



ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA
Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2025-26

Name of Activity	Literature Quiz 4.0
Date/Duration	24 th January 2026: Preliminary Round 28 th January 2026: Finals
Venue	Class room: 327 College Seminar Hall
Name of organizing Department/Cell	Department of English
In collaboration with	Literature Club
Name/s of Faculty Coordinator	Ms. Sunita Mesquita
Stratum of Event	College level
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	Quiz Anchors Ms. Kimberly Vales (TYBA) Ms. Vaibhavi Kerkar (FYBA)
Report	<p>Believing that participation in a quiz is testing one's knowledge and critical thinking skills, there were 12 teams that participated at the preliminary written round. Four qualifying teams battled their wits at the Finals.</p> <p>At the Finals, while introducing the four teams to the audience, Ms. Vaibhavi Kerkar, Secretary, Literature Club stated "There is no better way to sharpen your mind, than to challenge it. Quizzes do exactly this."</p> <p>The four rounds that followed saw Team Kafka, Team Austen, Team Mauzo and Team Tagore thinking under pressure to gain every point to ensure a win. Mystery Grid with scope for 'pouncing' was challenging and the written rapid fire round proved a game changer. The final score was Team Austen: 105 points, Team Mauzo: 100 points, Team Tagore: 70 points and Team Kafka: 45 points.</p> <p>In her address, Ms. Sunita Mesquita, Head, Department of English and Mentor, Literature Club emphasized upon the significance of a quiz where "Literature has everything life is made of including mystery, comedy, romance, fantasy, tragedy and participation at a quiz is cardio for the brain."</p> <p>The Quiz Hostess, Kimberly Vales from TY English Major coordinated the quiz rounds while the vote of thanks was proposed by Kelly D Souza, President, Literature Club. Faculty</p>

	<p>from the Department of English including Dr. Claudette Gomes, Dr. Prema Rocha and Ms. Giann Fernandes felicitated the teams and presented tokens of appreciation to the student organizing team.</p> <p>The Winners (Team Austen): Ramona Fernandes, ,Pearl Fernandes and Meloshka Cardozo from the TY English Major.</p> <p>The Runners Up (Team Mauzo): Shruti Padte (TYBA), Sumaiya Khan (SYBA) and Tavia De Souza (TYBA).</p> <p>The Winners and Runners Up teams were presented Certificates of Merit and medals. Spot prizes were given to the audience</p> <p>Teams comprising of Anshika Thakur, Saniya Phadte and Klydivinia D'Souza from the SY English Major as Team Kafka while Mehul Chavan, Soumya Sinari and Soharsha Kole from FYBSc English AEC as Team Tagore were presented a Certificate of Appreciation.</p>
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Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/images-for-Literature-Quiz-4.0.pdf
List of participants With signatures	NA
Certificate	NA