

Student Exchange Program Report

First day

On 11th of April, 2023, Tuesday, Computer Science and Application Department had successfully organised a two day student exchange program where students of THK Jain College of Kolkata was invited to spend time in St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling.

The event was supposed to start at 10 AM but due to traffic and other inconveniences it was delayed and the actual program started at 12P PM instead.

The first day was the Welcome Program where students of THK Jain College were welcomed in our college by the department of CSA. The host for the program was Ms. Sahitya Gurung. The program took off by the guest faculty and HOD Asst. Prof Jayanta Loha watering the plant to spread the green message.

The guests were felicitated and welcomed by Sir Jayanta, followed by a brief introduction of the college by IQAC Coordinator Dr. Anirudra Gurung.

The first session was on the topic Cyber Hygiene and Information Security taken by Asst. Prof. Mr. Praveen Mukhia of St. Joseph's College. In this session, the students as well as the faculty were informed on the need of cyber awareness and how vulnerable one's privacy in the world of internet is. Sir Praveen gave information on how to keep our data secured and how to safeguard ourselves while surfing the net.

The second session was taken by a guest professor of THK Jain college on the topic of Microcontrollers where students were taught on the various types of microcontrollers and its uses.

The third session was conducted by Asst. Prof. Mr. Pravat Titus Mukhia where he gave a motivational speech about life and hardships. He gave the students an analogy of a rock, how it had to be broken down and shaped to be used by David to take down Goliath. He also talked about two lives of an eagle, how at the end of its life, the old eagle goes to a top of a mountain and starts to break its beak, nibs off its talons and claws its feathers to come anew with new beak, strong talons and young feathers. It goes through a painful process to come out as a young bird.

The fourth session was taken by a guest faculty from THK Jain College, where he informed us on ERP systems.

After lunch, the students of THK Jain college were taken to Lab 1 for a hands-on session on Assembly Language taken by Asst. Prof. Ms Pranita Mukhia. In this session, she taught the students on the difference between microprocessors and microcontrollers and gave a practical demonstration on how microcontrollers work along with execution of the assembly code with 8085 simulator.

After this session, the students of THK Jain college were led to CSA seminar hall for Fun and Games session, led by Mr. Praveen Titimus and his volunteers, about 4 games were played for fun.

After games the students were led to Champion Hall for a small cultural program where students from both colleges danced, sang and recited poems.

The first day was concluded with Thanksgiving and tea and snacks, with a roll down of a routine for the next day by Ms. Sahitya Gurung.

Second Day

The second day began a little late than planned due to traffic and other inconveniences. The first session was taken over by the HOD Mr Jayanta and Mr Prasanta Mangar where the students of the THK Jain college were given a tour of the department.

Then sports session began where the students of both the colleges competed in friendly games. The games that were played include:

1. Chess:

It was coordinated by Mr. Frank Brano Gomes and Mr Muhammad Kaif, two players from each college played with each other. The players list include

St. Joseph's College

- a. Mr. Sahil Rajak
- b. Mr. Md Tauqil

THK Jain College

- a. Nana
- b. Nana

2. Basketball
3. Badminton
4. Carrom Board

After Sports, the students dispatched for lunch after which they headed to Champion Hall for the Talent Show conducted by Mr Pravat Titus Mukhia.

The second day ended with the distribution of mementoes and token of appreciation for the students and faculty members of THK Jain College respectively by SFC Director Fr. C. Pragasan SJ, along with a vote of thanks by Ms. Swetna Rai.

Glimpses







