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A Report of the Department of English for the session 2018-2019

(This includes the English Council (Departmental) Competitions Details)

Session 2018-19 started with class-room teaching of U.G. and P.G. students in the month of August. With the introduction of semester system in Graduation some changes were introduced in the teaching pattern, assignments and revision tests.

The English Council was established in August 2018. The following were selected as office bearers:

President: Shazal Fatima M.A. II

Vice-President: Ayushi Tripathi M.A I

Secretary: Gauri Saxena B.A.III

Class representative for each class was chosen as well: Maitry Singh for B.A. I, Aditi Yadav for B.A.II, Ruby Yadav for B.A. III, Archana Verma for M.A.I and Ratna Shukla for M.A.II.

Four important clubs Oratory, Décor, Writing and Event Management were formed in the department of English with the purpose of involving students into the activities of their choice and interest.

Regular assignments and surprise tests were a part of teaching methodology. Along with regular lecture-method teaching, teaching through power-point presentations and distribution of hand-out materials to students was done. The Department of English was enthusiastically involved into arranging different extra-curricular activities and competitions.

A PROJECT FILE COMPETITION (the title of the file was "Trace the background of 17<sup>th</sup> century England") was organized on 10/09/2020 for U.G. students and the winners were:

First: Sakshi Yadav (B.A. I)

Second: Rupali Jaiswal (B.A. I)

Third: Lalit Kumar Singh (B.A. III)

An ESSAY-WRITING COMPETITION was also organized on 08/09/2018. The title of essay was "Action Speaks Louder than Words". The winners of this competition were:

First: Sakshi Yadav (B.A. I)

Second: Akansha Dwivedi (M.A. I)

Third: Sukriti Gupta and Muskaan Jaiswal (B.A. I)

Consolation: Ruby Yadav (B.A. III)

## An ELOCUTION COMPETITION was organized on 11/09/2018. The winners were as follows:

First: Anjali Gupta (B.A. II) and Sukriti Gupta (B.A. I)

Second: Ratna Shukla (M.A. II)

Third: Gauri Saxena (B.A. III)

Consolation: Maitry Singh (B.A. III)

A POWER-POINT PRESENTATION COMPETITION solely for PG (English) students was organized in the Smart Class on 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2018. The winners were as follows:

First: Archana Verma (M.A. I) and Vidushi Shukla (M.A. I)

Second: Ayushi Tripathi (M.A. I) and Ratna Shukla (M.A. II)

Third: Nishtha Srivastava (M.A. I)

A Histo-Literary Festival (in collaboration with the department of History) 'ROOTS & WINGS' was organized on 29/10/2018.

The winners were awarded prizes towards the end of the session. With revisions and tests and question paper discussions, the students were prepared for final exams.

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