



**ST. IGNATIUS COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
(AUTONOMOUS)**

Accredited with 'A' grade by NAAC (Second Cycle)

Palayamkottai – 627 002



SEMINARS

2018-19

St. Ignatius Loyola, an Educational Thinker

We had celebrated “IGNATIUS FEAST” on 31st July, 2018, to honour our patron St. Ignatius of Loyola and steered a seminar on the theme, “St. Ignatius Loyola – an Educational Thinker” under the chairmanship of Rev. Fr. Michael John SJ of XIBA, Tirunelveli. We had screened a short film titled “Ignacio De Loyola” to enhance the spirit of the day and to make the students to experience Ignatian Spirituality



EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION IN ENGLISH

Effective communication is a key interpersonal skill. In this context, we had arranged an activity oriented workshop on 10.08.2018. Dr. Babu Kirubanidhi, and Dr. Amal Raj, retired professors of English from Adhithanar College of Arts and Science, conducted the workshop with the title “Effective Communication in English”.



National Seminar on FULL WELLNESS



We had arranged a two days National Seminar on Full Wellness (FW 2018) on the 20th and 21st August 2018. The objective of the seminar was to form people with full wellness through transformation from the fragmented self to the integrated self, for the betterment of a humane society enriched with ethical values with self-awareness, self-esteem and positive attitude. Dr. Feroz and tem served as the resource persons for various themes.

ONLINE COURSES



Online learning is the most popular form of distance education today. So our management arranged a workshop on, “**Introduction to online courses**”, on 24.08.2018 with inputs by Mr. Mohameed Reizudeen, Department of Computer Science, Sadakathullah Appa College, Tirunelveli. Online course is awarded separate credit and all our 1st year student teachers have registered either for NPTEL or SWAYAM portal



CREATIVE TRAINING FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING

Mrs. Mary Sundarabai and Mrs. Chellammal, the Art and Craft Instructors of our College organized a workshop on, “**Creative Training for Effective Teaching**”, on 16.10.2018, in our College auditorium. Fr. A. Sahaya Belix of Xavier Pastoral Centre, Nagercoil, conducted the workshop.



AWARENESS OF GLOBAL WARMING



Rev. Sr. Dr. Nirmala Devi, Principal of our Principal organized a seminar on “Global warming and natural resources depletion” on 17.10.2018 in our College. Sr. Agnes, a social worker and activist sung an awareness song about Environment and Agriculture. Dr. Arunachalam from Kerala University, the resource person, made the participants of the seminar aware of the causes and effects of Global warming, natural resources depletion and their effects.

TOWARDS GENDER SENSITIVITY: AN ECLECTIC PERSPECTIVE



The enduring issues on gender disparities awakened and prompted our Principal Rev. Sr. Dr. Nirmala Devi, to organize a one-day National Seminar on '***Towards Gender Sensitivity an Eclectic Perspective***' on 20th November 2018. The seminar was exceedingly resourceful and we were made to realize gender sensitivity through fruitful sessions

Enhancing Attitudinal Skills and Values

We had a seminar on **'Enhancing Attitudinal Skills and Values'** on 11th January 2019 in order to develop the competence and commitment of student teachers. The resource Person of the Seminar, Fr. Kumar Raja explored into the nature of student teachers based on their competence and commitment. He had conducted the seminar in an interactive way and explained the methods to kindle various types of soft and technical skills



International TCI Workshop

Our Principal Rev. Dr. A. Nirmala Devi convened an International Workshop organized by Dr. X. Rosary Mary, the former Director of Youth Welfare Department, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli from 16th to 20th January, 2019. This International Workshop was the first workshop of the certificate course started by “Ruth Cohn Institute - India, for Theme Centered Interaction”, in Tamil Nadu for the first time. Prof. Karin Kritzche from Germany served as the International facilitator. Ms. Maria Zangl from Austria was one of the participants of this workshop meant for personality development and 19 participants from several institutions participated. This wonderful seminar made the participants understand their inner self and to respond to their inner voices and enhance their own chairpersonship



Seminar on Cyber Crime



It is high time to alert and make young women aware of the issues, causes and control measures on cyber-crime. To bring about this awareness in our budding teachers we had arranged a guest lecture on Cyber Crime on 25.03.2019. The resource person Rev. Dr. Henry Jerome, Rector of St Xavier's Institutions, Palayamkottai who has a doctoral degree in Cyber Criminology, with his vast experience and wider knowledge, motivated the student teachers to take up the responsibility of eradicating the ill effects of cyber-crime

National Seminar on 'Moving Towards Plastic Free Future'

Our ICM district team educational councilor and our Assistant Professor of Mathematics, Rev. Dr. L. Vasanthi Medona and Dr. M. Maria Saroja, the Research Director and Associate Professor of Biological science, together organized a one-day National Seminar in collaboration with the Seshasayee Paper and Boards Limited., Tirunelveli on 26th March 2019 on "Moving Towards Plastic Free Future". Rev. Sr. A. Magdalene Therese, our Secretary, was the patron. Resourceful input sessions were conducted by eminent environmentalists. 51 participants presented papers on the theme which were published in the institutions research journal Inigo Edu Research, with ISSN number. From the feedback of the delegates, we felt happy that we could make a remarkable contribution to environmental protection



Seminar on Elder Care - Rights and Communication



Our Principal, Rev. Dr. A. Nirmala Devi, guided 53 students of our college to participate in a one-day seminar on, “**Elder Care - Rights and Communication**”, organized by Dr. Radha, Department of Communication, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli, on 27th March 2019

Leadership and Personality Development



We are glad that our students participated in the training on “**Leadership and Personality Development**” organized and conducted by Mr. T. Yuvaraj, a resourceful personality from the Department of Psychology and Student Counselling Centre, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University on the 28th, 29th and 30th March 2019

Seminar on Media Analysis



We had arranged a seminar on the 29th and 30th March 2019 on “Media Analysis”. Dr. Kingsley, the Head of the Department of Media Communication, St. Xavier’s College (Autonomous) took our 2nd year B.Ed. students on a tour to the Media World by his inspiring speech with anecdotes

