

Title of the Event	Book Exhibition Held at St. Vincent College Library		
Date of the Event	January 9, 2024	Place of the event	Library Reading Hall, St. Vincent College
Objectives of the Event	The book exhibition aimed to promote a culture of reading and intellectual engagement among students and faculty by showcasing a diverse collection of books across disciplines, highlighting newly acquired titles, and facilitating greater interaction with library resources.		
Name/s of the Resource Persons	Dr. Yogesh Mate		

A short narration of the program

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Introduction

The Library of St. Vincent College successfully organized a Book Exhibition on January 9, 2024, at the Library Reading Hall. The event aimed to encourage reading habits among students and faculty by showcasing a wide variety of books across multiple disciplines and genres.

Objectives of the Book Exhibition

The primary objectives of the exhibition were:

- To provide students with exposure to a diverse collection of books.
- To promote a culture of reading and intellectual engagement.
- To highlight newly acquired books in the library collection.
- To facilitate interaction between students, faculty, and library resources.

Details of the Exhibition

- The exhibition was open throughout the day and witnessed an overwhelming response from students and faculty members.
- More than 500 students visited the exhibition, demonstrating keen interest in various books on display.
- Books from different genres and disciplines were showcased, including:
- o Literature: Classic and contemporary novels, poetry, and drama by renowned authors.



- Science: Books on physics, chemistry, biology, and environmental sciences, including recent scientific discoveries and research.
- History and Political Science: Historical accounts, biographies of notable figures, and books on governance and international relations.
- Philosophy and Psychology: Works of prominent philosophers, self-help books, and studies on human behavior and mental health.
- Technology and Computer Science: Books on programming, artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, and emerging technological trends.
- Self-Help and Motivation: Books focused on personal growth, leadership, time management, and career development.
- Competitive Exam Preparation: Guides and reference materials for exams like UPSC, MPSC, NET,
 GATE, and banking exams.
- Fiction and Non-Fiction: Thrillers, mysteries, science fiction, travelogues, memoirs, and inspirational stories.
- Reference Books and Encyclopedias: Dictionaries, atlases, and encyclopedic volumes providing detailed knowledge on various subjects.
- Special attention was given to newly arrived books and rare editions, which were displayed prominently.
- Subject-specific books were categorized for easy accessibility, ensuring a smooth browsing experience for visitors.

Student and Faculty Participation

- Faculty members encouraged students to explore books related to their respective subjects.
- Students actively engaged with the books, with many noting down titles for future reference and borrowing.
- Some students expressed interest in requesting additional book titles to be included in the library's collection.

Feedback and Responses



- The overall response to the exhibition was highly positive.
- Many students appreciated the opportunity to explore books beyond their syllabus.
- Faculty members suggested organizing similar exhibitions regularly to keep students engaged with new learning resources.
- Some students recommended adding more books on digital technology, emerging sciences, and career guidance.

Conclusion

The Book Exhibition at the St. Vincent College Library was a resounding success, achieving its goal of fostering a reading culture among students and faculty. The event provided an excellent opportunity for readers to explore a diverse selection of books and broaden their intellectual horizons. Given the enthusiastic response, the Library Committee plans to organize similar events in the future to further enrich students' academic and personal development.

Acknowledgments: The Library Committee extends its gratitude to the college administration, faculty members, and student volunteers for their valuable support in making this event successful. Special thanks to the students whose participation made the exhibition a meaningful endeavor.

Name of the Collaborating Agency	S.P.P.U & Library, St. Vincent College	
Learning Outcomes of the Event for the Participants	Participants gained exposure to a wide range of genres and subjects beyond their syllabus, discovered new reading interests, and developed awareness of available academic and personal development resources in the library.	
Learning Outcomes for the Organizing team	The organizing team enhanced their skills in curating and managing large-scale academic exhibitions, improved their understanding of user preferences for library collections, and strengthened their ability to foster a vibrant reading culture on campus	
No. of Participants	50 + Students and Faculty Members of St. Vincent College.	
Faculty in Charge	Dr. Yogesh Mate	
Documents Attached	 Attendance Sheet Geotag photographs Resume of resource persons if any Copy of remuneration paid if any Notice of the event 	



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