

ISMAL YUSUF COLLEGE

REPORT OF THE WACHAN PRERANA DIVAS 16th Oct, 2023

Theme: My reading habits

Reading Inspiration Day is annually celebrated on 15th October, commemorating the birth anniversary of the former President of India, Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam. At Ismail Yusuf College, we celebrated this day on Monday, 16th October 2023, in the library reading hall from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm with the gracious permission and encouragement from our respected Principal, Anita Bodke Madam. Nine students participated, and 64 students attended the program.

The theme of the occasion was "My Reading Habits." Some key points for the speeches were provided to the participating students for preparation. Nine students were registered for this program.

Librarian Smt. Swati Phadke introduced the theme of the program. Mr. Gandhi Dhuri from the Department of Philosophy and Mr. Samir Vairagi, the Head of the Department of Marathi, inaugurated the program by lighting the ceremonial lamp. They spoke about the remarkable legacy of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam and advised students on drawing inspiration from great leaders and personalities. Dr. Ritesh Singhal also shared his thoughts on reading habits.

The following students spoke on the occasion:

Mr. Waghmare Vinayak Sameer (SYJC-Sci) shared his reading habit, which was developed by reading the Bhagavad Gita. Nilesh Varma (SYJC-Arts) spoke about Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam and emphasized the importance of reading. Amrin Shaikh (FYJC-Arts) confidently shared her childhood reading habits, including reciting the poem "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star" with her cousins. She also discussed how she collects new words from various reading materials. Mr. Ankit Kumar Mishra (MSc II-Che) read and explained quotes by Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam. Patel Shahida Bano (SYBAF) shared her reading habits, including a favourite quote, and expressed her attraction towards old book covers. Trupti Yadav (FYBA) spoke about her habit of reading as a form of escapism from reality. Shaikh Hera (TYBA) highlighted the importance of reading. Mohammad Shaban Khan (SYBA) spoke on the Urdu topic: 'Mutale ki Ahmiyet aur Fayde,' emphasizing the importance of reading for mental development. Saad Mohammad Iqbal (SYBA) shared how he was inspired by the book "Siraj-e-Zindagi" by Ali Miya.

Dr. Anjali Alekar shared her reading habits and how books have provided her with guidance and solutions to problems. She also gave a review of her favorite book, "आपली माणसं" by डॉ. विजया वाड. Dr. Madhuri Joshi paid homage to Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, emphasizing the importance of reading physical books and incorporating Kalam's teachings into our behavior.

In conclusion, Librarian Smt. Swati Phadke extended a vote of thanks, quoting from Safdan Hashmi's book "Kitab Kuch Kehnsa Chahti Hai," and ended the program with the slogan "To read and grow."




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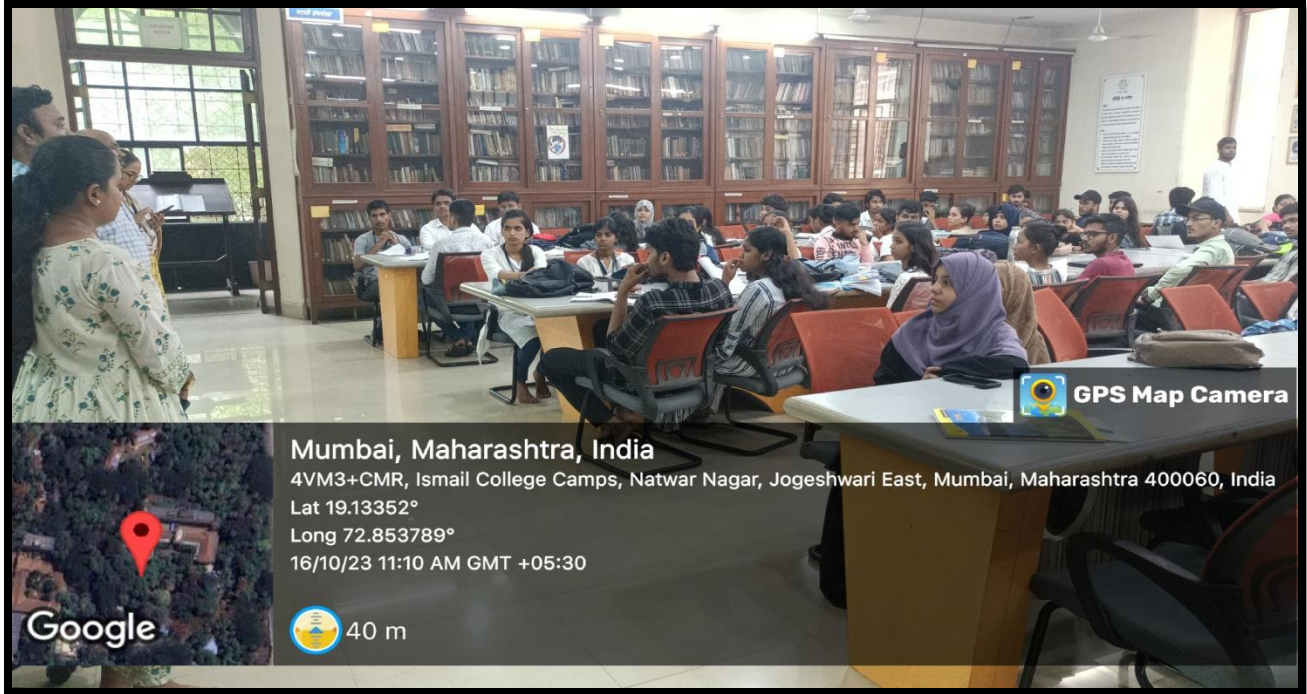


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My reading habits: some points for the speech.....

- Childhood reading memories
- My Best time to read
- Why do I read?
- What do I read nowadays?
- Do I keep notes or a list of what I've read?
- My special interest in reading.... the topics/ subjects which I generally read in fiction or non-fiction , including academic reading
- A short review of the most enjoyable book or article that I have read
- Do I discuss or get recommendations about my favorite books from my parents/ teachers/ friends?
- How to do away with distractions while reading ?
- Use of technology is better or bitter for my reading?
- How I grew with reading?

Students can register on or before 14th October in the Library and also check the above points for the preparation and contact the Librarian for further queries.

Reading Inspiration Day is celebrated on the occasion of birthday of our Former President BharatRatha Dr APJ Abdul Kalam which is on 15th October