

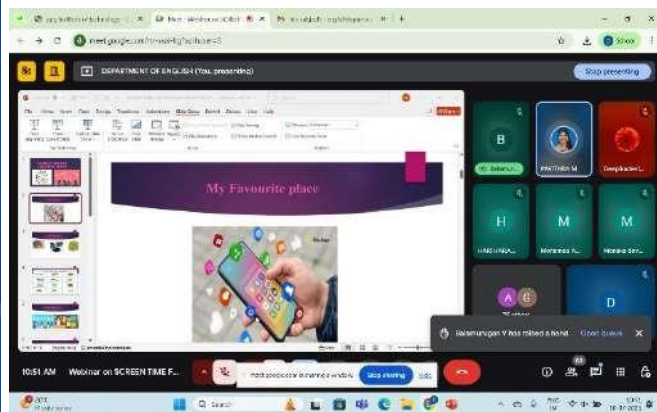
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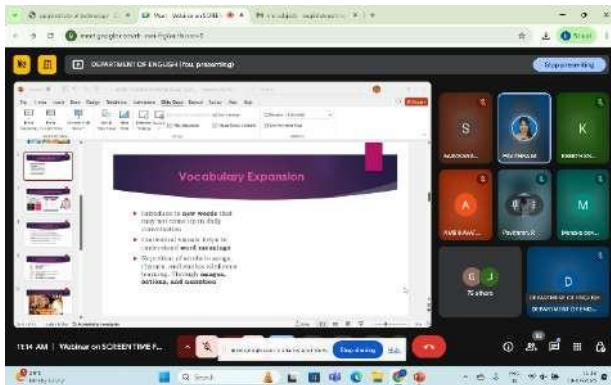
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On July 10, 2025, the Department of English at PPG College of Arts & Science organized a webinar titled "Screen Time for Language Skills," conducted via Google Meet at 10:30 AM. Led by Ms. M. Pavithra, Assistant Professor at Nehru Institute of Engineering and Technology, the session aimed to explore the impact of screen time on language development among students. The webinar focused on understanding the positive and negative effects of digital device usage on communication skills, emphasizing the importance of balancing screen exposure with traditional learning methods. Attended by students, faculty members, and language enthusiasts, the event featured interactive activities, discussions, and practical tips for managing screen time effectively. Participants appreciated the insightful content and expressed intentions to adopt healthier screen habits to enhance their language proficiency. Overall, the webinar successfully raised awareness about responsible digital usage and its significance in language learning, highlighting the need for ongoing workshops and offline activities to complement online education and foster better communication skills among students. Ms. V. Menakadevi, Assistant Professor, Department of English acted as a coordinator for this webinar. Over 85 students got benefited.





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The Department of English, PPG College of Arts and Science, proudly organized the Intra-Collegiate Paper Presentation – 2025 on 24th July 2025 at the Conference Hall. The theme of this academic fest was "Public Speaking Skills and Techniques," aiming to enhance students' expressive abilities, research potential, and stage confidence.

The event was coordinated by Dr. R. Suchithra and Ms. S. Sharmila, Assistant Professors, under the guidance of Mrs. D. Deepikadevi, Head of the Department of English. The session was graced by our esteemed Principal, Dr. N. Muthumani, who inaugurated the event by launching the compiled research papers of the participants.

The presentation began promptly at 10:00 AM, and the hall witnessed an enthusiastic audience of 200 students from various departments, serving as an encouraging presence. A total of 18 teams participated, each presenting thought-provoking papers on effective public

speaking. Students showcased their critical thinking, communication strategies, and writing skills with flair and confidence.

At the end of the session, the winning teams were announced by the Principal. Jeeva S of III BCA secured first place; Teena R and Anushiya M of II B.Sc. IT won second place; and Sai Sen K along with Pavithran R of I BBA received third place. The Principal distributed certificates to all the winners and applauded every participant for their preparation and performance. The event not only encouraged academic enthusiasm but also created a platform for inter-departmental collaboration and skill development.

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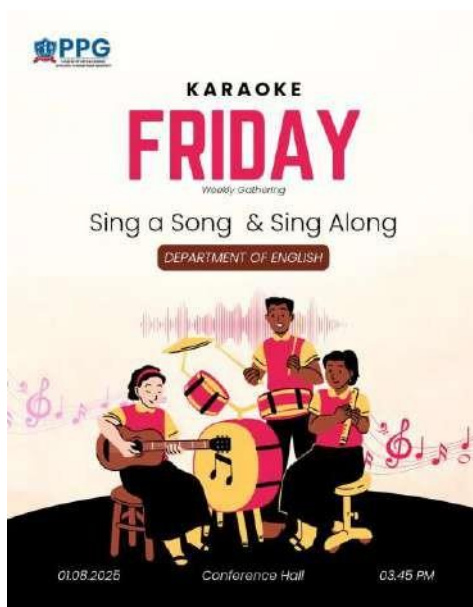
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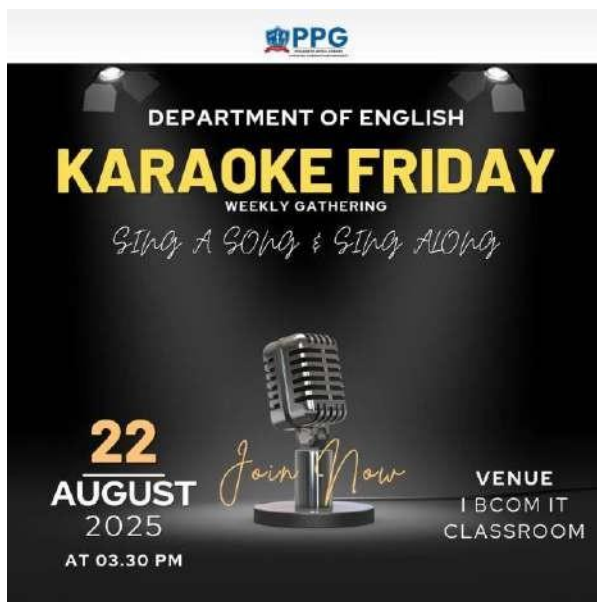
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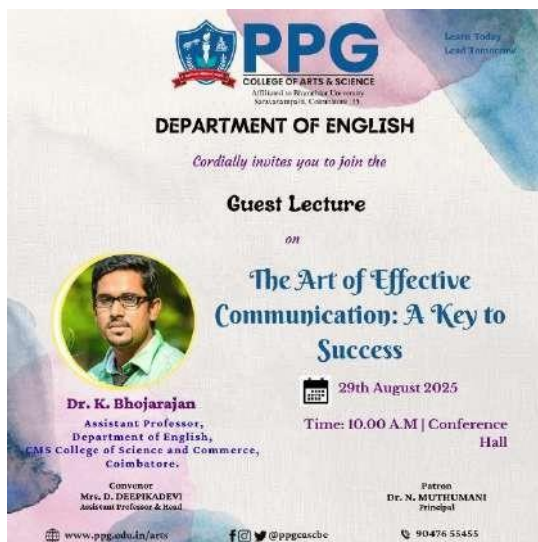
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The Department of English organized a guest lecture on "The Art of Effective Communication: A Key to Success" on 29th August 2025 at 10.00 A.M. in the Conference Hall. The session aimed to highlight the importance of communication as a vital skill for academic excellence and career success. The program began with a Welcome Address by Mr. B. Suganth, III B.Com, followed by the introduction of the guest by Ms. V. Menakadevi, Assistant Professor of English. The resource person delivered an engaging and insightful lecture on the techniques of effective communication, emphasizing verbal and non-verbal skills, active listening, overcoming barriers, and building confidence in expression. The lecture was highly interactive, with students participating enthusiastically and gaining practical insights into how communication contributes to personal growth, leadership, and professional success. The session concluded with a Vote of Thanks proposed by Mr. S. Jeeva, III BCA, expressing gratitude to the speaker, faculty, and participants.




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WELCOME ADDRESS	: Mr. B. Suganth, III B.Com
FELICITATION ADDRESS	: DR. N. Muthumani, Principal, PPG CAS
HONOURING THE GUEST	: DR. N. Muthumani, Principal, PPG CAS
CHIEF GUEST	: Ms. V. Menakadevi, Assistant Professor, English
INTRODUCTION	: Dr. K. Bhojarajan, Assistant Professor, Department of English, CMS College of Science and Commerce, Coimbatore.
VOTE OF THANKS	: Mr. S. Jeeva, III BCA
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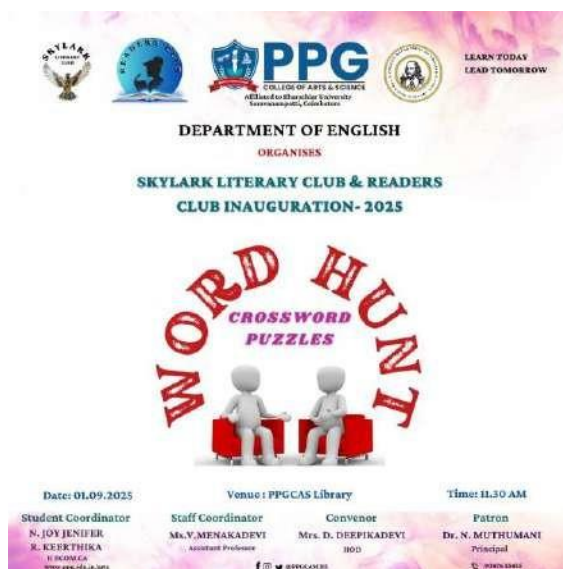
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The Department of English, PPG College of Arts & Science, organized the Skylark Literary Club and Readers Club Inauguration – 2025 event on 1st September 2025 at the PPGCAS Library. The event, themed “Word Hunt – Crossword Puzzles,” was designed to spark creativity, enhance critical thinking, and cultivate literary engagement among students. The inauguration began with a formal welcome, highlighting the importance of literary and

readers' clubs in enriching students' academic and cultural life. The Word Hunt crossword puzzle competition served as the highlight of the event, encouraging students to showcase their vocabulary skills, problem-solving ability, and teamwork. Participants engaged enthusiastically, making the session lively and intellectually stimulating. The programme was coordinated successfully under the guidance of Staff Coordinator Ms. V. Menakadevi (Assistant Professor), with the support of Student Coordinators N. Joy Jenifer and R. Keerthika (II B.Com CA). The event concluded with appreciation for the efforts of the coordinators and the active participation of students.



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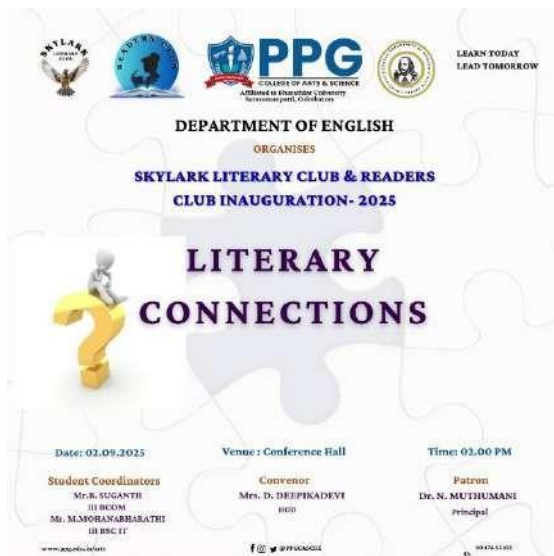
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The Department of English, PPG College of Arts and Science, organized a literary event titled “Literary Connection” on the occasion of the inauguration of the Skylark Literary Club and Readers Club 2025. The program was held on 2nd September 2025 at 2.00 p.m. in the college premises. The event aimed to ignite creativity, enhance literary skills, and encourage team spirit among the students. A total of 50 enthusiastic teams from various departments actively participated, showcasing their passion for literature and communication. After several engaging rounds, the following teams emerged as winners:

- First Prize – Aasifa & Durgashree (I B.Com)
- Second Prize – Dharnikashree & Dhanushree (I B.Sc AI)
- Third Prize – Shwetha & Afrin Lal (II B.Sc AI)

The event not only marked the successful launch of the Skylark Literary Club and Readers Club but also provided a vibrant platform for students to celebrate their love for language and literature.



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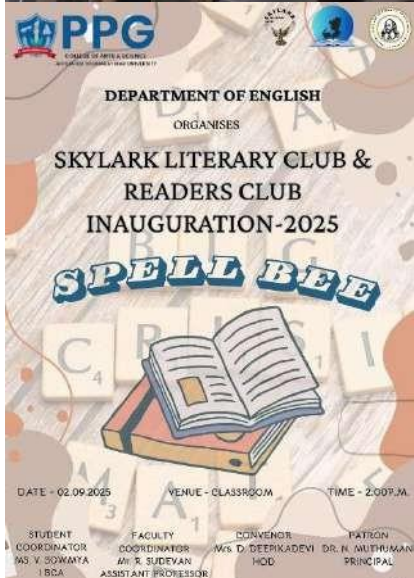
The Department of English at PPG College of Arts & Science in association with the Skylark Literary Club and Readers Club organized a dynamic pre-inaugural activity 'Spell Bee' on 2nd September 2025. The event was organized by Mr. R. Sudevan, Assistant Professor, and convened by Mrs. D. Deepikadevi, Head of the Department of English. The Spell Bee event, organized to showcase the literary talents of students across various departments, was a significant highlight of the college's academic calendar. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from students of different classes, demonstrating their prowess in language and spelling skills. Over 500 students from diverse departments participated in the preliminary round, which was conducted in their respective classrooms. From this round, the top three students from each class were selected and progressed to the second round. From this, 10 outstanding students were chosen to compete in the final round, which took place in the college library on 2nd September 2025.

First Prize - Sheik Sultan. S (II B.Com PA)

Second Prize - Yoga Tharshini. P (IBSc. CS)

Third Prize - Sanjay. S (I BSc. CS)

The Spell Bee event yielded several positive outcomes, including enhanced language skills among participants, fostering healthy competition, encouraging interdepartmental engagement, building confidence, providing recognition of talent, and promoting a literary culture within PPG College of Arts & Science.



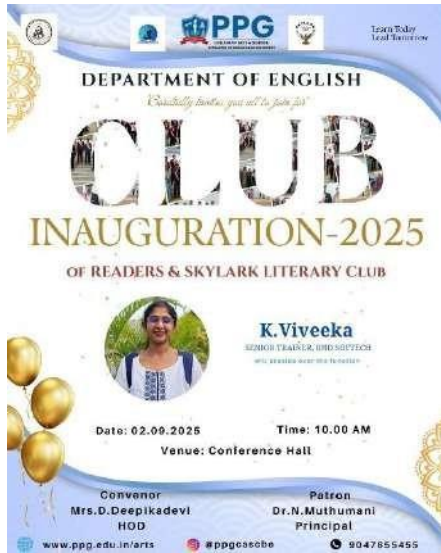
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The Department organized the Club Inauguration 2025 on September 02, 2025, at the Conference Hall. The event began with the welcome address, followed by the inspiring talk of the Chief Guest, Ms. K. Viveeka, who emphasized the importance of communication, leadership, and teamwork for student development. As part of the inauguration, the outgoing office bearers were recognized and honoured for their dedicated service. The new set of office bearers was introduced and officially installed, marking the beginning of their tenure to lead the club's activities. This transition highlighted continuity and leadership within the student community.



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The Department of English at PPG College of Arts & Science in association with the Skylark Literary Club and Readers Club, organized a vibrant pre-inaugural activity 'Literary Dumb Charades' on 1st September 2025. The event was coordinated by Ms. S. Sharmila, Assistant Professor, and convened by Mrs. D. Deepikadevi, Head of the Department of English. Around 50 students participated enthusiastically in the fun-filled activity which brought laughter, creativity and a spirit of healthy competition. The lively rounds of Literary Dumb Charades not only entertained but also encouraged teamwork, quick expression and imaginative gestures. The energy and enthusiasm reflected the true spirit of the clubs and served as the perfect prelude to the grand inauguration scheduled for 2nd September 2025.

The session proved to be both enjoyable and inspiring, paving the way for more engaging literary activities in the future.

Winners: First Prize

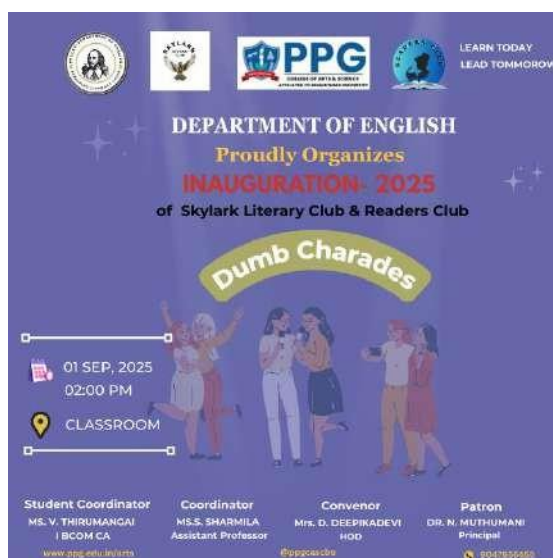
1. Rajesh M. – II B.Sc CS AI
2. Menaka R. – II B.Sc CS AI
3. Paul Ebanazar – II B.Sc CS AI

Second Prize

1. Reseetha G. – I B.Com CA
2. Packyalakshmi C. – I B.Com CA
3. Sountharya K. – I B.Com CA

Third Prize

1. Dharasri S. – I B.Com
2. Ranjani S. – I B.Com
3. BhuvaneshwariS.–IB.Com





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The Department of English organized a lively session of *Karaoke Friday* on 19th September 2025 at 3:30 PM in the I B.Sc. CS classroom. The event, designed as a weekly gathering, aimed to provide students with a creative outlet to express their musical talents and relieve academic stress.

The session witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across departments, who performed popular songs with great energy and passion. The atmosphere was filled with music, cheer, and applause, making the gathering vibrant and engaging.



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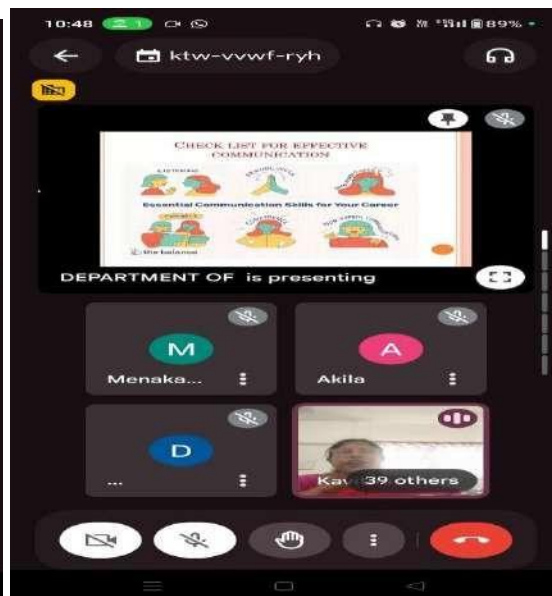
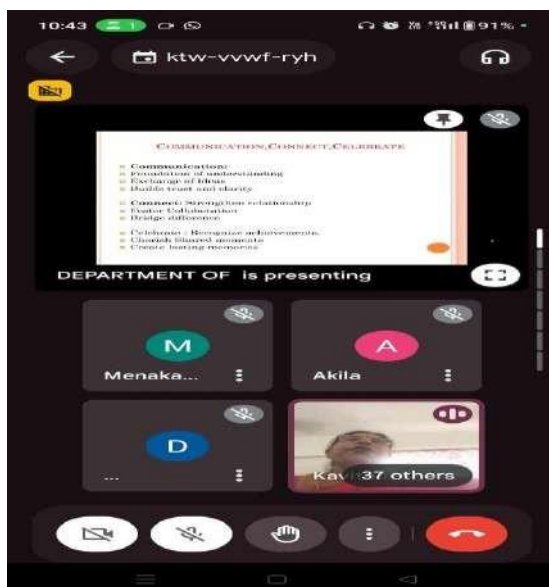
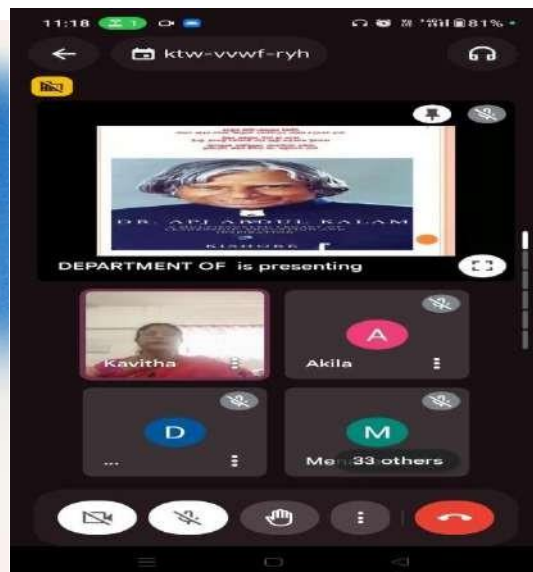
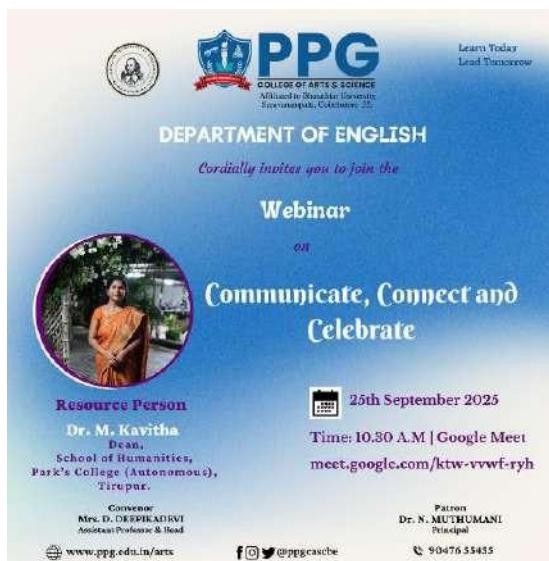
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The Department of English, PPG College of Arts and Science, organized a webinar titled “Communicate, Connect and Celebrate” on 25th September 2025 at 10:30 a.m. through Google Meet. The session was convened by Mrs. D. Deepikadevi, Head, Department of English. She also delivered the Welcome Address, setting the tone for the program. Ms. V.

Menakadevi, Assistant Professor of English, introduced the Guest of the session, highlighting their achievements and contributions. The proceedings concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Mr. Sudevan, Assistant Professor of English, who expressed gratitude to the resource person, participants, and organizers. The webinar witnessed an enthusiastic participation of 50 students, who gained valuable insights into effective communication and its role in connecting and celebrating ideas in both academic and real-life contexts. The event was well-received by the participants and successfully achieved its objective of enhancing communication skills and fostering interactive learning.



The Department of English, PPG College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore, organized a workshop on “Enhancing Language Proficiency: A Metacognitive Approach to LSRW” on 17.02.2026 at 10.30 AM in the Seminar Hall. The resource person for the session was Dr. M. Pavithra, Assistant Professor, Department of Science and Humanities, Nehru Institute of Engineering and Technology, Coimbatore. The session focused on developing language proficiency through metacognitive strategies with special emphasis on LSRW skills — Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing.

Dr. M. Pavithra provided valuable insights into how learners can consciously monitor, evaluate, and regulate their own learning processes to improve communication skills. The session highlighted practical techniques to enhance listening comprehension, structured speaking, analytical reading, and effective writing. Interactive activities and examples were incorporated to engage students actively and encourage participation. The workshop was highly informative and beneficial for students as it strengthened their understanding of strategic language learning and self-reflective practices. The participants gained clarity on improving their academic and professional communication skills through structured metacognitive approaches.

The programme was conducted under the guidance of the Principal, Dr. N. Muthumani. The event was coordinated by Ms. V. Menakadevi, Assistant Professor, Department of English. Mrs. D. Deepikadevi, Head of the Department, served as the Convenor, and Ms. V. Thirumangai (I B.Com CA) acted as the Student Coordinator. The workshop concluded successfully with positive feedback from the participants.



National Level Conference on “Digital Voices and Global Storytelling: Literature in the Age of Social Media and AI”

The Department of English, PPG College of Arts and Science, Saravanampatti, Coimbatore, in collaboration with the *International Journal of English Literature and Literary Theories (IJELLT)*, successfully organized a **National Level Conference** on the theme “**Digital Voices and Global Storytelling: Literature in the Age of Social Media and AI**” on **14 March 2026 at 10.00 AM** in the **Conference Hall of PPG College of Arts and Science**.

The conference aimed to explore the changing landscape of literature in the digital era, focusing on how social media platforms and artificial intelligence influence storytelling, literary production, and critical analysis. Scholars, researchers, academicians, and students from various institutions participated in the conference and presented research papers related to contemporary literary trends, digital narratives, and interdisciplinary approaches to literature and technology.

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The event was conducted under the guidance of **Dr. L. P. Thangavelu, Chairman, PPG Group of Institutions**, who served as the **Chief Patron**, and **Dr. N. Muthumani, Principal, PPG College of Arts and Science**, who acted as the **Patron** of the conference. The **Chief Guest, Dr. Kishore Ram**, Professor and Author from **MMNSS College, Kottiyam, Kollam**, delivered the keynote address. In his insightful speech, he discussed the transformation of storytelling in the digital age and highlighted how emerging technologies such as artificial intelligence are reshaping literary creation, criticism, and readership. He also encouraged young researchers to engage with digital tools while maintaining critical and ethical perspectives in literary studies.

The conference featured several engaging paper presentations by scholars and students from different institutions. The presentations addressed various topics such as digital literature, AI-assisted writing, social media narratives, cultural representation in digital storytelling, and the future of literary studies in a technologically evolving world. Each session fostered meaningful discussions and academic exchange among participants.

The event provided an excellent platform for researchers and students to share ideas, present innovative research, and understand the evolving relationship between literature and technology. The conference concluded with a vote of thanks expressing gratitude to the management, the chief guest, participating scholars, organizing committee members, and students who contributed to the successful conduct of the event.

Overall, the National Level Conference was a significant academic initiative that encouraged dialogue on contemporary literary developments and the impact of digital technologies on global storytelling.

