

Faculty Orientation Programme

(From 19th to 21st June 2019)

A Three-day Faculty Orientation Programme was organized by the management of Sree Vidyanikethan Educational Institutions from 19th to 21st June 2019. The objective of the programme was to refresh the members of faculty and familiarize the effective academic practices to be followed in the academic year 2019-2020.

Day 1

Dr. P. C. Krishnamachary, Principal, Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College, in his inaugural address gave an overview of the programme. The Principal addressed important academic aspects and suggested the members of faculty to follow them strictly and perform effectively. He also advised them to cooperate with the HoDs and the Controller of Examinations as per academic rules and regulations. Before concluding his speech, the Principal asked the new members of faculty to introduce themselves.



Dr. P. C. Krishnamachary, Principal, SVEC delivering the inaugural address

Dr. D. V. S. Bhagavanulu, Director, Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College, gave a presentation on '*Attributes of a Good Teacher*' highlighting the importance of being a good teacher. The Director suggested several ways and means to become a good teacher. He shared a few anecdotes of good teachers in his life. The Director also showed a few videos on being a good teacher. The presentation was very impressive and handy.



Dr. D. V. S. Bhagavanulu, Director, SVEC addressing the gathering

Day 2

Dr. N. Gurunatha Naidu, Principal, Sree Vidyanikethan Degree College, took a session on 'Value Based Education for Young Generation.' He began his talk seeking clarifications for a few questions and went on giving extensive inputs on value based education. He projected some live examples of untoward incidents in the present society due to lack of value based education. He asserted that the value based education is essential and immediate.



Dr. N. Gurunatha Naidu, Principal, SVDC delivering the talk

Prof. B. Mohan, Director, Sree Vidyanikethan Institute of Management gave a presentation on 'Time Management.' He defined what the time management is and stated its importance quoting many proverbs, examples and his personal experiences. He talked about Goal Setting, SWOT Analysis and the 80/20 rule. He concluded his presentation suggesting a few books for reading.



Prof. B. Mohan, Director, SVIM addressing the gathering

Day 3

The final day of the programme began with the presentation on 'CO, PO, PSO Articulation and Mapping' by Dr. I. Sudarsan Kumar, Director (Q&D), Sree Vidyanikethan Educational Trust. His presentation began with an intriguing video on burdens of education system. Further, he moved on explaining the nuances of Curriculum Design and Development, Academic Flexibility, Curriculum Enrichment, Feedback System, Teaching-Learning Process, Evaluation Process and Reforms, Course Structure, Course Outcomes, Program Outcomes, and Program Specific Outcomes Articulation and Mapping.



Dr. I. Sudarsan Kumar, Director (Q&D), SVET, addressing the gathering

Dr. I. Sudarsan Kumar, Director (Q&D) took another session on 'ICT in Education.' He enlightened the members of faculty on basic technical tools in teaching and learning, key categories of online education and its challenges, 21st Century Skills, ICT Infrastructure-Closed-Loop Instructional System and Digital Transformation Trends in Education.

Prof. Delhi Babu, Dean (Training & Placements), Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College delivered a talk on '*Industry Expectations from Graduates.*' He began his session praising Vidyanikethan students for being listed in top in Python Certification conducted by Infosys. He asserted that industries expect communication skills, problem solving skills, critical thinking, particularly ability to learn etc. So, teachers need to focus on these areas and train the graduates to meet the industry expectations. The Placement Officer informed teaching fraternity about learning tools and services available in Sree Vidyanikethan.



Prof. Delhi Babu, Dean (Training & Placements) delivering the talk

The last session on the last day of the programme was on '*Research Methodology*' by Prof. V. Ganesan, Former Professor Emeritus, IIT, Madras, and currently Research Advisor in Sree Vidyanikethan Educational Institutions. Prof. V. Ganesan began his talk explaining the research and its importance. He gave clear cut inputs between Research Methods, and Research Methodology. He suggested general guidelines to research methodology and motivated the teaching fraternity to develop research skills. He narrated many relevant stories, anecdotes, and case studies. The session was more informative and inspirational.



Research Advisor Prof. V. Ganesan, sharing insights on Research Methodology