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## Admission Mela -2025

De Paul College, Mysuru, opened its doors to aspiring students through a vibrant Admission Mela organized for the upcoming academic year. The event created an engaging platform where students and parents were warmly welcomed to explore the diverse undergraduate programmes offered by the institution.

The Mela provided a one-stop solution for all admission-related queries. Faculty members, academic counselors, and student volunteers guided visitors in understanding the course structures, career prospects, co-curricular opportunities, and support services available on campus. Dedicated counters for BBA, B.Com, BCA and BA helped students gain clarity about the scope of each programme, eligibility requirements, and the admission process.

In addition to academic guidance, the event showcased the infrastructure of the college, including modern classrooms, library, laboratories, sports facilities, and student support cells. The Mela also highlighted the institution's core values of Justice, Empathy, Service, Teamwork, Integrity and Respect, reflecting the holistic development that De Paul College promises its students.



## Motivational Session

The Centre for Personality Development in association with IQAC of De Paul College organized an inspiring motivational session on "Know Your Dream, Hunt Every Opportunity" by Mr. Thomas John Rose, a well-known Indian motivational speaker, on 31st July, 2025. Mr. Rose captivated the audience with his energetic and engaging style, urging students to identify their true passions and pursue them with dedication and confidence. He emphasized the importance of self-belief, perseverance, and making the best use of every opportunity that comes one's way. Through real-life examples and thought-provoking anecdotes, he encouraged students to overcome challenges, develop a positive mindset, and turn their dreams into achievable goals.



The interactive session kept the students highly involved, as they responded enthusiastically to the speaker's thought-provoking questions and practical tips for personal and professional growth. Many students expressed that the session helped them gain clarity about their aspirations and motivated them to move forward with renewed determination.



## World Nature Conservation Day

World Nature Conservation Day is observed every year on July 28 to raise awareness about the importance of protecting the natural environment and to encourage sustainable practices for the well-being of present and future generations.

The day emphasizes the need to preserve natural resources such as forests, water, soil, air, minerals, and wildlife, which are vital for human survival and ecological balance. It serves as a reminder that over-exploitation, deforestation, pollution, and unsustainable development threaten biodiversity and the planet's health.

Eco Club and Department of Arts in association with IQAC observed 'World Nature Conservation Day' by organizing Paper Bag Making Competition on 28th July, 2025.





## Parikalpanam

The monthly college assembly 'Parikalpanam' was held on 30th July, 2025 in the college auditorium. In celebration of the International Friendship Day, a short



and meaningful video was played, highlighting the value of friendship and unity. The assembly also celebrated the achievements of both faculty and students in various fields.



Day 1: The first day's programme witnessed the presence of Dr. Gururaj, Pro-chancellor, Lamrin Tech Skill University, Punjab. In his keynote address, he highlighted the importance of holistic education and Student preparedness for future. Principal Rev. Dr. Baiju Antony CM also addressed the gathering, emphasizing discipline, core values and opportunities at De Paul College. Parents and students were briefed about academic regulations, examination procedures, discipline policies and institutional support system.

Day 2: The second day's programme began with a Mindfulness and Refection session led by Rev. Dr. Shijo Antony CM, Vice Principal on resilience and navigating challenges of life. The day also witnessed a Staff Induction Programme. Rev. Dr. Baiju Antony CM, Rev. Dr. Shijo Antony CM and Dr. Licy K G addressed the staff members.



Day 4: The fourth day focused entirely on Bridge Course sessions.

Day 5: The induction week concluded with an outing for the freshers, aimed at building camaraderie, teamwork and relaxation after the orientation sessions.



## Five – Day National Level Online Faculty Development Programme

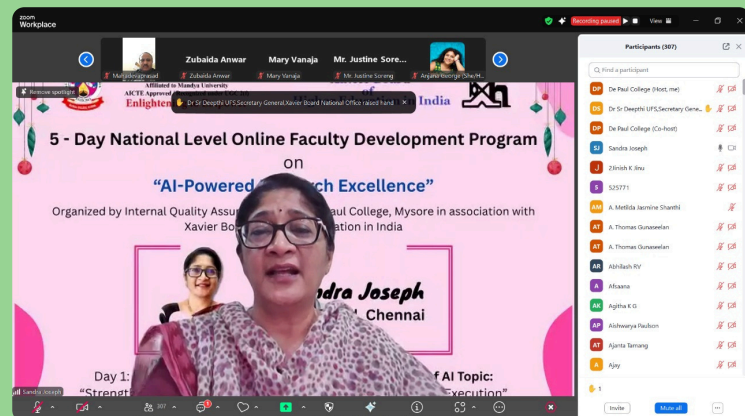
De Paul College in association with Xavier Board of Higher Education and IQAC organized a Five- Day National Online Faculty Development

Programme from 21st July to 25th July, 2025.

The FDP was designed

to empower faculty, research scholars, students and industry professionals with AI integrated research skills. On 21st July, Dr. Fr. L Joji Reddy SJ, President, Xavier Board of Higher Education, inaugurated the session. Rev.Dr. Anil Thomas, President, De Paul College, also addressed the session.

Dr. Sandra Joseph, United Board, Chennai; Dr. K S Sowmiya Rani, Founder, Sowmis AWW; Dr. Malish C M, IIT, Mumbai; Dr. Lancy D' Souza, University of Mysore; Dr. Fr. Jossy P George and Dr. V R Uma, Christ University, Bengaluru led the technical sessions on a variety of topics related to AI Integrated Research Skills. There was an overwhelming participation of 370 faculty members from various colleges, professors, research scholars and industry professionals. There was representation from 58 institutions from 14 states.



## Induction Programme

The Induction Programme for the newly admitted students of De Paul College was organized from 21st July to 25th July, 2025. The week long programme was designed to familiarize students and their parents with the institution's vision, mission, culture and academic practices while providing opportunities for interaction, orientation and community building.



Day 3: the day commenced with Departmental Orientation where Heads of Departments introduced freshers to departmental vision, programme structure, opportunities for growth and student responsibilities. In the afternoon, faculty members attended the Academic Action Plan session led by Dr. Licy K G, Vice Principal and NAAC/ IQAC Action Plan for the academic year by Joshy P J, IQAC Co-ordinator.

