

# ANNUAL DAY

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**Chief Guest : Shri Karan Thapar, President  
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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

2000-2001

Hon'ble Chief Guest Shri Karan Thapar, respected Director, South Campus, Professor Deepak Pental, esteemed Chairman, Dr. Ratnakar Pandey, Members of the Governing Council, dear colleagues and friends,

We are assembled here to celebrate the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Day of Gargi College. I have the pleasure and privilege to welcome you all to this function, which marks the high-point of our year-long academic, cultural, and co-curricular activities for the year 2000-2001.

It is indeed a matter of great pride for all of us at Gargi to have such distinguished persons on the dais. **Shri Karan Thapar** needs no introduction. We have all had the pleasure of seeing him and listening to his incisive, enjoyable and witty talkshows and comments on the TV screen. Today we have the honour of receiving him here and listening to him in person. Shri Karan Thapar represents one of the keenest and sharpest intellects of our country. His achievements are prodigious. He is a writer, correspondent, journalist, freelance writer, book reviewer, editor and above all a presenter, director and producer of news and current affairs and other interview based programmes on the television. A double tripos from Cambridge in Economics and Social sciences, Shri Karan Thapar started his career as a journalist before moving onto the small screen. He has been bestowed many awards- chief among them are the Shell UK Television Certificate of Merit award for his Weekend World's Programme *The Big Bang*, the Award of Merit from British Association of Film and Television Arts, the Videocon Screen award for the Best Current Affairs Anchor, the Onida Pinnacle award for the Best Chatshow Anchor and the Asian Television award for the Best Current Affairs Anchor. On behalf of my faculty, students and staff, I extend a warm welcome to you and thank you for accepting our invitation to be the Chief Guest at today's function.

We are equally privileged to have with us **Professor Deepak Pental**, Director, South Campus. I had not met Professor Pental till six months ago. I met him for the first time after he was appointed Director. Within a few minutes of talking to him, I developed a very strong and decided feeling that Professor Pental was the person Delhi University had been waiting for- one with a rare blend of a powerful scientific mind, good administrative skills and a harmonious fusion of moral and intellectual virtues, who has a definitive vision of the direction Delhi University has to take to better its image as a centre of excellence. I thank you, Professor Pental! for acceding to our request to be our special guest and also preside over today's function.

We are grateful to our chairman, **Dr. Ratnakar Pandey** for being with us here today. As Chairman of our Governing Council, he has displayed true statesman-like qualities in helping us to develop the college. The recogni-



tion of the virtues of a refined mind, of an enlightened thinker and a cultured human being has been one of the primary benefits I have personally received from my association with him. I thank Dr. Ratnakar Pandey and all the other members of our management who have been a source of strength and support in all our endeavours to make this college a leading institution of excellence.

Higher education has always been intertwined with the notion of college and collegiate life. Over the last so many years, Delhi University colleges have evolved in many different ways, in responding to the needs of the time and the needs of the society. We, at Gargi, have also re-positioned ourselves to meet the challenges of our times. But at the same time, we have continued to cherish the traditional ideal which had shaped higher education in the past- the ideal of the college as an actual place where academic life and community life coalesce, where each assumes a measure of equal importance. Conscious of the current demands of the society that calls for the job-worthiness of any university degree we have recognised four fundamental functions:

- to offer general academic courses;
- to introduce students to academic specialisation;
- to provide pre-professional training; and
- to promote a civilising function.

The first two functions form the basis of the education offered here. We offer courses in Arts, Humanities, Sciences and Commerce besides Bachelors degree courses in Elementary Education and Industrial Microbiology. Our cent percent results bear out the excellence in our teaching and training. Tomorrow at the convocation of Delhi University four of my students are to receive awards for topping the final year examinations held in April 2000. Ms. Mudita Mohile has been awarded the All India Post Graduate Scholarship 2000-2001 for pursuing Master's degree in English. We have also secured 42 positions in the university examinations in the South Campus. The Roll of Honour of our meritorious achievers is given in the later pages of this report. Our congratulations to all these students who have done proud by our college.

There is a proverb in Tamil which says: "You can ladle the soup only out of a full pot and not from an empty one." Such excellent results cannot be had if the faculty lacks the quality of excellence. I am proud to head an institution where quality learning is matched by quality teaching. My faculty members in a large majority are committed to the twin demands of their profession- teaching and research.

A brief glance at the listing of the achievements of our teachers is proof of the continuing process of learning and teaching at the faculty level. Our congratulations to Dr. Minoti Chatterjee (Department of Political Science)

and Dr. Pragati Ashdhir (Department of Physics) on their being awarded Ph.D by the University of Delhi.

Faculty members who deserve special mention are:

- Dr.Prem Khullar (Chemistry) presented a paper titled *Reduction in Carbon Dioxide Emissions- A conceptual approach* and also took part in the poster session at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Gas Control Technologies at Cairns, Queensland, Australia.
- Ms.Monica Das (Economics) was a visiting scholar at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver where she presented two papers on *The Cult of Beauty in India* and *Gender and Child Labour in Orissa*. The latter paper was also presented at the Portland State University, Portland, Oregon.
- Dr. Bharati Bhattacharya and Dr. Gita Mathur (Botany) have been awarded a project on *Effect of Environmental Changes on Selected Herbaceous Plants of Delhi* by the University Grants Commission.
- Dr. Gita Mathur's (Botany) research paper on *Vibratile Pollination in relation to Andromonoecy in Different Floral Morphs of Solanum melongena* was published in the Proceedings of the 43<sup>rd</sup> Symposium of the International Association for Vegetation and Science at Nagano, Japan.
- Ms.Radha Chakravarthy (English) was invited by the Hebrew University of Jerusalem to present a paper on *Bharati Mukherjee* at the International Conference on *Identity, Community and Nation in Canadian Culture*. She also presented a paper on *Mahasweta Devi* at the Dhaka University in Bangladesh.
- Dr. Vandana Luthra (Physics) presented a paper on *The Dielectric Spectroscopy of Polyaniline Doped with Various Protonic Acids* at an International Conference on Synthetic Metals, 2000 at Austria. She has also been awarded a project entitled *Technology Development for Low Cost User Friendly Polyaniline Sensor Material for Toxic Gases* sanctioned by the Department of Science and Technology.
- Ms.Angelie Multani's (English) paper on *Shakespeare, Shakespeare Everywhere...* was accepted at Dislocating Shakespeare- 6<sup>th</sup> Biennial ANZSA Conference, University of Auckland, New Zealand.

We compliment the following teachers who have authored books in their respective disciplines; Dr.VeerBala Rastogi (Zoology), Dr. Sunita Gupta, Dr. Asha Goswami, Dr.Tripta Gupta (Sanskrit) Dr.Kanchan Lata Anand (Librarian) and Dr.Renu Aggarwal (Chemistry).

We extend our good wishes to the following teachers who are pursuing post-doctoral and doctoral research: Dr.Ishrat Haque, Dr. Vijaya Ramaswamy, Dr. Vidhu Verma, Ms. Geeta Kitchlu, Ms. Anjana Neira Dev, Ms. Divya Saxena,



Ms. Rekha Navneet, Ms. Sangeeta Bhatia, Ms. Neera Pant and Ms. Daljit Ghai respectively.

It is also a matter of pride for us that 17 of our teachers went on a visit to the Centre for Environment Education at Ahmedabad to get a first hand experience of promoting Environment Education at the latter's invitation. These teachers have contributed articles to a book **The Seed Within**, a Gargi publication, which will be released today by Professor Pental. These articles describe the teachers' individual response to environment education through their respective disciplines. The visit to Ahmedabad and the publication have had the academic and financial support of the college.

As teaching assumes a greater role in the delivery of online education, our teachers, not desiring to be left behind went for a special training in computer literacy at the NIIT centre within our premises. I thank the NIIT for giving this training free of charge to 80 of our teachers.

The college had organised a special workshop on Learning About Computers for our laboratory staff, to generate computer literacy and awareness amongst them. This was greatly valued and encouraged by the Centre for Science Education and Communication, Delhi University which provided the financial support.

One of the significant areas where our College has taken the lead is to extend the frontiers of education beyond the classroom. Every year we organise a major National/International seminar and an inter-college seminar in one or two departments. This time it was the turn of the Department of Elementary Education to organise a National seminar on *Alternatives in Education: In Search of a New Paradigm*. The papers presented during the seminar by eminent educationists from all over India will be shortly brought out. We could not get them ready for release today as we are still awaiting a few more papers presented on the occasion. We are thankful to the Ministry of Human Resource Development, University Grants Commission and the Aga Khan Foundation for their generous financial support- a proof of the importance and significance of the area covered by this seminar.

The Department of Commerce organised a major seminar on *Convergence: The New Mantra*. The keynote address was given by Hon'ble Minister Arun Jaitley and the other distinguished speakers included Shri. Rajdeep Sardesai, Shri Siddharth Basu and Professor P.N. Varshney.

The Department of Philosophy had a one-day seminar on *It is Unjust to Treat Unequals Equally* addressed by Professor D.P. Chattopadhyaya, Professor Andre Beteille, Dr. Madhu Kishwar and Shri L.M. Singhvi. All other seminars and academic lectures are listed in the later pages of this report.

Returning to the third of the basic functions that I had enumerated earlier, i.e. to provide pre-professional training, the college had been doing splendid work towards achieving this. This is in keeping with our objective to give



professional competency to students while they pursue their studies for a first degree.

19 of our Hindi Honours students underwent special training in Media presentation at the Amal Allana's newly instituted centre DADA to enable them to move onto anchoring and newsreading in Hindi on Radio and Television. The college has started a Film society *Glass I* to screen quality films and educate students in Film Appreciation. We are proud that we were the first in India to screen a retrospective of Ritwik Ghatak's films in the college, which was open to students and the public. We have had other courses in Art Appreciation, Western Classical Music Appreciation and Environmental Education. This year we have opened a Gargi-Tata Infotech Centre in the college to provide computer education to Gargi students at one-third of the fees charged elsewhere.

It has been our endeavour to build our students as future leaders of a civilised society-the fourth function listed above. Those who are enrolled with us for a post-secondary education get the benefits of holistic learning through an active campus that provides rich cultural fare. I compliment our dynamic Students' Union, led by Ms. Ravina Dhupar, which had organised these cultural programmes featuring eminent classical dancers, and musicians which include Smt. Shovana Narain, Smt. Geeta Chandran, Smt. Madhvi Mudhgal, Smt. Bharati Shivaji, Aman Ali Bangash and Ayan Ali Bangash and today's artist Professor Debu Chaudhuri. The inter-college festival *Reverie* was a resounding success with many of the leading colleges participating in it. From this year onwards we have introduced inter-cultural meetings, inviting colleges to present a play or choreography events for our students. This is meant to bring about closer interaction among students through cultural activities and thereby encourage real talent amongst our youth. The Gargi College Dramatic Society, *Upstage* has won prizes and recognition at different festivals. The National Commission for Women commissioned the college group to perform a play *Covenant With Death* for its 10<sup>th</sup> Founders Day celebrations. The NCW had also organised 16 workshops in the college on specific issues ranging from gender equality, social justice, interpersonal relations, communication to crisis management for the empowerment of Women.

The Gargi Extension Service unit of the college deserves special mention for the splendid work it has done throughout the year. Besides the annual hosting of special functions for the Senior Citizens and organising blood donation camp, the Gargi Extension Service with the Department of Microbiology and the First Aid Wing organised Hepatitis B vaccination camps for the students, faculty members and staff of the college. It provided free vaccine to the staff of Gargi. We are thankful to Wockhardt company for giving us the vaccines at subsidised price. The GES has also done great service to the Gujarat victims of the recent earthquake reaching them supplies of food and medicine on the very next day after the disaster.

The different academic societies, the GES, NSO, NCC and the Students' Union have worked hard to realise our objective of extending the quality of education beyond the classrooms.

A monthly Newsletter **Oracle** was started for the students, by the students to initiate interaction amongst different departments and to also inform them about various forthcoming events in the college .

### **Futuristic Vision**

We do not wish to rest on our achievements. The notion of evolution is critical to any institution. The key to extending the benefits of collegiate education in the future is to recognise the importance of continuous evolution and the need for continuous re-assessment and re-examination of all our activities and strategies. The collegiate ideal originates not because of internal demands, but due to outside changes brought about by new student characteristics, complex societal needs, new technologies and last but not the least the problem of unclear purpose. There is growing criticism that the universities and colleges lack clear purpose.

The noted educationist, Stanley Ikenberry says: "Ultimately, the crucial challenge facing colleges and universities is not so much cost or technology, as profound as these may be, but the challenge of purpose: the demand to define and clarify why we exist: what it is we do best: what it is that we care about most... *If the purpose of the campus is the creation of students and scholars who accomplish important things that are highly valued by the society, survival is not an issue. ... If higher education has to do only with gaining access to information, acquiring employable skills, and gaining certification of competence, then campuses indeed are at risk*".

We are on the move towards realising the collegiate ideal of clear purpose, of maximising human interactions, of integrating academic studies and experiential learning and setting high expectations. I would like to end this report on a quote from Rg Veda:

*Meet together, talk together*

*May your minds comprehend alike:*

*Common be your action and achievement*

*Common be your thoughts and intention*

*Common be the wishes of your hearts*

*-so there may be thorough union among you.*

This would be the guiding principle for both our faculty and students.

Thank You

**Hema V. Raghavan**

## Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Hema V.Raghavan  
Principal
- Appointed Dean, Students Welfare.
- Visiting scholar at the University of Malaga, Granada, Spain to deliver lectures on **Samuel Beckett and Modern Theatre**.
- Article on **The Burden of the Valley of Vision** accepted for publication by the University of Granada.
- Lecture on **Bernard Shaw and the Theatre of Revolt** in the seminar on Bernard Shaw hosted by Shaw's Corner and English Literary Society of Gargi College.
- Lecture on **Women in Higher Education** at NIEPA for All India Principals' Association.
- Lecture on **Globalisation of Culture** at the International Conference organised by *Katha*.
- Lecture on **Management of Higher Education** at Haryana Institute of Public Administration, Gurgaon.
- Panel discussant at the seminar organised by National Commission for Women on **Womens' Empowerment**.

## Botany

- Dr. Bharati Bhattacharya  
Dr. A. Chintamani  
Dr. Lalita Sehgal  
Dr. Krishna Kumar  
Dr. Shashi Tyagi  
Dr. Usha Prasad  
Dr. Gita Mathur  
Dr. Kiran Prabha  
Dr. Geeta Mehta
- Attended the Golden Jubilee Symposium of DU Botanical Society on **Biotechnological Innovations in Conservation and Analysis of Plant Diversity** at INSA.



- Dr. A. Chintamani  
Dr Krishna Kumar  
Dr. Gita Mathur  
Dr. Geeta Mehta
- Dr. Lalita Sehgal  
Dr. A. Chintamani  
Dr. Geeta Mehta
- Dr. Lalita Sehgal  
Dr Geeta Mehta
- Dr. Lalita Sehgal
- Dr. Bharati Bhattacharya
- Dr Gita Mathur  
Ms Shalinee Bharadwaj
- Dr Geeta Mehta
- Attended **TALEEM** workshop at CEE, Ahmedabad.
- Participated in a workshop on **Water harvesting, Recharge and Recycling**, IIT, Delhi.
- Attended seminars and meetings on **Industry-university partnership in Science Education** at CII.
- attended the **88<sup>th</sup> session** of INSA held at IARI Delhi.
- Attended an International conference at Lincoln University, Christchurch, New Zealand on **Soils 2000**.
- Attended a symposium on **How Safe is Safe Drinking Water** at the school of Environmental Studies, DU.
- Paper on **Vibratile Pollination in Relation to Andromonoecy in Different Floral Morphs of *Solanum melongena*** published in Proceedings of 43<sup>rd</sup> Symposium of International Association of Vegetation Science, Japan.
- Attended a training programme on **Rainwater Harvesting Including Rooftop Rainwater Harvesting** organised by Central Ground Water Authority.

## Chemistry

- Dr P Khullar  
Dr Bhanumati  
Dr Indu Sidhwani  
Dr Sushmita Chowdhary  
Dr Renu Aggarwal
- Participated in an International symposium on **Green Chemistry** organised by International Union of Applied Chemistry.

- Dr. Sushma Bhan,  
Dr. Rita Bhatla  
Dr. Chandna Mukherjee  
Dr. B. Vaijayanthi,  
Dr. Renu Aggarwal and  
Dr. Meenakshi Sharma
- Attended a **Refresher Course** organised by CPDHE.
- Dr. P. Khullar
- Attended the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on **Green House Gas Control Technologies** at Cairns, Australia.
- Dr. Prakash Dabas
- Coordinator for a **Refresher Course** for CPDHE.
- Dr. Renu Aggarwal
- Authored a book entitled **Comprehensive Practical Organic Chemistry** published by University Press.

## Commerce

- Ms Sangeeta Jerath  
Ms Geeta Siddharth  
Ms Sonali Dua  
Ms Sheela Dubey  
Ms Ritu Sehgal
- Attended the **Refresher course** conducted by CPDHE.
- Ms Raj Kumari  
Ms Ramanbir Bindra
- Attended a seminar on **Impact of Globalisation on Indian Economy** organised by SRCC.
- Ms Mandikini Das
- Attended **TALEEM** workshop at CEE, Ahmedabad.
- Ms Ramanbir Bindra
- Attended the seminar on **Internet Start-ups** organised by College of Vocational Studies
- Attended a seminar on **Financing Dot coms.** at IIT
- Was a **member of Course Committee** for revising the Syllabus of Microeconomics at D.U.

- Ms Sheela Dubey

- Participated in the International Conference on **Convergence - The Emerging Reality** organised by FICCI-JM Morgan Stanley.

## Economics

- Ms. Monica Das

- **Visiting scholar** to University of British Columbia, Vancouver, at the Centre for Womens' Studies.
- Delivered a lecture on **Gender and Child Labour in Orissa**.
- Participated in a workshop on **Feminist Pedagogy** also.
- Presented a paper at an International Conference on **The Cult of Beauty in India**.
- Gave a lecture on **Gender Issues - girl child labour in Orissa** at Portland University, Oregon
- Participated in a workshop on Feminist Pedagogy.
- Attended a National Conference on **Impact of Globalisation on Indian Economy** at Shri Ram College of Commerce.

- Mrs.Indu Kapoor  
Mrs.Swaran Narang  
Ms. Monica Das

## Elementary Education

- Ms. Shalinee Bhardwaj

- Attended a seminar on **Integral Education** organised by Gnostic Centre.
- Attended TALEEM workshop at Ahmedabad



## English

- Ms. Ira Bhaskar
  - Organised and co-ordinated **Remembering Ritwik**, a commemorative event and also curated the **Ritwik Retrospective** of six films.
  - Lectured on **Understanding Cinema** at IP College and on **Melodrama in Film Studies** at the Indian Habitat Centre and the Cinemaya Film Appreciation Course.
  - Jointly Co-ordinated and taught 2 short **film appreciation courses** at Lady Shri Ram College and IP College.
- Ms. Vidya Das Arora
  - Selected and Edited a volume of **Oriya Stories** published by Srishti Publishers and Distributors.
- Ms. Radha Chakravarty
  - Presented a paper on **Mahasweta Devi** at Centre for Research in Humanities, University of Dhaka.
  - Presented a paper on **Bharti Mukherjee** at International Conference on *Identity, Community and Nation in Canadian Culture* at Hebrew University, Israel
  - Published an article on **The Space of the Maternal in the Fiction of Margaret Atwood** in *Mapping Literary Spaces*, Edited by Danielle Schaub (Jerusalem 2000).
  - Presented a paper on **Toni Morrison** at a National Conference on *Women and Literature*, D.U.
- Ms. Vandna Mathur
  - Presented a paper **Not That, Not Black: The White Writer in South Africa** at a seminar organised by Indian Association of Commonwealth Literature and Languages, Jaipur.
  - Attended TALEEM workshop at Ahmedabad.

- Ms. Angelie Multani
- Resource person for a workshop on **Body Language and Voice Modulation** organised by Katha.
- Presented a paper on **Page to Stage- Women characters in the plays of Mahesh Dattani** at the *Women and Literature* Seminar conducted by the Department of English, D.U.
- Paper on **Shakespeare-Shakespeare Everywhere...at Dislocating Shakespeare-** sent to the 6th Biennial ANZSA Conference, University of Auckland, New Zealand.

## Microbiology

- Dr. Kavita Vasdev
- Attended a series of lectures by eminent British scientists on **Dolly beyond .....** under the aegis of Bright Sparks (Indo-British partnership in science)organised by British Council.
- Dr. Shashi Chawla
- **Immunity and Allergy: An Overview** in Manual for course-cum-workshop on Allergy and Asthma, Nov. 2000.
- Dr. Surabhi Srivastava
- Presented a paper on the **Isolation of Cyanophage Resistant Metal Tolerant Cyanobacterium *Phormidium uncinatum*** at the 41st Association of Microbiologists of India Annual Conference.
- Dr. Shashi Aggarwal  
M .K. Aggarwal
- Contributed a chapter on **Insect Allergy** in a book titled **Advances in Allergy and Asthma** ed. Rajendra Prasad, Shivam Publications, Lucknow.

## Philosophy

- Ms. Rekha Navneet  
Dr. Deepika Chatterjee
- Dr. Tara Natarajan  
Ms. Rekha Navneet  
Dr. Deepika Chatterjee  
Dr. Rashmi Bhardwaj  
Dr. Pallavi Vaid  
Ms. Rashmi Jayarajan
- Dr. Pallavi Vaid
- Attended TALEEM workshop at CEE, Ahmedabad
- Participated in the World Philosophy Congress, ICPR seminar and the International seminar organised by the Philosophy department ,DU.
- Paper on **Kant's Morality and Williams' Ethics** submitted and accepted for publication in *Indian Philosophical Quarterly*.

## Physics

- Dr. Vandana Luthra
- With others
- Attended a Refresher course on **New Directions in Physics Teachings** organised by CPDHE.
- Presented a paper on **The Dielectric Spectroscopy of Polyaniline Doped with Various Protonic Acids** at an International Conference on Synthetic Metals, 2000 at Austria.
- Awarded a project entitled **Technology Development for Low Cost User Friendly Polyaniline Sensor Material for Toxic Gases** sanctioned by the Department of Science and Technology.
- Selected for BOYSCAST Fellowship offered by Department of Science and Technology to carry out research on **Artificial Muscles Based on Conducting Polymers** at KYUSHU Institute of Technology, Japan.
- Paper published in International journals **Study of Vibrational Spectra of Polyaniline Doped with Sulphuric Acid and Phosphoric Acid** Internal Journal of Applied Biochemistry (in press).



- Ms Alka Garg
- Research paper entitled **Van der Waal's Epitaxial Growth Mechanism in Doped Crystals of Lead Iodide** presented in the International conference *Aperiodic 2000* held at Nijmegen, Netherlands.
- Dr. Pragati Ashdhir
- Presented a Paper titled **Zone Centre Phonon Frequencies in LaMnO<sub>3</sub>** at an International Conference on Advanced Materials at Meerut.

### **Physical Education**

- Dr. Sheela Kumari
- Attended the Refresher course on **Psychology in the New Millenium** at the Department of Psychology, South Campus.
- Attended the **TALEEM** workshop organised by CEE, Ahmedabad.
- Participated in a workshop on **Water harvesting, Recharge and Recycling**, IIT, Delhi.

### **Political Science**

- Ms. Manisha Priyam
- Paper on **Alternative Perspective to Educating the Poor** Published in Economic and Political Weekly, September 2000.
- with Krishna Kumar
- Paper on **The District Primary Education Programme Looking Beyond the Smokescreen** Published in Economic and Political Weekly, January 2001.
- Dr. Minoti Chatterjee
- Attended TALEEM workshop at Ahmedabad.

## Sanskrit

- Dr. Sunita Gupta
- Dr. Tripta Gupta

- Attended an International Conference on **State and Society - An Ancient Indian Perspective** organised by World Association for Vedic Studies.

- Attended a National Conference on **Bhartiya Bhashaon per Sanskrit ka Prabhaav** organised at Delhi University.

- Attended a National Conference on **Sanskrit Bhasha-Bharatiya Bhashasu Prabhav** organised by Lal Bahadur Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth.

- Attended a National Seminar on **Tantra Sahitya Ka Jeewan Per Prabhav** at South Campus.

- Dr Sunita Gupta

- Attended National Seminars on **Sanskrit Vangmaya Shabdarth Saundaryam** organised by Kalidas Academy of Sanskrit, Music and Fine Arts .

- Attended a seminar on **Humanism** in Sanskrit Literature, DU.

- Published a book on **Kavya Mimamsa**.

- Dr Tripta Gupta

- Published a book on **A Study of Vedanta Kaustubha**.

- Dr Asha Goswami
- Published an article titled **Prof Hawkings Theory-a Repetition of Indian Thought' Tracing back the Modern Einstein's Astro-physics theory regarding Gravity and Different Speeds of Time on Different Planets' In ancient Indian Thought.**
- Contributed a paper titled **'The Eternal Duet Sasrta Yugm Yugma in Indian Tradition'** in the 40<sup>th</sup> session of All India Oriental Conference held at Madras University.

## **Librarian**

- Dr. Kanchan Lata Anand
- Publication on **Prasad Tatha Rai Kee Mulya Chetna.**

## **LIBRARY**

1300 books were added to the Library. Thus the total number of volumes in the main collection of Library as on 25.1.2001 is 55254, 5174 in the main gift and photocopy section, 1166 in text book and 2344 in the book bank.



## ANNUAL SPORTS REPORT

### Individual Performances

| Name  | Class   | Competition  | Position Achieved  |
|---|---|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aruna Malik</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M. A. (Final Year)<br/>Political Science.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>• IIT Festival</li> <li>• LSR Sports Festival</li> <li>• LSR Sports Festival</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1st-Shotput</li> <li>• 2nd-Shotput</li> <li>• 1st-Shotput</li> <li>• 3rd-Discus</li> </ul>        |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Urvasi Sirohi</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• B. Sc. (G) Grp 'A' 1st Yr.</li> </ul>                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>• IIT Festival</li> <li>• LSR Sports Festival</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 11nd-Shotput</li> <li>• 3rd-Shotput</li> <li>• 2nd-Shotput</li> </ul>                             |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suman Sajwan</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• B. Com. (P) 1st Yr.</li> </ul>                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>• Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>• IIT Sport Festival</li> <li>• IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>• IIT Sports Festival</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1st - 100 mts</li> <li>• 1st - 200 mts</li> <li>• 2nd-Long Jump</li> <li>• 3rd-200 mts</li> </ul> |

| Name  | Class   | Competition   | Position Achieved   |
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|   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>LSR Sports Festival</li> <li>LSR Sports Festival</li> <li>Inter College Athletic Meet</li> </ul>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2nd-400 mts</li> <li>3rd-Long Jump</li> <li>3rd-100 mts</li> <li>3rd-4x100 mts</li> <li>3rd-4x400 mts</li> </ul> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nitya Singh</li> </ul>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.A. (P) Ist Yr.</li> </ul>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>IIT Sport Festival</li> <li>Inter College Athletic Meet</li> </ul>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3rd-200mts</li> <li>3rd-Long Jump</li> <li>3rd-4x100 mts</li> </ul>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ritu Jain</li> </ul>       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B. Com. (P) Ilt Yr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>Inter College Athletic Meet</li> </ul>                                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3rd-400mts</li> <li>3rd-4x400mts</li> </ul>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Deepa Chaudhary</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.A. (P) Ist Yr.</li> </ul>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>Delhi State Athletic Championship</li> <li>LSR Sports Meet</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2nd-Pole Vault</li> <li>3rd-Javelin</li> <li>3rd-High Jump</li> </ul>  |

| Name  | Class   | Competition   | Position Achieved   |
|---|---|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Priya Chhabra</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B. Com. (P) IInd Yr.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>Inter College Athletic Meet</li> </ul>        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3rd - 1500 mts</li> <li>4th- 200 mts</li> <li>3rd-100 mts</li> <li>3rd-4x100 mts</li> <li>3rd-4x400 mts</li> </ul> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sonia Sharma</li> </ul>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.A. (P) IInd Yr.</li> </ul>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>LSR Soirts Festuvak</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2nd-Javelin</li> </ul>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shringar Kala</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B. Com. (P) IIIrd Yr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inter College Athletic Meet</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3rd-4x400mts</li> </ul>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anumeha Chordia</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>App. Psy. (H) 3rd Yr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inter College Athletic Meet</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3rd-4x400mts</li> </ul>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seema Choudhary</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> </ul>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Under 19 Zonal State Level For Cricket</li> <li>Senior Nationals In Cricket</li> <li>Senior National Cricket</li> </ul>              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> </ul>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shivani</li> </ul>         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B. Com. (P) Ist Yr.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Under 19 Zonal State Level For Cricket</li> <li>Delhi University Cricket Team</li> <li>Senior National Cricket Tournament</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> </ul>                      |



| Name              | Class                     | Competition  | Position Achieved  |
|-------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| • Latika          | • B.A. (P) 1st Yr.        | • Under 19 Inter Zonal For Cricket<br>• Senior National Cricket Tournament   | • Participation<br>• Participation   |
| • Pallavi Sharma  | • B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.        | • Senior National Cricket Tournament   | • Participation  |
| • Shivani Kashyap | • B.A. (P) 1st Yr.        | • All India Judo Championship<br>• Delhi Judo Council<br>• Delhi University Inter College<br>• LSR Sports Festival | • 1st-Below 52kg<br>• 3rd-Below 52kg<br>• 1st-Below 52kg                     |
| • Praveen Tokas   | • B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.        | • All India Judo Championship<br>• Delhi Judo Council<br>• Delhi University Inter College<br>• LSR Sports Festival | • 1st-Below 44kg<br>• 3rd-Below 44kg<br>• 3rd-Below 44kg<br>• 2nd-Below 44kg |
| • Chanchal Atal   | • B.Com. (P) IIInd Yr.    | • All India Judo Championship<br>• Delhi University Inter College<br>• LSR Sports Festival                         | • 2nd-Below 48kg<br>• 3rd-Below 4kg<br>• 2nd-Below 48kg                      |
| • Shachi Mathur   | • Applied Psy (H) 1st Yr. | • All India Judo Championship<br>• Delhi Judo Council<br>• LSR Sports Festival                                     | • 2nd-Below 68kg<br>• 3rd-Below 68kg<br>• 3rd-Below 68kg                     |

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| Name                                    | Class                   | Competition                         | Position Achieved                   |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| • Kalpana                               |                         | • LSR Sports Festival               | • 3rd-Below 44kg                    |
| • Pallavi Sharma                        | • B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.      | • Senior National Softball          | • Member                            |
| • Richa Singh                           | • B.Com. (P) 3rd Yr.    | • Delhi University Volleyball Team  | • Member                            |
| • Kalpana                               | • Botany (H) 2nd Yr.    | • Delhi State Yoga Championship     | • 2nd-17-21 yr.                     |
| • Sarita Baranwal                       | • Botany (H) 2nd Yr.    | • Delhi State Yoga Championship     | • 2nd-17-21 yr.                     |
| • Rafat Khan                            | • Botany (H) 2nd Yr.    | • Delhi State Yoga Championship     | • 1st-21-25 yr.                     |
| <b>TEAM PERFORMANCES</b>                |                         |                                     |                                     |
| Name                                    | Class                   | Competition                         | Position Achieved                   |
| • <b>Athletics</b><br>• Anumeha Chordia | • App. Psy. (H) 3rd Yr. | • Delhi State Athletic Championship | • 3 Gold, 2 Silver, 3 Bronze Medals |

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| Name   | Class  | Competition  | Position Achieved  |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Aruna Malik</li> <li>Urvashi Sirohi</li> <li>Suman Sajwan</li> <li>Nitya Singh</li> <li>Ritu Jain</li> <li>Deepa Chaudhary</li> <li>Priya Chhabra</li> <li>Sonia Sharma</li> <li>Shringar Kala</li> <li>Poonam Sharma</li> </ul>                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>M.A. Pol. Sc. (F) Yr.I</li> <li>B.Sc. (G) A 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 3rd Yr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Womens' Sports Festival</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>LSR Sports Festival</li> <li>Delhi University Inter College Championship</li> </ul>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Gold 4 Silver 2 Bronze Medals</li> <li>1 Gold 4 Silver 4 Bronze Medals</li> <li>1 Gold 2 Silver 4 Bronze Medals</li> <li>2 Bronze Medals</li> </ul> |
| <b>Basketball</b>  |  |  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shabri Prabhakar</li> <li>Ruchika Bijlani</li> <li>Meenal Anand</li> <li>Meenakshi Anand</li> <li>Nitya Ramachandran</li> <li>Radhika Tiwari</li> <li>Mehak Kaura</li> <li>Deepti Negi</li> <li>Mudita Chandra</li> <li>Sonam Khandelwal</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.Com (H) 3rdYr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (H) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (H) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>App. Psy. (H) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> </ul>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AIIMS Festival</li> <li>YMCA Tournament</li> <li>Delhi University Inter College Championship</li> <li>LSR Sports Festival</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Semi Finals</li> <li>Semi Finals</li> <li>Quarter Finals</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> </ul>                                     |

| Name  | Class   | Competition  | Position Achieved  |
|---|---|--|--|
| <b>Lawn Tennis</b>  |   |  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shobhika Badhwar</li> <li>Alka Paul</li> <li>Meenakshi Menon</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.Com (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.Sc. (G) A 2nd Yr.</li> <li>App. Psy. (H) 1st Yr.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi University Inter College Championship</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2nd Round</li> <li>Participation</li> </ul> |
| <b>Softball</b>   |   |  |  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seema Chaudhary</li> <li>Pallavi Sharma</li> <li>Sonia Sharma</li> <li>Neelam Yadav</li> <li>Sonal Khattar</li> <li>Ruchi</li> <li>Shivani Gupta</li> <li>Ekta Ahuja</li> <li>Sarita</li> <li>Babita Kasana</li> <li>Latika</li> <li>Neeta Rajwar</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Sc. (G) B 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (H) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Sc. (G) B 1stYr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Navneet Athletic Tournament</li> <li>Delhi State Softball Tournament</li> </ul>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2nd Place</li> <li>4th Place</li> </ul>     |

| Name  | Class   | Competition  | Position Achieved  |
|---|---|--|--|
| <b>Swimming</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Komal Mohan</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi State Womens' Festival</li> <li>Geeta Chopra Swimming Meet</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participation</li> <li>4th Place</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Table Tennis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Poonam Arora</li> <li>Sunny Chauhan</li> <li>Tasveer</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.Com (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>Hist. (H) 1st Yr.</li> <li>Pol. Sc. (H) 1st Yr.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi State Womens' Festival</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>Delhi University Table Tennis Tournament</li> <li>LSR Sports Festival</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> </ul>                           |
| <b>Volleyball</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Priyanka Kalra</li> <li>Maya Sharma</li> <li>Richa Singh</li> <li>Ekta Sethi</li> <li>Bhavana Gurung</li> <li>C. Gitanjali</li> <li>Komal Mohan</li> <li>Megha Khurana</li> <li>Shilpa Golwalkar</li> <li>Geetanjali Bahr</li> <li>Tripti Taneja</li> <li>Payal</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B.Com (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>Hist. (H) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (H) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.Com (H) 1st Yr.</li> <li>Pol. Sc. (H) 1st Yr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi State Womens' Festival</li> <li>IIT Sports Festival</li> <li>Delhi University Inter College Championship</li> <li>Delhi State Tournament</li> <li>LSR Sports Festival</li> <li>YMCA Tournament</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1st Round</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>4th Place</li> <li>5th Place</li> <li>3rd Place</li> <li>1st Round</li> </ul> |

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| Name   | Class  | Competition   | Position Achieved   |
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| <b>Yoga</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kalpna Lal</li> <li>Sarita Baranwal</li> <li>Rafat Khan</li> <li>Suman</li> <li>K. Anjana</li> <li>Sushila</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Botany (H) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>Botany (H) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>Botany (H) 2nd Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 3rd Yr.</li> <li>Botany (H) 1st Yr.</li> <li>B.A. (P) 3rd Yr.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delhi University Yoga Tournament</li> <li>National Yoga Asana Championship</li> <li>Delhi State Yoga Asana Championship</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5th Place</li> <li>Participation</li> <li>Participation</li> </ul> |
| <b>ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES</b>  |  |   |   |
| DEPARTMENT/CO-CURRICULAR/ASSOCIATION   |  | ACTIVITIES ORGANISED  |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Department of Elementary Education</b><br/>Head of the Department- Ms. Monica Gupta</li> <li><b>Gargi Extension Service</b><br/>Faculty Advisors : Mrs. Bimla Dhar, Dr. Pallavi Vaid and Ms. Sheuli Chowdhury</li> </ul> |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A National Level Seminar on <i>Alternatives In Education: In Search of a New Paradigm.</i></li> <li>Orientation programme for students of Arts/Commerce and Science Departments.</li> <li>Voluntary work at the Spastics Society of Northern India.</li> <li>Annual Blood Donation Camp.</li> <li>Recording of books for visually-challenged students.</li> <li>Contributions to the weekly feed of the animals in the Frendicoes Seca.</li> <li>Contribution to Gujarat Relief Fund.</li> </ul> |   |

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| DEPARTMENT/CO-CURRICULAR/ASSOCIATION   | ACTIVITIES ORGANISED   |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Gargi College Botanical Society</b><br/>Faculty Advisors : Dr. Kiran Prabha,<br/>Dr. A. Chintamani</li> <li><b>Dramatic Society</b><br/>Faculty Advisor : Ms. Neeta Mathur</li> <li><b>Hindi Debating Society</b><br/>Faculty Advisors : Dr. Vidya Sharma</li> <li><b>Film Society Glass I</b><br/>Faculty Advisor : Mrs. Ira Bhaskar</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lecture on Use of Plants in Ayurveda by Dr. Bhima Bhatt.</li> <li>Inter college Botanical Festival FICUS</li> <li>Lecture on New Beginnings in Plant Genomics and Bio-informatics by Prof. R. Ramaswamy and Prof. Akhelesh Tyagi respectively.</li> <li>A play <b>SITA</b> won the First Prize at Lady Sri Ram College And Maitreyi College, also invited to perform at Kirorimal College.</li> <li><i>Covenant with Death</i> was performed for the National Commission for Women at the IIC for NCW's 10th Founder's Day Celebrations .</li> <li>Talent search.</li> <li>Took part in the All India debate competition.</li> <li>Inter departmental debate.</li> <li>Inter college debate competition in REVERIE.</li> <li>A commemorative event on <i>Remembering Ritwik</i> where six of Ritwik Ghatak's memorable films were screened over a week.</li> <li>One lecture on Walter Benjamin's Reflections on the Cinema.</li> <li>Screening of award winning films for the students/members.</li> </ul> |

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| DEPARTMENT/CO-CURRICULAR/ASSOCIATION   | ACTIVITIES ORGANISED  |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>History Association</b><br/>Faculty Advisor : Dr. Renu Maira</li> <li><b>Philosophy Association</b><br/>Faculty Advisor : Dr. Pallavi Vaid</li> <li><b>Political Science Association</b><br/>Faculty Advisor : Ms. Manisha Priyam</li> <li><b>Prakriti Vahini</b><br/>Faculty Advisor : Dr. Geeta Mehta</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lectures on Issues in Chinese History and Indus civilization by Dr. Bishwamoi Patti and Dr. Nayanjot Lahiri respectively.</li> <li>Participation in Quiz and essay competition by the American Embassy.</li> <li>Seminar on <i>It is Unjust to Treat Unequals Equalls</i></li> <li>Lecture on Kena Upanishad by Dr. Shashi Prabha Kumar.</li> <li>Students participated in inter-college debate.</li> <li>Musical function for communal amity - a session of sufi, bhakti and rebel music from <i>Amir Khusro to the present</i>.</li> <li>Screening of film <i>Garam Hawa</i>.</li> <li>Public Speaking Competition by USIS</li> <li>A lecture on <i>The contested concept of power</i> by Dr. Sarah Joseph.</li> <li>Academic Excursion to Jaipur.</li> <li>Inaugurated by Prof. C.R. Babu, Pro-Vice Chancellor DU.</li> <li>Lecture on Intellectual Property Rights and International Patent Laws.</li> <li>Lecture on Solid Waste Management.</li> <li>Waste generated in the college was segregated in green and red bins for bio-degradable and non-biodegradable waste respectively.</li> <li>Efforts are being made to harvest the rainwater for gardening purposes in the college.</li> </ul> |

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| DEPARTMENT/CO-CURRICULAR/ASSOCIATION  | ACTIVITIES ORGANISED  |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Psychology Department</b><br/>Faculty Advisors : Ms. Swati Varshney</li> <li><b>Sanskrit Association</b><br/>Faculty Advisor: Dr. Tripta Gupta</li> <li><b>Womens' Development Centre</b><br/>Faculty Advisors : Dr. Veena Tucker and Dr. Preeti Pant.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talk by counsellors from Interventions for support, healing and awareness.</li> <li>Two-day workshop on personality development and communication skills.</li> <li>Talk on counselling and its scope.</li> <li>Talk on family therapy by the Indian Association for Family Therapy</li> <li>Seminar on Psychology of Competence.</li> <li>Student Participation in Inter College Competition of <i>Stotragayan, Sanskrit Sloka Vritti, Sanskrit Sangeet.</i></li> <li>A lecture on <i>Kathopanishad ka vyavaharik paksh</i> by Dr. Vedvari Vaidik.</li> <li>Inter-class recitation and <i>Antakshari</i> competitions.</li> <li>In association with National Commission for Women a series of workshops on <b>Preparing Women for Tomorrow</b> dealing with specific issues of concern such as gender equality social justices and empowerment and crisis management here held.</li> </ul> |

| EXTRA -CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES |                       |  |   |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|---|
| NAME                         | EVENTS                | POSITION                                       | COMPETITION                                 |
| <b>Botanical Society</b>     |                       |  |   |
| Ishani                       | Debate                | Best speaker                                   | Maitreyi College                            |
| with Meenakshi               | Debate                | Best team                                      | Maitreyi College                            |
| Ishani, Kalpana              | Rangoli               | 2 <sup>nd</sup> prize                          | Maitreyi College                            |
| Pinky , Ishani               | Biophilately          | 2 <sup>nd</sup>                                | Dayal Singh College                         |
| Reema                        | Debate                | 1st  | Hindu College                               |
| Sonia, Nidhi                 | Rangoli               | 2 <sup>nd</sup>                                | Sri Venkateshwara College                   |
| Surabhi , Nisha              | creativity from waste | 1st  | Daulat Ram College                          |
| <b>Dramatic Society</b>      |                       |  |   |
| Heena Hasnain                | Drama                 | Best Actress                                   | at JDM                                      |
| <b>Debating Society</b>      |                       |  |   |
| Sujata Jha                   | Debate                | Special mention for their debate participation | at All India competition at Hansraj College |
| Reena                        | -do-                  |  | inter college debate                        |
| Poonam                       | -do-                  |  | organised by Hindu college                  |
| Sujata Jha                   | -do-                  | 1st prize                                      | REVERIE 2000                                |
| Sumeet Mahlawat              | -do-                  | special mention                                | All India Vichar Goshti, Arts faculty       |
| Kulbeer Kaur                 | -do-                  |  |   |

| NAME                            | EVENTS           | POSITION  | COMPETITION                        |
|---------------------------------|------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| <b>Microbiology Association</b> |                  |   |                                    |
| Arpita Bose                     | Extempore        | 2 <sup>nd</sup>                                 | Microbiology Festival Gargi Colleg |
| Shilpa Singh-                   | poster making    | 2 <sup>nd</sup>                                 | Microbiology festival              |
| Nupur Gupta                     | -do-             | Consolation                                     | Micriobiology festival             |
| Sandhya                         | creative writing | 1st   | -do-                               |
| Dolan                           | -do-             | 3 <sup>rd</sup>                                 | -do-                               |
| Srividya , Tarika, Jayashree    | Rangoli          | 1st   | -do-                               |
| Nupur , Gargi, Manjari          | Quiz             | 2 <sup>nd</sup>                                 | -do-                               |
| Team -                          | Skit             | 1st prize                                       | -do-                               |
| <b>Philosophy Association</b>   |                  |   |                                    |
| Anindita Chatterjee             | Debate           | Trophy for the Best team                        | Deptt. of Philosophy JDM           |
| Debashree Mohanty               |                  |   |                                    |
| <b>Sanskrit Association</b>     |                  |   |                                    |
| Soma Mitra                      | Drawing          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> prize<br>competition at Miranda | inter- college drawing             |
| House                           |                  |   |                                    |
| Anju Jha                        | -Shlokavriti     | 1st   | LSR                                |

| NAME                         | EVENTS          | POSITION   | COMPETITION   |
|------------------------------|-----------------|--|---|
| Team                         |                 | Encouragement prize  |   |
| Eshwarya Natarajan-          | solo Slokavriti | 1st prize  | Sanskrit sangeet pratiyogita<br>Sanskrit Academy and at Sanskrit<br>Slokavriti at Maitreyi College<br>Akhil Bharatiya Stotra gayan<br>pratiyogita |
| Anju Jha                     | Stotragayan     | 1st prize  | REVERIE   |
| Soma                         |                 |  | REVERIE   |
| Anju Jha                     | Swar Sangam     | 2 <sup>nd</sup>  |   |
| Soma                         | -do-            | 1st  |   |
| <b>Western Music Society</b> |                 |  |   |
| Roshni Chopra                | Solo            | 1st prize<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> prize<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> prize<br>participation | REVERIE<br>SVC Fest<br>KNC Fest<br>LSR Fest   |
| Sukhpreet & Diksha           | Duet            | 2 <sup>nd</sup><br>2 <sup>nd</sup><br>Participation                          | REVERIE<br>SVC, KNC Fest<br>LSR Fest  |
| Aruna Sundaram               | Solo            | Participation  | IIT Fest  |
| Ahimsa Gupta                 | -do-            | -do-   | -do-  |

## GUEST SPEAKERS

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