

MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL



CLARETINE EDUCATION FOR GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

Our mission statement speaks of education for global citizenship. From the vision point of view, it means that we foster in our students respect for all people, create among them a sense of humanity and help them become accountable and engaged global citizens. We equip students with the skills necessary to take on active roles in addressing global issues in order to create a safe, tolerant, and peaceful world and contribute to its just and sustainable development. It is not just enough for education to produce people who can read, write, and count. Education should equip students with the knowledge, abilities, and moral principles necessary to collaborate in addressing the burning problems of the 21st century, such as poverty, hunger, conflict, climate change, and concerns of equality and sustainability. And at the same time, education should also provide students with the skills they need to succeed in the job market of the twenty-first century.

From an economic point of view, education for global citizenship signifies India's huge potential to take on the world. India's 1.3 billion people makes it the second most populous country in the world, and with an average age

of 29, India has one of the youngest populations globally. If this vast resource of young citizens can be trained with adequate knowledge and skills as per global standards, we will leverage this advantage in the global job market.

Our educational pedagogy is going through a transformation to match the global standards. We are expanding our wings to incorporate blended learning methods wherein, equal focus is given on the theoretical and practical aspects of education. We regularly organize industry visits, seminars with subject matter experts and industry experts. Furthermore, our teaching pedagogy is curated in a way that helps students develop logical and analytical thinking. We are committed to providing education on par with international standards and we are initiating exchanges and collaborations teaching- learning, research and consultancy with well-known institutions both inside and outside India. SCC's A+ NAAC accreditation grade, several university ranks, high ratings in several national surveys and student achievements at the state and national levels vouch for the high quality of education we impart. Let us continue our onward journey of constantly reinventing ourselves and recreating our world.

Fr. Dr. Thomas Thennadiyil
Principal

EXCEPTIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

As a leading educational institution in Bangalore, St. Clare College has achieved many reputations and rankings under various institutional ranking frameworks. On 30 March 2023, The World Institutional Ranking for Sustainable Education recognized SCC under Diamond Band. The

ranking is awarded to colleges considering various factors like financial resources, faculty-student engagement, alumni networks, and support, reputation among employers and academic peers, campus facilities, student services, and student satisfaction surveys. The Ministry of Education considered SCC as one of the governing members of the IIC consortium as one among the

29 institutions helping the other 668 institutions with consulting services.

WORKSHOP CONDUCTED BY ALUMNI

Claret Alumni Association in collaboration with the Training and Placement Centre organised a one-day workshop: HANDSHAKE 2023 on the theme – "Current Trends and Employment Opportunities" on 28

January 2023. A total of 21 alumni representing various industries were part of this workshop sharing their expertise and knowledge with the final-year UG and PG students. Alumni networks can be a valuable resource for both current and former students. For current students, alumni networks provide mentorship and guidance and for former students, it provides a way to stay connected to the school and other alumni. The alumni of SCC is an efficient team of people who continue to serve the college by providing advice and mentorship to the students in both academic, cultural and co-curricular activities.



Claret Alumni interact with students and gives them hands-on training

WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATED

On 08 March 2023, SCC celebrated Women's Day at the college auditorium to appreciate women for their contribution to society. The day was celebrated with prize distribution and fun activities for the faculty members and

staff. The day also marks a call to action for accelerating gender parity. This day is observed worldwide as groups come together to celebrate women's achievements or rally for women's equality. It is an opportunity to celebrate women's accomplishments.



Faculty members participate in fun games during Women's Day celebrations



PG ACADEMIC YEAR INAUGURATED

On 14 February 2023, PG academic year of SCC inaugurated the new academic year with the blessings of God almighty at the college auditorium, anticipating a bright journey of learning and development. The event began with the invocation song and lighting the lamp followed by a motivational and visionary speech by the Principal.



Fr. Principal addresses the students during the inaugural ceremony



Principal, faculty members and students participate in the Oath taking ceremony during PG academic year inauguration

STUDENT WELFARE OFFICE

LSDP Conducted

SCC organised a Life Skills Development Program (LSDP) for the final year UG students on 20th-24 January 2023. In this program, faculty members and esteemed resource persons shared their expertise in their respective fields and enlightened the students on various aspects of life skills development. Life skill education teaches students how to make informed and reasonable decisions about their lives. It improves a person's ability to meet social goals and demands, as well as helps them deal with a variety of situations. In the current age of advancements and endless opportunities, the need for life



Rev. Fr. Siby CMF Interacts with Claretines

skills training in schools and colleges has further increased. Students today are moulded to achieve materialistic success and fame. This very idea besmirches the character and integrity of students. Students should be

taught the value of maintaining a balance between materialistic success and profound inner peace without which the real essence of life cannot be understood and problems like depression and anxiety will further increase.



Third year students attend LSDP session

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE COMMITTEE

Planning Sessions Conducted

SCC organised planning sessions on areas ranging from research, institutional best practices and extension activities for faculty members and staff on 06 February 2023. The best practices should become a part of the working culture of everyone in the institution. Databases of good practices, review forums, recording evidence for success etc are crucial parts

of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, with one of the functions of recording and disseminating best practices followed by that institution. A well-planned academic year assists students and teachers in organising their learning process. In this way, the performance of the students would improve and it would be reflected in their academic scores. The planning session guided the faculty members and staff to proceed in the academic year with clarity.

Audit Conducted

The Academic and Administrative Audit for the odd semester of the academic year 2022-23 was conducted from 06th to 08 March 2023 to keep track of the academic and administrative functioning and activities of the college. The major aim of conducting an academic audit is to assess the academic performance of both individual faculty members and the whole department.

FDP Conducted

The Academic Excellence Committee of SCC organised an FDP on

Outcome-Based Education from 09:00 AM to 04:00 PM at Mother Theresa Conference Hall for course

planning and preparation. The resource persons for the program were Dr. S. Jeevanda, Prof. & Asst. Dean, School of Business Management, Christ University, Bangalore., Prof. Krishna M.C., HOD and Dr. Praveen Kumar, Asst. Professor, Christ University. Faculty development programs prepare teachers with the latest teaching methods and use of technology to impart effective education.



Fr. Principal welcomes Dr. Jeevananda during FDP on OBE

IQAC

PDP Organised

From 23-24 March 2023, the Professional Development Program “Aarambh” was organised by IQAC at the college for the faculty members. The program involved various sessions for the faculty, like research methodology, publication, session on POSH Act and Income Tax. The purpose of professional development is to give professionals the opportunity to learn and apply new knowledge and skills that can help them in their jobs and further their careers. Professional development is all about building skill set and knowledge base on respective fields.



Faculty members of SCC attend session on best practices conducted by IQAC



Students participate in poster making competition as part of PICK WICK, Literary fest

LITERARY CLUB

Intra-collegiate Literary Fest Conducted

Pickwick 2023, intra-collegiate literary fest was conducted on 06 January 2023, to give the students an opportunity to showcase their literary talents. The fest involved various competitions like extempore, essay writing, poetry recitation and poster-making. The fest instilled a creative spur among the students.

THEATRE CLUB

Talent Hunt Held

The intra-collegiate talent hunt was held on 09 January 2023 at the Kalpana Chawla AV Room. A total of 16 students participated in the competition. Each participant had a three-minute window to showcase their skills in various areas. The judging criteria focused on skill, dialogue delivery, and stage presence. Prizes were awarded to the students who demonstrated exceptional talent. The event celebrated the diverse talents of the student body, promoting creativity, self-expression, and healthy competition. Such events contribute to a vibrant engagement of the college community, encouraging students to pursue excellence in their respective fields.

SPORTS CLUB

Bangalore University Inter-collegiate Netball Selections

Bangalore University organised the inter-collegiate Netball selections for the students of various colleges coming under the University from 19-20 January 2023 to boost the sportsman spirit and provide a forum to exhibit their talents in the sports field. This event was conducted for both the male and female categories. Students of St. Claret College participated in the event. A total of 13 students participated in it and two students were selected for Bangalore University for nationals.

Challengers Trophy State-Level Volleyball Tournament

Safe Foundation's sports committee organised 'Challengers Trophy State Level Championship Degree Collegiate Volley Tournament 2023' on Swami Vivekananda's birth anniversary celebrated as National Youth Day. The championship was conducted from 20-22 January 2023 at Kittur Rani Chenamma Indoor Volleyball Stadium, Jayanagar, Bengaluru. This was observed to inspire youth about

the teachings of Swami Vivekananda, exhibit sportsman spirit and provide a forum to exhibit their talent in the sports field.

Bangalore University Inter-collegiate American Football Selections

Bangalore University organised the inter-collegiate American football selections for all the students of

various colleges coming under Bangalore University to boost the sportsman spirit and provide a forum to exhibit their talent in the sports field on 23-24 January 2023. This event was conducted in the male and female category. Students of St. Claret College participated in the event. A total of 18 students participated out of which 03 boys were selected for Bangalore University for the nationals.

Bangalore University Inter-collegiate Road Cycling Selections

Bangalore University organised the Inter-collegiate Road Cycling selections for all the students of various colleges coming under Bangalore University to boost the sportsman spirit and provide a forum to exhibit their talent in the sports field on 03 February 2023. This event was conducted in the men and women category.



Students participate in Intercollegiate road cycling selections

Students of St. Claret College participated in the event. A total of 09 students participated, out of which 03 boys and 04 girls were selected for Bangalore University for the nationals.

Alumni Cricket Tournament for Alumni Students

A cricket tournament was organised for alumni students on 12 February 2023. A total of 75 alumni participated in this competition. The program was inaugurated by the Principal and Vice Principal of the college. The students enjoyed the program with

great motivation. Five teams actively participated in this tournament. One of the matches spanned over 08 overs. Mr. Matthew and Mr. Aslam's team reached the finals. The winner of this tournament was Mr. Aslam and team, and the runner-up was Mr. Matthew and team. The program came to an end with the felicitation ceremony.



Students participate in Alumni cricket selections

HUMAN RIGHTS CLUB

The Human Rights Club, St. Claret College celebrated National Voters Day on 25 January 2023 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. A quiz competition on National Voters Day was held to commemorate the day upholding the ideas of human rights and democracy. A total of 28 students participated in the programme. The quiz master for the programme was Adv. Vineeth

R., Assistant Professor, St. Claret College, Bengaluru. The students were accustomed to various aspects of Voters Day and the electoral process in India. Out of the 14 teams, 05 teams were selected for the final round. Mr. Prem and Ms. Nayonika of II BA won the first position and Mr. Pankaj and Ms. Bhumika of II BA won the second position.



Claretines attend HIV awareness programme

ROTARACT CLUB

Booster Dose Vaccination Camp Organised

In view of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Rotaract Club of St. Claret College organised a booster dose vaccination drive for the faculty members, staff

and students of St. Claret Institutions to keep them protected from Coronavirus on 21 January 2023. The Rotaract Club in association with Jalahalli Primary Healthcare Centre jointly organised the drive. A total of 106 Claretines benefited from the vaccination drive.



Rotaract Club organises booster dose vaccination drive

YOUTH RED CROSS AND RED RIBBON CLUB

Awareness Program Conducted

The Youth Red Cross and Red Ribbon Club organised a guest lecture on “Awareness and Perception of HIV/AIDS-Prevention and Measures” by Ms. Lissy C.V., State Coordinator, Private Sector Engagement Program, National AIDS Control Organisation (NACO). She shared her pearls of wisdom in the field to spread knowledge and awareness about HIV. A total of 122 students attended the session on 24 January 2023. In addition, a skit was performed by the club members in the quadrangle to raise awareness regarding HIV / AIDS prevention.

PLACEMENT CELL

Guest Lecture Organised

The Training & Placement Centre organised a guest lecture by Debojit Sen, co-founder of Crack-ED. He talked to the young minds about “Leadership, People Management and Ikigai” on 23 January 2023 at 10:00 AM. The target audience was BBA 2nd and 3rd year students and B. Com 3rd year students.

Risk Management Workshop Organised

The Training & Placement Centre in association with the MBA Department organised a Risk/Crisis Management Workshop on 20 February 2023 at APJ Abdul Kalam Auditorium from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM for the first-year MBA students and from 01:30 to 03:00 PM for final year MBA students. The resource person for the workshop was Mr. Hersh Shah- CEO of the Institute of Risk Management. The program started with the Game of Enterprise Risk which was a unique scenario planning and risk management workshop by the Institute of Risk Management. The Game of Enterprise

Risk is a unique business game that puts students in the shoes of a business head, Chief Risk Officer and Chief Executive Officer where teams will make decisions required to safeguard the company against different areas of risks and crises.

LinkedIn Career Kick-starter Program Conducted

TPC organised the LinkedIn Career Kick-starter program on 02 February 2023 at APJAK Auditorium to provide

premium services to the students of our partner institutions completely free of cost. While LinkedIn premium services offer a host of benefits to students, there are three major areas through which the students can directly realize the value. The students can learn from a bouquet of courses across domains in technology, skills and certifications helping them in professional networking and directly connecting with recruiters/industry leaders.

Dell - Skill Training for the Future Work Space Organised

The TPC organised training programmes from The American India Foundation for M.Com & MSW students at the Mother Theresa Conference Hall on 16 March 2023. The American India Foundation is committed to improving the lives of India's underprivileged, with a special focus on women, children, and the youth. AIF does this through high-impact interventions in education, health, and livelihood.

NCC

National Seminar on Cadets Engagement Programme on India G20 Presidency

The NCC unit of St. Claret College hosted a "National Seminar on Cadets Engagement Programme on India G20 Presidency" in association with 08 KA, BN, Bangalore B Group, Shillong Commerce College, 61 Meghalaya Girls BN, Siliguri College of Commerce, 16 Bengal BN, West Bengal on 20 January 2023. There were 04 resource persons, Maj. General Pradeep Singh – Behl (Retired) Infantry, Assam Regiment, Col. BS Gokula – Army Ordinance

Corps, former Psychologist at SSB Bhopal, Allahabad and Bangalore, Dr. Prakash S- Senior Vice President, East

The cadets were able to understand the concept of G20 and the program boosted the confidence of the cadets as



NCC students attend National Seminar on Cadets Engagement Programme on India G20 Presidency.

Point Group of Institutions, Bengaluru and Brig. (Dr.) V. D. Abraham – Vice Chancellor, S. V. University Indore.

they were informed about the benefits and advantages that come their way being a part of NCC.

Republic Day Celebrated

The NCC Unit of St. Claret College in association with NSS organised

the Republic Day Program to commemorate the anniversary of the drafting of the Indian Constitution on

26 January 2023 at the quadrangle. Disciples India Learning Forum in association with St. Claret College



Students sing patriotic songs as part of Republic Day



St. Claret College celebrates the 74th Republic Day

celebrates 74th Republic Day and organized 104th learning session on Nuclear empowerment of India on an online platform on 28 January 2023. The chief guest of the program was retired Colonel Gopal Tippani Kaushik.

Extension Activity – Traffic Awareness Program Organised

NCC organised an extension activity from 09-12 January 2023 for its cadets where they helped the Jalahalli Traffic Police in managing the traffic near Jalahalli village gate as there are a lot of traffic congestion in the morning during the school and college hours.

LIBRARY

Library Orientation Conducted

PG Library orientation program was conducted on 01-02 March 2023, for all the first-year MBA, M.Com, MSW, and MSc Psychology students of the academic year 2022-23. The orientation was conducted to brief the students about the library facilities, basic rules, book issue and return procedure, library manners and the online resources the college has

subscribed such as INFLIBNET, DELNET, Knimbus, Ebsco, and Pearson e-books.

Session on Effective Scholarly Research Using Ebsco (E-Resources) for PG Students Organised

Department of Library and Resource Centre of St. Claret College, Bangalore organised the EBSCO training session

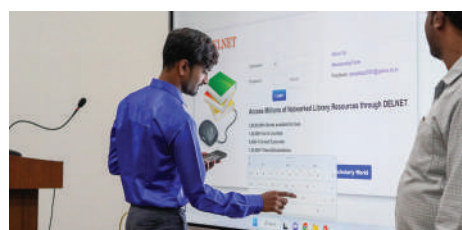
for Postgraduate students on 12 March 2023 for effective scholarly research using the EBSCO (e-resources) platform for academics and research. The program was conducted in the APJAK Auditorium from 02:00 - 03:30 PM. The Postgraduate students got hands-on experience with the EBSCO Service. Mr. M.S. Srinivasa, Training Manager, South India, EBSCO was the resource person for the training.

Book Exhibition Organised

The Department of Library and Resource Centre organised a book exhibition for the academic year 2022-23 on 14 March 2023. The book exhibition display was done in the reading room. Sumukha Publishers displayed various publication books on Commerce, Management, Computer Science, General, Competitive exams, Social work and Psychology.



Students attend book exhibition in the college reading room



Student demonstrates the use of INFLIBNET as part of Library orientation

NSS

Yogathan Organised

NSS of St. Claret College organised a workshop on Yoga (Yogathan) on 15 January 2023 at the college auditorium.

Mr. Arunesh Logachandran was the resource person for this one-day workshop. The outcome of the workshop was to help students understand the importance of Yoga in their routine life.