



ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA GOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2025-26

Name of Activity	Report on Field Visit to Goa Legislative Assembly, Old Secretariat and Raj Bhavan (Lok Bhavan)
Date/Duration	18 th March 2026
Venue	Goa Legislative Assembly- Porvorim Old Secretariat - Panaji Raj Bhavan (Lok Bhavan) - Donapaula
Name of organizing Department/Cell	Department of Political Science
In collaboration with	
Name/s of Faculty Coordinator	Mr. Anthony lobo
Stratum of Event	College level
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	NA
Report	<p>Objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To provide students with firsthand knowledge of the functioning of legislative institutions.2. To familiarize students with the historical and administrative significance of the Old Secretariat.3. To enhance understanding of the role and functions of the Governor.4. To bridge the gap between theoretical learning and practical exposure in Political Science. <p>Brief Description: The Department of Political Science organized an educational field visit on 18th March for students to gain practical exposure to key political and administrative institutions in Goa. The visit included the Goa Legislative Assembly, Old Secretariat, and the Governor's residence (Lok Bhavan). This field visit was organised for the students of FYBA, SYBA and BBA and BBA(T&T). A total of 78 students participated in the visit, accompanied by four Assistant</p>

	<p>Professors from the department: Mr. Anthony Lobo (Coordinator), Mr. Prasad Naik, Mr. Vijay Talwar, and Ms. Rashika Raikar.</p> <p>The field visit commenced with the students arriving at the Goa Legislative Assembly, where they were introduced to the structure, functioning, and procedures of the legislative body. Students observed the assembly premises and gained insights into how laws are debated and passed. They also visited legislative Assembly Library. Following this, the group visited the Old Secretariat, a site of historical and administrative importance. During the visit, students were given an informative explanation about the old artifacts belonging to various dynasties that ruled Goa, as well as the Portuguese period. This helped students understand the rich historical legacy and administrative evolution of the region.</p> <p>The final destination was the Governor’s residence, Lok Bhavan. Here, students were briefed about the constitutional role of the Governor, including responsibilities such as safeguarding the Constitution, functioning as the executive head of the state. The students were given the tour of the entire premises.</p> <p>The visit saw active participation from students across various programmes:</p> <p>FYBA – 29 students</p> <p>FYBBA (General) – 26 students</p> <p>FYBBA (Travel & Tourism) – 22 students</p> <p>FYCOM – 1 student</p> <p>Outcomes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students developed a clearer understanding of legislative procedures and governance. 2. They gained practical insights into constitutional roles and administrative functioning. 3. The visit enhanced student interest in political processes and public administration. <p>Number of Beneficiaries: A total of 78 students participated.</p>
Brochure/Poster	NA
Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/Photo-of-Report-on-Field-Visit-to-Goa-Legislative-Assembly-Old-Secretariat-and-Raj-Bhavan-Lok-Bhavan.pdf
List of participants With signatures	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/attendance-of-Report-on-Field-Visit-to-Goa-Legislative-Assembly-Old-Secretariat-and-Raj-Bhavan-Lok-Bhavan.pdf

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