

## **The Department of Economics**

### **Academic year 2019-2020**

The Department of Economics was established in the year 1979. Right from the inception, it is a major Department. Economics is a compulsory subject in Commerce as well as in Arts stream. However, in the Arts stream, at the third year level, it is optional, students are allowed to opt for all six papers of Economics.

The Dept. of Economics envisions to imbibe in students, knowledge, values & attitude that would help them to develop positive approach towards economics & have a better understanding of economic issues. The Department also aims to broaden students' understanding of economic problems & policy measures. The Department also aims to make students realize the significance of Economics in real life & impact of Government's Economic Policy decisions.

The Department is headed by Dr. S.B. Karande (HOD) and the faculties in the department are Mr. M.B. Khobragade, Mr. C.T. Patil and Miss. Suhas Sawant.

In the academic year 2019-20, under the able guidance of the HOD-Dr. S. B. Karande, the Department conducted various curricular, co-curricular and extracurricular activities. These activities are as follows-

The Department of Economics with Planning Forum had jointly organized an Elocution competition on 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2019. The Elocution competition was conducted on the topic "Inflation and Unemployment in present scenario in India". For this competition 10 students were actively participated.

The department organized essay writing competition on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2019.

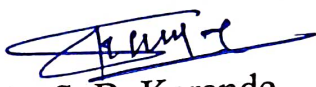
The department organized guest lecture on career guidance and motivation on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

One-week seminar-training programme on working of BSE was organized by the Department in Collaboration with Bombay Stock Exchange from 27<sup>th</sup> January 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> January 2020. In this programme on an average 50 students were attended and actively participated in the session of BSE.

The Department arranged the Industrial Visit at Hindustan Coca-Cola Beverages, Kudus, Wada for the students on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2020 where 46 students registered and visit the Coca-Cola Beverages company.

The Department is extremely thankful towards the Principal Dr. Mrs. S.V. Sant for her constant guidance and support for conducting all these co-curricular and extracurricular activities.



  
Dr. S. B. Karande

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