Shri Shivaji College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Akola

Department of English

Profile

Introduction and Highlights of Department

With the establishment of the College, the English department too came into existence in 1963, and is as old as the college. The department has been marching on hand in hand with the motto of the institution, right from the beginning, under the able leadership of the then and current Principal. In these efforts we have proudly surmounted many challenges and have achieved success in achieving the set goals with dedicated efforts.

The department of English is the largest department in the college as we have students from all faculties Humanities, Science, commerce & Home Science enrolled. The college and the department share the common pursuit for academic excellence at every level. We also recognise the importance of progress as human, and work accordingly in this regard. The department has substantial number of faculty, well versed and trained in their field of both language and literature.

To impart the English language skills to the students mainly from underprivileged section has always been the mission of the department. We, as a department, have both UG and PG courses for students that focuses upon the communicative skills and the overall growth of a student as a person. Along with the regular courses we have the career oriented course. We also conduct the remedial and extra coaching classes for the betterment of the students, both from strong and weak group of students. The department faculties believe in developing the literary sense of students, as literature always prove vital in blooming into a good human being. The faculties are also committed to the effective teaching and researchto help student develop the critical and creative outlook. We have proudly maintained the atmosphere of interactive participation in classes and also in the department.

The department of English has a well stacked library of its own that the students benefit from. We use both traditional and the modern technology to make students understand the topics more properly. We have a Language laboratory and also have audio-visual facility in the department. The department believes in changing as per the time and the faculties also develop their knowledge that profits the students in the end.

Highlights

- 1. Fully equipped Digital Language Lab 2. E-Seminar Hall with TWO LCD projectors
- 3. Audio-Visual Training facility 4.Enriched Departmental Library 5. I C T Resources Computers . Educational CDs / DVDs with Internet Facility

Apart from regular teaching the department, every year conduct many beneficial programmes for the students. Essay, Elocution, Debate, Seminars, Rainbow Poster Presentation

Competitions, form English Literary Association, Organise Educational Tour, Workshops on Communication Skills in English.

FACULTY MEMBERS

Sr. No.	Teacher	Qualification	Designation
01	Dr.Vivek H. Hiware	M.A., M. Phil., Ph. D.	Professor
03	Dr.Nilima S. Tidke	M.A., M. Phil., Ph. D.	Asso. Professor
04	Ms. Kapila V.Mhaisane	M.A., M. Phil., (NET, SET)	Asst. Professor

Infrastructural Facilities in the Department

Language Laboratory

The department has a state of the art Digital Language Laboratory having capacity of 20 students. The lab is equipped with desktop computers, printers, headphones, and multi-lingual software. We use the Orell Technosystem's Language learning software in the laboratory.

Communication Skills E-Learning Seminar Hall

The department has a separate Communication Skills E-Learning Seminar Hall with a computer, audio-video CD player, Audio cassette recorder, Cordless FM headphones and a LCD projector.

Departmental Library

The English department has a library of its own for the immediate use of the students and teachers both. It has a modest collection of 600 titles representing poetry, fiction, drama, literary criticism, and works on individual authors and texts. It is located in the department room and has facility for reading and conference.

Internet Facility

All the computers in the department are laced with the broadband internet connection.

Poster Presentation





Seminar Competition



English Literary Association



Workshop on 'Communication Skills'





Guest Lecture





Seminars

Use of ICT-Language Lab



Use of ICT-Screening of Text Based Film

Visit To Agricultural College And Exhibition, Akola





Visit To SGBA University ,Library and Department of English. Amravati



Agricultural visit of Students



English Communication Workshop in NSS Camp



Induction Programme 2022 -2023



Visit to Old Age Home



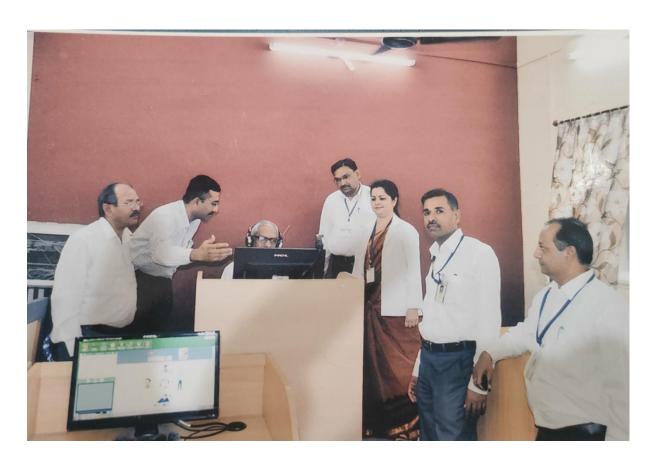
Visit to Aadivasi Village and distributed Cloths and Medicine



Distribution of chairs in orphanage home, Amravati



Tree Plantation



Visit to Language Lab by the Secretary of society



Visit to APMC Market, Yard, Akola