



Xavier Vista

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ORIENTATION 2016

Introducing first time the two years B.Ed. Course the 29th academic year 2016-2018 of **St. Xavier's College of Education** took off with the two days Orientation programme on 1st July 2016 for the B.Ed. part-1 teacher-students. 100 trainees who had undergone the admission process in which they had to face the written test, interview and group discussion attended the orientation program. The admission process was completed on 30th May. The orientation program began with a meaningful prayer service. Dr. Madhu Singh gave away the detailed syllabus and the daily timetable to every trainee. Fr. Joseph Maripuram S.J., the Rector of the College gave a brief introduction of the college and its establishment and achievement journey of the past 28 years. In his introductory speech the college Principal Prof. (Fr.) Thomas Perumalil S.J. welcomed all the trainees and congratulated them on their selection in one of the most prestige college of India which is well known for its quality and excellence in teacher education. The Principal

called upon the trainees to spend more time in reading books, accessing knowledge and striving to become competent and efficient teachers for the country particularly for Bihar. All the faculty members of the college introduced themselves and the various subjects they would be teaching during this academic year. A brief introduction of different activities was given to the trainees. An introduction of the College annual magazine and college newsletter was given to the trainees. Fr. Thomas Perumalil S.J. gave a power point presentation on the Characteristics of the Jesuit Educational system. In the second session, Mrs. Vijay Shree conducted the session in which the students were divided into groups of ten and asked to discuss their expectations and fears and the ways they will use to overcome these fear and anxiety for which time was given for discussion and later the leader of the group presented a report. Fr. Victor Osta S.J., explained the learning style using the learning style inventory and the students were able to know what is their learning style. Day two began with the first session conducted by Prof. Preeti Sinha who presented Educational Scenario in Bihar. She gave a brief introduction of the development in the of Education of Bihar from the pre-independence to post independence and also the present situation. She also talked about the importance of the teachers and their qualities and role in building the society. Fr. Sushil Shah the counselor of the college conducted a session on Self-Esteem. All the sessions were centered on making the future teachers aware of their responsibilities towards the society and their role as a teacher. The programme ended with the college anthem with a vote of thanks.



INTERFACE 2016

The college hosted an 'INTERFACE 2016' for its 29th batch of B.Ed trainees, welcoming them to the college. It's also known as fresher's Day. The programme was meant to welcome newcomers and was organized by the fresher's as there is no other batch in the college at present. The batch for the first time since the start of this session came together as a team and showcased their management and artistic skills. Fr. Joseph Maripuram S.J., Rector of the College, Principal Fr. Thomas Perumalil S.J., Prof. Preeti Sinha, Kumari Veena from B.Ed. part-2 and Ratna of B.Ed. Part-1 joined to light the traditional lamp. Ish Vandana, Welcome Song, Prayer Dance, Dandiya, Group Dance and Group songs were the main attraction. The traditional Nagpuri dance was presented. Fr. Joe Maripuram said in his message, "Events like these gives you all a platform to overcome stage fear and helps you to deliver your hidden talents." He also spoke about the Jesuit education system and the goal of educating new minds". The Principal lauded the trainees for their efforts and advised them not to leave any stone unturned to develop themselves for the growth of the nation. He said, "The idea of this welcome or interface is to know each other, bring out the talents, capacity, and ability and to develop the spirit of teamwork. As teachers, you will be here to bring out the best in your own students, and so you have, to begin with, yourself."



SEMINAR ON MICRO TEACHING



The college organized a three days' workshop on Micro Teaching for its B.Ed. trainees on the 18 to 20th July 2016. During these three days, the interns came to know the different ways, the technique of teaching and instructing. The seminar began with the prayer service followed by the Introduction to Microteaching by Dr.



Madhu Singh. Specific Objectives was taken by Fr. Victor Osta. Later in the afternoon session students were sent in their respective teaching method groups where they practiced the skill of preparing the specific objectives under the supervision of the method faculty. On day two Dr. Madhu Singh explained the Bloom's Taxonomy where the trainees came to know the different levels



of learning and how a teacher should introduce the lesson from known to unknown, concrete to abstract. Fr. Thomas Perumalil explained the Questioning Technique which is used throughout the classroom teaching and a teacher evaluates his class once he has completed education. Later





in the afternoon session, students were explained how to write the lesson plan, and they were sent to their own teaching method groups to practice the skills of preparing different level of questions under the supervision of the faculty members. The third day began with the class assembly. The first session was taken by Pro Preeti



Sinha on Set Induction, she explained the different way to introduce and start a course in all the different subjects, Mr. Deep Kumar explained the Stimulus Variation in which every activity is done in the classroom by a teacher to attract the attention of the students. When a child does a good job, gives an answer to a question he has to be reinforced and so reinforcement was dealt by Dr. Vikramjeet. Mr. Sushil Kumar explained the use of Audio Visual Aids and how important they are for a teacher to use in a classroom. Mrs. Nimisha Shrivastava told the ways and means to use the classroom Black Board and Vijay Shree presented the Closure. This way the three days seminar on Microteaching came to an end with thanksgiving by the college principal to every staff member for their contribution to the workshop.



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION



The faculty members and the trainees joined together to salute the country, India by observing the festival of 70th Independence day. On this occasion the tri-colour was hoisted by the College Principal Dr. Thomas Perumalil S.J.,. On this day, the college organized an Inter House Patriotic Song Competition in its campus, Digha.



The competition took place between Aurobindo House, Gandhi House, Tagore House and Zakir House. Sanjeevan Kumar delivered the speech in Hindi while Nitika spoke in English. Christi and Nikhil were the programme Master of Ceremony and Rajneesh was the Group Commander. College Principal Dr. Thomas Perumalil delivered a motivational speech challenging the trainees to be a change. The trainees displayed their multifaceted talent through patriotic songs. Gandhi House (song मेरा मुल्का मेरा देश, मेरा ये वतन) was declared First, Second was Aurobindo House (song दिल दिया है जान भी देगे ए वतन तेरे लिए) and Tagore House (song हमको है अभिमान देश का) and Zakir House (song उनको नमन हमारा) combined shared the third place. The prizes were given away by the college Principal, Dr. Madhu and Mr. Deep Kumar were the co-ordinator of the programme.

WORKSHOP ON INTEGRAL PEDAGOGY PARADIGM



The College organized a day Seminar on Integral Pedagogy Paradigm for the B.Ed. department. This is the most efficient way of teaching morality even without depending in a good education class. This is a method developed by St. Ignatius of Loyola during his reflection on spiritual exercise. Prof. Thomas Perumalil S.J., presented the introduction on Integral Pedagogy Paradigm. Different speakers talked on how to deliver the subject content related to experience creating an atmosphere for the students to reflect and later to act upon it and do the

evaluation of their study material. This has to be practiced in every class by every teacher without any regard of the subject. Teachers should not be concerned with the subject but he has to create a situation where he teaches morality more giving more value inputs.

Prof. Preeti Sinha presented the Class Room Climate in which she spoke how a teacher





should take care of the physical climate of the class. Teacher should know his students by name and his family background, a teacher should enter the class prepared, a teacher should be open to changes and suggestions, a teacher should be flexible, a teacher should never give any personal or sarcastic remarks



to any student, teacher should be active and take care of the needs of the students. Fr. Victor, Prof. Preeti Sinha, Dr. Madhu Singh, Dr. Nimisha Shrivastva, Mr. Sushil Kumar, Dr. Nimisha, Mrs Vijay Shree the media in charge of the college. Mr. Deep Kumar, and all faculty members were present for the workshop guiding and supporting trainees in preparing for the model teaching and helping them in evaluation



with suitable corrections. This seminar was to prepare the trainees for the practice teaching as from October they all will be going in different Government and non-government schools of Patna. This was their first experience in a real classroom situation in their first year of training which will continue in the next year for three months.



COMPETITIONS AND AWARDS



On the occasion of Hindi Diwas, an Essay Competition was organized for the B.Ed. Trainees of the College. The enthusiasm was evident on the face of the prospective teachers as they got an opportunity to express their views on the topic **The Role of Women in 70 years of Indian Independence** (भारतीय आजादी के 70 वर्षों में महिलाओं की भूमिका) 100 prospective teachers from the B.Ed. Department took part in this essay competition. Winners of the essay competition were awarded on the **3rd December** on the College Day, in which the winners received prizes and certificates from the Chief Guest of the

day. In the English group, Anjali Savia D'Costa got the first place, Nikhat Shakeel second and Rupali Jana got the third place. In the Hindi group Kamini Kumari got the first place, Aditya Kumar Shahi second and Amulya Tirkey got the third place. M.Ed. and B.Ed. Trainees took part in an Essay Competition organized by SBI on **“Public Participation in Promoting Integrity and Eradicating Corruption.”** Gitanjali of M.Ed. group got the First Prize, Rupali Jana B.Ed. got the second prize and Fatima Nadeen from M.Ed. group got the third prize where Deepa Kumari of B.Ed. group was given the consolation prize. These students were awarded in the main branch of SBI, Patna with cash prize and certificates. Mr. Sushil Kumar Singh and Ms. Sapna Suman both Assistant Professor of the College took part in the debate competition organized by Aryabhatta Knowledge University, Patna and conducted by SBI, Patna and both were awarded cash prize and certificate.

CHRISTMAS JOY AT ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE OF EDUCATION



M.Ed. and the B.Ed. department of St. Xavier's College of Education, Patna joined together to celebrate Christmas gathering. The programme began with the meaningful prayer service praying for the world and the people around. Dr. (Fr.) Tom Perumalil (Principal) and the faculty members of the college came forward to light the lamp in front of the beautifully decorated



crib. A short drama depicting the birth of Christ Jesus was presented by the B.Ed trainees. It was followed by Christmas carols in different languages like English, Hindi, Bhojpuri and Sadari. Christmas based songs were sung and Nagpuri dance was also presented by the group. The programme was an ethnic blend of traditional and modern concepts. The College Principal Fr. Thomas Perumalil in his message said, "Christmas is a time of Love, Peace, and Joy, this is what the humble baby born in the stable Jesus gives all of us and teaches us. The arrival of the Santa Clause was the culmination when all the staff and



the students danced with joy on the song Jingle Bell. Every staff and students were given Christmas gift by the Santa Clause.

