



ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSAGOOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2025-26

Name of Activity	Book Review Competition
Date/Duration	14 th August 2025
Venue	PG Conference Hall, SXC
Name of organizing Department/Cell	College Library
In collaboration with	
	IQAC and Literature Club
Name/s of Faculty Coordinator	Ms. Dakshata Zambulkar, College Librarian Dr. Ubaldinha Noronha, IQAC Coordinator Ms. Sunita Mesquita, Mentor, Literature Club
Stratum of Event	Institutional
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	---
Report	To celebrate National Librarian Day, a day that honours Dr. S. R. Ranganathan who is recognized as the Father of Library Science in India, a Book Review competition was organized for the student community. At the formal programme, the College Librarian, Ms. Dakshata Zambulkar was felicitated with a potted plant and a memento presented by the IQAC Co-ordinator, Dr. Ubaldina Noronha in the presence of Faculty Mentors of the Literature Club and contestants. In her address to the participants, Ms. Zambulkar stated that events like these provide readers with a platform to express insights that such narratives evoke. The IQAC Co-ordinator, Dr. Noronha appreciated the initiative, congratulated the young readers and encouraged students to think about the impossible and more away from the ordinary. Ms. Lina D'Souza proposed the Vote of Thanks while Ms. Vaibhavi Kerkar, Joint Secretary, Literature Club anchored the programme. With the aim of encouraging reading habits, nurture analytical thinking, and enhance creative expression, this competition was organized in the following language categories namely

	English/Hindi/Konkani/Marathi. A total of 35 participants presented their book reviews to a panel of judges who included Dr. Ubaldina Noronha, Ms. Sunita Mesquita, Dr. Ramita Gurav, Mr. Dharma Chodankar and Dr. Vrunda Kelker. The winners were: ✓ English Language: 1st Place – Megan Gomes and Tannicia Dias 2nd Place – Iqbal Singh 3rd Place – Hanna Miranda ✓ Konkani Language: 1st Place – Ronald Fernandes ✓ Hindi Language: 1st Place – Saba Ansari
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