





# Guru Nanak College (Autonomous)

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## 5.1.3 Capability Development and Skill Enhancement Activities

### Language and Communication Skills - Activity Report

|| 2018-19 ||

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### 5.1.3 Capability Development and Skill Enhancement Activity

2018-19				
Language and Communication Skills				
S.No.	Name of the Capability Enhancement Program	Date of Implementation (DD-MM-YYYY)	Number of Students Enrolled	Name of the Agencies/Consultants Involved with Contact Details (if any)
1	Charisma Edifying thoughts	20-08-2018	150	Department of English with Barren English Centre and British Council
2	Scrabble Tournament	25-08-2018	60	Department of English with Madras Scrabble Foundation
3	Samwad	27-08-2018	79	Department of Hindi
4	Parichay	24-09-2018 to 06-10-2018	93	Department of Hindi
5	Significance of Foreign Language (French) in IT Sector	07-03-2019	100	B.Sc. Information Technology

## 1. CHARISMA EDIFYING THOUGHT

<b>Event Title</b>	Charisma Edifying Thoughts
<b>Category</b>	Workshop
<b>Department</b>	English
<b>Date</b>	20-08-2018
<b>No. of Resource Person</b>	1
<b>No. of Participants</b>	150

### Report

A workshop on “Charisma Edifying Thoughts” was organized by ELA of the department of English on 20<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Ms. Olive Barren, Founder, Trainer “Barren English Centre” and Business English Trainer, British Council was the Resource person. Ms. Olive Barren enlightened the students on the idea of personality enrichment. She highlighted and spoke on developing an attractive personality. She also insisted the role and importance of Body Language. She spoke on the need for Focus in perusing career through giving examples of successful personalities. She also suggested the students to have Positive affirmation which would help them build a successful career.





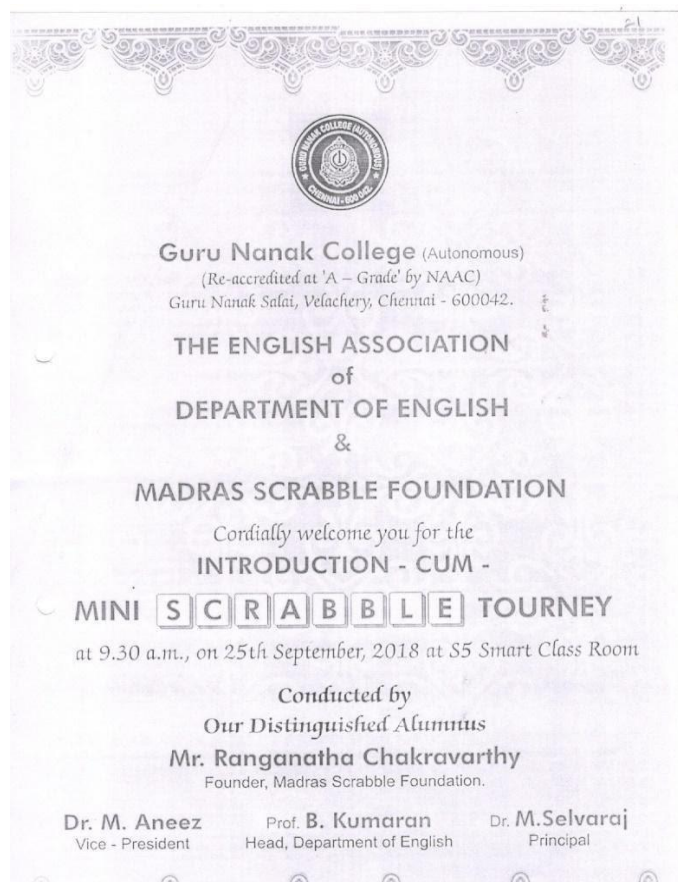
## 2. SCRABBLE TOURNAMENT

<b>Event Title</b>	Scrabble Tournament
<b>Category</b>	Tournament
<b>Department</b>	English
<b>Date</b>	25-08-2018
<b>No. of Resource Person</b>	1
<b>No. of Participants</b>	60

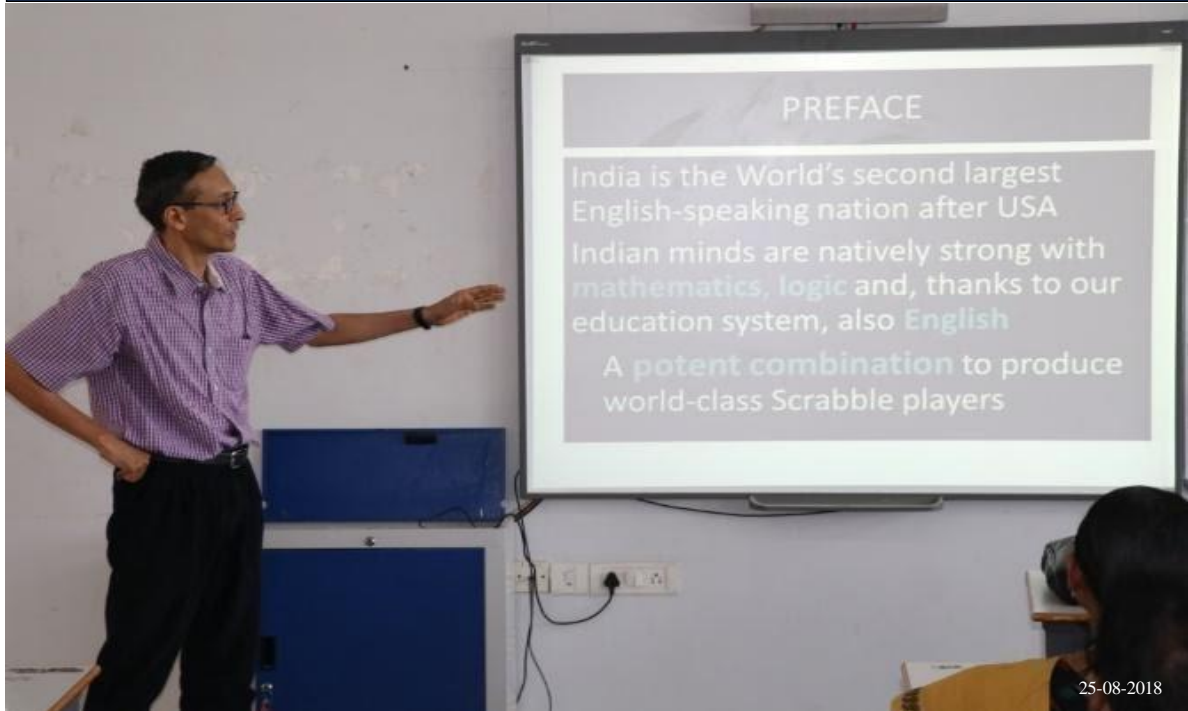
### Report

The Department of English Organized One Day Program on **Scrabble Tournament** from 25-08-2018 in Room S5 in college campus. Mr. Venkataraman, Founder, Madras Scrabble Foundation and alumnus of Guru Nanak College gave a lecture and demonstration on word game scrabble to enrich the vocabulary.60 students took active participation in the demonstration.

### Invitation



## Scrabble Tournament



## Scrabble Tournament



### 3. SAMWAD – International Guest Lecture Programme

<b>Event Title</b>	Samwad
<b>Category</b>	Guest Lecture
<b>Department</b>	Hindi
<b>Date</b>	27-08-2018
<b>No. of Resource Person</b>	1
<b>No. of Participants</b>	79

#### Report

The department of Hindi -, An International guest lecture program “SAMWAD” (A Dialogue on Hindi in Asian Countries) was organized on 27-08-2018. The chief guest and speaker was Mr. Hideaki Ishida, Professor, (Hindi language and literature) Faculty of International Relation, Daito Bunka University Japan. He spoke about the good relationship between India and Japan in various forum i.e. Languages, culture, ethics, values and religion. He gave emphasis on learning Japanese. Mr. Ishida also stated that it is always good to learn multiple languages as it increases employability and also helps in socializing.





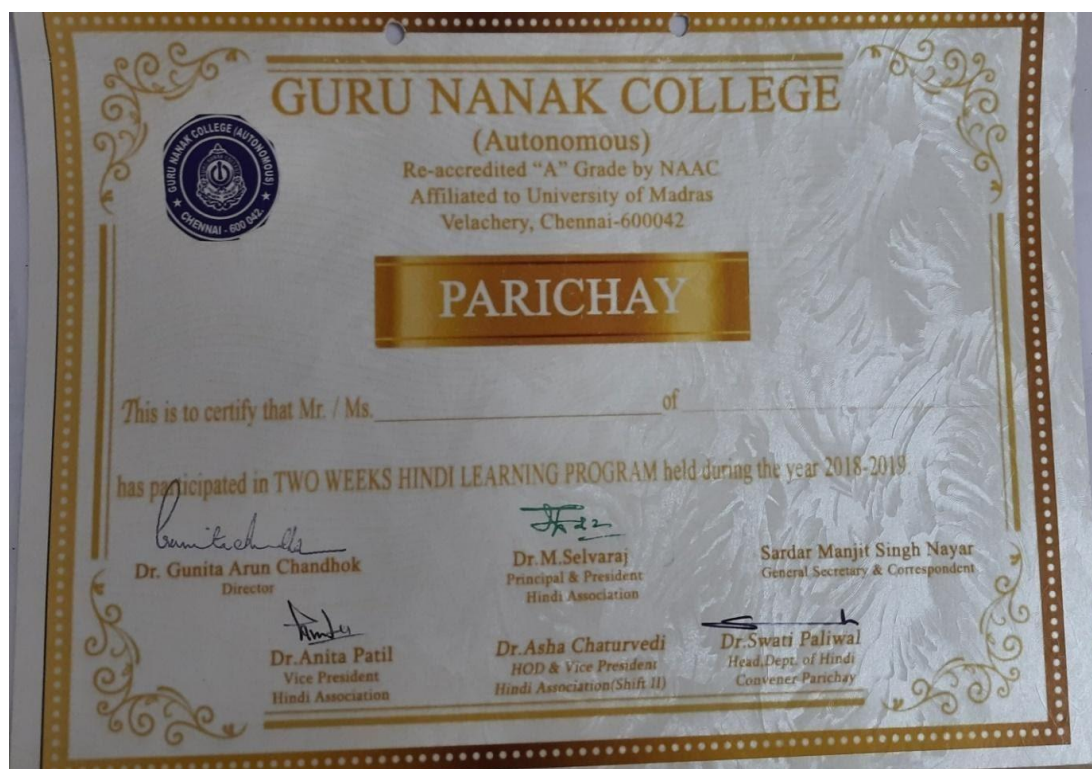
## 4. PARICHAY

Event Title	Parichay	
Category	Workshop	
Department	Hindi	
Date	From: 24-09-2018	To: 06-10-2018
No. of Resource Person	1	
No. of Participants	93	

### Report

The department of Hindi conducted Parichay course duration was from 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 to 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2018. From the last few years Hindi Department, Guru Nanak College (Autonomous), has been conducting 'Parichay' course for non-Hindi students. It is a free 10 day certificate course conducted in the college campus for all the departments UG and PG students. It aims at encouraging students to learn basic spoken and written Hindi. Students are taught through PPTs and hand-out sheets. Worksheets are given at the end of everyday session for practice. At the end of the course the students receive a certificate stating completion of basic learning course.

### Certificate



Parichay - Workshop



Parichay - Workshop





## 5. SIGNIFICANCE OF FOREIGN LANGUAGE(FRENCH) IN IT SECTOR

<b>Event Title</b>	Significance of Foreign Language (French) in IT Sector
<b>Category</b>	Department Association valedictory
<b>Department</b>	B.Sc. Information Technology
<b>Date</b>	07-03-2019
<b>No. of Resource Person</b>	1
<b>No. of Participants</b>	100

### Report

The Department of B.Sc. (Information Technology) organized a one-day Department Association Valedictory on “**Significance of Foreign Language (French) in IT Sector**” on 07-03-2019. The Valedictory function of G-IT HUB Association of Department of Information Technology was organized. The programme started with the Welcome Address by Joint Secretary Mr.Shivakumar. Mr. Gunjan Kumar Singh, Analysts (French) Language Cognizant Technology & Solutions, Chennai, was the Chief Guest.

The Chief Guest delivered the Special Lecture on “**Significance of Foreign Language (French) in IT Sector**”. He emphasized on the scope of foreign languages as career is stupendous and candidates willing to explore it have multitude of job opportunities in various multinational companies and multilateral organizations. The session was very informative and interactive. He also insisted that in addition to the technical capabilities you need to do the job you’re applying for, having language skills and, in particular, knowing a second or third language well – will put you head and shoulders above those who only have their native language. All students participated enthusiastically and learnt few French words. After the Guest Lecture Class Toppers in University Exam Nov 2018 was felicitated by prizes. The function ended up by the thanking note given by Mr. S. Dhiswanth, Association Secretary, B.Sc (IT) department.

### Invitation



## Significance of Foreign Language (French) in IT Sector

