#### **REPORT - 2023 – 2024**

The Department of Arts for the Academic Year 2023-2024 hosted a wide variety of events that enriched both the academic and practical experiences of students.

#### **Political Science:**

- **Model United Nations (MUN):** The Model United Nations (MUN) was organized wherein students stepped into the roles of delegates representing different nations.
- World Day of Social Justice: The World Day of Social Justice raised awareness about global inequalities through skits and essay competitions.
- **Ambedkar Jayanti:** The day was observed to honour Dr. Ambedkar's contributions to Indian democracy.

#### Mass Communication & Journalism:

- World Radio Day: World Radio Day was celebrated to generate an understanding of the history and significance of radio.
- **Photography Walk:** Students of BA I year explored a photography walk to Golconda Fort to capture the photography skills and nuances of camera.
- **Photography Day**: The Day marked the appreciation of the art form's legacy.
- **National Journalism Day**: The Day was commemorated with interviews and skits to emphasize the importance of a free press.
- **Click Fest:** The signature event, Click Fest, encouraged students to unleash their creativity in photography
- Visit to Nehru Zoological Park: The visit educated the students on wildlife conservation.
- **Tune Tales**: The event combined music and storytelling for an immersive experience.

## **Psychology:**

- World Bipolar Day: The Day was commemorated with a seminar that focused on stress awareness, alongside a painting competition to promote mental health awareness.
- **Braintainment:** Braintainment, the signature event was organized that engaged students in hands-on psychology-related activities, offering them real-world experience with psychological experiments.
- Workshops conducted: A Workshop on Design Thinking and Problem Solving for Career was conducted for the BA III Year students.

#### Guest Lectures:

- An Alumni Lecture on World Gratitude Day was organized for the BA II Year students
- A Guest Lecture on World Mental Health Day was organized for the BA I Year students.
- Internships: Students have undertaken Internships in Psychology and Political Science during the Year
- Research & Projects conducted: Students of BA III Year conducted Research Projects in Political Science and Psychology.

## Students Achievements:

- Ms. Lucky Lakshmi participated in the prestigious NCC Republic Day Parade
- Ms. Jhanvi won Silver Medal in Goa State Badminton Tournament
- Ms. Akshaya won III Place in Inter College Badminton Tournament
- Ms. Shamsia Fatima won II Place in Open Mic Competition organized by St. Francis College
- Results: Students of BA Psychology and BA Political Science secured a pass percentage of 84.52% and 85.71% respectively for the Academic Year 2023-2024.

# > Faculty Development Programs, Workshops:

- The entire Faculty of the Department attended Faculty Development Program "Teachology – Teach to Reach to Review" on 15.07.2023.
- Ms. Teena, Assistant professor, Psychology attended Workshop on "Psychological Report Writing" on 19.05.2024, funded by the Management.
- Ms. Ankhee Ghosh, HOD Arts attended FDP on "AI for Educators" from 20<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2024.

# Faculty Achievements:

- Ms. Ankhee Ghosh, HOD Arts, has undertaken a Research Project on Dalit Literature.
- **Outreach activities:** Activities of raising mental health awareness on World Mental Health Day in Somajiguda and promoting nutrition during National Nutrition Week through a visit to a government primary school, where students discussed nutritional aspects and distributed fruits, were organized.
- **Best Practices:** The Best practice of the Department is the Villa Press, where students covered events and read daily news during the morning assembly.

In conclusion, the Department of Arts provided a wide range of events that fostered academic growth and practical experience.



Role Play

# PICTURE GALLERY



Braintainment Psychology workshop



Click Fest



Seminars



World Mental health Day



MUN