



ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MAPUSA - GOA

Report of Activity conducted in the Academic Year 2026-27

Name of Activity	Xavier's Orator: An Extempore Contest
Date/Duration	3 rd September 2026
Venue	PG Conference Hall (Ground Floor)
Name of organizing Department/Club	Public Speaking and Oratory Club
In collaboration with	NIL
Name/s of Mentor & President	Dr. Prema Rocha Ms. Kelly Fernandes
Stratum of Event	College Level
Name & details of Resource Person/s If any	
Report	The Public Speaking and Oratory Club of St. Xavier's College, Mapusa, organised Xavier's Orator: An Extempore Contest on 3rd September from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the Conference Hall of the PG Block. The event aimed to encourage students to overcome hesitation, think on their feet and express their ideas effectively. The contest began with a briefing of the rules and distribution of tokens by Club President Kelly Fernandes (SYBA) and Vice President Sumaiya Khan.(TYBA) 13 students participated, with each receiving a topic one minute before speaking and one minute to present their views without prior preparation. The format challenged participants to organise their thoughts quickly and respond effectively under time constraints.

	The participants displayed composure, creativity and clarity of thought while presenting their ideas before an audience. The judges, Ms. Gianni Fernandes and Ms. Megan Fernandes and Dr. Prema Rocha, commended the participants for their confidence, originality and ability to develop meaningful responses within a limited time. They also noted that such activities provide valuable opportunities for students to sharpen their public-speaking and critical-thinking skills. Dr. Prema Rocha, the Club Mentor, commended the enthusiastic participation and appreciated the students for stepping forward to challenge themselves through impromptu speaking. The first place was awarded to Saandrushka Viegas (TYMCJ), the second place was secured by Valanka Fernandes (FYBA) and the third place was awarded to Krishna Pratap Singh Harisingh Shekhawat (FYBA) The contest successfully provided participants with practical exposure to impromptu speaking, helping them develop quick thinking, effective articulation and the ability to present organised ideas with confidence.
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Photographs	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/09/Images-of-Xaviers-Orator-An-Extempore-Contest.pdf
List of participants with signatures	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/09/Attendance-of-Xaviers-Orator-An-Extempore-Contest.pdf
Certificate	https://xavierscollegegoa.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/09/Certificate-of-Xaviers-Orator-An-Extempore-Contest.pdf