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

Name of the Activity	Mediascope 10.0/Mediascope X
Date/Duration	January 10th, 2026 9:00 a.m to 6:00 p.m
Venue	Seminar Hall & St. Xavier's College Campus, Mapusa-Goa
Name of the Organising Department/Cell	Department of Mass Communication & Journalism
In Collaboration With	
Name(s) of the Faculty Co-ordinator(s)	Ms. Jonquil Sudhir & Mr. Dinesh Nirawdekar
Stratum of the Event	Higher Secondary Schools/Sections
Names & Details of Resource-Persons, if any	Chief Guest - Mr. Vardhan Dhaimodkar
Report	*"I believe that a media student must be seen as a professional, because our lives revolve around it."* - *Vardhan Dhaimodkar* The Department of **Mass Communication & Journalism** at St. Xavier's College, Mapusa, proudly hosted the 10th edition of *MediaScope* on January 10th, 2026, within the college premises. The event welcomed higher secondary students from across Goa to participate in a range of competitions, offering them an introduction to the dynamic world of media. A total of 10 higher secondary institutions took part. The Chief Guest for the occasion was **Vardhan Dhaimodkar**, an alumnus of St. Xavier's College, acclaimed filmmaker, director, and editor. The proceedings commenced with a cordial welcome by students

Sheronne Dias and Sean Dias, who presented mementos to the distinguished guests. The atmosphere was set for a day brimming with creativity, exploration, and meaningful engagement with media and cinema. Ms. Chanel Crizzle, the TY student coordinator, officially inaugurated *MediaScope 10.0*, highlighting its role as a vital platform for students to immerse themselves in the ever-changing media landscape.

To signify the formal launch of *MediaScope 10.0*, a special artwork designed by Ms. Evanna Vaz was unveiled, accompanied by her brief reflection on creativity and media. This was followed by the ceremonial lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries, symbolising the radiance of knowledge and the spark of imagination that the event seeks to inspire among participants.

Administrator Fr. Antonio Salema addressed the gathering with an uplifting message, encouraging students to embrace gratitude and mindfulness in their pursuits. Principal Ursula Barreto then shared motivating words, urging students to seize opportunities at St. Xavier's College and engage wholeheartedly in creative ventures like *MediaScope*. The keynote address was delivered by Mr. Vardhan Dhaimodkar, who spoke passionately about the multifaceted nature of cinema, reminding the audience that "the future of media is not somewhere outside - it's right here in this room." A token of appreciation was then presented to Mr. Dhaimodkar by the Principal, followed by the unveiling of the brand-new *MediaScope* trophy. The Chief Guest subsequently declared the event open.

The event spanned the college campus, with several sub-events running in parallel. The *Quiz* and the *Amazing Race* tested participants' knowledge and problem-solving skills, while *Mad Ad*, *LollyWood*, and *Spotlight* unlocked creative expression, inspiring students to produce imaginative works. The dance competition emerged as a centerpiece, featuring enthralling performances that drew loud applause from the audience. Throughout the day, the sound team kept spirits high with vibrant music, ensuring the atmosphere remained lively and engaging.

As the program drew to a close, students delivered a spirited valedictory dance, bringing the celebration to a joyful finale. Hosts Sheronne Dias and Sean Dias sustained their energetic

presence across the proceedings. Student coordinators Ms. Chanel Crizzle (TY) and Ms. Viveka Cordeiro (SY) extended heartfelt thanks to participants, organisers, and volunteers for their dedication. Principal Ursula Barreto commended the collective effort, underscoring the value of nurturing student involvement and skill-building. In the winning speech, Gaurav Padte, teacher of **Sharada Mandir School** - the victorious team - shared, "One of our teachers passed away last night. For the past five years we've been finishing second, and each time he would tell us we'd get it the next year. Today, at last, we've come first." The students were overcome with tears of joy and sorrow, honoring the memory of their beloved teacher whose encouragement had carried them to victory.

The convenor of *MediaScope*, Ms. Jonquil Sudhir, delivered the vote of thanks, conveying heartfelt gratitude to the Principal and the administration for their steadfast support. She extended her appreciation to the faculty for their guidance and acknowledged the students whose enthusiasm played a vital role in the success of the event. She also expressed recognition for the teachers accompanying the participants, commending their constant encouragement and mentorship.

The atmosphere was charged with excitement as each winner was greeted with resounding cheers and applause. The acknowledgment of effort and talent strengthened bonds among participants and their supporters. The competitive spirit blended seamlessly with the joy of celebration, ensuring the event remained a memorable experience for everyone present.

As the program drew to its close, it was evident that every participant had given their utmost, displaying creativity, skill, and teamwork. The triumph of *MediaScope 10.0* stood as a reflection of the commitment of both organisers and participants, leaving all in eager anticipation of next year's celebration - *MediaScope 11.0*.

Winners List:

- Mad Ad
  - Winners: Sharada Mandir HSS
  - Runner-Up: Harmal Panchkroshi HSS

	Amazing Race - Winners: Sharada Mandir HSS - Runner-Up: The King's School HSS **Save Our Souls** - Winners: St. Xavier's HSS - Runner-Up: Sharada Mandir HSS **Media Mix Quiz** - Winners: Manovikas HSS - Runner-Up: Navy School HSS **Canvas Painting** - Winners: Sharada Mandir HSS - Runners-Up: St. Xavier's HSS **Photography** - Winners: Navy School HSS - Runner-Up: Sharada Mandir HSS **LollyWood** - Winners: Sharada Mandir HSS - Runner-Up: Navy School HSS **Spotlight** - Winners: Navy School HSS - Runner-Up: The King's School HSS **Reel-making** - Winners: St. Xavier's HSS - Runner-Up: Green Meadows HSS **Dance** - Winners: Manovikas HSS

	○ Runner-Up: The King's School HSS ● MediaScope 10.0 Overall Winners ○ Winners: Sharada Mandir HSS ○ 1st Runner-Up: Navy School HSS ○ 2nd Runner-Up: St. Xavier's HSS
Brochure/Poster	NA
Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/02/photos-for-Mediascope-10.0Mediascope-X.pdf
List of participants with signatures	NA
Certificate	NA