## INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS

Our College functions with the motto of "Excellence with Relevance". While any educational institution will do justice to academics, Annai Fatima College of Arts and Science walks the extra mile to bring out the best in every student. The Institution believes in creating a right destination for an International Career.

1. Developing the employable skills of the student:

"Education is the key that unlocks the golden door to freedom." - George Washington Carver.

- a. Certificate courses: Apart from the normal syllabus in the various courses, students are provided with add-on courses to enhance their employable skills. The add on courses offered are: Diploma in Computer Application, Tally, Spoken English, spoken Hindi, and C.G.T/D.G.T.
- b. Skill enhancement programs like soft skills development and mock interviews are conducted.
- c. Many reputed companies are invited to our campus for recruitment and they offer placements and internships to the students.
- d. Even during lockdown, the Placement Committee invited experienced professionals from the industry to offer guidance to students to prepare a formal CV.
- e. The Alumni Committee organized online interactive sessions with executives from different fields in order to provide the students with a broad perspective of various career opportunities.
- f. Resource Persons from institutes of higher learning provided an insight into the post graduate courses that can be pursued.

## Developing the sense of social responsibility among students

- 1. The NSS unit of the College is quite active throughout the year organizing various outreach programs like blood donation, cleanliness drives, tree plantation drives, etc., in addition to a 10-day camp in the outskirts of Navi Mumbai to render service to the local community.
- Different departments conduct programs on financial literacy, felicitation of housekeeping staff, etc.
- 3. An annual magazine to highlight the various activities conducted by the College, has been launched.

## Developing skills needed for Research and Innovation:

- 1. Students are encouraged to write papers in journals and participate in student research conferences.
- 2. The College believes in creating citizens who will contribute to the economy of the nation. In order to promote entrepreneurship among students, the College has constituted an Entrepreneurial Development Cell.

## **Developing the cultural heritage of the students:**

- 1. In order to promote a sense of belonging and pride about our national culture, committees like Department Associations are formed, in which activities that bring out the rich heritage of our country are conducted.
- 2. Festivals like Diwali, Pongal and Christmas are celebrated with great enthusiasm.

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