## KTSP Mandal's Hutatma Rajguru Mahavidyalaya, Rajgurunagar Department of English English Department Annual Report (2023-2024)

During the academic year 2023-24, the Department of English conducted both undergraduate and postgraduate classes as per the schedule. The Department organized a series of enriching activities to promote values and enhance the educational experience of students. These activities included: 1. Online Historical Quiz for Independence Day (14th to 19th August, 202): Engaged 72 students in commemorating Independence Day, testing their knowledge of the freedom struggle in collaboration with the Department of History. 2. Fresher's Welcome Program (28th August 2023): Chief Guest Prof. Rupali Wayal emphasized linguistic proficiency and set a positive tone for the academic year. 3. Teachers' Day Celebration (5th September 2023): Students and faculty expressed heartfelt appreciation for teachers' contributions, acknowledging their role in shaping academic and personal growth. 4. Guest Lecture on Communication Skills (12th September 2023): Dr. Ganesh Wagh, Manchar College, delivered an insightful lecture, attracting significant attendance and guiding students on language and communication skills. 5. Gandhi Jayanti (3rd October 2023): Ganji Jayanti is annually celebrated on 2<sup>nd</sup> October to commemorate Gandhi's birthday. On 3<sup>rd</sup> October, we emphasized his principles of non-violence, truth, and peace during the departmental activity. 6. Debate Competition (6th October 2023): Ignited intellectual discourse on pertinent topics, witnessing significant interest and participation among students. 7. Quiz Competition (10th October 2023): Tested students' knowledge in English grammar and general awareness, fostering healthy competition among the participants. 8. Vijayadashami/Dussehra Celebration (25th October): The department organized Vijayadashami/Dussehra to celebrate the victory of good over evil.9. Field Visit to DOGR, Rajgurunagar (25th October 2023): Provided firsthand knowledge of research and processing methods in agricultural sciences to 23 students. 10. Diwali Fiesta (21st November 2023): Celebrated the cultural and religious significance of Diwali, fostering a sense of unity and joy among attendees. 11. Poetry Recitation Competition (24th February 2024): Allowed students to delve into the intricate facets of poetic expression through their interpretations of selected poems.12. Monologue Mastery: Dramatic Reading Competition (26th February 2024): Captivated audiences with students' captivating performances, showcasing their proficiency in character portrayal and narrative expression. 13. Elocution Competition (27th February 2024): Provided a platform for students to hone their public speaking skills and express their views eloquently. 14. The Trip (13th March 2024): Organized a special trip for English students, along with students from other departments, to explore cultural and historical landmarks in Alibaugh. The trip included visits to Pali Ganpati, Janjira Fort, Kashid Beach and Birla Mandir. 15. Send-off Event for TYBA and MA Part II Students (6th April 2024): Bid farewell to departing students, symbolizing departmental camaraderie. Besides these, Film screenings and Appreciation, Elocution competitions, and Guest lectures were also organized under the Language Lab Cell. The department successfully organized these activities to enhance the overall educational experience of the students and foster a sense of community within the department.

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