

Rayat Shikshan Sanstha's
Savitribai Phule Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Satara

Academic Year: 2022-2023

IQAC, Library and Department of English
Activity Report

Reading Inspirational Day

Date: 15 /10 /2022

Time: 12. 30 am to 2.30pm

Occasion of Activity: Reading Inspiration Day (15th October :APJ Abdul kalam's Jayanti celebration)

Organizing Departments: IQAC, Library and Department of English

Introduction:

October 15, is observed as Reading Inspiration Day to commemorate the birth anniversary of late Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam to promote the culture of reading. Reading, as we all know, increases our knowledge. It keeps us updated about what is happening in the world around us. It gives us information about places which we are never likely to visit. It develops our vocabulary and powers of expression. It is an ideal way to keep ourselves occupied, even on a gloomy rainy day. There is no doubt about it-the advantages of reading are manifold. Government of Maharashtra instructed all educational institutions to observe this day in memory of our late president of India, a missile man APJ Abdul Kalam.

Description of Activity:

On this occasion IQAC and Library organized various activities for the students to inculcate reading habits among them. In the morning students, teachers and office staff gave floral tribute to Abdul Kalam's photograph and remembered his largest contribution in the national development. Then the wall paper **SPIRIT** was released, which contains with the poems, works ,portraits of Abdul Kalam. Some students wrote articles on his contribution and biographical details. It is inaugurated at auspicious hands of chief guest Dr.Mrs.Vidya Navadkar, Assistant Professor from department of Marathi, Chh. Shivaji College , Satara.At this time Dr.Mrs.Sunita GhARGE.Dr.Sarjerao Pawar,Dr.Shivajirao Bhosale ,Dr.Gajanan Bhosale also released the issue of SPIRIT in presence of students and teachers and office staff.

To introduce some important books from regional language the book exhibition was also conducted. All the teachers, students, office staff and students and teachers from other school also visited the Book Exhibition. On this occasion to guide and inspire the students for reading the guest lecture of Dr.Mrs.Vidya Navdkar was also conducted. The object of programme and chief guest were introduced by IQAC Coordinator, Dr.Mrs.Jayashri Aphale.In inspirational speech Dr.Nawadkar explained the students,Why is reading important? It is important because it is a habit that can make you a better person. Biographies of great men and women tell us that most of them became great because of the inspiration they got from reading books especially during their childhood days. This day is observed every year on 15th October as it is the birth anniversary of our late Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam who strongly advocated 'reading' more as a necessity rather than just a mere hobby.

She also explained that, Books not only inspire us, but they also provide knowledge. Even though technology has brought in many changes to the way we read, it has only enhanced our ability to get connected to different sources of knowledge through reading. Reading has several merits. It keeps us connected with the outside world. It enriches and expands our vocabulary and develops the skill of concentration. Reading provides us with pure enjoyment and sheer pleasure and gives us entertainment. Novels, short stories, poems, travelogues, and even comics entertain our minds. It helps us relax. More than that it engages our mind in a way nothing else does. Our

imagination is ignited when we read. We become co-creators of stories as we animate the stories we read in our minds. It is definitely a healthy exercise to the mind. Students got themselves inspired. Mrs. Asha Jirage, the librarian of the college proposed the vote of thanks and Shri. Dilp Pawar compered the programme. Under the able guidance of Prin. Dr. Shivling Menkundale the programme was successfully completed.

Outcome:

- Students became aware of the contribution of APJ Abdul Kalam
- Students compiled the works of APJ Abdul Kalam
- Students motivated to read the books

Photos:



Pratima Poojan




SPIRIT : Wall Paper inaugural



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Book Exhibition



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Book Exhibition inaugural at the hands of Dr.Vidya Nawadkar




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Dr.Vidya Nawadkar guiding the students on Reading


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