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Creative Approaches to Peace for Whole Person Education

Sponsored by: United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia

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St. Aloysius College was granted a three year project entitled “ Creative Approaches to Peace for Whole Person Education” sponsored by United Board for Christian Higher Education In Asia from 2023-2025.

Total for the project: US\$ 12,080

The grant for 1st year (FY 2022-2023): US\$ 4,060

Objectives of the Project

- To create PEACE WARRIORS with an understanding of peace and whole person wellness education imparted intellectually, spiritually and emotionally for peacebuilding.
- To provide an inbuilt opportunity to explore the world through the perspective of peace and conflict resolution through participation in activities and collaborative events.
- To explore the community through the process of assessment, choice, reflection and engagement in peacebuilding through artistic approaches

Activities Conducted for promotion of peace-

- Certificate course on Creative Approaches to Peace
- Two days Workshop on Musical Peace Building
- Two days workshop on Inner Peace Education
- Interfaith Harmony Week
- Human Rights Day Celebration

➤ Certificate Course on Creative Approaches to Peace

A 30 hours and 2 credits certificate course was conducted for the students of all faculty. The course catered to basic arts based approaches to understanding peace and conflict situations. The course was conducted twice in the FY year 2023. Nearly 70 students were part of the certificate course and benefitted from the arts based pedagogy. The students were evaluated on the basis of various activities on the finale day conducted using musical, literary and dance based approaches. The students after completing the program were designated as Peace Warriors.

The roadmap of the course structure is as follows

- Introduction to concept of Peace Music and Peace
- What Peace means to you- Mandala Art
- Storytelling for dissemination of Peace
- Making Music -Introduction to Violence-Awareness
- Roleplay for peace enacting Skits for Peace building Peace
- Poster making Presentation and Distribution of Project Preparation for Evaluation using Creative Approaches
- Finale Performance using Creative Approaches to Peace



Musical Peace Building

Two days musical Peace Building program was held on 18th and 19th August, 2023. Nearly 120 students participated in the two days workshop. Mr Yash Lucas a music artist conducted the two days workshop. The blueprint of the workshop is as follows-

Day1

- Introduction to Peace – Brainstorming Peace Emotions
- Singing on the basis of Emotions- Courage, Love, Happiness and Gratitude
- Facilitated by the Facilitator- Musical Peacebuilding- Positive and Negative Emotions □
Facilitator-Musical Session- Singing to counter Negative Emotions

Day 2

- Songs by Facilitator and effects generated by singing
- Interactive Session
- Visual Session- Photographs of positive and negative emotions were shared -Students were asked to share the emotion they feel
- Musical Session – Emotionally potent songs were sung by facilitator and the participants



Inner Peace Education Program

Two days workshop on “ Finding Inner Peace and Happiness” was organized on 15th and 16th September,2023. The blueprint of two days workshop was as follows-

Day1

- Inner Peace and Happiness- Dr Pankaj Kumar, Life coach and Motivational Speaker
- Path of Peace through yourself- Dr Pramod Chaitnaya, Head Department of Physics and Faculty Art of Living

Day 2

- Impact of Social Media on Health- Dr Smarika Lawrance, Coordinator, Peace Project
- Role of Physical Exercise in Generating Happiness- Mr Sumit Rajak, ,Certified Aerobics and Zumba Instructor



Interfaith Harmony Week

Interfaith Harmony Week was organized from 3rd to 8th November, 2023

Following Competitions were organized

- Speech Competition on role of Women and environment in Peace
- Awareness Poster Competition on Interfaith Harmony
- Essay Writing Competition on the topic "Youth and World Peace"



Human Rights Day Celebration

Human Rights day was celebrated and awareness was created through the following activities

- A talk on "Universal Declaration of Human Rights and Global Scenario" by Dr Vishwas Patel was organized by Department of Political Science on 10/12/23
- A talk on "Human Rights Theory and Practice" by Tuhina Johri, Head, Department of Political Science was organized by Department of Political Science on 12/12/23
- An awareness program on Human Rights and its role in society was organized in Gram Silua, Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh on 16/12/23
- A Poster presentation on human Rights was organized for the BA students on 10/12/23

Expected Outcomes

- To initiate and build peace education program in the college and Central India.
- To create "Peace Warriors" through creative approaches to peace
- Attempt art-based approaches to peacebuilding in conflict contexts
- Demonstrate a basic understanding of the domain of peace studies and its long term ramifications.
- Generate the feeling of love, respect, equality, understanding, empathy and justice amongst the youth