### **SPEAKERS ACADEMY**

Public Speaking is the live act of performing a speech to an audience. It is significant in business, education, and the public arena. There are multifarious benefits to speaking in public - to inform, to persuade and to entertain. Though writing is regarded as superior to speaking, writing is only a representation of speaking, the "real" language. Speech goes back to human beginnings, perhaps a million years. However, the fear of public speaking, glossophobia, is considered to be common among a sizable population.

Among several educational projects and training, **The Speakers Academy** is one of the momentous outcomes of our founder President Dr. R. Varadarajan sir's dream. This initiative envisages to train students to represent themselves with conviction and passion that grasps and sustains the interest of the audience. Speakers Academy envisions transforming its members into powerful envoys of words.

### **OBJECTIVE:**

### **Speakers Academy** aims to:

- polish speaking and writing skills
- to help individuals eradicate the fear of public speaking
- mould the next generation of leaders
- help to build better command in public speaking
- provide a platform to gain confidence while addressing a crowd
- i. Mrs. Sumali Bose (Assistant Professor, Department of English)
- ii. Ms. Georgia Nadar SYBA (Secretary)

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Ms. Priyadarshini Mahadhevan FYBA (Joint Secretary)

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- iii. a. Workshop on Effective Communication
- b. Dictionary Game
- c. Compering training for different college events and annual function
- d. Workshop on Short Film Making
- e. Author of the month
- f. Dramatization written, edited, directed and acted by students
- g. Creative Writing Competition
- h. Virtual International Fun with Words Competition
- i. Voices: Bringing Words to Life

j. Workshop on Training in anchoring

k. Open Mic Competition

Core members of Speakers Academy\*

\*SECRETARY\*-

Ms. Georgia Nadar (SYBA)

\*JOINT SECRETARY\*-

Ms. Priyadarshini Mahadevan (FYBA)

\*Overall Incharge Operations\* -

Ms. Prachi Pandey (SYBA)

Mr. Kamalesh Waghela (TYBA)

\*Student Manager\* -

Ms. Nidhi Dubey(TYBSc)

Ms. Suhasini Mishra (SYBA)

Mr. Kris Vegas(FYBA)



# **SPEAKERS ACADEMY**

(Inaugurated on 9th Januar 2020-2021

### **Activities organized**

WORKSHOP ON EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION titled Express to Impress on 9th January, 2020 by Ms. Samruddhi Dalvi, CEO and

Founder, Hire Desk Management Services, LLP. The workshop has touched upon the following points:

- Motivation v/s Inspiration,
- Communication (verbal/nonverbal) &
- Grooming etiquette (body language, first impression, etc.)
  78 students (09 boys and 69 girls attended the same.









**DICTIONARY GAME** to Improve Vocabulary from 20<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

FYBSc won the game and the class have been felicitated on Republic Day.





### COMPERING TRAINING FOR REPUBLIC DAY FUNCTION

(26th January, 2020)

• Ms. Jasmine Purohit was trained for **Compering** on Republic Day function



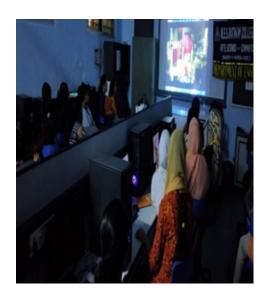
## INTERDISCIPLINARY WORKSHOP ON SHORT FILM MAKING

on 27th January, 2020.

- Theme Social Awareness
- under DBT Star College Scheme.
- The Resource person for the same was Ms. Rinku Garu, Faculty of Mass Media, ICLES Motilal Jhunjhunwala College, Vashi, Navi Mumbai.
- 43 students (12 boys & 31 girls) attended the same.







## **AUTHOR OF THE MONTH** throughout the month of February, 2020

- Under Reading Skills, the Speakers Academy chose Dr. Sudha Murthy as the Author of the Month
- provided hard copy in college library with e-books on college website for the students to read and give their interpretation on the same.



**COMPERING ANNUAL DAY FUNCTION** by the members of The Speakers Academy on 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2020

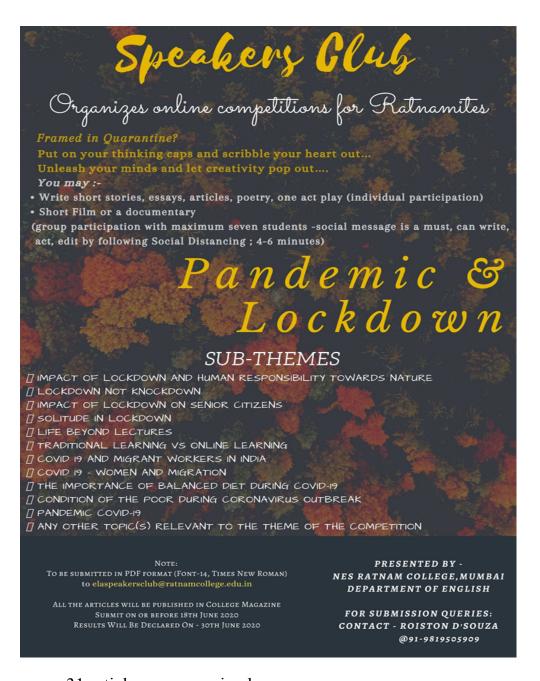
- The Speakers Academy members took the initiative of compering the event.
- The student compere was: Ms. Jasmine Purohit (SYBA), Mr. Roiston D'souza (FYBA), Ms. Jestina Helin (FYBCom 'A'), Mr. Alden Olivera (FYBCom 'A') and Ms. Avani from FYJC.



PERFORMANCE OF A PLAY on Annual Day i.e. on 7th March, 2020.

- The Speakers Academy members performed a play 'Zaban Sambhal Ke' written by Ms.Simran More (SYBA) inspired by a TV series where different groups of people from different regions try to learn English..
- The same motto is shared by The Speakers Academy, i.e., it helps students in developing and improving their language (English) through which they will be able to overcome their fears and build their confidence towards the language.
- The play was a short representation of how we try to rectify the student's mistakes and problems they face in speaking English in a fun way.
- The performers were Ms. Jasmine Purohit (SYBA), Ms. Jestina Helin (FYBCom 'A') & Mr. Alden Olivera (FYBCom 'A')

**CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION** organized for the Ratnamites on 18<sup>th</sup> June to submit articles on / by 30<sup>th</sup> June.

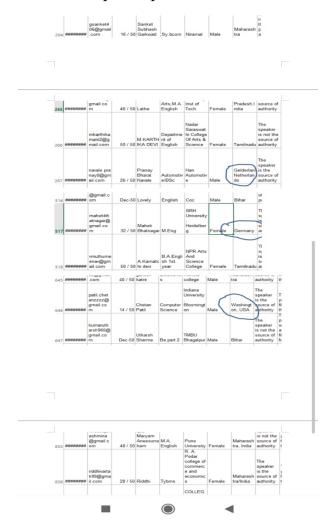


- 31 articles were received.
- Selected articles will be published under college magazine Ratnamite.

# **VIRTUAL INTERNATIONAL FUN WITH WORDS COMPETITION** organized on 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> July 2020

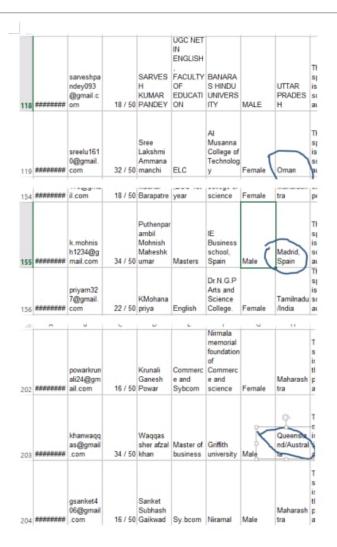
- for UG and PG students (interdisciplinary) by English Literary Association under the banner of The Speakers Academy
- drew 854 participants from across the country
- as well as a few from Iraq, Oman, Spain, Australia, Germany, Netherlands and U.S.

- The e quiz under Google form was conceptualized and executed almost entirely by the students Ms. Akansha Jaiswal (TYBA), Ms. Jasmine Purohit (TYBA) and Mr. Roiston D'souza (SYBA).
- International participants list:



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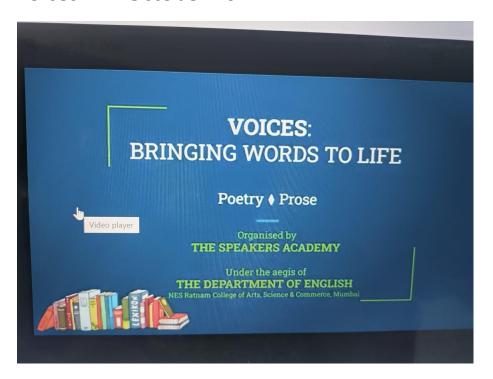


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• Sample Certificate:



# Voices 12<sup>th</sup> October 2021



# Session II: PARTICIPANTS: 1. SHIVANGI KAUSHIK, FYE 2. GAUTAMI PAWAR, FYBC 3. VARSHA YADAV, FYBCO 4. KAVALJEET KAUR, FYBC Discussion 1:22











**Compering International Workshop organized by Economics Department** 



**Compering Independence Day celebration** 



**Workshop on Training in Compering** 

