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#### Introduction

The department of English was started with the establishment of this college in 1963. Prof. Naresh Mane was first appointed teacher and head of the department of English. Prof. Daniel, his subordinate retired as HOD in 2002 and left the place for Dr. N.A. Mathankar. As Dr. N.A. Mathankar resigned; Mr. V.M. Khadse continued as the HOD of the department from 2009. Right from the establishment of the college the department has seen its hay days. As English is a compulsory subject for all faculties, the department has ample admissions. English literature was started in 1999 on no grant basis to cater to the need of rural students. To make the rural students competent in English communication, the language laboratory was established in 2013. Presently, the department has three well qualified and experienced faculties.

#### **Departmental Profile**



Name- Mr. Vijay M. Khadse

Designation- Assit. Prof. and Head Of Department

Qualification- M.A., B.Ed. SET

Date of appointment- 03- 06- 2008



Name- Dr. Anup V. Gumble

Designation- Assit. Prof.

Qualification- M.A., B.Ed. M.Phil., Ph.D

Date of appointment-10-12 - 2010



Name- Mr. Niraj P. kendhe

Designation- Assit. Prof.

Qualification- M.A., SET

Date of appointment- 03- 06- 2013

#### **Facilities**

### Language laboratory

The language laboratory was established in the year2013 with the mission to make the rural students competent in English communication and bring the world of language at the single click of fingertip. The language has 20 computers in all and one of them works as the server. All computers are attached with LAN. Every day a one batch from each stream i.e. arts, commerce and science is allowed to learn in laboratory. These classes are organized daily when the students have off period.



## **Departmental Library**

The department has small departmental library with near about 25 numbers of books. These books are lent to the students who want to read extra literature and who does their master in English and could not afford the expensive books.



# **Bridge course**

Bridge course is a means to make students prepared to face the intellectual challenges of university education. It is designed for first year students only. It bridges the gap between higher secondary education and the university curriculum. After successful completion of the course it becomes very easy for teachers to identify slow and advanced learners quickly and design the teaching plan accordingly.



### **Certificate course in Spoken English**

The Certificate course in Spoken English was started by English Department in the session 2016-17. This course has been running successfully since then. So far 90 students have taken the advantage of this course. The only motto of this course is to cater to the need of rural students and make them competent to face global challenges.



#### **Activities**

### Session 2017-18

# **Essay Competition**

Essay competition was organized by the department for all the under graduates students of the college. Students were allowed to write an essay on any topic given below:-

- 1. Smart phone 'Boon or Ban'
- 2. Youth and sports
- 3. Social Harmony- The Need of Time

70 students were participated in the competition. Miss. Karuna Bihari, Miss. Bharati Dahat, Miss. Saleh Mariyam all from B.A. first year ranked first, second and third respectively.



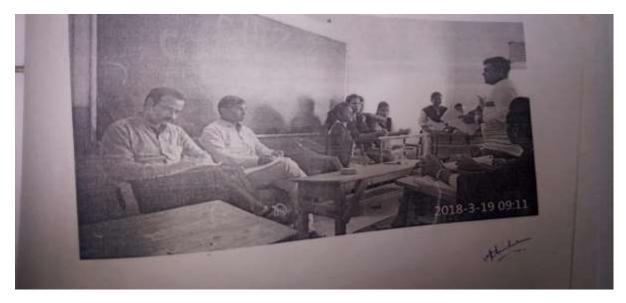
# **Seminar competition**

Seminar competition was organized by the department for the students having English as a subject. Over all 15 students had participated in the seminar competition. Students were given full liberty to deliver the seminar on any social abuse.



### **Quiz Competition**

The department of English always takes initiative for making teaching- learning process entertaining by organizing quiz competition. The students participants from divergent streams were divided into certain groups. Each group had to face four rounds of questions.



### Session 2018-19

### **Essay competition**

Essay competition was organized by the department for all the under graduates students of the college. Students were allowed to write an essay on any topic given below:-

- 1. Youth, Skill and Development
- 2. The problem of Child Labour
- 3. Voting 'Our Right and Duty'

60 students in all had participated in the competition. Miss. Priyanka Pothiwal, Miss Heena Patel, Miss. Shama Sheikh all from B.A. first year ranked first, second and third respectively.



### **Seminar competition**

Seminar competition was organized by the department for the students having English as a subject. Over all 12 students had participated in the seminar competition. Students were given full liberty to deliver the seminar on any topic they like.



### **Quiz Competition**

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# Workshop for first year students on the theme 'Before Going to Exam'

Workshop for first year students on the theme 'Before Going to Exam' was organized by the department. HOD Mr. V.M. Khadse took initiatives to answer the queries of students regarding university exams such as how to study, how to write answers, how write roll number etc. This workshop really proved so much fruitful to the students who were, for first time, appearing for university exam.



### **Research Publications**

Session 2017-18

#### Mr. V.M. Khadse

- 1. 'Social Realism in Upamanyu Chatterjee's English, August: An Indian Story' chapter published in a book having ISBN 978-93-5240-165-9.
- 2. 'Agastya Sen: The Anti Hero of Upamanyu Chatterjee' a paper published in 'Ashvamegh' an international journal of literary and creative writing bearing the ISSN assigned to it 2454-4574.

#### Mr. A.V. Gumble

- 1.Research paper entitle, Exploitation of Girlhood A Study of AnitaNair's Protagonistsin LangLit: An International Peer-Reviewed Open Access Journal (ISSN- 2349-5189). Month of Publication- Feb 2018. Web- (http://www.langlit.org/).
- 2.Published research paper entitled, Child Sexual Abuse: An invisible issue in the Play Thirty
  Days in Septemberin Vidyawarta- Peer Reviewed International Research Journal, Vol-01 March
  2018
- 3.Published research paper entitled, Anita Nair's characters- A Role Model of Humanity in Vidyawarta- Peer Reviewed International Research Journal, Vol-01 Feb 2018(ISSN 2319-9318)S

#### Mr. N.P.Kendhe

- Published research paper entitle, Exploitation of Girlhood A Study of AnitaNair's
   Protagonists in LangLit: An International Peer-Reviewed Open Access Journal (ISSN- 2349- 5189). Month of Publication- Feb 2018. Web- (<a href="http://www.langlit.org/">http://www.langlit.org/</a>).
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#### Session 2018-19

#### Mr. V.M.Khadse

- 1. 'Theme of Independence in Pre-Independence Indian English Poetry' a paper published in peer reviewed and UGC listed Journal 'Ajanta' no. 40776
- 2. 'Theme of love in The poetry of Indian English Women Poets' a paper published in peer reviewed and UGC listed Journal 'Ajanta' no. 40776
- 3. 'Narayan's Kocharethi The Araya Woman- A struggle of Tribes for Existence' a paper presented in UGC sponsored 2 Day National Conference on , 'Tribal In Indian English Novels' organized by Nabira Mahavidyalaya, Katol.

#### Dr. A.V. Gumble

- 1. 'Anita Nair's Social Vision Through Female Protagonists' a paper published in peer reviewed and UGC listed Journal 'Ajanta' no. 40776
- 2. 'Anita Nair's Characters A role Model of Humanity' a paper presented in National Conference on , ' Humanism in Indian English Literature' organized by Bharatiya Mahavidyalaya, Morshi.
- 3. 'Computer Technology in Teaching English Language: A Survey' ' a paper presented in National Conference on , 'Influence of English and Computer Technology In Commerce And Businesss' organized by Taywade College, Mahuda.
- 4. 'Binary Equivalence in Anita Nair's Men and Women' a paper presented in 3 day international Conference on , 'Caste, Gender and Race: A policy of Hegemony' organized by Dept. of English, RTMNU

#### **Extension Activities**

### **Projects**

Ongoing field project on

Tourist Leaflets on Adjacent Places of Arvi, Distt-Wardha, Maharashtra. (to be completed in the session 2019-20)

(Designed and written by prof. V.M. KHADSE)

