

### **Orientation Program – 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

The Outreach Orientation program for the UG second year students of Commerce A Section, Sociology, Economics and B. Voc. Digital Journalism was conducted on 26<sup>th</sup> June in L.S. Hall. The program started at 2.35 pm with a prayer song. Ms. Jeyamani Divya Christudoss, Vice Principal Shift 2 addressed the students about the importance of Outreach and she mentioned that it was mandatory for the students to complete their Outreach credits in order to get their degree. She also mentioned about the attitudinal changes and the changes in an individual's behavior and perception that could be brought about through the Outreach program.

Rev. Fr. Principal addressed the students as the Director of the Outreach department and he mentioned about being compassionate, kind and about reaching out to the less fortunate people. He spoke about the importance of Outreach from a Jesuit Perspective. Mr. J. Antony Anbarasan, Faculty of the Outreach department addressed the students about the significance of the Outreach program and why it is necessary to work in the communities where the urban poor are living. He spoke about the changes that could be brought about in a student if he takes the Outreach program seriously and the values and skills that could be learnt.

Prof. Amala Anandhi then spoke about the dynamics of the Outreach program and the process in which the Outreach program would be conducted. She also spoke about the important things which should be taken into consideration during the Outreach intervention and the instructions which have to be followed by the students.

### **Orientation Program – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

The Outreach Orientation program for the UG second year students of Commerce B Section, History, Chemistry and Plant Biology was

conducted on 30<sup>th</sup> June in De Nobili Auditorium at Old LIBA Building. The program started at 2.35 pm with a prayer song. Dr. Alexander the Dean of Arts addressed the students about the importance of Outreach and he mentioned that Outreach is a mandatory program for the students and unless they complete it they cannot get their degree. He mentioned about the things that they need to observe and learn from the people and the attitudinal and behavioral changes that could be brought about during the Outreach program.

Rev. Fr. Principal addressed the students as the Director of the Outreach department and he mentioned about being compassionate, kind and to reach out to the less fortunate people in the intervention areas. He spoke about the importance of Outreach from a Jesuit Perspective and mentioned about the role of Outreach in contribution towards the formation of the students. Mr. J. Antony Anbarasan, Faculty of the Outreach department addressed the students about the significance of the Outreach program and why it is necessary to work in the communities where the urban poor are living. He spoke about the changes that could be brought about in a student if he takes the Outreach program seriously and the values and skills that could be learnt.

Dr. Muthuramalingam then spoke about the dynamics of the Outreach program and the process in which the Outreach program would be conducted. Dr. Muthu and the Outreach Faculty members, spoke about the important things which should be taken into consideration during the Outreach intervention and the instructions which have to be followed by the students.

# Department of Service Learning (Outreach), Loyola College

## Orientation Program Report - June 28, 2023

### First session (9.30 a.m):

The session started with a general introduction to the outreach program by the MC, Siddharth. He gave a general introduction about the program, including the importance and necessity for such a program.



After a prayer song by Victor and team, Professor Antony delivered the welcome address, introducing the speakers for the session.

Next, two students from the present third year batch talked about their personal experiences with the outreach program.



Vice Principal of shift -2, Professor Peter gave a talk to the students on the importance of mentally preparing for the upcoming outreach program. He also touched on the inherent responsibility that humans have to be responsible for the improvement of those around us.



Followed by Professor Peter, there was a video presentation by the Father Principal about the outreach program. Shortly after, the Principal had arrived at the venue to give a talk to the students about the objectives and strategies of outreach.



Professor Melson addressed the students with a motivational session and Professor Richard marked the end of all talks with the general dynamics of outreach, including details regarding the number of hours to complete and the teams that students are split into



## Second session (11.30 a.m):

The second session was also conducted in the same manner as the first session. Firstly, there was an introduction by the MC, Siddharth, which was followed by a prayer song. After the prayer song, Professor Anand gave the welcome address, introducing the speakers for the session. Two different students from the present third year batch described their experiences with the outreach program.

The Vice Principal, Professor Peter talked to the students about the importance of our duty to serve the less privileged around us.

Next, a video by Fr. Principal was played, followed by an address by Fr. Principal on the objectives of the outreach program.

Professor Richard delivered the motivational session which included an interactive session in which students talked about the problems faced by lesser known regions of Tamil Nadu, followed by the final talk of the session which was delivered by Professor Melson on the details of outreach, including the hours and syllabus.



Both sessions ended with a vote of thanks which was delivered by a second year student.

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### **ORIENTATION PROGRAMME**

#### **INTRODUCTION**

The orientation programme was conducted on 30.06.23, in old LIBA building at Morning by 9 .30 am to 11.am and 11.15 am to 12.30 pm respectively. The students from the departments of all 8 sections were present for the programme by following the time schedule. The aim of the session is to understand the motive of The Department of Service Learning and its activities through the previous students.

#### **AGENDA OF THE SESSION**

- Prayer song
- Welcome Address
- Felicitation
- Principal's message
- Vice principal's message
- Director's message
- Senior's experience
- Mentoring Session by Professor incharge
- Dynamics by Professor Incharge
- Vote of thanks by present 2<sup>nd</sup> year students

<b>Date</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Officials</b>	<b>Professor Incharge</b>
30.06.23	9.30. am to 11.00 am	Dr. J. Judith Vijaya Dean of Science	Dr.Baskar & Prof. Priya
	11.15.00 am to 12.30 pm	Prof. Peter, Vice Principal – Shift II	

#### **SESSION MINUTES**

The session began with the prayer song and followed by the welcome address. The principal and Director of outreach our college Rev. Fr. Louis Arockiaraj, SJ greeted us and gave us his message gave brief introduction on the Jesuit education in St. Ignatius' way. Officials as mentioned in the tabulation motivated the students to serve the community. The senior's from various departments shared their experience which was an interesting session for the participants. The motivation session and dynamics of service learning was delivered by Professor Incharge from the department of service learning through their field experiences. At the end of the session, there was Vote of thanks which was delivered by present 2<sup>nd</sup> year student and the programme was concluded by the National anthem.

## **Inauguration and orientation of Service Learning program for UG Second Years Students**

### **Session-I**

The program was started at 9.30am on 27<sup>th</sup> of June 2023 a visual presentation for the prayer song followed by **Prof. Richard** welcomed the officials and dignitaries, staff members who are from the various departments for outreach incharge, faculty from the department of service learning and students.

**Mr. Marisamy** from 3rd Chemistry as shared his service learning experience which he had in the Godhamedu, Saidapet.

**Rev.Dr.A.Louis Arockiaraj S.J.**, Principal & Director- Department of service learning felicitated all of us and gave his message on Ignitius pedagogical paradigm and motivated the students about the importance of service learning to the young generations who will special attention to the poor with equity, equality and justice.

**Dr. Maria Xavier** Prof, Department of Chemistry and Vice-principal Shift-I in Loyola College wished all the students to take up this programme as a part of your subject. He also motivated the students to involve in this importance of service learning at Loyola College.

**Dr.E. Anand**, assistance professor of service learning gave the motivational speech to the students. He shared his slums experience and motivated the students to take up social responsibilities in moulding the people of vulnerable community.

**Mr. S.Antony Samy**, assistant professor department of Service learning presented the dynamics of service learning and explained the role of the students and staff in taking up this important programme.

**Mr.K. Harish**, student of History proposed vote of thanks for the gathering and ended the event successfully,

### **Session-II**

The Department of Service Learning organized the orientation and motivation session for the undergraduates of B. Com-B, and BCA students on 27<sup>th</sup> June at Lawrence Sundaram Auditorium from 11 am to 12.30 pm. The session started with a prayer song. Prof. K.S. Melson welcomed the Rev. Dr.A. Louis Arockiaraj S.J., Principal, Dr. Maria Xavier, Vice-Principal, faculty and students. Rev. Dr Principal shared about ignatius pedagogy and he mentioned about equity, equality and justice to the poor. Dr. Maria Xavier, Vice-Principal said that students must actively participate in outreach activities and learn about good things from the community.

Mr. Jeevan, a third year student shared his experience that students organized events like awareness program, free eye camp, planted sapling in the community and distributed relief materials. He said that the Outreach experience was wonderful. Mr. Viswarath, third year

student mentioned about events organized in the community and students learned from the community.

Prof. Antonysamy explained about the scenario and prospect of youth in the world. He mentioned that youth depended on artificial intelligence technology which reduced real world learning. He added that Service Learning is very important which provides experiential learning. students to apply academic knowledge, addressing through identifying community needs. Service Learning provides opportunities to improve academic experience, abilities and develop skills of the students. He emphasized on the benefits of service learning to the students. Dr.E.Anand explained the dynamics of service learning. He mentioned about the class time schedule, work model, group formation and assessment method for the evaluation of the work

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### Orientation session

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Prof. Amala Anandhi, Assistant Professor of Service Learning gave the motivational speech to the students. She inspired the students by sharing of many incidents and personal experiences to take up the social responsibilities in shaping the just society.

Prof. Rathna, Assistant Professor of Service Learning had explained the dynamics of service learning which helps to get the understanding of Department's history and its regulations.

Rev. Dr. A. Louis Arockiaraj SJ, Principal of Loyola College and Director of Department of Service Learning wished all the students to be regular for the program and to get involved in community services. He also motivated the students to complete the outreach program within the expected time.

### Vote of Thanks

Ms. Aprita, student of Department of Advanced Zoology proposed vote of thanks for the gathering and ended the event successfully.

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Mr. Suresh, student of Department of Tamil proposed vote of thanks for the gathering and ended the event successfully.