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PROGRAMMES ON GENDER SENSITIZATION

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT CELL

The cell endeavors to empower women socially, economically, politically and legally with a focus on promoting decision making. It conducts various activities and arranges Guest Lectures to accelerate the academic enhancement, leadership development and cultural enrichment in the lives of young women.

Programmes on Gender Sensitization:

S. No.	DATE / DURATION	PROGRAMME / ACTIVITY	THEME / TITLE	Resource Person(s)	OUTCOME OF THE EVENT
1.	Aug. 04, 2022	Guest Lecture	HAR GHAR TIRANGA – Role of Tamilnadu Women Leaders in Independence of India	Dr. A. Devmala , Head &Part – I Language Tamil (SF), Fatima College (Autonomous) Madurai	Students got an opportunity to know and learn about various women fighters in Tamilnadu and their lives personify lessons of supreme struggle and endurance
2.	Sep. 22, 2022	Student Activity	In today's situation Whether Women rights are acknowledged or not	Dr. S. Arul Jothi, Assistant Professor of Computer Science, (Autonomous) Madurai	The programme created awareness among the students towards women rights in present situation.
3.	Oct. 13, 2022	Lecture & Student Activity	Pennin Perunthakkayav ula	Dr. S. R. Poongodi Assistant Professor of Tamil (SF) Fatima College	The programme motivated the students towards role of women in the Society
4.		Group Discussion	Women with disabilities and Youth		This programme made a platform for the students to realize the difficulties of women with disabilities
5.	Dec. 21, 2022	Problems of Teenagers – Cyber Crime	Cyber Crime	 Mr. Raja, Sub Inspecter, Cyber Crime, Madurai Mr. MuthuKumar, Head Constable, Madurai 	The Programme created awareness on the types of crime and its impact on the society



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Women and Girl's Education Rights

Ms. Priya Babu, Founder, Transgender Resource Centre, delivered a talk on Women and Girl's Education Rights' on Aug. 05, 2022. She shared her experience on rescuing 50 girls from the red-light areas in Mumbai. She started her talk with a film example and continued to speak about Women and Girl's education rights. She insisted that Girls should be outspoken for their rights. They should come out of their safe zone. They should not underestimate themselves for the society. She also shared about her childhood and how she took four years to decide and achieve what she wants. She addressed how a girl child should face the society with boldness at the same time human rights is sometime considered to be individual point of View. Finally she interacted with the students and answered their questions. The event ended with National Anthem.



Priya Babu sensitizing the students on Women's Rights



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Fatima Incubation & Entrepreneurial Skill Training & Animation (FIESTA) and

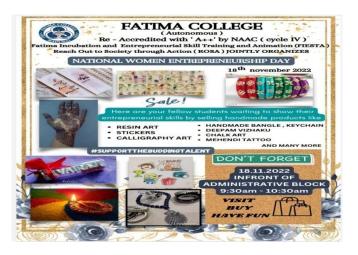
Reach Out to Society through Action (ROSA)

Jointly organised

NATIONAL WOMEN ENTREPRENEURSHIP DAY

In commemoration with Mahatma Gandhi National Entrepreneurship Month Celebration and National Women Entrepreneurship Day, Fatima Incubation & Entrepreneurial Skill Training &Animation (FIESTA) and Reach Out Through Society Through Action (ROSA) Jointly organised a sales day in the college premises on 18 November 2022. Total 9 teams comprised of six members in each team participated in the mega event. The students exhibited their talents in handcraft products like Resin art, Mehandi, stickers, Keychain, Deepam Vizhaku, calligraphy art etc. Dr.R.Angel, Coordinator of ROSA and Mrs.P.Kalaiselvi, coordinator of FIESTA encouraged and motivated the students about entrepreneurship. This venture enhanced their hidden skills and the students utilised the opportunity.

Invitation





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Staff Purchased from calligraphy Stall



Dr.R.Angel, Coordinator of ROSA Purchased from Deepam Vizhaku Stall

International Day to End Violence against Women: International day to end violence against women was celebrated by WEAT on 25 November 2022 to 10 December (Human Rights Day). Series of Competitions like poster making. Elocution and poem writings were organized. 30 women participated in this and prizes were distributed to winners.



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Entrepreneurship Training Program for Rural Women

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Report:

As a part of welcoming Women's Day Celebration the Reach Out to Society through Action (ROSA) of Fatima College organized a training program for the rural women as a part of the Unnat Bharath Abhiyan program on March 4, 2023. The programme started with a soulful prayer song rendered by the college choir. As a part of ROSA, Fatima College has taken 16 villages in and around Madurai under its wing. Two women representatives from each of these villages were part of the program. Dr. Sr. G. Jenita Rani, Vice Principal in her Felicitation address stated that self employment skills are equally important as getting education. She then welcomed the rural women and



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appreciated the ROSA team for successfully organizing the event and wished her best.

The 'Paruthi Pen' Ms. T. Kannama shared that the waste produced by non-biodegradable sanitary pads inspired her to come up with the organic herbal sanitary pad production. The product started at a small level and was promoted through her *Youtube* channel @kannammat7700. She then stated that the production of the sanitary pads are done at her home and motivated the women to start one at their home as well. She also highlighted that it is the duty of every woman to know how to make the sanitary napkins for themselves and urged them not to rely on the store bought products. The Dioxin present in the store bought napkins causes cancer and other health hazards, she said. When talking about Mooligai Napkin she stated that pads contain neem, aloevera and triphala powder which has antibacterial properties and helps absorb smell. She also added that they even help cure urinary infections. She then demonstrated the making of the sanitary pads to the rural women. Ms. T. Kannama also clarified the doubts of the rural women. The program ended on a successful note with positive feedbacks from the audience.



The Paruthi Pen Ms. T. Kannama's speech on menstrual health



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Ms. T. Kannama teaching the process of making a Sanitary Napkin



A group picture of the ROSA team and the rural women

Media Flash:







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International Women's Day -2023

The International Women's Day - 2023 was celebrated by the Women Empowerment Cell of Fatima College, Madurai on 5 March 2023. The event was hosted by the Part-V Coordinator Dr. G. Germine Mary, Women cell Coordinator Dr. J. Arul Jothi and Mrs. T. Charanya Nagammal and Presided by the Secretary Dr. Sr. M. Francisca Flora, Principal Dr. Sr. G. Celine Sahaya Mary and Vice Principal of Shift I & II. The Guest of Honour Mrs. Diletta Linari, Police Officer and Mr. Mauro Santolamazza, Postal Officer, Florence, Italy addressed the gathering on women empowerment. Speaking at the event, Mrs. Diletta Linari emphasised on role of women in the present scenario. Mauro Santolamazza saluted women for their activities as dual responsibilities in the society both at Home and Working Environment. He motivated the students to take responsibilities in higher cadre. Various cultural programmes such as dance, poetry recitation and motivational songs were performed. The students depicted the importance of women empowerment through a meaningful Mime show. Fatima College always stands for women empowerment and women's day celebrations are part of the process. The programme came to an end with the National Anthem.



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Invitation

Mrs. Diletta Linari addressing the students





WEAT celebrated Women's Day on March 08, 2023. Dr. L. Meena, Assistant Professor of Management Studies (MBA), Fatima College and Sr. Sandanam (Researcher and Social Activist) were the Resource persons. 100 women participated in this event.
