

ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2025- 2026

Name of Activity	Through my Window
Date/ Duration	24 th July 2025, 10:45 A.M 12:15 P.M.
Venue	Seminar Hall
Name of organizing	Department of Konkani
Department/Cell	
In collaboration	Sahitya Academy, Delhi
with	Bardez Konkani Asmitai Kendr, Mapusa
Name/s of Faculty	Mr. Dharma Chodankar
Co ordinator	Ms. Ankita Zambaulikar
Stratum of Event	Collegiate
Name & details of	Ms. Nutan Sakhardande
Resource Person/s	
if any	
Report	The Department of Konkani at St. Xavier's College, Mapusa, in collaboration with the Sahitya Akademi and Bardez Konkani Asmitai Kendr, organized a literary programme titled Through My Window on 24th July 2025 at the College Seminar Hall. The event, which commenced at 10:30 a.m., aimed to highlight the life and literary contributions of Late Meena Kakodkar, renowned writer and recipient of the Sahitya Akademi Award. The programme began with a welcome address by Ms. Pravina Thali, President of Bardez Konkani Asmitai Kendr, followed by remarks from Mr. Sashikant Punaji, Konkani Language Advisory Board Member of Sahitya Akademi. The keynote address was delivered by celebrated poet and Sahitya Akademi awardee Mrs. Nutan Sakhardande, who spoke in depth about the works, legacy, and literary impact of Late Meena Kakodkar, offering valuable insights into her creative vision and contribution to Konkani literature. A total of 150 students from St. Xavier's College attended the session, engaging enthusiastically with the discussions.
	The event was jointly coordinated by Mr. Dharma Chodankar, Head of the Department of Konkani, and Ms. Ankita Zambaulikar, with support from faculty members Mr. Silvester Vaz, Dr. Fr. Luis Gomes, and Ms. Pranita Redkar. Notable executive members of Bardez Konkani Asmitai Kendr, including Ms. Kashmiri Pawaskar, Ms. Sonali Chodankar, and Ms. Kusum Agarwal, were also present. The programme was skillfully compered by Ms. Kusum Agarwal and

	concluded at 12:15 p.m. with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Ankita
	Zambaulikar.
Beneficiaries	150
Brochure/Poster	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/Brochure-
	<u>5.pdf</u>
Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/Picture1-
	6.pdf
List of participants	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-
with signatures	content/uploads/2025/08/attendance.pdf
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