of the women is not considered destruction but it has been called "modernism" and "open-mindedness". A woman can do everything even while wearing a veil. The thing is that there is no imprisonment in the veil but in the minds of the people.





The Granny And The Lamp

Yusuf Ahmed Pangan - TYBA

The story is of an old granny and her imaginary friendly talking lamp creating an exciting message of old wisdom winning.

Once upon a time in the village there was an old granny. She was very wealth and healthy. She stayed alone in her big house and weaving of traditional fabric. She worked and earned herself.

In the midnight one of the thieves was trying to enter in her house. Everybody in the small village was caught up in a dreamy kind of winter swell when there was only old granny who continued doing her usual weaving of traditional fabric. In this deep calm night granny is with the oil lamp beside her as her sole companion and there was a strange sound of footsteps coming from the side of her backdoor. When she went out for washroom, the thief entered in her house without late and hid behind the shadow of lamp. Granny realised that someone was trying to enter in her house. Granny identified the thief who was hiding behind the lamp. She continued weaving lonely and thinking about solving the terrible situation. The Granny called her lamp, "O my friend lamp", " O my friend lamp", and pleaded the lamp to respond to her. "But today what happened to my lamp, why are you not responding to me"

Immediately, the thief thought that granny's lamp was usually responding to her daily and the thief answered "What Granny" by his big voice! granny again called the lamp and found it terrible when the thief replied as her lamp in a soft voice. The clever granny wanted to make fool of the thief, so she told her lamp to listen to her real story. The intelligent lonely granny started narrating the tale to the lamp.

"Once upon a time on a dark silent night one thief entered in the house of an old woman and the woman saw a thief with a haunting look trying to terrorize her, the woman shouted loudly to hear all the villagers "Thief! Thief! Thief! in my house..."

Unfortunately, the thief was trapped by the fake story of an old granny's tale to her lamp. The thief was caught by the villagers who rushed quickly hearing their dear Granny's call for help.

MY MOTHER

Adiba Khan - TYBSC (ZOOLOGY)

*She taught us how to speak
Her presence is what all we need*

*She always remains calm and chill
Doesn't matter if she's well or ill*

*She is incompletely complete
Because paradise lies beneath her feet*



Letting Go Of Desire

Adiba Khan
TYBSC (ZOOLOGY)

*Thought i could change this
The mess between souls you couldn't miss
Tricked played by that elf
Who can control every part of myself
The Sun doesn't shine anymore
Spilled kerosene all over the floor
Playing with the matchbox lighter and fire
Sitting near the wall and letting go of desire*

My Late Mother

*A symbol of love,
And a symbol of care;
When I wanted help,
She was always there.*

Prof. Mujahid Nadvi
HOD, Dept. of Arabic
& Islamic Studies



*Like a cloud her love,
Like the rain her words,
Like a nest her heart
And we the four birds.*

*After 25th July
When she breathed her last,
Joy and happiness
Are a matter of past.*

*Now I am a little lamb
In this dangerous world.
Life lost its colours,
Life is now all blurred.*

*On that gloomy day
I saw everyone cried.
But I did not cry,
'Cause with her I also died.*

**Dreams are meant to be broken,
Broken dreams cause pain,
But the hardwork wont be in vain,
Until& unless we have self restrain
Living in reality is sad but true,
Living in dreamland is bitter sweet
Imaginary hope quit,
When are eyes get open by frinch
These is the one dream which always keep us alive,
Which help us to cope with harsh reality
It makes as away from cruelty,
On after birth, we receive**

DREAM

Shaikh Laaiqah Abdul Rahim
XIth Sci.



Impact of Covid-19 on School Education in India

Prof. Zuhair Mirza
Dept. of English

No one would have guessed that a virus-like Covid-19 would come and without differentiating, it will alter the lifestyle of people. Due to Covid-19, many changes came to our world and it took some time for everyone to adopt the new normal. The Covid-19 impact was everywhere, which resulted in the closure of Schools and other educational institutions.

Initially, most governments have decided to temporarily close the schools to reduce the impact of Covid-19. Later it was reopened for a few grades, which increased the number of infection rates and then closed again.

Though schools are closed, students are attending their classes through various education initiatives like online classrooms, radio programs. Though it is a good thing happening on the other side, there are lots of students who didn't own the resources to attend the online classes suffer a lot. Many students are struggling to obtain the gadgets required for online classes.

Teachers who are all experts in Blackboard, Chalk, books, and classroom teaching are really new to this digital teaching, but they are adopting the new methods and handling it like a pro to aid the students in the current position.

But on the negative side, many teachers are looking for an alternative job to support their families.

Educated parents are supporting their children throughout the pandemic, but we require to understand that there are some illiterate parents and their feeling of helplessness to help their children in their education.

There are students in India who came to school just because they can get food. The great midday meal scheme has helped many children who couldn't bring their food from the home to get their nutrition.

Because of the closure of the schools, many students were suffering from not having enough food for their survival.

There is always a delay or cancellation of exams, which leads to confusion for many students and there is no room for curriculum.

Most of the school-going children are involved in child labour to support their families.

There is a lot of chance that the education of female children and transgender children will affect, as their parents may see, the financial and opportunity costs of doing so.

This pandemic has not only affected the students but also the Low-budget institutions and schools, resulting in close-down the same.

There are both positive and negative matters happening around us amid the Covid-19.

Technology paves the way for education, thus helping the students and teachers to connect virtually through online classrooms, webinars, digital exams, and so on.

But the sad truth is that it is not available to many students all over the nation.

Everything is happening for the well-being of the students so that they can stay safe at home without getting affected by the life-threatening virus.

We are not ready for this, but it came, so we have to go through this together, but we have to update the infrastructure and should think of ways to undertake the situation and providing education to every child amid the pandemic if we face something precisely like this in the future to aid the forthcoming generation. Stay home. Stay safe.

H.S.C. EXAMINATION, FEB/MARCH 2021 RESULTS ANALYSIS



COMMERCE

No. of Candidates Appeared : 251	Total Pass Percentage : 100%
No. of Candidates Passed : 251	Distinction : 107
First Grade : 138	Second Grade : 06
Pass Grade : NIL	No. of Students Failed : NIL

HIGHEST SCORES (Commerce)

Sr. No.	Name of the Student	Seat No.	Total Marks	Percentage
1.	Ansari Iqra Parveen Zakir Hussain	M211804	546	91.00%
2.	Shaikh Huba Ashraf	M211651	537	89.50%
3.	Ansari Farhat Mohd Shamim	M211811	523	87.17%

ARTS

No. of Candidates Appeared : 216	Total Pass Percentage : 100%
No. of Candidates Passed : 216	Distinction : 21
First Grade : 141	Second Grade : 54
Pass Grade : NIL	No. of Students Failed : NIL

HIGHEST SCORES (ARTS)

Sr. No.	Name of the Student	Seat No.	Total Marks	Percentage
1.	Ansari Sana Shafiq	M112772	531	88.50%
2.	Shaikh Aiman Sarwar Ali	M112754	526	87.67%
3.	Patni Noorain Mukhtar Ahmed	M112634	512	85.33%

SCIENCE

No. of Candidates Appeared : 426	Total Pass Percentage : 100%
No. of Candidates Passed : 426	Distinction : 154
First Grade : 258	Second Grade : 13
Pass Grade : 01	No. of Students Failed : NIL

HIGHEST SCORES (SCIENCE)

Sr. No.	Name of the Student	Seat No.	Total Marks	Percentage
1.	Shaikh Falak Mohd. Qamar	M049389	553	92.17%
2.	Khan Muhammad Faik Hasrat	M049420	544	90.67%
3.	Ansari Mariyah Imran	M049219	543	90.50%
	Shaikh Firdous Mohammed Farooque	M049488	543	90.50%



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Degree College Result Analysis July 2021

Program	Program Name	Programme Specialization	Number of students appeared in the final year examination	Number of students passed in final year examination	Pass Percentage of Students
Arts	T.Y.B.A	Arabic	5	5	100.00%
		Islamic Studies	19	18	94.74%
		Economics	22	22	100.00%
		English	18	16	88.88%
		Hindi	4	3	75.00%
		History	40	40	100.00%
		Pol.Science	53	51	96.22%
		Sociology	32	28	87.50%
		Urdu	12	12	100.00%
Commerce & Management	T.Y.B Com	Commerce	223	222	99.55%
	T.Y.B.M.S	Management	56	56	100.00%
Science	T.Y.B. Sc	Botany	38	38	100.00%
		Chemistry	31	31	100.00%
		Physics	5	5	100.00%
		Mathematics	7	7	100.00%
		Zoology	17	17	100.00%
		Information Technology	74	74	100.00%
		Computer Science	51	51	100.00%
M.Com	M.Com	Management	20	20	100.00%
M.Sc.	M.Sc.	Information Technology	23	18	78.26%



IQAC REPORT

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Maharashtra College continuously strives to improve and maintain the quality in all its endeavours. It plans and organizes various programmes for faculty empowerment such as workshops, seminars, etc. for upgrading the knowledge of all the stakeholders including teachers, non-teaching staff, and students. It promotes research culture amongst the faculty by motivating them to undertake minor and major research projects, to pursue a doctorate in their respective fields and to publish research papers in UGC approved journals. It ensures and sustains the quality in education through a well-defined feedback mechanism. In spite of the challenges posed by the pandemic, IQAC, Maharashtra College capitalised the situation by using virtual resources to organise events, thereby inspiring other departments to follow suit.

The details of various activities carried out by IQAC are as follows:

Orientation Programme for First year classes : 15th July 2019 - College hall

Orientation programmes are conducted for the first year classes of all faculties at the beginning of the semester in order to give a brief overview about the Mission, Vision, Code of Conduct, various courses offered by the institution, subject combinations, infrastructure, attendance, discipline, Co-Curricular, Extra-Curricular and Extension Activities. Students are made aware about the functioning of Library, examination – evaluation pattern and other facilities available in the college. A team of two teachers conduct the orientation programme for each class.

One day Workshop on 'CAS and API Calculations under the 7th Pay Commission' : 18th January 2020 - College auditorium

The workshop was organised in collaboration with the University of Mumbai. The workshop was divided into two sessions; a technical session on CAS and API Calculations under the 7 Pay Commission by Ms. Yogini Ghare followed by case studies of CAS and API under different amendments conducted by the workshop coordinator, Dr. N. K. Sharma. The workshop had 46 attendees from various colleges across the cities

Workshop on 'Mental Health' 18th February 2020 - College auditorium

The workshop was organised in collaboration with the IQAC, LalaLajpatrai College of Commerce and Economics Dr Yusuf Matcheswala made a wonderful presentation focussing on the importance of mental health, causes, myths and required interventions which was not only informative but also very enlightening. The workshop was attended by 45 participants which included both teachers and students. The coordinator for the workshop was Prof Parveen Khan.

Session on 'Soft Skills' for the Non – Teaching staff 6th March 2020 - College auditorium

The resource person concentrated on values and good habits. The lecture was made interesting by giving illustration from real life conditions, concentrating on ideals such as honesty, dedication, sincerity, cooperation, team work, etc. The main session was followed by an interactive Q & A session wherein certain pertinent issues faced by the non-teaching staff were discussed. The workshop was attended by 53 participants.

Pursuance of Career Advancement Scheme of teachers

In order to expedite the pending placement cases of teachers, a CAS Scrutiny Committee comprising of Dr. Nigvendra Sharma and Dr. Rafi Alauddin was formed on 14th August 2019.



A letter to send to the University CONCOL Section with this regard on 17th January 2020. IQAC organised a session on 14th February 2020 to discuss the CAS form under the UGC 4th amendment implemented from June 2017 and provide the necessary guidelines. 26 teachers were benefitted by the session.

Interactive session with Principal. 26th February 2020 - College auditorium

Every year the Principal conducts a verbal interaction with final year students of different streams without involving any teachers so that the outgoing students can have a free and candid discussion with the Principal and present their observations and recommendations freely. This interaction is confidential involving only the Principal and students.

Document Verification Camp 9th March 2020 - College auditorium

Document Verification Camp in collaboration with NGO Star Foundation was conducted for Teaching and Non – Teaching staff. The camp was organised primarily to assist the staff in identifying discrepancies in their personal documents like Aadhar Card, PAN Card, etc. and were counselled on how to solve these discrepancies. 35 members were benefitted from the camp.

International Women's Day Celebration 7th March 2020 - College auditorium

The IQAC in collaboration with WDC organized a formal programme on the occasion of International Women's day that was filled with thrill, fun and knowledge. Many students expressed their thoughts in the form of speeches, monologues, acts, poems, etc. on the different topics related to women. The students of Department of English presented Monologues based on the writings of Toni Morrison – whose novels typically concentrate on black women. 50 students attended the programme.

National Webinar on 'Impact of Pandemic Covid 19 on Indian Financial System' 29th April 2020 - Microsoft Teams platform

Dr Nisar used an excellent presentation to give an in-depth analysis into the topic. He discussed on various sectors which were potential losers and gainers in the wake of the COVID pandemic. There were 187 participants including Principals, Professors, Teachers and academic staff members of premier institutes of higher education from across India.

National webinar on “Inspiring Leadership in the Wake of Covid – 19 Pandemic” 30th April 2020 - Microsoft Teams platform

Mr. Rizwan highlighted the qualities to be possessed by an Ideal Leader. He pointed out that a leader should be capable of solving problems, outlining objectives, mind mapping, practising self-discipline and integrity. Mr. Rizwan brought out the various do's and don'ts of being an ideal leader in a very lucid manner though a very systematic presentation and composure, he also resolved queries at the end. There were 260 participants from highly accredited colleges and universities all over India.

Webinar on "Introduction of Data Analytics on Microsoft Excel" 5th and 6th May, 2020 - Microsoft Teams, You Tube and Facebook platform

On 5th May Mr. Awesh Bhornya familiarised the audiences with Relative Referencing, Absolute Cell Referencing and Cross Sheet Referencing. He also defined concepts like range, compulsory argument, contiguous range and so on. On the second day of the webinar he threw light on autosum functions, Table format, Charts, Pivot Tables, Dicing, Slicing, Sorting and Filtering data. He analysed various unexplored concepts of data analytics which was of great benefit to around 500 academic audiences.

National Webinar on "Product Development And Consumer Psychology – The Key Drivers" - 14th May 2020 - MS Teams and You Tube platform



Ms Apoorva Mulani explained the difference between catering to the existing demand and creating new demand for a product by giving diverse examples. She illuminated the audiences with the concepts of sales marketing and branding. 207 Participants had joined the webinar through Teams Platform and 283 participants were connected through You Tube Live.

National Level Webinar on “Guidance for UGC-NET/SET General Paper -1” - 18th May 2020 - MS Teams and You Tube platform

The Webinar was organised jointly with Indira Priyadarshini Government Degree College for Women, Nampally, Hyderabad. The resource person emphasized on the pattern and type of questions expected in the exam. This webinar not only helped the examinees to know the syllabus and structure of the question paper but it has also affectively impacted them by providing the right motivation and inciting an inspiration amongst them to clear the exams. 627 Participants had joined the webinar.

Virtual Panel Discussion on “Impact of Covid-19 on campus Placement and Corporate Performance” 28th May 2020 - Zoom and You Tube platform

Dr. Arindam Chaudhuri, Director of IIPM Think Tank was the keynote speaker of the panel discussion. The panellist and the moderator Mr. Ashish Gakrey (founder HR Shapers) through their intelligence and experience enlightened the participants on the aftermaths of Covid 19 on campus placement and corporate performance. The valuable guidance and expertise provided by eminent panellist and moderator helped to prepare the participants to face the challenges into an uncertain future post Covid-19. 457 participants witnessed the panel discussion.

National webinar on “Teaching with Technology” 30th May 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

The Webinar was organised jointly with Bhavan Hazarimal Somani College. Prof. Awesh Bhornya gave an insightful and comprehensive presentation on 'Online Teaching Techniques' He gave a structured presentation on all the available online tools and urged the participants to work on the speed of implementation which is very crucial to derive benefits from technology. He explained the working of tools like cloud storage, virtual classrooms like Google classroom, Moodle, Teacher Dashboard and some international platforms like Teachable and Podia. It was an enriching learning experience for 811 participants.

National Level Webinar on Safety and Defence for Women- 4th June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

National Level webinar on Safety and self-defense was organized by the NCC Unit of Maharashtra college and the IQAC committee on 4th June from 3.00 pm. to 5.00 pm. It was conducted by Mr. Vijay Kamble. NCC cadets all over the India participated along with family and faculty members. Speaker demonstrated various skills and methods of self-defense. Total 669 people participated.

National Webinar on 'Upholding Ethical Values During the Pandemic' 15th June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

The Webinar was organised in association with LalaLajpatrai College of Commerce and Economics. The two main speakers of the webinar spoke on Ethics Amidst Crisis and Role and Importance of Positive Habits in Pandemic Times respectively. Dr. Rakhshandah highlighted on value crisis in today's world and subtly engaged the webinar attendees to introspect into their lives and make conscious efforts to imbibe and inculcate the ethical values with patience and tolerance. Dr. Abdul Majid Ansari spoke about the importance of other positive habits like showing empathy to others and extending emotional and financial help that one should consciously practice. 619 participants attended the Webinar.



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National Webinar on "Corona Pandemic Issues and Challenges Related to Immunity - Lessons from Quran" - 18th June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

Dr. Aslam Parvaiz explained the various nutrients that should be present in our diet to curb the deadly virus and gave information on preventing the virus by having positive thought and attitude. He threw light on Psychoneuroimmunology – a fascinating science which connects the mind with the body. He cited beautiful verses of the Holy Quran to bring to light the importance of positivity in our actions to strengthen our immune system. 150 participants attended the Webinar.

Webinar on 'Introduction to Modern Landscaping and Business Opportunities' 20th June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

The resource person of the webinar explained the scope of Landscape Designing by showing the best modern landscape projects in India and overseas as well. He emphasized on employment opportunities to the Landscape professionals in India and foreign countries, especially Middle East countries. 170 participants attended the webinar.

One Day National Level Yoga Training Session 21st June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

On line - International Yoga Day was celebrated by the NCC Girls Unit of Maharashtra College along with the families of the cadets and the faculty members. Qualified Yoga Trainer and Head of Department of Physics Dr. N. K. Sharma demonstrated various Asana and at the same time explained the benefits of the same to the participants. Total 68 cadets and 26 faculty members participated including 125 family members.

International Webinar on Communication Skills - Game Changer post Corona. 23rd June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

Ms Kiran Shetty started the program by defining the term 'Skill'. She further explained the difference between the terms 'Skill' and 'Talent'. She clearly elaborated that the definition of communication encompasses three dimensions- oral, written and nonverbal. She threw light on the positive and negative aspects of the ongoing lockdown period and gave insight into the role of educators during this time of crisis. 170 participants were benefitted from the webinar.

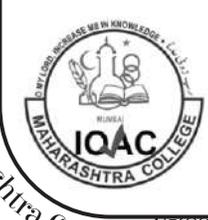
International Hindi Webinar “Adyatan Sandharb” 24th June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

Hindi Department in collaboration with IQAC organised an International Webinar on the Hindi poem, “Adyatan Sandharb”. Many notable and acclaimed scholars from different parts of India as well as around the world attended the virtual event and shed their insights on the topic. The event highlighted the fact that the patrons of Hindi as a language are here to stay despite rapid globalization. The event garnered 4,000 views on YouTube. 1200 participants gave their feedback and received their certificates.

National Webinar on Intellectual Property Rights 26th June 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

Mr. Awab highlighted on the biggest asset of mankind, his intellectual abilities that differentiate him from other species and hence, a property that should be safeguarded. He delved deep into types of IPR; the registered and non-registered ones and the objectives of IPR with interesting examples. He also focused on patents, the documentation associated with filing a patent and legalities connected with it. The national webinar that saw an overwhelming response of 163 participants from different parts of the country.

National Webinar on “Terrarium”- Get Close to Nature 9th July 2020 - Zoom and YouTube Platform



The Webinar was organised in collaboration with LalaLajpatrai College of Commerce and Economics. The resource person emphasized on gaining popularity of terrarium with homeowners, gardeners, and millennials as these small-scale ecosystems bring a touch of nature and greenery inside homes and offices. He also highlighted on the health benefits associated. 253 participants enjoyed and learned this easy, low-maintenance indoor gardening.

Webinar on 'Mumbai Floods and finding solution with Citizen Participation' 12th July 2020 - Zoom and YouTube Platform

In this national online webinar Mr Subhajt Mukherjee explained the importance of water conservation by rain harvesting in every society, institutions, corporate offices etc. He demonstrated the Underground Rainwater Percolation Pit (his own creation) inside Society Storm water Drain's Exit point which is useful in controlling water logging in the society premises. 150 participants attended the webinar.

Sham-e-Afsana National Urdu Short Story Programme 25th July 2020 - Zoom and YouTube Platform

In a first of its kind, Bazm-e-Urdu, the Urdu literary forum of Maharashtra College in collaboration with the IQAC department of the college and along with its media partners 'INA NEWS', 'AURANGABAD TIMES', 'NAYA WARAQ' and 'MUMBAI URDU NEWS', organised a national online Urdu short-story telling program. A total of thirteen short story writers coming from as many as five different states of India presented their short story to the online audience. The team of writers was a beautiful mix of veteran and budding writers, screened from a host of writers by a team of experts headed by Mr. Azfar Riyaz Khan (director). The program was very well received by the 224 participants and highly appreciated for its novel idea and excellent execution by the literary community as well as general public.

New Principal as a Visionary CEO 11th August to 14th August 2020 - Zoom Platform

The Webinar was organised jointly with Bhavan's Hazarimal Somani College in collaboration with the University of Mumbai. The webinar aimed at an extensive discussion on the various parameters of an educational institute that challenge the traditional role of a principal as the academic and administrative head of an institution and demand the emergence of principals as visionary CEOs. The 4 day long webinar had 2 sessions each day and covered important aspects of administration, budgeting, statutory bodies, academics, stakeholders, students' welfare and future trends in higher education. The webinar witnessed an overwhelming response from 60 participants from various colleges in Mumbai, Thane district, Kalyan, Palghar, Raighad, Ratnagiri and Sindhudurg, other parts of the country.

Awareness Campaign on FIT India organized with Girls NCC Unit 24th August 2020 - Zoom and YouTube platform

Webinar on the topic- Total Fitness was organized by the NCC Girls Unit of Maharashtra college. Chief Guest was Col AKB Sinha (Indian Army). Guest of Honor Principal Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale and Vice- Principal Dr. Abdul Majid Ansari. Guest Speaker was Dr. Nisar Husain, Sports Director Tolani College. Mumbai. 100 participants attended the webinar.

National Level Webinar on Women and Work Organised with Dept. of Economics 27th August 2020 - Zoom Platform

Prof. Dewan gave excellent insights into the problem of gender bias faced by women in various walks of life in Indian society. She threw light on the plight of women workers employed in handloom and Kolhapurichappal making factories. The audiences were startled by the shocking facts and figures



presented by Prof. Dewan on inequality between working men and women in India. After the brilliant presentation the host conducted the question and answer session, which was followed by thanksgiving speech by Prof. Arab Abdul Aziz. 110 participants attended the webinar.

RepublicRide – 2021 - 26th January 2021

Republic Ride was planned by Sarus Nature Club and IQAC on Republic day for which students were encouraged for the use of bicycle to promote health and environment awareness by participating in Majhi Vasundhara Abhiyan -an initiative by Government of Maharashtra. All the cyclist attended the flag hoisting function at 9.00 am. in the college premises and after Republic day parade, the teaching and non-teaching staff members actively participated in this cycling activity. 16 male students and 4 female students participated in the event considering social distancing with total beneficiaries of more than 50 including teaching and non-teaching staff members.

National Webinar on “Human Rights & Health” 27th January 2021 - Microsoft Teams platform.

Chemistry Department in collaboration with IQAC of Maharashtra College organized National Webinar on “Human Rights & Health”

The resource person, Adv. Paarth Singh highlighted on the importance of health, definition of human right, key aspect of right to health, Health human rights, Medical negligence, Common misconception about the rights to health, rights and health in India by sharing case studies. The webinar was attended by 60 participants.

National Level Webinar on “Mangroves – Distribution, Adaptation and Biodiversity” 27th February 2021 - Microsoft Teams platform

The Department of Economics in collaboration with IQAC, conducted a National Level Webinar on “Mangroves – Distribution, Adaptation and Biodiversity”. The resource person threw light on the benefits of mangroves, the area under mangroves conserved by Godrej and Boyce Mfg. Co. Ltd. and the methods to conserve it. He explained the means adopted by the Company to conserve huge acres of land under mangrove biodiversity. The session was a beneficial for 163 participants who attended from various renowned colleges from across Mumbai.

International webinar on "Bold and the Beautiful: Representation of Women in Literature and Society 7th March 2021 - Microsoft Teams platform.

The Dept. of English on the eve of International Women's Day organized an international webinar in collaboration with IQAC and an NGO, Inspiring Indian Women(IIW). The main objective of the webinar was to trace the history of women's struggle for emancipation and provide a just picture of women's changing position in Indian society and her representation in literature in various lights both in literature and in society. Hence, the resource persons of the webinar spoke on women exploitation, representation and misrepresentation of women in spaces like family, society, literature, commercial media and social, cyber and domestic exploitation and crimes and justice against the same. Dr. Vibhuti Patel, former Director Of Women's Studies Centre, TISS and HoD of SNDT University, the keynote speaker of the webinar tracing the history of women's position in India talked on Women's representation in Parliament. The webinar which had an overwhelming response had more than 550 registrations, including both teachers and students. 257 participants (188 female and 69 male) attended the webinar.

National Workshop on 'Review of Literature for Research' 24th March 2021 - Microsoft Teams platform.

IQAC and Research Committee organized a national workshop on 'Review of Literature for Research'



to promote research. The resource person focused on critically important aspects such as conceptualizing research questions, formulating hypotheses, planning, gathering appropriate data, and analyzing that data using statistical methods to obtain reliable results. She also gives an overview of the importance of research in the modern era, emphasizing its critical importance in solving real-world problems. The workshop received 148 participants from 18 Indian states and a handful from outside (2 persons), as well as 48 universities.

CAS - 25th March 2021

The IQAC strived continuously to help the teachers with the Career Advancement Scheme (CAS). A Committee called CAS Scrutiny Committee was formed. The CAS of 18 teachers was made possible due to the continuous efforts of the IQAC members in guiding the respective teachers to fill the new format of CAS forms, scheduling the verification of CAS files, minutely going through individual files, contacting subject experts and VC nominees for each teacher and communicating with them.

To create awareness on Covid-19 and educate the younger generation about the Pandemic, various departments of the institution organized intercollegiate Quiz competitions based on the pandemic and the necessary precautions to be taken during the pandemic. These Quizzes received an overwhelming response from students, parents and teachers not only from Maharashtra but also from other states. E-Certificates were issued to the participants.

Quotes

**Mohd Sami Najmuddin Ravuthar,
XII Science**

1. "No matter the situation, never let your emotions overpower your Intelligence"
2. "If I were a tree, I would have no reason to love a human"
3. "A hero would sacrifice you to save the world, a Villain would sacrifice the world to save you"
4. "People's life don't end when they Die, It ends when they lose Faith!!"
5. "The only reason people hold onto memories so tight because memories are the only thing that don't change even when people do"
6. "Sometimes life is about risking everything for a dream that no one can see except you"
7. "When you say a truth, it becomes a part of your past, But when you say a lie, it becomes a part of your future"
8. "Success ke baad ka plan sabke paas hai lekin galti se bhi fail ho gaye toh failure se kaise deal karna hai, koi baat hi nahi karta"
9. "Know the difference between Enjoying your Youth and destroying your future"
10. "Overthinking is the Art of creating problems that weren't even there"



Maharashtra College

WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL & INTERNAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Prof. Parveen Asif Khan, Dept. of Psychology

Dr. Julekha A. Shaikh, Dept. of Chemistry

The Women Development Cell (WDC) in collaboration with Internal Committee (IC) conducts programs, workshops, guest lectures, competitions to promote well-being of all the female students and staff members and create awareness and sensitize its stake holders towards gender equality. However due to pandemic all the activities were carried out through online platforms.

The details of various activities carried out by WDC & IC are as follows.

1st Workshop on Self-defence techniques 19th, 20th and 23rd September, 2019 - College Terrace

The girl students were not only orally told the techniques for self-defence, rather they underwent a marathon practice session for the same. They were taught various defensive techniques which can be useful for them in various difficult situations of assaults. 50 girl students participated in the workshop.

2nd Workshop on Self-defence 17th, 20th and 21st December 2019 - College Terrace

The students were taught self-defence while being attacked by a knife etc. This workshop too received a tremendous positive response from the students. 55 girl students were benefitted by the workshop.

Guest lecture on 'Sexual harassment at workplace' 29th November 2019 - College Auditorium

The lawyer addressed about the need protection against sexual harassment of women at workplace and for the prevention and redressal of complaints of sexual harassment and for the matters connected therewith. The informative session was attended by 82 participants which included teaching staff, non-teaching staff and students.

Movie screening 4th March 2020 - College Auditorium

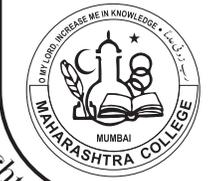
There was movie screening ... ' Pink ' which is thrilling drama. This film actually portrays mentality of men regarding women. 55 students attended the movie screening.

Poster Making Competition 5th March 2020 - College Auditorium

Students were asked to showcase their calibre and creativity by making POSTERS related to the issues of women. Eight students turned up with their remarkable works on the day of competition. They represented various themes which spoke very loudly for the issues related to women.

Guest Lecture on "Issues of women at Workplace" 6th March 2020 - College Auditorium

The speaker emphasised on domestic violence, sexual harassment at the workplace and sexual



abuse cases. She also threw light on various legal aspects of the laws that have been recently initialized for the safety of women. The lecture was quite interactive, the students readily asked questions and were answered appropriately 20 girl students attended the session.

International Women's Day Celebration 7th March 2020 - College Auditorium

A formal programme was organized on the occasion of International Women's day that was filled with thrill, fun and knowledge. Many students expressed their thoughts in the form of speeches, monologues, acts, poems, etc. on the different topics related to women. The students also presented Monologues based on the writings of Toni Morrison – whose novels typically concentrate on black women. 50 students attended the programme.

“Awareness Drive – A Government of India Initiative” - January 2021

The students of all streams were informed about the MyGov.in website through online lectures and motivated to participate in the various quizzes conducted through this portal in January 2021 so as to enable them to become active citizens in nation building. To gain knowledge and seek opportunities to excel beyond academics 479 students (169 male and 310 female) participated in various fun and interactive e – quizzes conducted through MyGov.in website.

National level online quiz on Gender Equality - 24th January to 26th January 2021

A national level online quiz competition was organised with the objective to bring awareness among both male and female students about gender discrimination, gender disparity and gender differences. This Quiz received an overwhelming response from 1065 participants from different colleges and different streams from New Delhi, Patna, Karnataka, Chennai, Kerala, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and Haryana.

Webinar on 'Women's Health and Hygiene' 8th March 2021 - Microsoft Teams Platform

Dr.ShrutiThar gave an informative talk on Women health and hygiene with respect to using various types of absorbents during menstruation, types of problems associated with periods, Cervical Cancer and various health tips to maintain hygiene. The girls were very happy with the informative session and this was indicated through their positive responses and a very elaborate question answer session. The webinar was attended by 134 participants.

*Thought i could change this,
The mess between souls , you couldn't miss.
Tricked played by that elf,
Who can control every part of myself.
The Sun doesn't shine anymore,
Spilled kerosene all over the floor.
Playing with the matchbox, lighter and fire,
Sitting near the wall and letting go of desire .*

**LETTING
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Adiba Khan, TYBSC



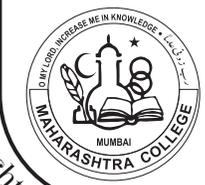
LABORATORIES OF MAHARASHTRA COLLEGE

Botany department of Maharashtra College came into existence in 1968 with a vision of effective teaching, educating and preparing students desirous of learning, understanding and practicing various aspects of plant science. The department is known for its multidisciplinary character and has earned recognition for its standards of teaching and research. The department is proud of having produced eminent scholars, doctors, scientists and administrators who occupy high positions within city and state. M.Sc. Botany and PhD Research Lab is named under our Society President Late Dr. Rafiq Zakaria. M.Sc. Botany received approval from Maharashtra government on 4th July, 2016 and four batches of M.Sc. Botany have successfully obtained post-graduation degree from Maharashtra College of Arts, Science and Commerce. On 14th June, 2018, the Research Lab received recognition from University of Mumbai. Many students have registered under guidance of Dr. Zafar Khan and Dr. Rafi Ahmed for leading research projects. M.Sc. and Ph.D research projects are carried out in Dr. Rafiq Zakaria Center for Post Graduate Studies.

In view of its academic excellence, the department has the distinction of having one of the richest Botany laboratories with diverse and good number of preserved and maintained specimens which are regularly checked and updated. There are models, fossils, herbariums and charts too which are of great help in teaching. The lab is equipped with instruments like Laminar air flow, Spectrophotometer, Hot plate, Centrifuge, Cold storage, Incubators, pH meters, Microscopes etc. The three laboratories, B.Sc, M.Sc and Ph.D research has ICT enabled tools with lap tops, desktops and overhead projectors with high speed internet connection. The Botany department is in the main college building on sixth floor. Along with big spacious labs there is a staff room for teachers. The department has pleasant and refreshing environment with lots of plants grown in and around the department.

The Department organizes several activities throughout the year like educational trips (local and national), hands on training programmes, guest lectures, visit to industries, etc. Students are encouraged to participate in intra and inter-college competitions at zonal and state level. Seminars, workshops and quiz competitions are also organized by the department along with students to make them learn management skills. Students are motivated to present research work in conferences.

The department offers B.Sc, M.Sc and PhD degrees under the guidance of well qualified, dynamic and cooperative teaching and nonteaching team. The team works on overall development of students to make them stand with the competitive world to achieve their goals and fulfil dreams. The department is stepping to start short term courses and diplomas related to subject like Landscape gardening which will help the needy and interested students to get into respective jobs or start their own set ups as an entrepreneur.



CHEMISTRY

The Chemistry Department of Maharashtra College, established in 1968, is one of the most versatile, dynamic and largest department in the college. It caters to the largest number of Junior as well as Degree College students of Science Faculty and is well-known for its teaching and research accomplishments. The Department is served by a highly qualified, experienced and dedicated teaching faculty along with efficient and co-operative non-teaching staff. Four Faculty members – Dr. Ahamad. M.H. Shaikh, Dr. Julekha Shaikh, Dr. Nilima Dixit and Dr. Mayuri Joshi are recognized Ph. D guides in Chemistry at the University of Mumbai.

The Department is located on the fourth floor of main building of college. It has well equipped separate airy laboratories with required chemicals and proper work stations for Degree College as well as Junior college students along with a well-equipped Physical Chemistry laboratory, Analytical Laboratory, Chemistry Store room, Balance room and Chemical Preparation room. The laboratories are maintained with proper ventilation and gaseous exhaust system along with all necessary requirement for safety purpose like first aid facility, fireextinguishing system and eye wash station.

The labs are also equipped with instruments like pH meters, Potentiometers, Conductivity meters, Colorimeters, Spectrophotometer, Flame photometer, Polarimeter, Sonicator, digital balances etc. Internet facility for browsing net and departmental library with large number of Text books and reference books are also available for faculty and students to study Chemistry in more effective manner

The Department provides a vibrant environment for faculty and students to foster the spirit of scientific inquiry. For this purpose, along with theory and practical classes, extra-curricular activities such as Conferences, Seminars, Group discussions, live demonstrations, Brain storming sessions, Industrial visits, Guest lectures, etc. are conducted by the department for the benefit of students. Every year, eminent resource persons are invited under Chemistry Club of South Mumbai Colleges to inspire and motivate students about the latest trends in chemistry courses that provide opportunities for further studies in Material science, Nano science and technology, Green Chemistry, Polymer Chemistry, Environmental Science, and other related fields. The department plans to start M. Sc in Analytical Chemistry and develop well equipped research laboratory in future.



PHYSICS

The Department of Physics is one of the core Departments of the Science Faculty since the College was established in 1968 and is situated at the fifth floor of main building of this institution. It has a very well-equipped laboratories for Degree College as well as junior college students. The Degree College Physics Lab. has an equally equipped dark room attached to it. It also has computers along with the printer and the internet facility.

The laboratories are airy, well-lit and have ample space for storing the instruments used in Physics Practical. The stabilized power supply is provided in the laboratories. Sufficient number of electrical boards and switches are available in the laboratories for performing electrical, electronics and optics experiments. The LPG supply with 35 tap points is available in the laboratories for performing heat and thermodynamics experiments. A refrigerator is also available in the laboratories. A drill machine and necessary tools too are part of the laboratories for doing the minor repair of instruments.

Physics laboratories are well equipped with sufficient number of instruments like CRO's, CRO Trainer, Sine /Square wave generators, Power supplies, Digital / analog Volt meters and Ammeters, LCR meter, Transistor Curve Tracer, Circuit Boards, Microprocessor kits, Optical Benches, Spectrometers, LASER sources, Microscopes, Telescopes, Sodium lamps and Mercury lamps etc.

ZOOLOGY

The Department of Zoology, established in 1968, has a well-equipped laboratory approved by University of Mumbai. The Zoology lab is spacious and well ventilated, as well as brightly lighted, allowing for better microscopic observation during practicals. The lab has a large collection of animal specimens, permanent slides, charts, models, and skeletons, enabling its pupils/students with an exciting first-hand experience. The lab also has energy-efficient state-of-the-art equipments necessary for undergraduate studies according to the University of Mumbai's syllabus. Incubators, ovens, centrifuges, homogenizers, pH metres, electrophoresis equipment, autoclave, conductivity metre, colorimeters, highly sensitive weighing machines, refrigerators, and dissecting and compound microscopes are all part of the zoology lab. Chemicals and glassware are sufficient to fulfil the requirements of students to perform practicals. While performing practicals, safety precautions are implemented. Students are taught in the first year to handle chemicals and devices with care and skill. The lab also contains fire extinguishers and other safety equipment. The lab is ICT-enabled, with a laptop, overhead LCD projector, and high speed internet. We have a well-qualified, cooperative teaching and non-teaching team that is continuously on the lookout for new approaches to satisfy the students' educational needs. The Zoology department intends to expand the laboratory's current capacity to suit the demands of higher education and research.

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

The computational needs of the Computer Science and Information Technology is met through well-equipped laboratories which are fully Air-Conditioned. The resources in the department are continually updated with the changing industrial trends. There are four computer laboratories which contain over 150 computers that are available for everyday student use. The department has well equipped laboratories with facilities that are vital to train the students in state-of-art software and hardware. Students are encouraged to utilize it to maximum. The computing facility is adequate to cater to the need of laboratory and project work for students as per the curriculum. Students get a computer system to work on for practical. Computer systems are with updated configuration. Additional equipments such as raspberry pi kits for related subjects are set up. Students can sit for extended timings in laboratories for projects, mini projects and practice sessions. As a part of our expansion initiatives, 3D Printer has been setup in the M2 Lab of the CS and IT department. The laboratories have high end computers and are used for conducting Multimedia Classes. A ceiling mounted projector is provided to facilitate smoth conduct of the classes. All the systems are networked and are protected against virus, worms & other online attacks. All the computers in the building are connected in LAN and provided with the Ethernet leased line to facilitate high speed internet access round the clock. These computers are upgraded as per the need of university syllabus and the software version change. The computer and related electronic equipment are tested and maintained with a scheduled frequency to keep the facility up and running.

LABORATORIES:

1. Advanced Computing Lab (MSc I.T Lab).
2. Programming Lab (M1 and M2 Lab).
3. Computing and Hardware Lab(L2 Lab)

1. Advanced Computing Lab

This lab is the pride of our department. This laboratory consists of advance 15 Dell and Lenovo based workstations with 20GB Ram and 1 TB Hard disk that are well equipped to meet the requirements of regular laboratory sessions that are an integral part of the postgraduate curriculum. All workstations have access to both Linux and Windows platforms. All the required softwares are installed with antivirus with periodic updates and maintenance of laboratory is at high priority.

2. Programming Languages Laboratory

This laboratory consists of 50 Lenovo, Acer and Dell based workstations with dual core processor and 4 GB Ram, well equipped to meet the requirements of regular laboratory sessions that are part of the undergraduate curriculum. All workstations have access to Linux



and Windows platforms. This lab is meant for conducting labs mainly for programming languages like VB.Net, Sql Server Enterprise, Java, C++, Graphics in C & projects for final year students. This lab is also used to provide students exposure in the areas of Operating Systems & Systems Development.

The students are taught Ubuntu, Red Hat Linux, Raspbain and Ms-Windows operating system. Latest software and hardware are installed for programming in C, C++, Java, .NET, Python and LINUX. For Java programming there are IDEs like Net Beans, eclipse and servers like Apache Tomcat, MySQL Server, Oracle, Web servers, Application Server etc.

3. Computing and Hardware Lab

This laboratory consists of 40 Lenovo, Acer and Dell based workstations with dual core processor and 2 GB Ram. This laboratory is especially dedicated for performing practical of Third Year B.Sc C.S and I.T students. This laboratory is also well equipped to educate students regarding Raspberry Pi as per the curriculum. Over 50 Raspberry Pi Kit with various components are available to provide students hands on experience in Raspberry Pi. Hardware.

The Quarantine

The well known Urdu short story writer and recipient of Sahitya Academy Award on his novelette ' Ek Chadar Maili si ', Rajindra Singh Bedi (1915 – 1984) has written a short story ' The Quarantine '. The Quarantine is included in, ' Daana-o-Daam ' the first collection of his short stories published in 1936. The quarantine was built to counter plague that spread in a town of Himalayan valley. The story revolves around the selfless heroics of William Bhago, the sweeper, who is an unlettered convert Christian, having really enviable faith in the Almighty, and working tirelessly for the cause of humanity. In the story, Bedi is on the top of his narratives while describing the horrible scenes of the quarantine. At one place Bhago says: Babuji .. yeh kontin to dojukh hai dojukh ..” (this quarantine is really a hell..). Then he describes an incident in which how the care takers and performers of the last rituals throw an unconscious but alive man with other dead bodies in to the fire and how he struggles to come out of it, and then our hero jumps in to flames and rescues the patient. While doing so he gets burns at many parts of his body. The peak of the incident is yet to come. According to Bhago, the patient was a real gentleman; even in that unbearable pain he thanked him and appreciated his love for humanity. Soon after the story takes an ugly turn as the patient died in agony and Bhago had to regret on his action saying: “How good it would be, had I not rescued him, I just caused him more pain after removing him from fire, now with my burnt hands, I threw him back in to the same heap.” After that Bhago could not say much, crying with pain he just asked a simple question: “aap jaantae hain..woh kis beemari se mara? Plague se nahin..kontin se..kontin se..!” (Do you know what did he die by? Not by plague.. by quarantine..by quarantine..!)

NSS Report of 2019 – 2020

National Service Scheme (NSS)

NSS Programme Officer: Dr. Arshad Ali Haider



: EVENTS :

1. On 1st May 2019, NSS unit of college celebrated "Maharashtra Day" in the college campus.
2. On 17th June 2019, NSS volunteers attended "University Level Yoga Training Camp" at the University ground organized by NSS Cell, University of Mumbai.
3. On 21st June 2019, NSS unit of our college celebrated "International Yoga Day" in the campus.
4. On 26th June 2019, NSS unit marched a rally on "International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking" from our College to Mumbai Central.
5. On 15th July 2019, NSS unit of college organized a program on "No Tobacco Oath" in the college campus.
6. On 29th July 2019, NSS volunteers attended "University Level Workshop" held at Red Ribbon Club, Wadala, Mumbai.
7. On 31st July 2019, NSS volunteers worked in the "Munshi Premchand Day" celebrated in the college Auditorium.
8. On 6th August 2019, NSS unit organized a "Paper Recycling Activity" at college class room level through NGO.
9. On 7th August 2019, "Free Medical Check-up Camp" was organized by NSS unit of Maharashtra college in collaboration with "HEALTH SPRING" family Health Experts of Mumbai at college campus.
10. On 15th August 2019, NSS unit celebrated "Independence Day" in the college campus.
11. On 15th August 2019, NSS volunteers celebrated "Raksha Bandhan" at Nagpada Police Station with their staff members.
12. On 16th August 2019, NSS unit organized "YuvaMahitiDoot Workshop" at College campus.
13. On 17th August 2019, NSS volunteers participated in the "Building Perspective Gender Workshop" organized by Akshara (NGO) at Dadar.
14. On 23th August 2019, NSS students attended in the rally "Human Chain & Walkathon" to promote 'Swaccha Bharat Abhiyan' organized by NSS Cell, University of Mumbai from Marine Line to Charni Road.
15. On 26th August 2019, NSS unit organized an awareness Lecture about "Welfare of Stray Dogs" in the college premises.
16. On 27th August 2019, NSS unit has organized "Voter I.D. Registration Drive Camp" in the college campus.
17. On 29th August 2019, NSS unit organized a program and taken "Fitness Pledge", in the college campus.
18. On 1st to 7th September 2019, NSS unit of our college organized "Maharashtra Relief Drive week" in which various collection of clothes, grocery, medicines and funds were made and also rally has been marched.
19. On 5th September 2019, NSS students participated in the "Organ Donation Awareness Compaigning Rally", organized by NSS Cell, University of Mumbai from Marine Drive to Charni Road, Mumbai.
20. On 9th September 2019, NSS volunteers attended a meeting held at Nagpada Police Station, Mumbai.
21. On 12th September 2019, Deputation of NSS volunteers from assisting Nagpada Police in Bandobast on the occasion of "Ganesh festival".
22. On 15th September 2019, NSS unit worked as volunteers to "Beach Cleaning Programme" at



- 23 On 17th September 2019, NSS volunteers participated in programme "Thalassemia Free India" held at Siddharth College, Mumbai.
- 24 On 17th September 2019, NSS unit organized "Tree Plantation Programme" in the college campus.
- 25 On 23th September 2019, NSS volunteers participated in the program "Dynamic Environmental Problem in Mumbai" organized by PCGT (NGO) at Mahalakshmi Chambers, Mumbai.
- 26 On 26th to 28th September 2019, NSS unit of college organized "Plastic Free Campus" Program and distributed the Paper bag to staff and students at college campus.
- 27 On 26th September to 05th October 2019 (10 days program), NSS unit of college managed the program on "Road Safety Steps" at college campus and outside the college in collaboration with PCGT (NGO).
- 28 On 2nd October 2019, NSS volunteers participated in the "Bhajan Sandhya" at Gateway of India on the occasion of Gandhi Ji's birth anniversary.
- 29 On 21st October 2019, NSS volunteers worked on election day to assist traffic police at Mumbai Central.
- 30 On 31st October 2019, NSS volunteers participated in the "Run for Unity" program at Marine Line.
31. On 10th November 2019, Deputation of NSS volunteers for assisting Nagpada Police in "Bandobast" on occasion of "Eid-E-Milad".
32. On 12th, 13th & 17th November 2019, NSS unit worked as volunteers to "Beach Cleaning Program" at Girgaon Chowpatty, organized by Shuddhi (NGO).
33. On 20th November 2019, NSS unit of our college organized a Lecture on "Right to Information" (RTI Lecture) in the College Auditorium Collaboration with NCC unit (Boys & Girls both).
34. On 26th November 2019, NSS volunteers participated in "Blood Donation" Prize distribution program organized by NSS Cell, University of Mumbai at Fort Campus.
35. On 27th November 2019, NSS volunteers attended in the "Report Release Launch" function organized by Akshara (NGO) held at Dadar.
36. On 30th November 2019, NSS unit organized a rally on "Cleanliness Swaccha Bharat Abhiyan - say no to plastic" near the college campus.
37. On 6th December 2019, NSS volunteers organized a "Cleanliness program under Swacch Bharat Abhiyan" in the college campus and clean our college.
38. On 9th December 2019, deputation of NSS volunteers for assisting Nagpada Police in "Bandobast" on occasion of "Gayarahwi Shareef."
39. On 10th December 2019, NSS unit volunteered in the Elocution program organized by department of Hindi held in the college auditorium.
40. On 11th December 2019, NSS unit worked as volunteers in "Urdu Karvan" held by department of Urdu in the college campus.
41. On 12th December 2019, NSS unit of college organized the "Blood Donation Camp" in the college campus in association with Masina Hospital Blood Bank Byculla, Mumbai. In total 48 Bottles of blood were collected from Donors.
42. On 16th December 2019, NSS unit of college organized a workshop on "Screening Ungender Spaces" in collaboration with Akshara (NGO) at college campus.
43. On 3rd January 2020, NSS volunteers attended a program "Lecture on Cyber Crime" organized by Nagpada Police Station of Nagpada, Mumbai.
44. On 11th & 13th January 2020, NSS unit of college organized two days "PAN CARD CAMP" in association with UTI Infrastructure and Technology Services Ltd., Mumbai at college campus.
45. On 21st January 2020, NSS volunteers participated in "Safety Audit Training" program

- organized by Akshara (NGO) at Dadar.
46. On 26th January 2020, NSS unit celebrated "Republic Day" in the college campus.
 47. On 3rd February 2020, NSS volunteers visited to "Ashadaan", Sangli street, Nagpada, Mumbai.
 48. On 11th February 2020, NSS volunteers attended the "Paramedical Career Guidance" program organized by college at college campus.
 49. On 12th February 2020, NSS volunteers participated in "Sankalp - Socio Cultural Fest" at Lala College, Haji Ali, Mumbai.
 50. On 16th to 22nd February 2020, NSS unit organized a "7 - Day's Special Residential Camp" at Balyani (Baneli) village, Titwala.
 51. On 23rd February 2020, NSS volunteers attended the program "Youth talk with Sharad Pawar" at Bharti Vidya Bhavan, Wadala, Mumbai.



Work-in-Progress of rebuilding the house of the widow in Poladpur undertaken jointly by Maharashtra College and Anjuman Dardmandane



REPORT OF SARUS NATURE CLUB ACTIVITIES 2019-20

Coordinator-Dr. Nilima Dixit

Sarus Nature Club arranged a 'Nature Trail' for the students of Maharashtra College of Arts, Science & Commerce to Dirghayu Agro-Farm Pvt Ltd., near Asangaon on 17th September 2019. Many students participated in this educational and enjoyable Nature Trail. The trail included a visit to Agro-Industrial Unit which comprised of Oil extraction unit & fruit juice and pulp making units along with manufacture of Vermi-Compost and techniques of grafting.

Photo of Nature Trail

On 28th September 2019, Sarus Nature Club in coordination with NSS Unit of Maharashtra College organized PLASTIC FREE CAMPUS Campaign by distributing the Paper Bags prepared by our own students to the person carrying Plastic Bags in the Campus with the message that every individual should avoid usage of Plastic Bags and save our environment.

Photo of Plastic free Campus Campaign

During the Cultural week 'Parvaaz' Sarus Nature Club organized two competitions viz. Pencil Sketching & Photography on the Theme 'Sunrise or Sunset' in which students were asked to click the pics on the given theme as well as pencil sketch on the given Theme in the allotted time for Drawing. Tremendous response was obtained from our enthusiastic students for these two competitions. Winners were awarded trophies and certificates.

Photo of Parvaaz Competitions

Alongwith the above offline activities Sarus Nature Club conducted the following Online activities such as E-quiz and webinar on National level during Corona Pandemic lockdown.

On 16th June 2020, Sarus Nature Club organized a National level online 'Environmental Literacy Quiz' for which the tremendous Registration was received from students of different Colleges and different States. E-certificates were issued to the participants scoring 60% and above in this Quiz and mailed on their registered email id.

An Online National Webinar in coordination with IQAC was organized on the very essential Topic of 'Mumbai Floods and Finding Solution with Citizen's Participation' by Mission Green Mumbai founder Mr. Subhajt Mukherjee on 12th July 2020 on Zoom. The speaker Mr. Subhajt Mukherjee emphasized the importance of water conservation by rain harvesting in every Society, Institutions, Corporate offices, etc. He also demonstrated the Underground Rainwater Percolation Pit (His own creation) which is useful in controlling water logging and providing a solution for flooding in Mumbai.

All the participants were enlightened through this webinar and e-certificates were provided to all the participants.



Report of Sarus Nature Club activities 2020-21

Coordinator-Dr. Nilima Dixit

Republic Ride was planned by Sarus Nature Club and IQAC of Maharashtra College of Arts, Science and Commerce on Tuesday, 26th January 2021 for which students were encouraged to use the bicycle to promote health and environment awareness by participating in Majhi Vasundhara Abhiyan which is an initiative by Government of Maharashtra to sensitize every citizen to Mitigate the Effects of Climate Change. These objectives were posted on students groups for circulation and a very good response was received from the students and teachers of NCC, NSS and Lifelong Learning & Extension Dept.

Two weeks before the events, members of Sarus Nature Club were practicing on their bicycles for the event. On Tuesday, 26th January 2021, at 8.00 a.m. all our Cyclists gathered in the College premises to participate in #RepublicRide2021 to support 'Mazhi Vasundhara Abhiyan' mission to bring positivity in the environment by avoiding use of polluting vehicles and encouraging the students, teaching and non-teaching staff residing close to Maharashtra College to use bicycles which will save their money for fuel, is environment friendly and regular cycling helpsto maintain digital detox.

All the cyclist attended the flag hoisting function at 9.00 a.m. in the college premises and after Republic Day parade, all our teaching and non-teaching staff members actively participated in this cycling activity.

Sarus Nature Club in collaboration with IQAC of Maharashtra College conducted an online National Level E-Quiz on 'Environmental Awareness' on 5th June 2021 to celebrate World Environment Day.

The main objective of the E-quiz competition was to encourage and enhance the knowledge and also provide participants a good platform where they could gain and explore environmental knowledge especially during the Covid-19 pandemic lockdown. Around 400 participants across the Country had participated and received our Certificate of Excellence and made this event successful.

Apart from this, Sarus Nature Club student members created a Video on Environmental awareness by maintaining social distancing for which they have sent short video clips with the message on Environmental day from their residence, then clubbed all such short videos in a very nice video and uploaded on the YouTube Channel of Maharashtra College on 5th June 2021 on the occasion of World Environment Day .



SURVEY APRIL 2021 FIELD EXPERIENCE REPORT

Sumaiya Tapadar - SYBA

Life long learning and extension student

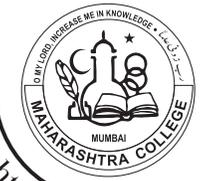
For the academic year 2020-2021 in SYBA, I had decided to join the Life Long Learning Unit of Maharashtra College and I had taken up a survey on the socio-economic status of women in rural areas in the contemporary times. The reason for taking up this topic for my research was that, I was present at a rural area during the pandemic lockdown and I thought that studying the population of the rural women would be a good idea.

So, I started collecting information about the rural women in my vicinity and their way of living. I also read some articles about the factors that would determine the socio-economic status of women and by doing that I tried to gain some insight into the obstacles that stand in the way of the socio-economic development of rural women. I made a questionnaire on Google forms and sent it through social media to some women who were educated. The sample population in my survey were females of 15yrs and above. To conduct my survey, I had taken a sample of 100 women, 50 from the village of Nairgram and 50 from Bangabazar village. Both these villages are in the Karimganj district of Assam.

One difficulty that I encountered was that some of the respondents in my survey were uneducated so I personally had to explain the form to them by contacting them on phone. Some were a bit intimidated thinking that I was collecting some data related to NRC but then I tried to coax them saying that it was just one of my projects which was required for my study and that their information would remain confidential. This is the effect of being uneducated as some of them did not know what a survey was but eventually, they complied with my request.

After I conducted the survey, I found out that in contrast to urban women, rural women are less educated and have less self-esteem. It seems that educational awareness has reached the rural areas to some extent with only 15% women who have studied below 5th std and 20% who studied above that. However, a majority of women (ie. 29%) have passed SSC and 21% who passed HSC. Only 13% of the women pursued Bachelors or B.Ed. and sadly only 2% have pursued MA. It seems that the society has put a benchmark that girls can study only up to SSC or HSC or more than that just Bachelors. A girl with a Master's degree is considered overly educated and so pursuing PhD or doctorate degree seems to be out of question. 41% of the women are satisfied with their level of education due to their perceived notion that 'females don't need much education in their lives'. Whereas 59% of them regret not studying further. 78% would have studied if given a chance to study further whereas 22% would not. 83% would like to educate the females in their family whereas 17% disapprove of it.

Majority of them also face gender discrimination on educational, financial and social grounds. Rural women are kept at the periphery with regard to the advancement in science and technology and have to follow a drab monotonous schedule of work which is quite tedious. Due to lack of adequate knowledge and information, they can't be self-reliant. Male preference over females in gaining quality education, preferential feeding of males, restrictions on movement, lack of recreational facilities, physical exercise, sports, etc. leads to health deterioration and complicates their situation even more. 50% of the women are unemployed, whereas among the other 50%, 35% of the women are employed in the primary sector and 15% in the tertiary sector. 73% of them can use their money freely for their basic requirements whereas 27% of them still have some restrictions in doing so. The women in poor

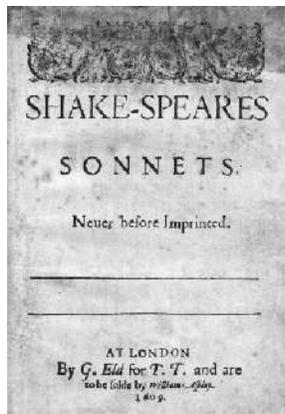


families are doubly marginalized firstly because they are women and secondly because they are not financially self-sufficient.

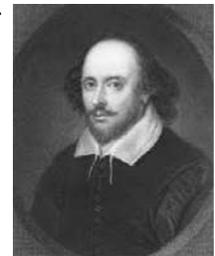
Furthermore, due to gender bias and stereotyping, men have the mindset that everything that is outside the house comes under the domain of men and everything that is related to the house comes under the domain of women and they are responsible for that. Hence, due to this line of thought, majority of the men do not participate in household activities and upbringing of children as they think they are not responsible for nurturing and taking care of their own children. The outcome is that girls find it difficult to manage and cope up with their studies along with lots of household work. They get less time to study and prepare their career as compared to boys who are free to use their time in whatever they like. Early marriage also reduces the possibility of getting educated and building their career. Women also suffer from dual responsibility while maintaining their home along with outside work, this makes their lives stressful and poses a threat to their health and mental wellbeing and they also do not get time to cultivate their hobbies.

I therefore, gradually came to understand that all these are hurdles to the socio-economic development of women and we can overcome these hurdles through effective sensitization of males and females alike. This area of study is important not only because it would increase the socio-economic status of women but also because it is a vital approach towards a better socio-economic condition for a developing country like India.

This survey research was a valuable use of my time and it helped me gain some lifelong skills that will last a lifetime. I am really thankful to my extension teacher Dr. Karen Miranda for guiding me throughout my research and I might once again like to work on a similar research project in my near future.



Published in 1609, the Sonnets were the last of Shakespeare's non-dramatic works to be printed. Scholars are not certain when each of the 154 sonnets was composed, but evidence suggests that Shakespeare wrote sonnets throughout his career for a private readership.[185][186] Even before the two unauthorised sonnets appeared in *The Passionate Pilgrim* in 1599, Francis Meres had referred in 1598 to Shakespeare's "sugred Sonnets among his private friends". Few analysts believe that the published collection follows Shakespeare's intended sequence. He seems to have planned two contrasting series: one about uncontrollable lust for a married woman of dark complexion (the "dark lady"), and one about conflicted love for a fair young man (the "fair youth").



It remains unclear if these figures represent real individuals, or if the authorial "I" who addresses them represents Shakespeare himself, though Wordsworth believed that with the sonnets "Shakespeare unlocked his heart".

"Shall I compare thee to a summer's day?

Thou art more lovely and more temperate ..."

—Lines from Shakespeare's Sonnet 18.

The 1609 edition was dedicated to a "Mr. W.H.", credited as "the only begetter" of the poems. It is not known whether this was written by Shakespeare himself or by the publisher, Thomas Thorpe, whose initials appear at the foot of the dedication page; nor is it known who Mr. W.H. was, despite numerous theories, or whether Shakespeare even authorised the publication. Critics praise the Sonnets as a profound meditation on the nature of love, sexual passion, procreation, death, and time.



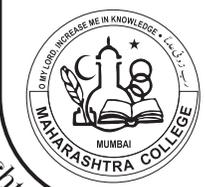
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

The English Literary Association organized an Online session on “The Rise of Science Fiction in the 20th century” on Thursday, 18th February, 2021 at 12:00 noon. The programme began with a few verses from the Quran. The Guest Lecturer of the event was Ms. Santhosh Priya, Assistant Professor, from PSGR Krishnammal College for Women, Coimbatore. 71 participants including the Principal, Vice-Principal, teachers and students attended this session. The session was made interesting for the learners through the use of a power-point presentation and video clippings. The lecture was followed by a Question-and-Answer session which made it very interactive. The event was appreciated by all the participants. The programme formally concluded with a Vote of Thanks. The students benefited immensely as the session acquainted them with the genre of Science Fiction and all the great writers associated with the genre. Also, the topic is a part of the syllabus for the students of TYBA. This gave an opportunity to the students to gain in-depth information through discussion with the expert.

International Webinar : Bold and the Beautiful : Representation of Women in Literature and Society

The webinar that was conducted in collaboration with IQAC, Maharashtra College and UK based NGO, IIW was conducted on MS Teams platform on 7th March, 2021 from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm. It was open for students and teachers. Participants from across the country and UK attended the webinar. The speakers for the webinar ranged from various fields like Social Sciences and Women Studies, Psychology and Mental health, Cybercrime and corporate each discussing about the representation of women in their respective areas. The webinar began with holy verses from the Quran which rightly celebrated womanhood.

The envisioning of this webinar was to engage students and other participants into assessing the ever-changing aspects of representation of women in literature and society and make them conscious about the nature of content on women that we consume as a part of media culture. Audiences understood how to deconstruct the stereotypical roles of a woman that literature and media promotes. On the eve of International Women's Day, the webinar created an opportunity to introspect, empathize and celebrate her presence as a woman juggling with various roles. Nearly 250 minds formed a rich audience who later asked questions to the guest speakers for the eve. The webinar has surely initiated a change in the mindset of all enthusiasts of literature, media and film industry.



Department of Chemistry Departmental Activities

Activity 1

International Conference on Emerging trends on Materials Science – 2021 (ETMS-2021)

Report

Department of Chemistry in collaboration with department of Physics of Maharashtra College and Pramukh Swami Science & H. D. Patel Arts, College, Kadi, Gujarat conducted an “International Conference on Emerging trends on Materials Science – 2021 (ETMS-2021)” on 22-23 March 2021.

The Main aim and objective of ETMS-2021 was to provide a platform for researchers, engineers, academicians as well as industrial professionals to present their research results and development activities in the synthesis and the functional applications of materials for various applications. The conference was open to all M.Sc/B.Sc students, PhD research scholars, faculties and industrialists.

The conference was conducted on an online platform using Zoom application. Scientists and Academicians were invited from the different parts of globe as well as from India to deliver talks on different aspects of Materials Science. There was a huge response of registration link and around 117 participants registered themselves. 29 participants showed their interest to publish their papers in Conference proceedings and their papers have been published in the reputed UGC approved International Journal of All Research Education & Scientific Methods (IJARESM). Dr A.M.H. Shaikh, Dr Juekha, Dr Mayuri and Dr Riyaz presented and published their papers in the said journal. All the participants were awarded the e-certificates.

Activity 2

National Webinar conducted By Dept. Of Chemistry

“Right to Health in the Constitution of India”

Department of Chemistry in collaboration with IQAC

Coordinated by: Dr Mayuri Joshi

Report

Chemistry Department in collaboration with IQAC of Maharashtra College organized National Level Webinar on Wednesday, 27th January 2021 on the backdrop of Republic Day on the topic “Human Rights & Health” presented by Advo. Paarth Singh, Bachelor of Law, from Rizvi College of Law University of Mumbai. The main objective of the webinar was to build awareness among participants on their “Right to Health in the constitution of India”, help students to create their understanding on their right to health & medical negligence during this pandemic situation.

Advo Paarth gave legal and medical awareness, explained clear distinction between Human rights and Fundamental rights from large bundle of rights as laid down under our constitution using online MS team platform and live streaming on YouTube. All Junior College and Degree college students Teachers and On YouTube more than 200 delegates participated. All the participants were given e-certificates.



Activity 3

Online National Level Science Quiz Competition on the occasion of National Science Day Celebration.

Coordinator: Dr. Riyaz Ahmad Dar

Report (2020-21)

Department of Chemistry conducted an Online National Level Science Quiz Competition on the occasion of National Science Day Celebration, i.e., 28th Feb. 2021.

The main objective of this competition was to encourage and enhance the knowledge of students towards science and technology so that it would provide students a good platform where they can gain and explore scientific knowledge especially in the Covid-19 pandemic time. The quiz was conducted using google link. The information for the quiz was circulated through watsapp, Telegram as well as email to the participants through their colleges in Mumbai and outside Mumbai. This went viral in different parts of country. Students of all the classes from FY to PG from Science, Arts and Commerce streams participated. Total 603 students participated and those who secured 75% and above were awarded the E-Certificates.

A. Under Science Association of Maharashtra College, department of Chemistry conducted the following activities for the year 2019-2020.

1. Intercollegiate Power Point Presentation on 27-08-2019

Intercollegiate PPT competition on different topics in science was conducted. Students from different colleges in Mumbai and outside Mumbai participated. Certificates were given to participants and awards/ mementoes and certificates were given to winners.

2. Intercollegiate Model Presentation on 30-08-2019

Intercollegiate Model competition on different topics in science was conducted. Students from different colleges in Mumbai and outside Mumbai participated. Certificates were given to participants and awards/ mementoes and certificates were given to winners.

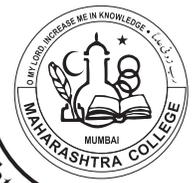
3. Intercollegiate Braining Storming Session on 28-08-2019.

Intercollegiate Brain Storming session on different topics in science was conducted. Students from different colleges in Mumbai and outside Mumbai participated. Certificates were given to participants and awards/ mementoes and certificates were given to winners.

1. Online Intercollegiate Quiz Competition In Chemistry & Precautions From Covid-19

In the wake of pandemic of COVID-19, Department of Chemistry organized an "Intercollegiate Quiz Competition in Chemistry and Precautions from COVID-19 Pandemic" as a part of innovation in teaching learning as an "Work from home opportunity" for all F.Y, S.Y and T.Y.B.Sc students as well as teachers on 7th of May 2020 . The event became a national event by getting responses not only from the state but also outside the state. 1318 responses were received and the winners were given certificates.

Dr. Ahamad M.H. Shaikh (HOD), Dr. Riyaz Ahmad Dar (Coordinator), Dr. Mayuri Joshi (Asst. Coordinator)



B. Educational field visit to Matheran on 21-12-2019.

The department conducted a field visit of 35 TY students to Matheran to open their eyes to new environments and new cultures. They also learn some new aspects of sands, rocks and environmental diversity.

C. Educational field visit to Khopoli on 20-02-2020.

The department conducted a field visit of 30 TY students to Khopoli to open their eyes to new environments and carry out some studies on sands, rocks and environmental pollution.

D. Visit of School Children to the Chemistry Laboratories on 17-01-2020.

10th Class students of Beigh Mohammad School Visited the Chemistry laboratory. Some basic Chemistry experiments were demonstrated to them to ignite their minds for scientist temper.

ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT SEES A NEW HORIZON AT MAHA-CARE

Maharashtra Colleges Center For Acceleration of Research and Entrepreneurship(MAHA-CARE) organised an Entrepreneurship Competition “Tapping Creative Start-ups – A Step Towards Atmanirbhar Bharat.” The second phase of this competition was held on 15th July 2020 from 11am to 4pm. Dr. Anand Govindaluri, Founder and CEO Govin Capital (Singapore) was the Chief Guest of the occasion. The jury members included Mr. Vijaykumar Shivpuje, Patent Agent; Mr. Faisal Hawa, Partner at H.G Hawa & Co; Mr Abdullah Qureshi, CEO, Abdullah Electronic Center; Dr. Rakhi Sharma, Convener, Incubator and Accelerator, Jai Hind College and Mr Awab Fakhi, Mentor Start-up India. Each participant was allotted 10 minutes to present their ideas following which they were questioned by the jury members.

Dr. Anand Govindaluri gave insights into the prerequisites of becoming a successful entrepreneur. He emphasized that it is not degree or qualification but it is passion and values ingrained in a person that makes him a great entrepreneur. He was overwhelmed by the start-up ideas presented by the evolving entrepreneurs but was particularly impressed by Mr. Irfan Kazi's concept of “Heal on Wheels”. He immensely appreciated the idea and was so inundated by it that he promised a seed fund of ₹ 5 million for building the project.

MAHA- CARE is indebted to the esteemed jury members and the venerable Guest of Honour for giving their precious time and treasured efforts in making the event a remarkable and unprecedented success. Their expertise helped the participants in enhancing their entrepreneurial prowess. The wisdom and guidance they provided to the emerging genre of entrepreneurs was admirable. MAHA – CARE will remain incredibly grateful to Mr. Anand forever, for the whopping seed fund amount of ₹ 5 million he promised for the potential business start-up venture in the event. He has not only supported a small business but he has nurtured a dream.

This small initiative of MAHA – CARE towards building a Self-Reliant India was acknowledged by the eminent members of the jury and distinguished Chief Guest of the event. Posterity will cherish this exceptional event for many years to come. Indeed, it laid the foundation for discovering a new India.

The final phase of this competition was held on 18th July 2020 from 10.30am to 4.30pm.



Mr. Uday Wankawala, CEO Atal Incubation Centre was the Chief Guest of the event. Mr. Pathik Muni, Partner at Adrey Consultancy and Founder at Khaana Chahiye was the Guest of Honour. Mr. Aslam Khan, CEO Octaware Technologies was the key note speaker of the event. Mr. Abdulla Thakur, CEO Global VC Fund; Dr.

Faruk Kazi, Dean R & D Consultancy at VJTI; Ms Afreen Sherwani, Engagement Lead, Regional Innovation Centre, UNDP – Asia Pacific and Mr. Mohsin Rakhangi, Director, E-Learning & Testing Centre at Gulf University of Science & Technology, Kuwait constituted the panel of jury members. Mr. Ahmed Khan, Chairman, Khairul Islam Higher Education Society also graced the occasion with his presence and delivered the Presidential address. Eight teams were competing with each other. Each participant was given 10 minutes to present his/her start up idea followed by the Q & A session by the members of the jury.

The Chief Guest, Guest of Honour and Key Note Speaker brilliantly spoke about their invaluable experiences which amazed our audiences. Also, their words of wisdom instilled unflinching enthusiasm among emerging entrepreneurs to scale great heights. The esteemed jury members were overwhelmed by the innovative start up ideas presented by the potential entrepreneurs. Their constructive suggestions and persona will be a torch bearer in guiding and inspiring the evolving genre of entrepreneurs.

The results were announced by the Hon'ble Principal of Maharashtra College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale. The following is the list of prize winners:

- a) First Prize – Arbaaz Kadwekar, Find Your Hospital (₹50,000)
- b) Second Prize – Mulla Umez Munaf, SANIDOR (₹ 25,000)
- c) Third Prize – Pallavi Shah, WMATO (₹ 15,000)
- d) Consolation Prize – Disha & Tanvi, DASHApp (₹10,000)

Mr. Muhammad Ali Sarguroh, Quality Assurance Head, Master Skill Hub, generously awarded all the contestants from Maharashtra College, who made it to the second and final phase of the competition a prize money of ₹5000 each. Master Skills Hub will host every year one day seminar on “Emotional Intelligence for Nascent Entrepreneurs” in collaboration with MAHA CARE from 2021 to 2023. Master Skills Hub has also shown their interest to invest and fund the start ups based on feasibility study and due diligence. The Principal and Director, MAHA- CARE are extremely appreciative of this support as it will boost the morale of not only the contestants but also of the entire student community of Maharashtra College. Mr. Faisal Hawa, Mr. Abdulla Qureshi and Mr. Asif Khatri have also bounteously contributed to the prize money. They will also be facilitating start-ups with seed capital. Mr. Abdulla Hasan Thakur will be conducting a workshop in collaboration with MAHA CARE On “Creativity-A Need for Entrepreneurship” in near future. MAHA- CARE will forever remain an obligor to the sponsors for all the incredible support and plenteous prize money. Words are insufficient to express the depth of gratitude for what MAHA- CARE owes to them. The event was executed under the exemplary leadership and patronage of the Principal, Dr. Sirajuddin Chougale and Director MAHA- CARE, Dr. Saima Shaikh. This remarkable event yielded favourable outcomes due to tireless efforts put in by highly diligent, energetic and zealous members of the Team MAHA- CARE.

The historic event has also been in harmonious compliance with the spirit of Atmanirbhar Bharat. The making of Self-reliant India has seen a new dawn.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED DURING ACEDMIC YEAR 2019-2020

A story-telling competition based on Munshi Premchand stories was organised on 31st July 2019, The judges were Sophia College's Suman K Shetty and Maharashtra College Of Arts, Commerce And Science's Professor Nirmala Sabnees who is the head of department for Marathi. The first prize was bagged by sabiha, 2nd was won by arshi, 3rd prize winner was aasim and 4th prize was bagged by afreen. The program was organised under the guidance of Dr. Rama Vinod Singh, HOD, Hindi Department and supported by President of Hindi Department, Mohammed Tanveer Ansari.

A competition based on Hindi Grammar vocabulary "Who will become the Grammar master" was organised 17th september where the Chief judges Muhammad Nehal and Usman Kalsekar Played their role. The 1st prize was bagged by Iqra Qureshi's Team, 2nd was won by Mehandi Team, Third was won by Alamgir Team and the 4th prize winners were Muhammad Tanveer Ansari's Team.

On 10th December 2019, a was organized Inter-collegiate competition where the chief judges were Dr. Tabassum Khan, HOD, Hindi Department of Royal College in Parel and Dr. Sangeeta Thakur, HOD, Hindi Department, Dandekar College Situated in palghar. The prize winners were as follows: 1st- Sanju RJ college 2nd- Sabiha ansari, Maharashtra college 3rd- Monali, St Xavier college 4th- Bhavna Bhavans College.

In the annual event, Parvaz of Maharashtra College, essay writing competition was organised where the chief judge was Professor Kiran Tiwari of the Physics department. The first prize was won by Aasim, 2nd was won by arshi shaikh, 3rd was won.

An inter-collegiate poetry reciting (Antakshri) competition was organised where the chief judges were Dr Leena Prabhu, HOD, History Department and Professor Ayesha Shaikh, Department of Sociology. The First Prize was won by Waseem's Team, 2nd was bagged by Arshi's Team, 3rd was won by Aalamgir's Team.

A trip by Hindi Department of Maharashtra College of Arts Commerce And Science National Museum of hindi cinema was organised on 8th February 2020. The aim was to learn the style of story telling, various change in the portrayed society through cinema, evolving cultures and impact of modern world..

Covid 19 Quiz Competition 29th April 2020

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International Webinar 24th June 2020

Registration link <https://forms.gle/3yQJCNyWzP2gzViYA>

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माझ्या एनसीसी शिदोरी

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एनसीसी कॅडेट्स ना एकदा एनसीसी चे फायदे सांगत असताना नकळत मनात एक प्रश्न आला....
“एनसीसी ने मला काय दिले?” प्रश्न मनात संपतो न संपतो तर डोक्यासमोर एनसीसी ने देलेली शिदोरी उलगडायला लागली...

मी माझ्या तारुण्यात फार भित्री होते. टवाळ मुले छेड काढतील याची मनात सतत भीती असायची. बाजारात कॅन्दा गर्दीच्या ठिकाणी जायचे म्हंटले की पोटात गोळा यायचा. पण एनसीसी मध्ये प्रवेश घेतल्यावर आम्हीच मुलांना छेडू लागलो. कधी धड ठाणे जिल्हा न फिरलेली मी दिल्लीला राष्ट्रीय पातळी वर एकटी कॅंप करून आले.

एनसीसी मुळे मी शिस्तप्रिय झाले. वेळेचे बंधन पाळणे अगदी अंगात मुरले. कुढल्याही परिस्थितीला सामोरे जाण्याचे सामर्थ्य आले. आपल्या वरिष्ठांची आज्ञा पाळणे व आपल्या कनिष्ठांना आज्ञा देणे हे दोन्ही व्यवस्थित जमु लागले. कितीही शारिरीक व मानसिक कष्ट करण्याचे बळ आले. यशाबरोबर अपयश ही सहजतेने पचवू लागले.

एनसीसी ने मला जीवाभावाच्या मैत्रिणी दिल्या. आज कॉलेज संपून २६ वर्षे झाली आहेत पण आमची मैत्री तशीच घट्ट आहे. देशप्रेम, सामाजिक बांधिलकी, चांगुलपणा, व्यायामावर प्रेम, कुठल्या ही परिस्थितीशी जमवून घेण्याची कला.... एक ना अनेक..... अगदी न संपणाऱ्या शिदोऱ्या एनसीसी ने मला दिल्या.

२२ ते इंडस राइफल पर्यंत बंदूकीने फायरिंग करण्याचे सौभाग्य मिळाले. एनसीसी ने स्वप्न पाहण्याचे तर शिकवलेच पण त्याच बरोबर ते साकार करण्यासाठी मेहनत करण्याचे ही सामर्थ्य दिले. ज्या गणवेशाला जीवापाड प्रेम केले त्याला परत घालण्याचे भाग्य एनसीसी नेच दिले.

आज कॅडेट्स जेव्हा “जयहिंद” म्हणून सलामी देतात तेव्हा अंगावर मुठ भर मांस अजून चढल्याचा भास होतो. आपले कॅडेट्स अनेक स्पर्धा जिंकून पुढे जाताना पाहून होणारा आनंद अनुभवण्याचे भाग्य एनसीसीनेच दिले. आज माझ्या भारतभर मित्र. मैत्रिणी आहेत ते केवळ शक्य झाले ते एनसीसी कॅंप केल्यामुळेच...

खरच एनसीसी ने मला आयुष्यात जी शिदोरी दिली आहे ती न संपणारी आहे.. तेव्हा मी महाराष्ट्र विद्यालयाच्या प्रत्येक विद्यार्थ्याला सांगू इच्छिते की एनसीसी ची शिदोरी जरूर घेऊन आयुष्याची वाट चाला...

जय हिन्द



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उर्दू मराठीतील देवाण घेवाण



प्राध्यापक : सतीश भालेराव

असे म्हटले जाते की उर्दू भाषेचा जन्म हा फारसी आणि हिंदीच्या देवाण घेवाणीतून झाला, या मुळे उर्दूची भारतातील इतर प्रादेशिक भाषांशी देवाण घेवाण ही काही आश्चर्यकारक गोष्ट नसावी. पण मी अनुभवलेल्या काही गमतीदार गोष्टी सदफ नियत कालिकेच्या माध्यमातून तुम्हांला सांगतो.

माझ्या आजीच्या पिढीतील जवळपास सर्वच बाया रविवारला ऐतवार म्हणायच्या. पण इतरवारांना नेहमीचे मराठीतील शब्द वापरायच्या, जसे-सोमवार, मंगळवार, इ. मला नेहमी प्रश्न पडायचा की मग ह्या आज्या रविवारालाच का ऐतवार म्हणतात ? मी माझ्या पद्धतीने तर्क शोधला. रविवार म्हणजे सुट्टीचा दिवस. आयते बसून खाण्याचा दिवस, म्हणून ह्या सर्व आज्या रविवारला ऐतवार म्हणतात. हा समज बऱ्याच दिवस माझ्या डोक्यात घर करून होता. पण एकदा मुंबईत एका कार्यक्रमाचा इंग्रजी आणि हिंदीतील तक्ता (बॅनर) बघितला तेव्हा कुठे ऐतवारचा खरा अर्थ कळला. त्यात काही वारांची नावे इंग्रजीत आणि हिंदीत लिहिलेली होती.

अजून एक त्याच पिढीतील माझ्या आजोबांची गोष्ट सांगतो. आम्हांला धमकावतांना ते एक वाक्य नेहमी वापरायचे, तू अमकी अमकी चुकीची गोष्ट केली तर तुझी काही खैर नाही. ह्या वाक्यावर कधी फारसा विचार नाही केला. पुढे मात्र सावित्रीबाई फुले पुणे विद्यापीठात प्रवेश घेतल्यावर इराण, इराक आणि इतर राष्ट्रांतील विद्यार्थ्यांशी सवांदाचा योग आला. मग सहजच, तुमच्या भाषेत, मजेत आहे हे कसे म्हणायचे वगैरे चर्चा व्हायच्या. तर अरबी मध्ये मी मजेत आहे, याला म्हणतात. तसेच उर्दूतही सगळं काही व्यवस्थित आहे असे विचारण्याला; सब खैरीयत जनाब असे रोजच वापरले जाते. त्या वरून आपण माझ्या आजोबांनी वापरलेल्या खैरचा अर्थ लक्षात घेऊ शकतो. मराठी वृत्तपत्रांत संपादकीय मध्ये बऱ्याच दावापरला जाणारा शब्द म्हणजे 'अलविदा'. त्याचा सरळ अर्थ वेगळा, भिन्न. पण त्याला अनुसरून मराठी संपादकीय मध्ये अपवाद अशा अर्थाने वापरला जातो. अजून गमतीशीर शब्द म्हणजे अब्वल. क्वचितच एखाद्या सुशिक्षित व्यक्तीला पटेल की 'अब्वल' हा शब्द अरबी किंवा उर्दू आहे. अरबी मध्ये क्रमवारीत पहिला असेल तर त्याला 'अब्वल' म्हटले जाते. पण मराठीत अब्वल हा शक्यतो स्पर्धेत प्रथम क्रमांक पटकावणार यासाठी वापरला जातो. त्याच प्रमाणे पराभूत केले यासाठी पर्यायी वाक्प्रचार म्हणून नेस्तनाबूत केले. खेळ, स्पर्धांच्या बाबतीत मराठीत रूढ झालेल्या उर्दू शब्दांची यादी कुस्तीच्या खेळात अधिक ठळक होते. 'तालीम' हा उर्दू शब्द आणि 'शिक्षण' हा त्याचा अर्थ. मराठी 'सराव' अशा किंचित वेगळ्या अर्थाने तो रूढ झाला. तसेच उस्ताद हा ही फारसी शब्द, उर्दूत 'शिक्षक' अर्थाने रूढ झाला आणि मराठीत मात्र फक्त कुस्ती शिकवणाऱ्या शिक्षकाला उस्ताद म्हणतात. बहुधा तत्कालीन कालखंडात कुस्तीला राजाश्रय असावा म्हणून हे शब्द रूढ झाले. स्थानिक मराठी आणि उर्दू भाषिकांनी उस्ताद शब्दाला उपरोधिक 'वस्ताद' शब्द शोधून काढला. वस्ताद म्हणजे वात्रट, खोड्या, उपद्रव करणारा.

उर्दू ही विविध भाषांच्या संमिश्रणातून उधाय्यास आली. त्यामुळे तिने काही मराठी शब्दासामावून घेतले आहेत. जसे, कंटाळा हा शब्द 'कंटाला आता है' अशा पद्धतीने काहीसा वेगळा करून वापरला जातो. तर काही उर्दू भाषिक एखाद्या शब्दावर जोर देण्यासाठी मराठीप्रमाणे 'च'चा वापर करतात, जसे-मै अभीच आया. तसेच 'नको' हा मराठी शब्द सुद्धा 'को' वर जोर देऊन काही भागांतील उर्दूत रूढ झाला. उर्दू आणि मराठीची देवाण घेवाण फक्त आठवणीच्या जोरावर आणि एका छोट्या लेखात मांडणे शक्य नाही. तरी हा छोटासा लेख वाचकांमध्ये कुतूहल आणि उस्तुकता निर्माण करण्यास मदत करेल असे मला वाटते.

माझी जन्मभूमि

हुमेराह शेख, १२ विज्ञान

माझा अक्षही तोच आहे, माझी सावलीही तिच आहे.
माझा हमदम हीतोच आहे, माझी सरमाहाही तोच आहे.

माझी गीता तिच आहे, माझे कुरानही तेच आहे,
माझी पूजाही तिच आहे, माझी अजानही तिच आहे.

माझी शांतीही तिच आहे, माझी आवडही तोच आहे.
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माझा जोशही तोच आहे.

या ठिकाणी असे कुणी नाही,
माझ्या व्यक्तित्वावर सावली आहे... जो कुणी विचारतो की..
तुझे निवासस्थान काय आहे,
मी म्हणते माझा देश तो माझा हिंदुस्तान आहे.

केवळ स्वप्ने पाहु नका.....

लेफ्टनट मनीषा अभिष चिंचोलिकर

केवळ स्वप्ने पाहु नका तर ती जगायला शिका..
जरूर येतील वाटेत अडथळे ते निवारायला शिका...

लक्षात ठेवा प्रत्येक रात्री नंतर असते पहाट,
मग का दाखवावी आपल्या स्वप्नाना वाट...
घट्ट धरून ठेवा त्याना कधी सोडू नका...

केवळ स्वप्ने बघू नका तर ती जगायला शिका....

पडाल, झडाल, रडाल, व्हाल रक्त बंबाळ....
वाटेल सर्व सोडून दयावे, का करावे जीवचे हाल...
पण एक ना एक दिवस ते होतील पूर्ण ही, आस सोडू नका..

केवळ स्वप्ने बघू नका तर ती जगायला शिका.....

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कुठून आलास रे तू
या मानवास छळायला
कबूल आहे मानव आजकाल
लागला होता चूका करायला
पण म्हणून नको होतीस तू
इतकी मोठ्ठी शिक्षा द्यायला ॥

कोरोना, इवलासा जीव तुझा,
आलास जग संपवायला
मानव मर्त्य आहे ही जाणीव
सतत वारंवार करून द्यायला अर्थ व्यवस्था
कोलमडून केवळ शिक्षण पद्धत बदलवायला
आणि हुशार विद्यार्थी वर्गाची प्रचंड हानी करायला ॥

कोरोना, इवलासा जीव तुझा,
आलास जग संपवायला
तरी ही किमान तुझ्यामुळे
मानव लागला नीट वागायला
आणि कधी नव्हे ते ज्ञान भांडार
सर्व जग भर वाटायला
शिवाय केवळ तुझ्या मुळे आम्ही
सज्ज झालो नवीन शिकायला ॥

कोरोना, इवलासा जीव तुझा,
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पण जा बाबा आता, अजून थांबू नकोस
तू नुकसान करायला
आमच्या प्रत्येक कृतीवर नको
होतास तू इतका अंकुश ठेवायला
संपव तुझा प्रवास येथे वर
आले हेच मागायला ॥



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मी, डॉ.जयश्री मेनन. जयश्री डॉंबिवलीकर म्हटले तरी हरकत नाही. कारण माझी जन्मभूमी आणि कर्मभूमी डॉंबिवलीच. आणि डॉंबिवलीकर म्हटल्यावर मराठी संस्कृतीशी एक झालक त्या माणसाच्या व्यक्तीमत्तावर दिसून येतेच!

मराठी संस्कृती ची माझी ओळख आमच्या शेजारच्या कुलकर्णी परिवारामुळे झाली. आमच्या छोट्या कुटुंबात होतो, आम्ही चौघे म्हणजे अम्मा, अच्छा, भाऊ आणि मी, तसेच कुलकर्णी परिवारात होते आई, बाबा, दादा आणि ताई... माझी मेधाताई ! मी त्यांना आई, बाबा, दादा आणि ताई म्हणूनच हाकमारायचे. दोन्ही कुटुंबांमध्ये खूप आपुलकी होती. मुख्य म्हणजे माझ्या आणि मेधाताईमध्ये विशेष जिद्दाळ्याचा संबंध....

आठवणींच्या लडी उलगडत जाताना कुलकर्णी परिवाराशी निगडीत अनेक प्रसंग हळुवारपणे समोरे येतात. नकळतपणे मन त्या रम्य बालपणाची सैर करायला लागते. सकाळी उठल्या नंतर मी दुधाचा ग्लास घेऊन घराबाहेरच्या पायऱ्यांवर बसायचे. आई ओल्या केसांवर टॉवेल गुंडाळून, बारीक जरी असलेली कॉटनची साडी नेसून व हातात हळद, कुंकू आणि रांगोळी घेऊन घायची... उठली का ग. जयंमा, असे म्हणून, डोक्यावरून हात फिरवून अंगणा मध्ये साधी पण सुंदर रांगोळी काढायची. सरळ बारीक रेषा, भौमितिकरचना, सममितीय नमुने... . किती सुंदर !! मी आश्चर्याने बघत रहायचे ! मोठी झाल्यावर मी पण काढेन अशा प्रकारे रांगोळ्या, मनातल्या मनात मी ठरविले होते. तेवढ्या परिपूर्णतेने नसले तरी मी सुद्धा दिवाळीला रांगोळी काढते, बरंका !

आई शिक्षिका असल्याने मेधाताई दुपारच्या वेळी एकटी असायची. एकटी कसली ? मी, अम्मा आणि वाडीतील सगळ्या काकू असायच्या ना तिच्या बरोबर. ! त्या काळात तशीच प्रथा असायची. आताच्या परिस्थितीत मात्र आपल्याच फ्लॅटच्या प्रत्येक खोलीत घरतील सदस्य काय करतात हे ही आपल्याला ठाऊक नसते !

दुपारच्या वेळी, मेधाताई बरोबर मी जेवायचे, झोपायचे, अभ्यास करायचे, खेळायचे आणि आठवड्यातून दोन दिवस आम्हाला नृत्य शिकवायला मास्तरही घायचे ! आज मला हे आठवून नवल वाटते की आठ वर्षाची मेधाताई कशी काय कुकर लावून भात शिजवायची. पण गरम भाता बरोबर तूप आणि मेतकूट टाकून स्वायला मात्र मला खूप आवडायचं. ताई बरोबर राहून मराठी भाषा, सण, स्वाद्यपदार्थ यांची ओळख तर झालीच परंतु मराठी शैली व परंपरा यांच्याशी माझी नाळ अतूट पणे कधी जुळली ते माझे मलाच कळले नाही. नवरात्रीच्या दिवसांत आम्ही मॉडला साजरा करायचो. पाटीवर हत्ती काढण्या पासून फराळ बनविणे, वाडीतल्या मुर्तींना आमंत्रण देणे, या सगळ्या गोष्टीत मी ताई बरोबर अगदी हिरीरीने असायचे. गणेशचतुर्थीच्या दिवशी गणपती बाप्पाची मूर्ती आणायला जाताना, आरती करताना, प्रसाद वाटताना व विसर्जन करायला जाताना मी त्या कुटुंबाबरोबर असायचे. दिवाळीत सुद्धा आई बरोबर करंज्या चकल्या शंकरपाळ्या इत्यादी फराळ बनवायला मी आणि अम्मा बसायचो.

अश्या बऱ्याचश्या सुंदर आठवणी मागे ठेवून ते कुलकर्णी कुटुंबीय पुण्यात स्थायिक झाले. मेधाताई मला सोडून गेले तरी मनाने मात्र आम्ही कायम जवळच राहिलो. अम्मा व अच्छा बरोबर आई बाबा ही देवा घरी गेले. आपापल्या व्यवसायिक व कौटुंबिक जबाबदाऱ्यांमुळे माझी आणि ताईची भेट वचिंतच होते... परंतु माझ्याकडे मात्र आहे मराठी संस्कृतीची अतूट नातं सांगणारी त्यांची ती बोली, ती शैली, ती संस्कृती आणि ती सुंदर आठवणींची तिजोरी....!



भोंडला महाराष्ट्रातील मुलींचा पारंपारिक सण

डॉ. जयश्री मेनन, जीवशास्त्र विभाग

भोंडला हा महाराष्ट्रातील विशेष व आवडता सण आहे. आश्विन महिन्यात हस्त नक्षत्राला सुरुवात होते. त्या दिवसापासून भोंडल्याची सुरुवात होते. भोंडला हा पश्चिम महाराष्ट्रात व कोकणात प्रचलित असलेला स्त्रियांच्या सामुदायिक खेळाचा प्रकार आहे. नवरात्रीचे नऊ दिवस आणि दसऱ्याच्या दिवशी हा खेळला जातो. घट स्थापनेच्या दिवसापासून संध्याकाळी अंगणात भोंडला खेळला जातो. नवरात्रीच्या नऊ दिवसात हस्त नक्षत्राचे प्रतिक असलेल्या हत्तीची प्रतिमा एका पाटावर काढून मधोमध ठेवली जाते व त्याची पूजा केली जाते. त्या नंतर त्याच्या भोवती मुली फेर धरतात. फेर धरताना एक छोट्या मुलीचा व एक मोठ्या मुलीचा असे दोन फेरे होतात. सर्वच मुली भोंडल्याची पारंपरिक गाणी म्हणतात. भोंडला करताना म्हटली जाणारी गाणी ही महिलांच्या आयुष्याशी निगडित असतात. भोंडल्याची विशेष व प्रसिद्ध गाणी अशा प्रकारे आहेत. ऐलमा पैलमा, श्री कांता कमला कांता, कारल्याचा वेल, एक लिंगू झेलूबाई, आडबाई, शिवाजी आमुचा राजा वगैरे.

हत्ती हा समृद्धीचे प्रतीक मानला जातो. तसेच वर्षन शक्तीचे प्रतीक म्हणूनही त्या कडे पाहिले जाते. घाटावरच्या मुली पाटावर डाळ तांदूळाचा हत्ती मांडून त्या भोवती फेर धरून गाणे म्हणून पूजा करतात. रांगोळीच्या ठिपक्यांनी झूल काढतात. रंगीबेरंगी फुलांच्या माळा घालून त्याला सजवतात. याच भोंडल्याचे स्वरूप हादगा, भुलाबाई असे प्रदेशानुसार बदलते. जिच्या घरी भोंडला असतो, तिची आई खिरापत करते. रोज बहुधा वेगळे घर आणि त्यामुळे वेगळी खिरापत असते.

भोंडला किंवा हादगा याचे कृषीसंस्कृतीत विशेष महत्त्व आहे. महिलांच्या सुफलीकरणाचा विधी म्हणून या कडे पाहिले जाते. पूर्वी चूल आणि मूल एवढंच क्षेत्र असणाऱ्या स्त्रियांना, हा आश्विन महिना म्हणजे भोंडला, हळदी कुंकू वगैरे मुळे विरंगुळा मिळे. मने मोकळी होत असत आणि पुन्हा कामाला नवा उत्साह मिळे. आजही आधुनिक काळात वेगवान जीवन जगताना स्पर्धा ताण तणाव यातून मुक्त होण्यासाठी आणि दोन घटका आनंद प्राप्तीसाठी पारंपरिक पद्धतीचा भोंडला नव्या युगात तरुण स्त्रियांना ही आनंद देत असतो आणि म्हणून अनेक ठिकाणी सार्वजनिक भोंडला साजरा होत आहे.



चित्र : अतुल बेळोकर



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तीन महत्वाची गोष्ट जे आपल्याला लोकांमध्ये पॉप्युलर करणार



प्रोफेसर अख्तर हुसेन शेख

महत्वाची गोष्ट आपण लोकांमध्ये कसे रहावे आणि कसं वागावे हे तुम्हांला ह्या नोट्स मध्ये मी सांगतो. तीन महत्वाची कौशल्ये जे तुम्हांला लोकांमध्ये स्मार्ट करणार, हे कौशल्ये तुमच्यामध्ये, सगळ्यांकडे आहेत. ते पुढील प्रमाणे:

१. स्मार्ट (स्मितहास्य) :

मित्रांनो तुमचे स्मार्ट हा इतरांवर स्वरूप प्रभाव टाकत असतो. जर तुमच्या चेहेऱ्यावर स्मार्ट असेल किंवा हसू असेल मग तुम्हाला बघून लोक जवळ येतात, जोडली जातात. हेच महत्वाचे आहे. तुमच्या चेहेऱ्यावर नेहमी हसू असो किंवा स्मार्ट असायला पाहिजे.

तुम्ही हारलेला जरी असाल, पण जर तुम्ही एक स्मार्ट दिली जर ते लोक तुमचे स्मार्ट पाहून तुम्हाला अजून जळतात. लोकांचं काम आहे जळण आणि आपलं काम आहे खुश राहणे. तुम्ही खुश राहा. बरेच लोक तुम्हांला विचारतात की एवढा खुश का आहेस ? लोकांची मानसिकता तसेच असते कुणाच्या चांगला होत असेल तर अडथळे निर्माण करतात. मग करून घ्या. त्यांच्या त्या काम लोकांना स्मार्ट देऊन त्यांना अजून जळवा. आणि तुमच्या सपोर्ट करणारे लोक केव्हा तुमच्या पासून दूर जाणार नाही. आणि स्मार्ट केल्याने आपल्याला नेहमी फ्रेश होत असते त्या मुळे आपले मन नेहमी चांगले विचार करते त्यासाठी तुम्ही रोज स्मार्ट करा.

२. फालतू बोलू नका :

मित्रांनो दुनियाच्या एक रूल आहे गीव रिस्पेक्ट अँड टेक रिस्पेक्ट. तुम्ही जर लोकांना जेवढे रिस्पेक्ट देतात तेवढे तुम्हाला लोक रिस्पेक्ट करतात. आपण आपल्या बोलण्या मुळे जग जिंकू शकते पण फालतू बोलण्या मुळे आपण फालतू बनू. म्हणजे तुम्ही बोला मग किती बोलायचं त्याला काही लिमिट असते. लोकांना तेवढेच सांगा जेवढ्या सांगण्याची गरज असते, फालतू बोलणं बंद करा कारण आपल्या फालतू बोलण्यामुळे आपले कॅल्यु नेहमी कमी होते, आणि आपल्या बोलण्यावर नेहमी विश्वास ठेवा आणि तितकेच बोला जेवढे कामाचे आहे.

३. अँटीड्युड

अँटीड्युड म्हणजे आपला स्वभाव कसा पाहिजे. आपल्या अँटीड्युड ज्याला लोक स्वभाव असे म्हणतात हे असा व्हायला पाहिजे की लोक आपल्याला कधीच कमी किंवा कमजोर समजणार नाही, त्यासाठी तुमची थिंकिंग पॉझिटिव झाली पाहिजे त्यासाठी तुम्ही नेहमी पॉझिटिव राहा. जेव्हा पासून तुम्ही एखाद्या व्यक्तीशी बोलतात तेव्हा पूर्ण पॉझिटिव बोला आणि बघा ती व्यक्ती आपोआप आपल्या बाजूने बोलायला सुरुवात करते. जेव्हा पण तुम्हाला राग येते तेव्हा तुम्ही शांत व्हा आणि तोच निर्णय घ्या, ज्या तुमचं कामासाठी आणि स्वप्नासाठी योग्य आहे. नेहमी पॉझिटिव रहा आणि स्वतःवर विश्वास ठेवायला शिका.



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माझा एनसीसीचा प्रवास

शेख हुमैरा, १२ विज्ञान

माझा एनसीसीचा प्रवास ऑक्टोबर २०२०ला सुरु झाला. मला शाळेत असल्या पासून एनसीसीची आवड होती पण प्रत्यक्षात मात्र महाराष्ट्र विद्यालयात आल्यावर एनसीसी करण्याची संधी मिळाली.

सुरवातीला कोरोना महामारीमुळे ऑनलाइन प्रशिक्षण मिळाले. पण जेव्हा आमचे प्रत्यक्षात प्रशिक्षण सुरु झाले तेव्हा सुरवातीला ते कठिण वाटले. एक तासापेक्षा जास्त वेळ उभे रहता येत नव्हते पण नंतर मात्र स्वतःत प्रगती होत गेली. आता मी कित्येक तास न थकता परेड करते. पाण्या शिवाय प्रखर सूर्या प्रकाशातही उभी राहू शकते. मला माझ्यात असलेल्या सहनशक्तिची ओळख एनसीसीने दिली.

एनसीसीने मला वेळेचे व्यवस्थापन कसे करायचे ते शिकवले. सुरवातीला मला ते कठिण जायचे. मी हळू-हळू माझ्या कामाचा वेग वाढवला. आता माझ्या अंगात वक्तशीरपणा अगदी मुरला आहे.

एनसीसीच्या विविध कार्यक्रमांमुळे मला रक्तदान, समुद्र किनारी स्वच्छता अभियान, पूतळा स्वच्छता अभियान या सारखी अनेक समाजोपयोगी कामे करण्याची संधी मिळाली. माझ्यात सामाजिक बांधिलकी निर्माण झाली.

एनसीसी मुळे मला खऱ्या जीवाभावच्या मैत्रिणी भेटल्या. जरी काही कॅडेटचे काही विचार पटत नसले तरी त्यांच्याशी जमवून घेण्याची कला मला येऊ लागली.

जरी आमचे या वर्षाचे प्रशिक्षण जास्त करून ऑनलाइन पद्धतिने झाले आहे... पण येणाऱ्या काळात एनसीसी आम्हाला प्रत्यक्षात भरपूर काही नवीन गोष्टी शिकण्याची संधी देईल ही अपेक्षा.

कोरोना राणी

नाव कसे राणी सारखे,
म्हणे डोक्यावर मुकुट असे,
घेतले बळी लाखाणचे,
उजाड रानच केले जगाचे

डॉ. बिंदू पानीकर
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कुटुन आली कशी आली
कोणास काही थाऊक नाही
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आपल्या ईशान्यावर नाचनाचवून

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दहशत तुझी धाक सरवार्ना
मास्क लावा अंतर ठेवा
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वडीलधारे म्हणत असे
कोरोना ने सर्वस्त हरपले
परंतु धडेही अनेक गिरविले

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मोजक्या पैशात गुजारण शक्य हेही अनुभवलो
शाळा कॉलेज बंद तरी चालू राहीला अभ्यास
एकमेकांतील संवादाने एकत्र जोडले परिवारास

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सुदु

संपादकीय मंडळ

डॉ. रमा सिंह

प्रोफेसर शेख स्वदीजा

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काश ये दुनिया फिर मुस्कुराए
कोरोना के वार को हम सब हरारें

उम्मीद के जुगनू फिरसे जग मगारें
कोरोना के वार को हम सब हरारें

हिम्मत से काम लेना सिखारें
चलो हम सब मिलकर इसे जड़ से मिटारें

छीन लिया किसी के बुढ़ापे का सहारा
तो किसी को अनाथ बना दिया

आज इस ने हमें इतना बेबस, है किया
घर की चार दिवारी में बंधी बना दिया

जब इंसान पिंजरे में कैद हुआ
प्राणियों ने तब खुलकर आवास किया

कल-कारखानों पर जब तालों ने विश्राम किया
तभी तो प्रकृति ने खुलकर साँस लिया

चौक उठी मानवता जब वायरस का आगमन हुआ
छोटे-बड़े, अमीर-गरीब सभी को सम्मान एकसा

इस अंधेरी रात का भी अंत समीप होगा
हमारा जीवन फिर से सुनहरा होगा

ढूँढती हूँ खुशियाँ इस मतलबी दुनिया में,
सोचती हूँ मैं कैसे जिऊंगी अपने भविष्य में।

हर खुशी मुझे मेरे माँ, बाप देते हैं,
पर वो भी मेरे लिए कितने दुःख सहते हैं।

सच्चाई भी अब कोने में छुपी बैठी रहती है,
आँखों से ही वह क्या-क्या कह लेती है।

अब तो इन्साफ मालिक ही करे सबका,
यहाँ पर तो बस चलता है मतलब परस्तों का।

लेकिन, मेरा मालिक सब देखता है,
और ऊपर बस चलता है मेरे मालिक का।

दुनिया में तो सब अपने कारनामे दिखायेंगे,
लेकिन मालिक के सामने सब घबरायेंगे।



मेरी डायरी के पन्नों से.....!

कलीमुल्ला मोहम्मद नईम शेख, १२ विज्ञान

मेरे ज़िंदगी का एक ऐसा काल, जब पूरी दुनिया में तबाही और बर्बादी मची हुई थी, कोई घर से बाहर नहीं निकलता था। सब अपने-अपने घरों में बंद। सब कुछ बंद। आने-जाने का साधन, होटल, कार्यालय, विद्यालय, महाविद्यालय सब कुछ बंद। सही मायने में कहूँ तो ऐसा लग रहा है कि पूरी दुनिया एक जगह पे ठप हो गई है। कई तो, डर के मारे अपने घरों से निकलते ही नहीं थे। और इस काल में सिर्फ एक ही आवाज सुनाई दे रही थी (कोरोना ... कोरोना कोरोना)।

ऐसे समय में जब कोई किसी से मिल नहीं सकता था, तब पढ़ाई लिखाई कैसे होती, ना शिक्षक, पाठशाला जापा रहे थे, ना छात्र जापा रहे थे। और ऐसे मुश्किल परिस्थिति में शिक्षा के बारे में सोचना भी असंभव था। क्योंकि ना शिक्षक छात्र से मिल सकते थे, न छात्र शिक्षक से मिल सकते थे। ऐसे समय में तो और भी मुश्किल हो गया था। लेकिन इतने मुश्किल होने के बावजूद भी, हमारे शिक्षकों और छात्रों और हमारे मुख्यमंत्री जी द्वारा मिलकर ऑनलाइन शिक्षा मोबाइल फोन और इंटरनेट के माध्यम से शुरू की गई। ऑनलाइन शिक्षाकर यानी कि ना छात्र पाठशाला में है, ना शिक्षक। फिर भी शिक्षा चालू, इसी तरह सब अपने-अपने घरों से ही शिक्षा ग्रहण करने लगे। लेकिन शुरुआत में, कुछ अभिभावकों ने इस शिक्षा का भी विरोध किया। लेकिन कुछ दिनों बाद जब उन्हें भी ऐसा लगा कि इसके आलावा और कोई रास्ता नहीं है, तब वे भी सहमत हुए।

ऑनलाइन शिक्षा तो जैसे-तैसे करके शुरू हो गई। लेकिन अब बारी थी, पाठशालाओं में कार्यक्रम करने की। जो कि मेरे समझ से परे था। और इसी दौरान मेरे महाविद्यालय में एक कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। एक प्रतियोगिता रखी गई (हिंदी भाषण प्रतियोगिता)। जिस में मैंने भाग लेने से मना कर दिया। क्योंकि मुझे नहीं लग रहा था कि ऑनलाइन माध्यम से ठीक तरह से यह कार्यक्रम हो पायेगा। लेकिन मेरे विद्यालय कि हिंदी विषय कि शिक्षिका (खदीजा मैडम) ने मुझे कहा कि कार्यक्रम कैसा भी हो, उसमें भाग लेना बहुत बड़ी बात है, आप भाग ले लो इस तरह मुझे उत्साहित किया। फिर मैंने उस प्रतियोगिता में भाग लिया। उसके बाद जो हुआ, ओह आप लोग भी सुनकर सोचने पर मजबूर हो जाओगे कि, यह कैसे हुआ ?

उस प्रतियोगिता में मेरा प्रथम क्रमांक आया। जो मैं सोचा भी नहीं था कि, ऐसा भी होगा। और फिर मैं खुशी के मारे फूला न समाया। उस दिन मैं बहुत खुश हुआ। और उसी दिन मैंने सोच लिया था, कि कोई भी कार्यक्रम प्रतियोगिता होगी उस में भाग जरूर लूंगा। कुछ हि दिन बाद एक और कार्यक्रमका आयोजन हुआ (मुंशी प्रेमचन्द उत्सव) जो की ३१ जुलाई को मुंशी प्रेमचन्दजी के जन्मदिन पर मनाए जाते हैं। इस में चित्रकला, कहानी, एक नाटक यह सब कि प्रतियोगिता रखी गई। और मैंने इस प्रतियोगिता में भी भाग लिया। और देखते हि देखते इन सब के नतीजे भी आ गए, और इस नतीजे में, चित्रकला और कहानी में मेरा द्वितीय क्रमांक आया और फिरसे एक बार मैं बहुत खुश हुआ। यह कार्यक्रम महाविद्यालय के प्रधानाचार्य, उप प्रधानाचार्य, पर्यवेक्षक और बहुत शिक्षकों के मौजूदगी में हुआ। यह कार्यक्रम भी बहुत अच्छे से हुआ, सभी ने बहुत बढ़िया तरीके से अपना कार्य किया। और यह कार्यक्रम भी ऑनलाइन माध्यम से हि सफलता पूर्वक हुआ।

माँ का आंचल

अरनाज् अफज़ल शेख, १२ वी आर्ट्स

सन-सन कर बह रही है माँ के आंचल में,
सुन-सुन कर यह गीत माँ से सो रही हूँ जैसे बादल में।

प्रेम सी चांदनी किरणें बिखर रही हैं पल-पल में,
सुन-सुन कर यह गीत माँ से सो रही हूँ जैसे बादल में।

धीमें अनोखे गीत की आवाज पे रही है सुजल में,
सुन-सुन कर यह गीत माँ से सो रही हूँ जैसे बादल में।

बह रही हैं जो माँ के गीत से जल में,
सुन-सुन कर यह गीत माँ से सो रही हूँ जैसे बादल में।

हमारे देश की बेटियाँ

खान मैहविश शकील
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हमारा देश आज पुरी दुनिया में अपनी बढ़ती तरक्की के कारण मशहूर हो चुका है। और इस तरक्की में एक बड़ा योगदान हमारे देश की बेटियों का भी है। आज हमारे देश की लड़कियों ने हर एक फील्ड में अपनी सफलता के झंडे गाड़ कर इस धारणा को गलत साबित किया है। जो हमारे देश में एक रीत बन चुकी थी।

हमारे देश में पहले बेटियों को कमजोर या फिर नाजुक समझा जाता था। और इसी सोच को खत्म करने के लिए और बताने के लिए कि लड़कियाँ लड़को से कम नहीं हैं। कुछ लोगों ने हिम्मत जुटाई और वह इस में सफल भी हुए। आज जो लोग ये सोचते थे के लड़कियाँ तो सिर्फ खूबसूरत होती हैं इनमें दिमाग या अक्ल होती ही नहीं है। वही दूसरी तरफ ऐश्वर्या जो बेहद खूबसूरत थी और मिस इंडिया की फाईनलिस्ट भी रह चुकी थी इस के बाद भी एक साल तक बेहद कड़ी मेहनत की और पहले ही प्रयास में यू.पी.एस.सी में ऑल इंडिया रैंक ९३ हासिल किया। जो लोग कभी कहते थे के लड़कियाँ कमजोर होती हैं उन में लड़ने की ताकत नहीं होती उन्हें भी हमारे देश की मणिपुर की मुक्केबाज जिसे हम मैरीकोम के नाम से जानते हैं। मैरीकोम ने हमारे देश के लिए ओलंपिक पदक जीता और यह बता दिया की लड़किया लड़ना भी जानती हैं और लड़को से कम भी नहीं हैं। कोई कहता था के लड़कियाँ ये नहीं कर सकती इस सोच को भी हमारे देश की लड़कि किरण मजूमदार जिनहो ने बायोकोन नाम की बायो फरमास्टिकल कंपनी की स्थापना की थी। आज वे भारत की सबसे सफल और धनी बिजनेस वुमन में शुमार हैं। इनका नाम फोर्ब्स की लिस्ट में भी आ चुका है। भारत सरकार ने इन्हे पदमभूषण और पदमविभूषण पुरस्कार से भी नवाज है।

आज हमारे देश की बेटियों ने हमारे देश में ही नहीं बल्कि पुरी दुनिया भर में अपने गुणगान करे हैं। हमारे देश की बेटियों का कुछ इसतरह से स्वभाव बदले की पूरा देश ही नहीं दुनिया भी इनकी वाह-वाह करते हैं और उन पुराने रिवाजको भी बदलकर रख दिया। उन सबका मुँह बंद कर दिया जो कहते थे कि लड़किया कुछ नहीं कर सकती, वह लड़को की बराबरी नहीं कर सकती, वह लड़ नहीं सकती, वह व्यापार नहीं कर सकती उन सब को सिर्फ गलत साबित किया बल्कि उन्होंने लड़को को बहुत पीछे भी छोड़ दिया।

सोच लो आज एक सलाम उन देश की बेटियों को जिन के कारण आज देश की हर लड़की उन बेटियों से प्रेरित हो कर अलग-अलग फील्ड में अपना और अपने देश के झंडे गाड़ रही हैं। और एक दिन ऐसा भी होगा की हमारा देश एक आम देश नहीं रहेगा बल्कि सबसे सफल देश का उदहारण भी बनेगा। जय हिंद !!!

लॉकडाउन का समय



डॉ. मयूरी जोशी

मैं जो सालो तक नियमित काल में, मेरी मन चाही चीजें नहीं कर पा रही थीं वो मुझे लॉकडाउन समय में करने का अवसर मिला.

थोड़ा समय मैं अपने आपको तो थोड़ा मैं अपने परिवार को दे पाई.

सुबह होते ही ध्यान करके अपने आप में आत्मा को खोजने की कोशिश की.

फिर मैंने अनुभूती की
मैं एक शुद्ध आत्मा हूँ

और
मैं एक पवित्र आत्मा हूँ
और

फिर परमात्मा से प्रार्थना की
कृपया मुझे आत्मसाक्षात्कार
प्रदान करें.

थोड़ा टहल ने गई और
थोड़ा व्यायाम किया तो
थोड़ा योग किया.

जप यज्ञ के लिए समय निकाला.
परिवार में फोन द्वारा घुली मिली.

तो थोड़ा ऑनलाइन वेबीनार में उपस्थिति दर्ज
की और

थोड़े वेबीनार खुद भी आयोजित किए.

कुछ अच्छे अच्छे व्यंजन बनाए
खुद चखें और

परिवार को खिलाये.

बच्चों को ऑनलाइन पढ़ाया और
प्रयोग बताए.

धन्य हो प्रभु जो हमें इस परिस्थिति में आपने हमें तारा
और

सुरक्षित रखा.

मेरे परम और वरिष्ठ मित्रों को मैंने इस कोरोना काल में
खोया.

हमें रुलाया और

श्रद्धांजलि दिलवाई

फिर गाना गवाया.

जिंदगी के सफर में गुजर जाते हैं वह

मकाम फिर नहीं आते वो

फिर नहीं आते.

धन्यवाद

ऑनलाइन शिक्षा के हानि

शेख हुमैरा इब्राहिम
१२ विज्ञान



जैसा के आप सभी जानते है कि हमारी वर्तमान स्थिति क्या है ? कोरोना काल जैसे गंभीर समस्या से लड़ रहे हैं। इन सब स्थिति को ध्यान में रखते हुए बच्चों की शिक्षा में कोई रुकावट ना आए इसलिए शिक्षा विभाग में ऑनलाइन शिक्षा को आरंभ किया। इसके द्वारा बच्चे शिक्षा तो प्राप्त करते हैं पर इसका सबसे बड़ा नुकसान यह है कि इसमें पारंपरिक कक्षा के जैसा माहौल नहीं बन पाता है आप सभी इस अनुभव को भली-भांति समझते होंगे की कक्षा में विद्यार्थियों के साथ बैठकर पढ़ने का फायदा बहुत ज्यादा है। अध्यापक के सामने विद्यार्थी सजग रहते हैं। उसका ध्यान इधर-उधर भटकने पर शिक्षक उसे तुरंत डांट देता है। या फिर दूसरे विद्यार्थी शिकायत कर देते हैं। ऐसा करने से परस्पर कक्षा में सजगता, सामंजस्य व उर्जा का माहौल बना रहता है। इसके अलावा शिक्षक किसी भी विद्यार्थी से अचानक विषय के बारे में प्रश्न पूछ लेते हैं। पारंपरिक कक्षाओं में अध्यापक अपने विद्यार्थियों का रोजाना का होमवर्क भी चेक कर लेते हैं जिस कारण लगभग सभी बच्चे अपना होमवर्क पूरा रखते हैं। परंतु ऑनलाइन शिक्षा में यह सभी कार्य ना के बराबर है।

ऑनलाइन शिक्षा के समय जब बच्चों के हाथ में मोबाइल होता है तब उनका ध्यान पढ़ाई की तरफ ना जाते हुए मोबाइल गेम, फिल्म, सोशल मीडिया, यूट्यूब, चैटिंग आदि गतिविधियों की तरफ केंद्रित होता है। और बच्चे जल्द ही शिक्षा से दूर हो जाते हैं। माता-पिता समझते हैं कि हमारे बच्चे ऑनलाइन शिक्षा प्राप्त कर रहे हैं परंतु यहां तो बच्चे कोई और ही गतिविधि कर रहे होते हैं।

ऑनलाइन शिक्षा का सबसे बड़ा नुकसान यह भी है कि बच्चे अनुशासन में रहना भूल गए हैं। अध्यापक का सम्मान भी नहीं करते और उनकी बातों पर ध्यान भी नहीं देते। ऑनलाइन शिक्षा के लिए इंटरनेट की आवश्यकता होती है अगर इंटरनेट की स्पीड अच्छी ना हो तो लाइव क्लासेस में ठीक तरह से कनेक्ट नहीं हो पाते। पुअर इंटरनेट स्पीड के कारण पूरा लेक्चर खराब हो जाता है। और एक लेक्चर खराब होने का मतलब है बहुत हानि। ऑनलाइन शिक्षा में बच्चे अपने डाउट क्लियर नहीं कर पाते। ऑनलाइन शिक्षा में आत्मा मूल्यांकन की कमी नजर आती है।

ऑनलाइन शिक्षा के सभी तरह के पहलू है लेकिन यह कहना गलत ना होगा की लॉकडाउन में ऑनलाइन शिक्षा ने बच्चों, शिक्षकों और शिक्षा संगठनों की काफी मदद की है और शिक्षा के आदान प्रदान को रुकने नहीं दिया।

मैं ऑनलाइन शिक्षा का वर्णन एक कविता के माध्यम से करना चाहती हूँ।

था टीचर का ब्लैक बोर्ड, कभी ज्ञान का खजाना।

हुआ यह किरसा पुराना, अब है मोबाइल का जमाना।

मिल जाते है मोबाइल पर ही गुरुजी

कहते वही से तुम, पढ़ाई करो शुरुजी

अब मोबाइल में टीचर, टीचर के पास मोबाइल

देखते देखते सारे स्टूडेंट करने लगे स्माइल बच्चे अब कर लेते हैं, वही से आज्ञा का पालन

पढ़ाई के नाम पर होता, गेम का संचालन

ऑनलाइन पढ़ाई से मम्मी पापा भी खुश नहीं पता वही से लूडो खेल रहा है उनका दुष्ट

टीचर की डांट से भी बच्चे होते बड़े प्रसन्न क्यों कि टीचर को चुप करने का उनके पास है बटन

पिक्चर मोबाइल से थोड़ा-थोड़ा ही पढ़ आएंगे नहीं तो बच्चे मोबाइल बंद करके भाग जाएंगे

अब सारे टीचर मोबाइल पर ही पढ़ आएंगे मम्मी पापा भी खुश की बच्चे कुछ कर दिखाएंगे।



नाटक करो या मरो

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(मंच पर सनाटा छाया हुआ है चारों ओर घहरा अंधकार है एक ऐसी खामोशी छायी हुई है तभी उस अंधकार को चिरता हुआ एक व्यक्ति मंच पर आता है और चिल्लाने लगता है)

संजू - अरे ! चट्टा हाब ,बिस्मिल, हमीद भाई, रमेश कहा हो सब बाहर आओ जल्दी आओ अनर्थ हो गया (२) अब इस देश का क्या होंगा, मेरे भारत का क्या होंगा (गुस्से में मंच पर यहां-वहां घूमता है फिर से सबको पुकारने लगता है) हमीद ,रमेश,चट्टा, बिस्मिल.....!

रमेश-क्यों चिल्ला रहे हो क्या हुआ है ? (सब बाहर आते हैं दौड़ते हुए)

संजू-क्या हुआ, क्या हुआ (अपने माथे पर दोनों हाथों को रखता हुआ कहता है) क्याहुआ मुझे ! तुम लोग सूनेगे तो तुम सबका खून खोल उठेगा.

चट्टा -क्या हुआ?(हैरत से)

संजू - गांधीजी गिरफ्तार हो गये हैं! (एक हाथ माथे पर और एक कमर पर रख कर परेशान दिखाई देता है)

हमीद - क्या.....क्या कह रहे हो. भाई ! हमारे बापू.....हमारे बापू.....बन्दी.....या अल्लाह अब क्या होंगा (जमीन पर बैठ जाता है)

संजू - हां ! हमीद भाई हमारे बापू.....हे भगवान अब क्या होंगा .हमीद भाई केवल बापू ही नहीं, हमारे सारे नेता सरदार पटेल, मौलाना आजाद, राजेन्द्र प्रसाद, महादेव भाई, कस्तूरा, नायडू और मीरा बेन सबको बन्दी कर लिया है !

बिस्मिल-क्या कह रहे हो तुम संजू भाई! अब हम क्या करेंगे (सब आश्चर्य से एक दूसरे को देखते हैं)

चट्टा साहब - अब क्या होंगा? हमारे सारे नेताओं को बन्दी कर दिया है।

हमीद- संजू भाई सबको कहां बन्दी बनाकर रखा गया है।

संजू -सारे नेताओं को अलग-अलग जगहों पर बन्दी बनाकर रखा गया है।

बिस्मिल - गांधीजी को कहाँ रखा गया है।

संजू - आगों खां पैलेस में, राजेन्द्र बाबू को पटना में नजर बंद किया गया है और मौलाना आजाद को हजारीबाग के कारावास में रखा गया है। अब मेरे भारत का क्या होंगा।

चट्टा - सारे नेता जेल में बंद हैं। अब जनता को रोकने वाला कोई नहीं है।

संजू - हां भाई (गुस्से में) जनता ने विरोध प्रदर्शन और हिंसा का सहारा लिया है। जगह-जगह हड़ताल-व-प्रदर्शन किये जा रहे हैं। आन्दोलन में छात्रों , मजदूरों, किसानों, जन-साधारण... सभी भाग ले रहे हैं। कई जगहों पर जनता ने अंग्रेजों की हत्या भी कर दी है।

बिस्मिल - क्या कह रहे हो संजू भाई। अब क्या होंगा।

हमीद - (क्रोध में कहता है) करो या मरो। यही गांधीजी का मंत्र है।

संजू - क्या कह रहे हो हमीद भाई।

हमीद- सब यही नारा लगा रहे हैं क्या तुम सब ये बात नहीं जानते। सारे देश में हिंसक कारवाइ हो रही है। अब जनता को रोकने वाला कोई नहीं है. जन-संघर्ष शुरू हो गया है। सरकारी इमारत जलाई जा रही है।

चट्टा -क्या कह रहे हो।

हमीद - आंदोलनकारियों ने अंग्रेजों को भारत छोड़ने की धमकी दी है। कई कांग्रेसी नेताओं के विचार से यह आन्दोलन का सही समय नहीं है।

रमेश--क्यों.....क्यों सही समय नहीं है इन्होंने हमारे नेताओं को बन्दी बनाया है। जनता क्रोध में तो आगीही.

हमीद--नहीं रमेश भाई....क्या तुम नहीं जानते हो जापान कभी भी भारत पर हमला कर सकता है। देश में मंहगाई चरमसीमा पर है। औरतो और हमारे देश के पास हथियार भी नहीं है।



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संजू--हां ! हमीद भाई तुम सत्य कह रहे हो। करो या मरो ! (सब की ओर देख कर) तुम सब यह बात जानते हो कि गांधीजी और पटेल के प्रयासों से ८ अगस्त १९४२ को मौलाना आजाद की अध्यक्षता में मुंबई कांग्रेस माह---

समिति की बैठक हुई जिसमें अंग्रेजों भारत छोड़ो प्रस्ताव को मान लिया गया था।

चट्टासाहब- यह बहुत अच्छा हुआ। (मंच पर गंभीर मौन छा जाता है। तभी अदृश्य में एक साया आता दिखाई देता है और दर्शकों से कहता है)

अदृश्य व्यक्ति-- भारत छोड़ो आंदोलन, देश का सबसे बड़ा आंदोलन था.....है..... और रहेगा क्यों कि यह आम-जनता का आन्दोलन था। यह आन्दोलन ऐसे समय आरंभ किया गया जब दुनिया बदलाव के दौर से गुजर रही थी। पश्चिम में युद्ध लगातार जारी था और अंग्रेजों के खिलाफ आन्दोलन तेज होते जा रहे थे। एक तरफ भारत गांधीजी के नेतृत्व की आशा कर रहा था तो दूसरी ओर सुभाष चंद्रबोस भारत को आजाद करवाने के लिये फौज तैयार कर रहे थे। ऐसा कहना गलत न होगा कि जन-आंदोलन से भारत की आजादी की मजबूत जमीन तैयार हो चुकी थी। बस उसमें आजादी के बीजों को बोना बाकी था। (रुक कर) क्या.....! आप जानते हैं कि अगस्त आंदोलन या अगस्त क्रांति सफल न हो सकती था भारत को आजादी नहीं दिला पायी लेकिन.....लेकिन फिर भी भारत के अन्य आंदोलनों की तुलना में यह आंदोलन सबसे बड़ा आंदोलन साबित हुआ। इस आंदोलन ने जनता को असंतोष की चरमसीमा पर पहुंचा दिया। ब्रिटिश शासन का अन्त करीब था। भारत अपने सभी साधनों का उपयोग आजादी के लिये कर रहा था तथा अंग्रेजों के विरुद्ध कर रहा था। इसी अवसर पर गांधीजी ने करो या मरो का नारा दिया था। (अदृश्य व्यक्ति गायब हो जाता है)

हमीद - हम सब भारत को आजाद करेंगे या मरेंगे.....!

रमेश-- क्या तुम सब जानते हो अंग्रेजों का भारत में रहना यानी कि जापानियों को भारत पर आक्रमण करने की दावत देना है।

सब एक साथ--हां.....! अब बहुत हो चुका अब अंग्रेजों को हमारा देश छोड़ कर जाना ही होगा।

(जोर से सब साथ में)

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अंग्रेजों भारत छोड़ो

(परदा गिरता है)

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पिता एक उम्मीद



प्रोफेसर रमा सिंह

पिता एक उम्मीद ही नहीं,
जीवन के निर्माता हैं।
उम्मीद के साथ साथ
पिता भाग्यविधाता हैं।

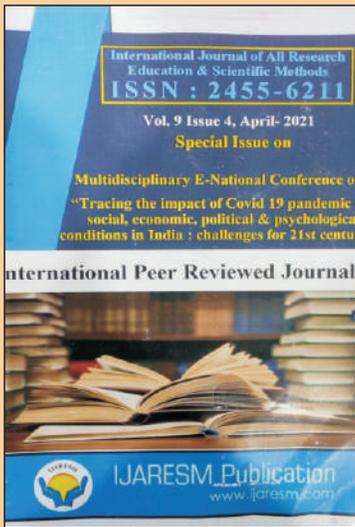
अपने अनुभवों से
ज्ञान और सीख देते पिता।
जब भी होती है कुछ चाहत,
बिना बोले पूरी करते पिता।

अपने हौसलों से कभी
गिरने नहीं देते,
जीवन के हर मोड़ पर
ढाल बनकर खड़े होते,
छत्र छाया बनकर,
अनवरत संबल देते।

पिता से घर में रौनक
लगे जैसे त्योहार,
होली, दशहरा, दीपावली
जगमग माँ का श्रृंगार।

पिता एक उम्मीद ही नहीं,
जीवन बगिया के
अद्भुत माली हैं।
जिनके बिना यह बगिया,
उदास ही नहीं, खाली है।

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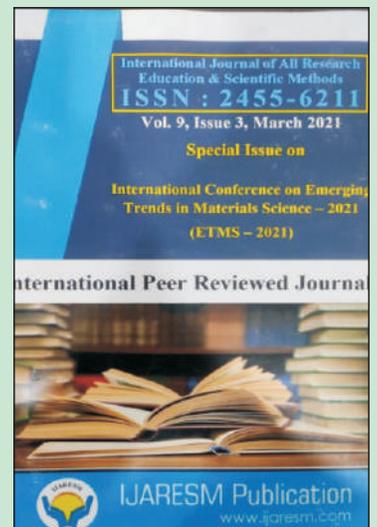


NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COVID-19

The Social Science Departments of Maharashtra College of Arts, Science and Commerce organised a National Conference on 'Tracing the Impact of Covid-19 Pandemic on Social, Economic, Political and Psychological Conditions in India: Challenges for 21st Century' on 5th April, 2021. It was convened by Prof M. Z. Shahid and coordinated by Dr. Rakhsandah Hani.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EMERGING TRENDS IN MATERIALS SCIENCE – 2021 (ETMS – 2021)

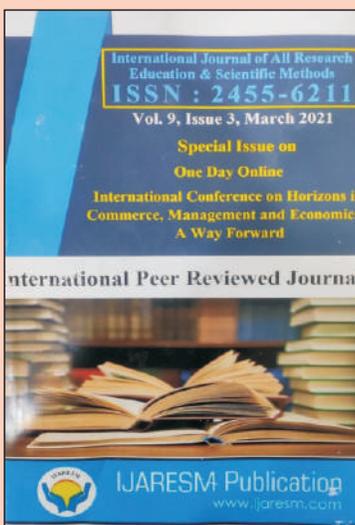
Two-day International Conference on Emerging Trends in Materials Science – 2021 (ETMS – 2021) was organized by the Departments of Physics and Chemistry, of the College in collaboration with the Dept. of Physics, SVKM's Pramukh Swami Science and H. D. Patel Arts College Kadi, Gujarat, during Mar. 22 - 23, 2021. The objective of this conference was to bring together leading Scientists, Researchers, Academicians and Scholars around the world to exchange ideas on various aspects such as recent innovations, developments and their applications in their varied fields.



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The Faculty of Commerce and BMS organized a One Day Online International Conference on 13th March 2021 on the topic of "New Horizons in Commerce, Management and Economics".

The conference received overwhelming responses. 174 participants across India and few international participants registered for this conference. 148 research papers were received and 125 were presented. As good as 77 papers were published in the Journal called International Journal for all research education and scientific methods (IJARESM) with an impact factor of 7.429.



Lt. Manisha Abhish Chincholikar

Attended Direct Commission course at Gwalior from 14th Sep to 12th December

and secure A grade in it. Also secured the position of Second order of Merit and win Silver Medal.

Win silver medal in Table Tennis competition and also awarded with Certificate of Excellence in

1. Planning and organizing Institutional Training.
2. Social Service and community development.
3. Flag area.
4. Map reading.
5. NIAP
6. Yoga IP
7. Camp planning.
8. Planning and Organising Adventure Activities.

THAT PRIZE IS FOR SECOND ORDER OF MERIT IN COMMISSION COURSE

Achievements



WELCOME
Lt. Dr. Rafi Ahmed CTO 1 Mah. Bt. Boys



Dr. Farzana Riewan Chandiswala
Dept. of I.T.

Achievement

Passed the two year B.Ed (Bachelor in Education) held by the University of Mumbai in the month of October 2020 with overall CGPA : 8.28.



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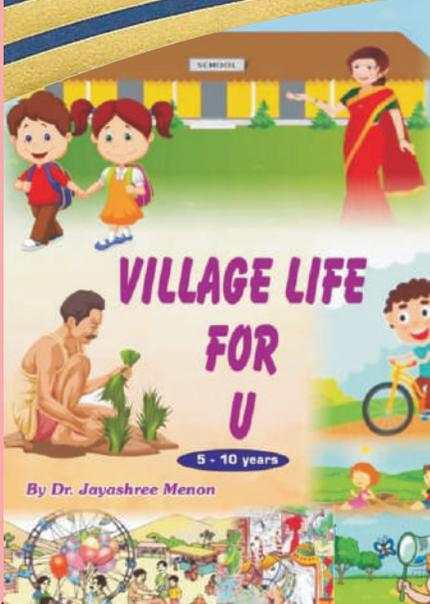


Maharashtra College is Happy and Proud to share that our NGG Gadet MARYAM SHAIKH is selected for Republic Day selection camp at State level and attending selection camp at Pune...

All the Best for her next Selection

Achievements

Dr. Jayashree S. Menon
Dept. of biology



1. FIRST PRIZE in ORAL PRESENTATION of RESEARCH PAPER in Semi-virtual National Conference on Environmental Pollution (VISHWANATH SUMMIT 2021) organized by V.V. Dalvie College, RUSA and Govt. of Maharashtra funded Model College in collaboration with K.V. Pendharkar college and Sindhu Swadhyay Sanstha, University of Mumbai on 29th March 2021.
2. SECOND PRIZE in ORAL PRESENTATION of RESEARCH PAPER in 2 day National E-conference on Recent trends in Life Sciences, Energy and Environment 2021 organised by Life Sciences Department, Dapoli Urban Bank Senior College on 25th September 2021.
3. PUBLISHED FOURTH BOOK for children titled ' VILLAGE LIFE FOR U' at the hands of Vice Chancellor of Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Dr. V.N.Rajeshkharan Pillai on 5th January 2020.
4. RESOURCE PERSON for Women's day Celebrations organized by Kerala Kala Samithi , Goregoan and delivered a talk on 'DILEMMA OF HOME-MAKERS AND ITS REMEDIAL MEASURES' on March 7th, 2021



Star of Maharashtra College-2020

*Kashif Shakeel a budding Writer & Poet
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<https://www.rekhta.org/>*



Kashif Shakeel of TY BA (Arabic) is a prolific writer and a good poet as well. His poems and write ups have been published in Inquilab-Mumbai; Tameer News-Hyderabad; Inkshaf-Jhansi. Recognizing his talent he has been included as a poet in the most famous Urdu website <https://www.rekhta.org/>

Happy and proud to share with you, our NCC Cadet J U O **Ramiza Tuba Khatoon Shaikh** of Maharashtra College, Mumbai -08



won Silver Medal in Shooting Championship at IGC State level camp held at Pune from 31st August to 6th September 2021. Total seven groups from all over Maharashtra participated in this state level camp in which Mumbai B group secured II position. Ramiza is an asset to Girls NCC unit of the college. We wish her all the best for her future journey.



مہاراشٹر کالج ممبئی میں اساتذہ کی کتابوں کا شاندار اجراء عمل میں آیا



کتابوں کو مہاراشٹر اردو اکیڈمی کی جانب سے مالی تعاون فراہم کیا گیا ہے۔ پروفیسر اظفر خان (شعبہ اردو) نے بڑے ہی دلچسپ و دلکش انداز میں تینوں کتابوں کا خلاصہ پیش کیا اور شہر کی مشہور و معروف شخصیات کے ذریعے کتابوں کی رونمائی کروائی۔ اس موقع پر کالج پرنسپل، انتظامیہ و دیگر تدریسی اسٹاف نے تینوں اساتذہ کرام کو مبارکباد پیش کی۔

ممبئی: گزشتہ دنوں سینچر مہاراشٹر کالج کے محمد علی میٹھا آڈیٹوریم میں ریاستی سطح کے ایک روزہ ورکشاپ کے دوران کالج اساتذہ کی کتابوں کا شاندار اجراء عمل میں آیا۔ ان اساتذہ میں ڈاکٹر عبدالماجد انصاری (وائس پرنسپل مہاراشٹر کالج) کی کتاب 'مغربی نظریہ سود ایک جائزہ' جس میں سود کی نحوست، بیان کی گئی ہے اور مختلف حوالوں سے یہ بتانے کی کوشش کی گئی ہے کہ سود کے متعلق مغربی نظریہ کیا ہے اور اس سے کیا نقصانات ہوتے ہیں، شامل تھی۔ دوسری کتاب پروفیسر شمس الرب (شعبہ عربی و اسلامیات) کی 'فلسطینی افسانے' ہے جس میں موصوف نے فلسطینی افسانوں کا اردو میں ترجمہ کیا ہے۔ اس کتاب میں فلسطینی عوام کا درد و کرب کا اظہار صاف طور پر نمایاں ہے۔

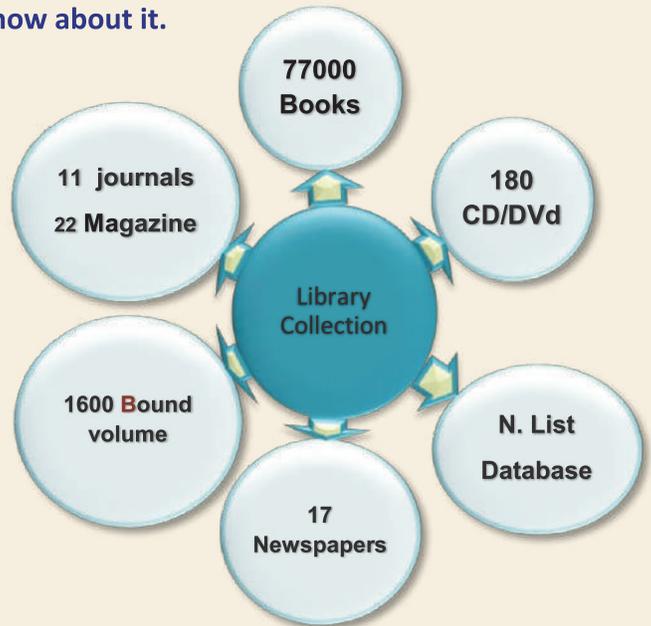
تیسری کتاب کا نام 'بیچ و تاب' ہے جس کے مصنف پروفیسر آصف شیخ (شعبہ اردو) ہیں۔ اس کتاب میں طنز و مزاح کے موضوع پر مضامین شامل کئے گئے ہیں۔ موصوف نے تمام مضامین ذاتی تجربات کی روشنی میں رقم کئے ہیں اور بالخصوص طلبہ میں مطالعہ کے شوق کو پروان چڑھانے کے لئے مختصر مضامین سلیس و سہل زبان میں لکھے گئے ہیں۔ ان تینوں

MAHARASHTRA COLLEGE LIBRARY

What One Should Know about it.

Basic Information

- Establishment year: 1970
- Situated on Seventh Floor
- Library Timings: 7.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m



Reading Room

Reading Room Capacity

Staff 09

Students 76

Cubicles 140

Library Reading room provides study space for students. Here Students can borrow multiple books for reading in the library on college identity cards. This is useful for students who/

- Don't have place to study
- Those who want peaceful environment
- Want to do group study with friends and classmates
- Want multiple books, Journals or magazine

Library Collection is what library has for its users. It includes books, journal magazines, newspapers & Compact discs etc.

Maharashtra College Library has books in English, Hindi, Urdu, Marathi, Persian and Arabic Languages.

The college library collection is comprised of Science and Technology, Literature, Social Sciences and Humanities.

Lending Services



Students can borrow a book from library for seven days on their library card.

Library cards are available at library counter students. To make library cards student need to bring one passport or stamp size photograph and fees receipt.

Students can pick up any book for home lending from library (apart from rare books encyclopaedia or dictionary

Book Bank Service

College Library provide books to economically weak students for entire semester at very nominal charges

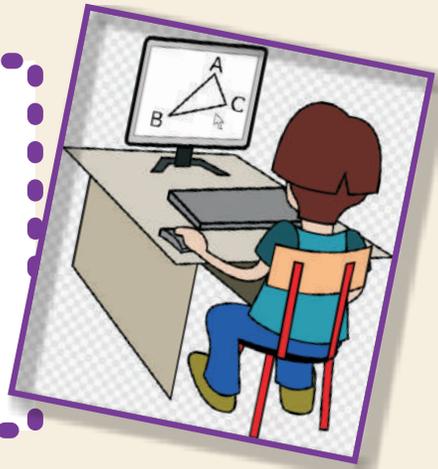
Text books are distributed in the beginning of semester

Students are supposed to fill up book bank forms and submit it along with Xerox of Previous Year Result, Ration card and Print out of fee receipts



Surfing Corner

- Student can use dedicated computers with internet **Connection for**
- Searching a book on library catalogue
- Academic Projects and assignments
- Literature search
- For Presentation
- To watch academic videos



Other services

- **OPAC** online Public Access Catalogue is available to search library collection
In College LAN <http://192.168.1.178/webopac/>
- Library **Provide reference services** to students and faculty and help the library users to find out suitable resources according to their need.
- **Print out** and **Photocopy** and **Scanning** is available for academic purposes.
- Library does offer **literature search** services for faculty.
- Library has more **than 80 sets of Encyclopaedia** which provide authentic and easy to understand information on various subjects which includes Encyclopaedia of **Britannica**, **McGraw Hill Encyclopaedia of Science** and Technology, **world book** and many more related to Literature, Social Sciences, Science and Technology, Languages and History.
- Library also has more than **700 dictionaries** in **English, Urdu, Hindi, Marathi, Arabic** and **Persian languages**, beside dictionaries related to specific subjects like **Philosophy, Economics, Commerce, Sociology, Political Science, Law, Chemistry Physics and Life Sciences**.
- College Library also has Electronic Resource **N. List a Consortia by INFLIBNET**, that include thousands of Journals and E-Books. It has resources like **Jstor, EBSCOHost, Springer eBooks, Oxford University Press, Taylor and Francis** and **Sage**.

In Short you have enough reasons to visit Maharashtra College library to drive maximum out of it.

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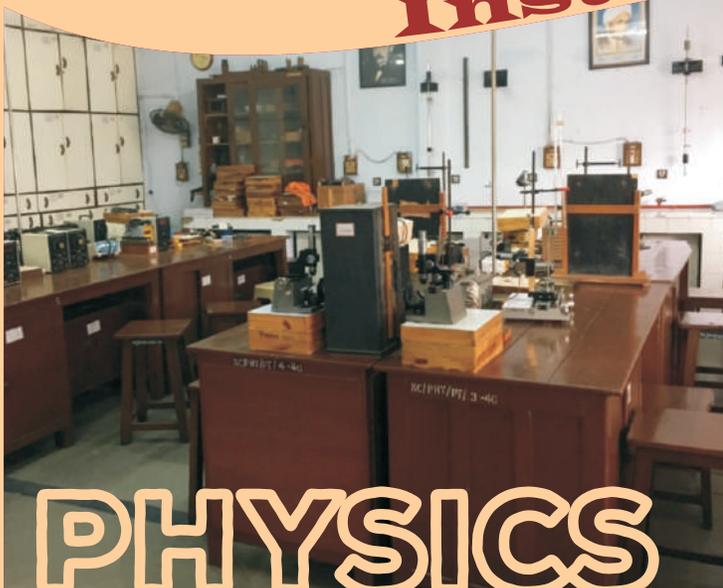
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