## LITTLE FLOWER COLLEGE, GURUVAYOOR

## SCHOLAR SUPPORT PROGRAMME 2016-'17

## ANNUAL REPORT

The Scholar Support Programme, a part of the new initiatives in the higher education initiated by the Department of Higher Education, Government of Kerala aims at imparting additional support to the students in the weak areas of their curriculum. Envisioning these goals of the government, the college runs the Scholar Support Programme in five subjects, English, Economics, Mathematics, Computer Science and Physics.

Ten students from each of the above mentioned subjects, in first year, second and final year U.G programme were selected on merit basis, after the first meeting of the Coordinator, with the mentors. And the classes were scheduled to the activity hour (1-2pm) on every Fridays. On the very first day of the mentoring sessions, the scholars were provided with writing aids like notebook and pen. Those deserving students were provided with the study aid too.

Many teachers, considering the pulse of students opened up 'Whats App' groups and posted study materials on the subject, guidance in both curricular and personal mentoring were also given. The mentors also conducted daily quiz to ensure the students' interest in the subject of study and the scholars gave a very high response to this on-line mentoring.

Both the coordinator and the mentors were given ample training programmes. It is very significant to state here, about the full attendance of the faculty members of SSP in this college, at the Mentors' training programme conducted at Vimala College Thrissur.

The SSP Coordinator Ms. Julie Dominic A, meeting the students selected for Scholar Support Programme to orient them towards effective learning process.



Students are working together in an interation session of SSP.



The SSP Coordinator Ms. Julie Dominic A, meeting the Resource persons involved in the process of mentoring the students of SSP.



The even semester sessions were more colourful by the classes conducted by the external Resource Persons and their external mentoring sessions to our scholars.



Ms. Rekha Chitra, Asst. Professor on contract from Government College Kuttanellur, oriented the students with the informations regarding the progress of language skills and communicative strategies.



Mr. Jomy P. L., Director IMS Thrissur, informed the students about the Latest trends and opportunities in higher education.



Ms. Praveena Nair, Career Planner Management IMS Thrissur, informed the students about structuring and designing career plans.



Mr. Justin James, Assistant Professor in Computer Science, Little Flower College Guruvayoor, supported to develop the various aspects and basic information regarding Information Technology.



Dr. Thanuja Mathew Assistant Profesor in Zoology, Guruvayoor equipped the students with the information regarding health and hygiene for women.



The mini Oxford dictionary provided to our scholars helped them a lot to crack the hard nut of English, which was a common learning issue of our students. Even this semester was busy with co-curricular activities, our scholars and faculty members actively conducted the mentoring sessions and successfully completed them by conducting test papers and assignments to the students., to make them more concrete in their lessons. The rapport of each mentor with their scholars add more enthusiasm to the programme. And hence the students are free to share their aspirations and difficulties in the learning process.

Towards the closure of this academic year, the SSP functioning in this institution this year was more active and helped the students to achieve the goal of this initiative to a great extent.



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