



ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA - GOA

**Report of Activity conducted in the
AcademicYear2024-25-Department of English**

Name of Activity	National Book Lovers Day
Date/Duration	9/8/2024 10:45 – 11:45 a.m.
Venue	St. Xavier's College Library
Name of organizing Department/ Cell	Department of English
Name/s of Faculty Coordinator	Ms. Alice D'Cruz and Mr. Aaron-Paul Fernandes
Stratum of Event	College level event
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	Resource Person: Ms. Dakshata Zambulkar Librarian, St. Xavier's College
Report	<p>The National Book Lovers Day was commemorated by The Department of English, St. Xavier's College on 9th August 2024 from 10:45 – 11:45 a.m. in the College Library.</p> <p>A total of 20 students, drawn from SYBA English Majors and TYBA English Honours along with the faculty members of the Department of English – Ms. Alice D'Cruz and Mr. Aaron-Paul Fernandes attended this event. In the introductory speech, The Librarian of St. Xavier's College, Ms. Dakshata Zambulkar delivered an inspiring address on the significance of reading. She highlighted how reading broadens our horizons and nurtures a lifelong passion for learning. The teachers guided the students to specific cupboards and shelves containing various genres of English books, assisting them in cleaning and dusting some of the sections. This helped in organizing the books as well as familiarizing the students with the various categories of English literature.</p> <p>The hands-on experience fostered a deeper appreciation for books and a sense of responsibility in caring for shared resources. The event concluded at 11:45 am, marking the end of a productive and engaging experience for everyone involved.</p>
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Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/Photos-Nat-book-lovers-day-dept-of-Eng-9.8.24.pdf
List of participants With signatures	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/Attendance-National-book-lovers-day-attendance-dept-of-Eng_min.pdf
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