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NIGHT COLLEGE OF ARTS AND COMMERCE, ICHALKARANJI



DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

Departmental Profile

Year of Establishment : 1985-86
Programme Offered (Semester) : B.A. (I & II)
Sanctioned Post : 01
Filled Post : 01
Workload of the Department : 16+04 = 20 Periods per week

Faculty of the Department:

| Faculty Name | Academic Qualification | Designation |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| Dr. Ravikiran L. Kore | M.A., Ph.D., NET | Associate Professor |

Student Strength:

| Sr. No. | Year | B. A. I | B. A. II |
|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1 | 2017-18 | 210 | 19 |
| 2 | 2018-19 | 163 | 18 |
| 3 | 2019-20 | 155 | 21 |
| 4 | 2020-21 | 128 | 18 |
| 5 | 2021-22 | 136 | 19 |
| 6 | 2022-23 | 166 | 21 |

Results & Student Progression:

| Sr. No. | Year | B. A. I Passing Percentage | B. A. II Passing Percentage |
|---------|---------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | 2017-18 | 83.47 | 83.72 |
| 2 | 2018-19 | 86.51 | 85.12 |
| 3 | 2019-20 | 98.24 | 91.67 |
| 4 | 2020-21 | 100 | 95.45 |
| 5 | 2021-22 | | |

Departmental Activities:

2017-18:

- **One day workshop** on the topic of “**Research Areas in Environmental studies**” was organized under lead college scheme on dated 05th December 2017. Prof. Dr.P.D. Raut inaugurated the workshop and delivered a lecture on “Importance of Environmental Studies”. In the second session Prof. D. G. Jagtap delivered a lecture on “Research Areas in Environmental Studies and Environmental Project.
- A total lunar eclipse occurred on 31st January 2018. There are various misconceptions about eclipses. Therefore, Vivek vahini organised a **special lecture programme** on the topic **Lunar Eclipse- Conceptions and Misconceptions**. Prof. R. L. Kore delivered a lecture on the said topic.
- 28th February is celebrated as **science day** in all over India to commemorate discovery of the Raman Effect, which led to Sir C. V. Raman. On the occasion of science day we organised a guest lecture of Mr. Sunil Swami (Maharashtra Superstations Eradication Committee, Ichalkaranji) on the topic of “**Astrology and Pseudo Science**”.
- 14th January is celebrated as **Geography Day** since it is birth anniversary of noted Indian Geographer Prof. C. D. Deshpande. On the occasion of Geography Day, we conducted a **Geographical Quiz Competition** for students in our college. As per marks following students remained in first three rank.
 1. Miss. Anita Shrikant Bichkar – B.A.I
 2. Miss. Jyoti Vijay Toraskar- B.A.I
 3. Mr. Asif Nadim Sheikh - B.A.III
- A **study tour of Sindhudurg, Tarkarli, Devbag** was organized on 02/10/2018. Total 21 students along with Prof. R. L. Kore. Prof. F.N. Patel and Prof. Sourabh Patankar participated in this event. Devbag and Tarkarli are famous beaches in Maharashtra. While Sindhudurg is famous sea-fort. Students observed various geographical features like sea shore, beaches, Confluence of Karli River to Arabian Sea, Tsunami Island and various species of trees and animals etc.

2018-19

- **Geographical Quiz Competition** was organized on the occasion of **Geography Day** on dated 15th January 2019. As per marks following students remained in first three rank.
 1. Raviraj Shinde B.A.II
 2. Indrajit Najare - B.A.I
 3. Sakib Sheikh - B.A.III
- Students visited Bhagatsinh Garden Ichalkaranji to examine the biodiversity within the garden on dated 03/01/2019.
- Students visited Shirgave sizers, Industrial Estate, Ichalkaranji to analyze the industrial pollution in the city on dated 03/01/2019.

2019-20

- Participated in **Multi-Zonal Trekking Event** organized by RAC-Shirol in hilly region near Hatkanangale with 05 students on dated 28/07/2019.
- Organized a lecture programme on the topic- **“Solar Eclipse- a Game of shadow”** on dated 26/12/2019.
- **Geography day** was celebrated by organizing **Geographical Quiz Competition** for college student on dated 14/01/2020. Total 14 students participated in the competition. Laxmi Tirki stood First, Sai Sayyad Second and Rishikesh Gurav & Shubham Farakate stood Third in the Quiz Competition.
- Organized a **study tour** at **Ratnagiri, Bhatey Estuary, Devghal, Kasheli, Jaygad Fort, Ganpatipule and Nanij** on dated 22/01/2020 to 23/01/2020. Total 15 students along with Prof.R.L.Kore participated in it. Students experienced so many geographical tidal landforms through this study tour like Estuary, sea shore landforms like sea-cave, island, tombolo, beaches etc.

2020-21

- Organized a **Webinar on Use of Geo-informatic Techniques in Environmental Conservation** on the occasion of **World Environment Day** on dated 05/06/2021. **Dr. Prashant Patil** remained present as **Resource Person**.
- Organized a Webinar on Ground Water Literacy: Importance, Challenges and New Techniques of Water Conservation on dated 06/07/2021. **Dr. Sagar Mali** remained present as **Resource Person**.
- Student participated in **Online Excursion-cum-Study Tour** organized by Willingdon College, Sangli on dated 17/07/2021. Total 06 students along with Prof.R.L.Kore participated in the online Excursion-cum-study tour.

2021-22

- **Earth Hour** was observed on 26/03/2022. we switched off all the lights in college campus for a hour and took active participation in this world-wide events.

- On the occasion of **World Environment Day**, a special guest lecture of **Dr. Dinesh Bhandare** was organized on dated 06/06/2022.
- On the occasion of **World Mountain Day**, a special guest lecture of Prof. B. B. Mandharekar was organized on dated 11/12/2021. He delivered his thought on “**Sustainable Mountain Tourism**”.
- **Study Tour** was organized for analyzing Geographical aspects located at **Mahabaleshvar, Pratapgad, Menwali and Wai** on dated 31/05/2022. Total 17 members including 14 students along with Prof.R.L.Kore, Dr.S.S.Sayyad participated in the study tour.

Orientation Course / Refresher Course / Short Term Course / Faculty Development Programme Attended

| Sr. No. | Course Name | Place | Duration | Sponsoring Agency |
|---------|--|---|--------------------------|--|
| 1 | Orientation Programme | Kumaun University, Nainital, Uttarakhand. | 03/04/2012 to 30/04/2012 | UGC- Academic Staff College |
| 2 | Refresher Course in ICT (MD) | Gujrat University, Ahmedabad. Gujrat. | 11/11/2013 to 01/12/2013 | UGC- Academic Staff College |
| 3 | UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Geography | Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab | 03/10/2019 to 16/10/2019 | UGC-Human Resource Development Center, |
| 4 | UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Geography | Kumaun University, Nainital, Uttarakhand | 07/11/2019 to 21/11/2019 | UGC-Human Resource Development Center, |
| 5 | Interdisciplinary Online Refresher Course (Environment & Human Health) | Ramanujan College, university of Delhi. | 28/03/2022 to 11/04/2022 | Ministry of Education, PMMMNMTT. |

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS, AWARDS ETC BY FACULTY.

Sakal - Idol of Maharashtra- Guru Vandana-31/10/22



Best NSS Programme Officer Award-2015



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उत्कृष्ट कार्यक्रम अधिकारी पुरस्कार सन २०१४-१५**

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS, AWARDS ETC BY STUDENTS UNDER THE GUENDANCE OF Dr. R.L.Kore.

**DRR APPRECIATION AWARD 2020-21 for
Best International Service Project-“Nisarg rakshak” निसर्ग रक्षक**



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