

ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2024-25

Name of Activity	First Year B.A. Orientation Programme
Date/Duration	3 rd July 2024 at 9 a.m.
Venue	St. Xavier's Arc
Name of organizing Department/Cell	B.A.
Incollaboration with	
Name/s of Faculty Coordinator	1. Mr. Aaron-Paul Fernandes
Stratum of Event	College/ State/Regional/National
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	
Report	The Orientation Program for first-year B.A. students took place on July 3, 2024, at Ark Hall. The event encompassed a diverse range of sessions aimed at enriching the experience of the incoming first-year BA students. Commencing with a heartfelt prayer led by Fr. Ramiro Louis and his team, the program then transitioned to a welcoming address delivered by Administrator Fr. Antonio Salema. Fr. Salema extended a warm welcome to both parents and students, emphasizing the college's vision statement, "Formation for Transformation," urging students to aspire to become exemplary citizens. He counselled them to uphold virtues and cautioned against succumbing to vices, stressing the importance of judicious use of their time on campus. Parents were reminded of the significance of punctuality in their children's academic journey. Principal Ms. Ursula Barretto congratulated the new Xavierites and shared insights on achieving success through diligence rather than innate brilliance. She encouraged students to focus on personal growth, emphasizing self-improvement over competition with others. The principal underscored the wealth of opportunities available at the institution, urging students to actively participate in workshops, club activities, competitions, and cultural events. Subsequent sessions included Fr. Ramiro providing an overview of college infrastructure, and rules. Prof. Janet Fernandes detailed the structure of the National Education Policy (NEP 2020), while Dr. Santana Fernandes outlined examination procedures, including ISAs and SEEs. Ms. Dakshata Zambulkar elaborated on library timings and facilities, and Mr. Roger Fernandes briefed the gathering on the sports department

	 initiatives and infrastructure. Mr. Stalin Dsa highlighted the array of cultural activities hosted by the college, and NCC Sgt. Maithili and NSS Officer Mr. Aaron Paul Fernandes discussed NCC and NSS activities respectively. The orientation drew participation from 201 students and their parents, concluding promptly by noon.
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Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/fyba- orientation-sxc-img-01.pdf
List of participants With signatures	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp- content/uploads/2024/07/attendance-of-fyba-students-for-july- 2024-orientation_compressed.pdf
Certificate	