

**One Day National Seminar on  
'Teaching and Learning: Beyond Classroom'  
organized by I.Q.A.C.  
on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2017**

**REPORT**

A one day National Seminar on 'Teaching and Learning Beyond Classrooms' was organized by the IQAC of Adarsh College of Arts & Commerce, Kulgaon Badlapur on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

For the inaugural function of the Seminar, Dr. Kanchana Mahadevan, HOD of the Department of Philosophy, University of Mumbai was the chief guest. After offering the prayer to the God, lamp was lighted at the hands of the dignitaries.

Principal Dr. Vaidehi Daptardar gave an introductory speech in which she talked about the four pillars of education of which through extension services of education we can reach the people who cannot reach our institutions. Now day's children are the digital children & so we required to have co-operational learning to make them involve in the learning processes, for this we need to transform delivery mechanism. The approach of the teaching process should be –“Let the teacher and learner have learning together', she lamented.

Dr. Kanchana Mahadevan in her key note address, talked about 'Films as the tools for effective teaching and learning processes'. She talked about the use of cinema in class room as a text, she gave many examples regarding its use in Philosophy and how cinema can help students and even teachers in comprehending certain concepts in different perspectives. Though the academic content of the text can be diluted, or lost in cinema, still cinema is very important as mass media and we can think of many topics /text to be shown or depicted through cinema like Bhagwat Gita – for issue of dilemma, or text as Dhammpada etc. Students can be trained about how to view and evaluate movie. They may get lot of excitement in watching movie and having interaction after it in the class room. She gave examples of different movies which can help in understanding many vital topics and issues in education. She suggested articles of Abhijeet Deshpande and Sunil Sankpal for reading in this regard. Her lecture was followed by question and answer session, where students had interaction with each other and the chief guest.

Second session was conducted by Principal Dr. Vaidehi Daptardar. It was very interactive and live session. Through an interactive games and role playing, she taught various management concepts, decision making, risk taking to the students. The session was appreciated and enjoyed by all. It inspired teachers to think of such methods for interactive teaching.

Session III was delivery mechanism where students were shown various short films and were given an opportunity to discuss on every film. This session was also conducted by Principal Dr. Vaidehi Daptardar. She made us to understand about how the short films can help in teaching life skills to students in a very interesting way.

Session IV was of paper presentation in which some of the researchers and teachers presented their research papers. This session was chaired by Principal Dr. Vaidehi Daptardar.

In Session V, Dr. Shyam Joshi spoke on the use of traditional and non- traditional teaching and learning tools. He focused on soft skills. He talked about the ratio of study and self-study, it should be 1:4 because even a small child learns more by self-study. Then he discussed about the listening skill, techniques of effective readings and techniques for effective writing. His session was very informative and inspiring for the teachers and students.

Dr. Sangeeta Pande and Mr. Mandar Thakur compered various sessions and Dr. Sandeep Bhele expressed vote of thanks. The seminar ended with National Anthem.

Dr. Sangeeta Pande

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