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1.1.1 CURRICULAR PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMS





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STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM TO ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, AHMEDABAD

TRANSFORMATIVE EXPERIENCE

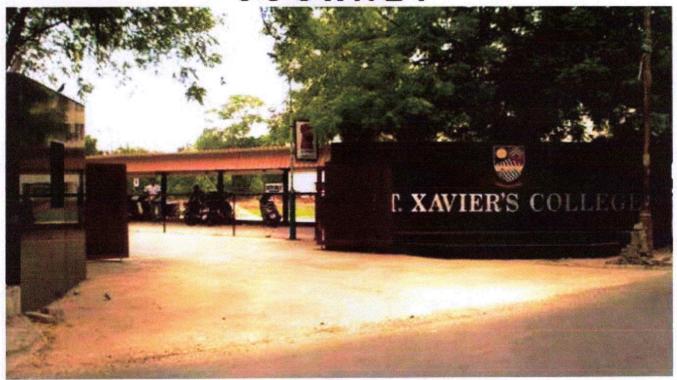
 Enriching Students' Academically, Personally and Professionally



2018

JAIPURI XENOPHILES IN AMDAVAD

BEGINNING OF THE BEATIFIC
JOURNEY



Day 1 was the beginning of a beatific journey of the next 6 days. Following a Warm welcome by the volunteers and people of St Xavier's college Ahmedabad we were headed towards our allocated rooms.

As per the schedule we went through different departments and met the respective faculties. The department



Department wise visit

The chemistry department offers UG as well as Post Graduate programmes to students. Both having intake capacity of 30.

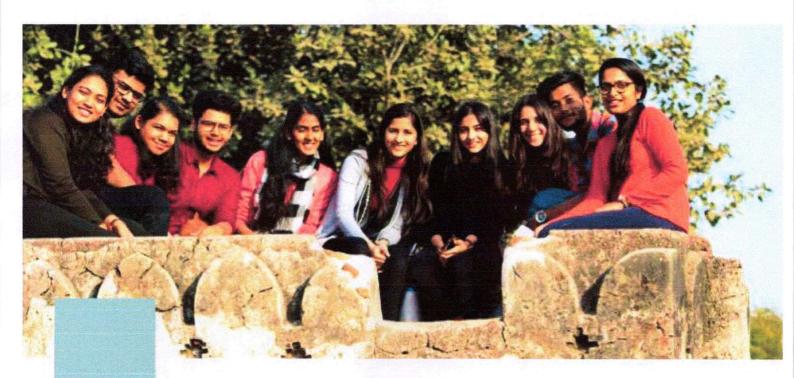
It has 12 teaching Staff and 9 non-teaching staff.

Devang Pandya Sir who has done his research in metal based drugs briefed about the grants and aids to the chemistry department.

Mrs. Deesha Khetani (industrial department) introduced the entrepreneurship side of this department

Visit to the XICA-BCOM and BCA classes are held in the XICA building.

It offers Post Graduate programme in Big Data Analysis. Started by the TCS it is the 4th college in India to offer this course.



Biochemistry department-It offers-

3 bachelor's in science courses and 2 master's in science courses.

It has its own entrepreneurship unit.

XLRD

Has XITU unit for plant tissur culture.

After that we met the faculty of psychology department and went to the staffroom of main building and had a short and sweet interaction with Anamam (English faculty).

We met Vijay sir (economics department) who is also coordinator of the COP.

After this we directly went to the statistics department established in 1960 by Donald Dais. where we were warmly greeted and addressed by the very knowledgeable Professor Vidhoriya. With this our department wise visit

DAY 2

#OPENING
CEREMONY#CAMPUSVISIT
OF SXCA #CHILLING IN THE
ICE-BREAKING SESSION



It was our day 2 at St xavier's college exchange program, so i would like to say that the day started with a talk where we introduce ourselves and then followed a really amusing and different session where we enjoyed a lot where we did body prayer where we learnt in amusing way we learnt how one can let go off the sad things and let in the goodness and well being, then the session was followed by interesting games where we all students let our heart wander in the essence of our childhood and interacted with our fellow mates too at the same time. Later 3 visits were

LOYALA RESEARCH CENTRE AND HRDC

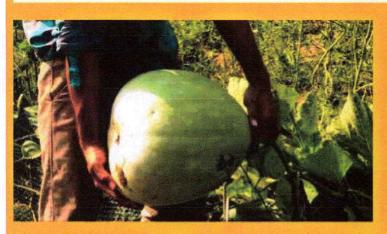
So one might think that it might be hectic for students to visit all 3 places in one day , but praise lord, all these places where in college itself . And they are not adjusted in the campus they legit hold concrete purpose there. Loyla research centre gives the platform to individual to enhance their learning in field of science and act as catalyst for student's research work. Then we headed to human research and development centre where we got the brief about its purpose and how they work what policies they hold what they aspire and their vision. Most importantly we saw the dedication which these centre holds to foster the people who are not in state of equality in sense of resources and opportunities

GURJARVANI

Last but not the least we went gurjanvani recording studio where we learnt about the working of recording studio and was also presented by a live example, where the presenter first briefed us about the working then initiated an interview with the students so that we can watch the practicality of the whole thing. So if we sum up the day it was indeed a useful day where we

DAY 3

A walk in the nature.









FROM THE NATURE.. TO THE NATURE

Day 3

A botanical garden is a garden dedicated to the collection, cultivation and display of a wide range of plants labelled with their botanical names. We were shown

Hingot, Hairy catterpillar

ENLIGHTENED WITH THE KNOWLEDGE OF MR.GANESH AT EDI

The Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India (EDI) was an enriching, interesting and learnable experience. Ganesh sir addressed us, highlighting that every one can be an entrepreneur keeping in mind that one has to be knowledgable, motivated and focused. He emphasised on pre preparation that is

DAY 4 A TRIBUTE TO GANDHIJI

visit to the gujarat Vidyapith and Gandhi ashram and Adalaj

13TH DECEMBER 2018

Gujarat Vidyapith is a university which was founded in 1920 by Mahatma Gandhi and deemed a university in 1963. It focused on how every student is so attached with their roots. Everyone their wore khadi clothes to showcase equality.

Sabarmati Ashram is located on the banks of the River Sabarmati. It was from his base here that Gandhiji led the Dandi march also known as the Salt Satyagraha. We also learnt how to use charkha which was fun.

Adalaj Stepwell is a fine example of Indian architecture work. We were amazed to see the carvings. We also relived our childhood by

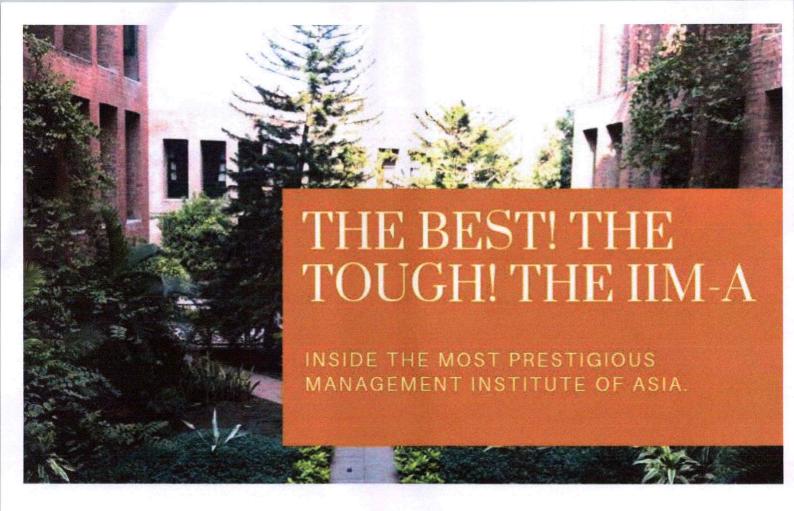














THIS DAY'S FEATURES:
DOCUMENTARY ON JANWAAR VILLAGE
VISIT TO IIM-A

winged wheels..

It started with the ppt presentation by Divy and Aayush who are documentary filmmakers by profession and are the seniors of the college. The presentation was about a small village Janwaar and the caste discrimination between highcast the Yadavs and the lower class Adivasis and their empowerment through skateboarding. Skateboarding in the village was a way to bring down the caste discrimination.

Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad (IIM Ahmedabad or IIMA) is a public business school located in Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India. It was the second Indian Institute of Management to be established, after IIM Calcutta. The campus was huge with knowledge sprinkling everywhere. We visited the new campus and we saw how the

Student Exchange Program 2018 - 2019

17th -23rd September 2018

St. Xavier's College Jaipur hosted and organized 7 days student exchange program in order to enhance students' ability to assess and understand the culture of new groups of people, in order to function effectively as a contributing member of the given community. The objectives of the programme are to expose students to non-traditional forms of acquiring maximum knowledge in minimum time, to reinforce abstract learning with learning experiences. To help students to be ambassadors for their institution and region. As we all know that it is a prerequisite for a present day student to get access to globally relevant education. Therefore, it is our endeavor to take our students to study centers nationally as well as globally, which enhances their world view. With this objective in mind St. Xavier's College witnessed a union of varied cultures in its fifth student exchange program with St. Xavier's College, Ahmedabad, Mumbai and Kathmandu.

Inaugural Ceremony

Ice breaking activity was conducted to put the students; at ease and to interact with the audience. The students were then briefed about the newsletter activity which they will be working as a group during their seven days stay at Jaipur. The aim of the activity is to know and work as a team with student coming from different cultures.

Further, Dr. Sheila Rai gave a talk on the Indian Politythe road traversed and future ahead and enlightened the young minds about a humanitarian issues and rights. Bringing the elite program to the end, students were escorted to their respective classrooms for lectures.

Lectures for Exchange students-

Students were escorted to their respective classrooms according to their subject specialization. Such lectures enables to add to the knowledge that students learn in a different cultural context. Students shared subject topics from their country or state perspective. Classes were full of enthusiasm and positive energy to welcome the new students. Even the Faculty modified their lectures for these days to accommodate the cultural differences of the exchange students.

Visit of Barefoot college – All the students invited for exchange students along with their teachers and also student volunteers of exchange team Jaipur with Faculty coordinator Dr. Sapna Newar and Dr. Leena Sharma visited Barefoot College. The Barefoot College, also known as the 'Social Work & Research Centre' is located in a remote village called Tilonia at the outskirts of Ajmer district in Rajasthan. This is a voluntary organization which began in the year 1972 under the leadership of Mr Bunker Roy. This NGO is known for various solutions related to education, health, solar, water which are designed and developed by men and women that have never been to a college. His NGO aims at making the lives of rural communities better by making them self-sufficient and helping them create employment opportunities for themselves. This educational field trip enabled students to understand the importance of integrating theoretical knowledge to practical problems. The trip also provided new skills, experience and an outlook to understand various dimensions of development of rural communities

Interaction with Ms Aruna Roy (Magsaysay Award Winner)- Students interacted with social activist Aruna Roy, the founder of Mazdoor Kisan Shakti Sangathan. She motivated the students with her enlightening experiences in the journey of RTI bill .She specially mentioned, Sushila's statement in a press conference organized by the Press Council in Delhi to release the first draft of the RTI Bill in 1996. A journalist asked her with an air of extreme skepticism, "Have you been to school?" She answered, "Yes up to class four". He dismissed her with,

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"More learned and literate people have failed with demands for information. What can you do?" She answered, "When I send my son to the market with 10 rupees and he comes back, I ask for accounts. The government spends crores of rupees in my name should I not ask for accounts? Hamara paisa, hamara hisab (our money, our accounts)". She defined transparency and accountability with clarity and logic in four words. A slogan of the RTI movement. She is the author of the book "The RTI Story: Power to the People". Students also purchased this book personally autographed by her .

Industrial visit to Media House –Industrial visits offer students practical knowledge and hands-on learning experiences that are essential for better understanding of their work positions, processes, and functions. Students visited Rajasthan Patrika Printing Press for an industrial visit, where they were warmly welcomed by the officials. Students were given a chance to have a look at the printing process of the daily newspapers. They were shown the hardware, machinery and various other non-technical assets of the press. Statistical Report of daily newspaper production was also provided by the officials. A great learning experience for all the students.

Jaipur City tour –Exchange program scheduled one full day sightseeing Tour of Jaipur city. Jaipur is considered the first planned city of India. This one day city tour enables students to explore the impressions that Rajput rule imprinted on the city of Jaipur. Students create their own impressions of Rajasthan's rich cultural heritage, including the influences of various handicrafts through workshops led by master craft persons and team based activities. Group visited Amber Fort , Jal Mahal , City Palace and Jantar Mantar. They also enjoyed Shopping Bapu Bazaar and Johari Bazaar. They were mesmerized by the architectural beauty of various monuments for which city is known for.

Chokhi Dhani visit -They were taken to the cultural village of Chokhi Dhani where they experienced Rajasthani traditional hospitality and culture and relished the Rajasthan thali. This place gives the feel of Rajasthan. The folk dances, camel rides, Haldi Ghati depiction was great. Students enjoyed the traditional puppet show, magic show, camel rides, astrology.

Visits like these are certainly very important for the overall development of students. It breaks the monotony of life, fills the mind with joy and makes learning an enjoyable experience. Chokhi Dhani was an enjoyable and an enriching experience not only for the students but also for the teachers.

Cultural Night- The very practical goal of "Cultural Evening" is to improve student relationships and interactions with each other .Most awaited moment of exchange program each year is the cultural evening program which is more informal event .Each college participating performed through singing and dancing along with their faculties and reflected their state culture. St. Xavier's Ahmedabad students showcased Garba Dance performance. St. Xavier's Mumbai team performed on Lavani Dance .St. Xavier's Nepal performed on Nepali songs. The overall experience watching them perform in that environment was absolutely amazing. Overall, a very memorable evening.

NewsLetter Presentation Activity- Newsletter Activity is one of the innovative activity planned in the programming an effort to collaborate different college students. Students were allowed to work in groups to create a two-column newsletter.

This newsletter contains the report of all activities and experiences during the last 7 days of stay in City. Group members were free to choose their role for example there are three roles, a reporter/interview, recorder/typist, and graphics/designer. Each group member needs to agree on newsletter layout, assign tasks, and complete tasks assigned. On the last day of the program, the presentation of all the

groups were showcased to the Judge . The Judge of the Event was Mr. Sandeep Purohit, Chief Editor , Daily News, Jaipur . The presentation were highly appreciated by him.

Closing Ceremony – The student exchange program came to an end on the closing ceremony where student shared overarching exchange experience.

Some of the feedback and views of Student were "It would take volumes to learn what I grasped in seven days", "We left as a group, we came back as a team", "All our expectations of St. Xavier's College, Jaipur were met. Excellent hospitality" and "The experience has enabled me to interact with other young people and broaden my knowledge."

At the end, certificate of participation were distributed to both the invited students and faculties.

Tentative Schedule of Student Exchange Programme organised by St. Xavier's College, Jaipur with St Xavier's College, Ahmedabad, Mumbai, Kathmandu, Nepal and Loyola College, Williamnagar, Meghalaya (2018-19)

17th September, 2018 -23rd September, 2018

| Day 1 | 7.30 am to 8.00 am | Welcome | Classes in respective | 11.00 am -11.45 am | 11.45 -2 pm | | | |
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| 17.09.2018 Monday | Breakfast | Address by Fr Varkey Perekett, S J Rector Address by Dr. Sheila Rai (Principal) 8.30 am to 9.30 am | Departments 9.40 am to 10.30 am 10.40 am to 11.30 am | Break | Lecture by Dr Sheila Rai Principal | | | |
| Day 2 18.09.018 Tuesday | 7.30 am to 8.00 am Breakfast | Classes in respective Departments | Classes in respective Departments | 11.00 am -11.45 am Break | Classes in respective Departments till 2.00 pm Visit to Chokhi Dhani and Dinner from 4.30 pm | | | |
| Day 19.09.2018 Wednesday | 8.30 am to 9.00 am Breakfast | Industrial Visit | Visit to Industry | 11.30pm -12.00 pm Break | Visit to Industry | | | |
| Day 4 20.09.2018 Thursday | 7.30 am to 8.00 am Breakfast | Classes in respective Departments | Classes in respective Departments | 11.30pm -12.00 pm Break | Activity Build your Dreams | | | |
| Day 5 21.09.2018 Friday | Visit to Barefoot College, Tilonia Bus will start at 8.00am from School Campus | | | | | | | |
| Day 6 22.09.2018 Saturday | 7.30 am to 8.00 am Breakfast | Group wise presentation | Group wise presentation | 11.30 pm -12 pm Lunch | 12 noon -1 pm Presentations continued 1pm to 2pm Certificate distribution and closing | | | |

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| Day 7 | Visit to Prominent | Visit to | 11.30 pm -12.00 pm | Visit to Prominent | Cultural night and Dinner at Jesuit House |
| 23.09.2018 | places in Jaipur | Prominent | Break | places in Jaipur | from 6.00 PM onwards |
| Sunday | | places in | | | |
| | | Jaipur | | | |

*We will divide the students in various groups at the time of orientation programme. In each group there will be 7 students. They will be given various group activities to be performed. They will also be allotted topics for news letter and research articles on orientation day. They have to make presentations of the same and present it on Day 7.

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