



Annual report of the department of Konkani – 2020-21

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1) Inauguration function of Konkani Saraspat Mandal students association for academic year 2020-21 was held on 27 January 2021. This association works towards the growth of students in a literary manner. The association organizes several poetry recitations, cultural activities seminars, workshops to inculcate importance research and publication among the students.





2) Organized intercollegiate Online Konkani Poetry competition on 08th April 2021 and also prize distribution. Though it was a covid pandemic situation there was a tremendous response for this competition. Students from all over Goa presented their poetry through online medium highlighting various issues pertaining to the society. Total 35 young budding poets from Goa made their entry into the

competition. The first three winners of the competition are as follows:- Mr. Akash Gavkar, Rajat Hedge, Divya Gawas, Gaurang Naik Gurav, Devita Khule, Siddhant Khandekar and Aniket Naik. The Competition was judged by Mr. Gorak Sirsat and Mr. Amey Naik. The prize distribution was done at the hands of Department head Dr. Hanumant Chopdekar.



3) Organized online guest lecture for students on 'Konkani Gramin Katha' by resource person Dr. Jayanti Nayak on 16th December 2020. Dr. Jayanti Nayak is an eminent scholar in the area of Folklore and folk literature. She highlighted the importance of folk literature and stories depicting the rural life and culture. The lecture was organized to enhance the knowledge on Folk literature of the students who have opted for the paper 'Gramin sshitya' at MA level.



4) Organized online guest lecture for students on 'Paramparik Vevasai ani Gramin jin' by resource person Mr Devidas Gaonkar on 17th December 2020. Mr. Devidas Gavkar is a well known researcher in the area of Folklore and folk traditions. He stressed on the significance of traditional occupations and their

relevance in today's times. The lecture was organized to enhance the knowledge on Traditional occupations of the students who have opted for the paper 'Gramin sshitya' at MA level.



5) Published a wall paper on the eve of Goa liberation day and Shanai Goembab Jayanti. The publication of the paper encourages the students to get their creativity on the paper in the form poetry, stories, articles and other write ups.



