



ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2025-25

Name of Activity	Departmental Christmas Activities Promoting Diversity and Inclusion
Date/ Duration	10 to 23 December 2025
Venue	St. Xavier's College
Name of organizing Department/Cell	Cell for promoting Diversity and Inclusivity
In collaboration with	
Name/s of Faculty Co ordinator	Dr. Kshipra Vora, Mr Vijay Talwar, Ms Jonquil Sudhir, Ms. Arina Frank
Stratum of Event	College
Name & details of Resource Person/s if any	N/A
Report	<p>Report on Departmental Christmas Activities Promoting Diversity and Inclusion (December 2025)</p> <p>As part of the college's ongoing initiatives to promote diversity, inclusion, and community engagement, various departments organised Christmas-themed activities during December 2025. These programmes aimed to foster shared values, emotional well-being, creativity, and intercultural understanding among students.</p> <p>The Department of Political Science, under the coordination of Mr. Vijay Talwar, Assistant Professor, organised a Christmas-themed quiz on 16 December 2025. The activity focused on values associated with Christmas such as compassion, goodwill, and ethical conduct. Sixteen students participated actively, making the quiz both intellectually stimulating and value-oriented.</p> <p>The Abbé Faria Postgraduate Department of Psychology, coordinated by Dr. Kshipra Vora, conducted several initiatives to enhance social bonding and emotional well-being. A departmental Christmas celebration saw the participation of 36 postgraduate students and included a Secret Santa exchange, a potluck meal, carol singing, games, and dance performances. These activities encouraged empathy, cooperation, and creative expression. Additionally, a film screening of <i>The Bishop's Wife</i> was organised on 10 December 2025 for 31</p>

	<p>students, followed by a faculty-led discussion on themes such as hope, altruism, moral dilemmas, and emotional well-being.</p> <p>The Department of Microbiology, coordinated by Ms. Arina Frank, organised a Secret Santa activity on 23 December 2025 for Third Year B.Sc. students. Fifty-two students participated in the exchange, strengthening peer bonding and promoting inclusivity and festive goodwill.</p> <p>The Department of Mass Communication and Journalism conducted multiple activities across student groups. FYMCJ students attended a screening of <i>Red Boots for Christmas</i> on 16 December 2025, followed by a gratitude exercise where students contributed messages to a “gratitude tree.” SYMCJ students engaged in sweet-making on 17 December 2025, preparing festive treats while listening to carols. TYMCJ students participated in a craft activity on 18 December 2025, creating Christmas decorations using simple materials.</p>
Brochure/Poster	NA
Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/02/CHRISTMAS-CELEBRATION.pdf
List of participants with signatures	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/02/Christmas-party-attendance-.pdf
Certificate	N/A