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ENVIRONMENT AND RESOURCES FOR TEACHING**

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The two day national seminar on 'Effective Planning on Effective Instruction-the role of teacher, learner, learning environment and resources for teaching' organized under the auspice of the Department of Geography, Govt. College of Teacher Education, Thycaud was held on 30th and 31st August 2019. The seminar was sponsored by the Collegiate Education Department, Govt. of Kerala. The venue of the seminar was General Hall and the timing of the seminar was from 9.30 to 4.30 PM. The seminar was successful due to the presence of esteemed resource persons who could provide useful and informative information to the participants in a timely manner and also due to the involvement of the students. The seminar was intended for the first semester B. Ed students and a total of **120 students from 12 different B. Ed colleges** participated in it. The registration of the seminar began at 8.30 am.

Inauguration

The inaugural session of the seminar which began at 9.30 AM was chaired by the Principal of GCTE, Thycaud - Dr. B Suresh. The chief guest of the inaugural function was Prof. K Jacob Mathew, Rtd Principal of GCTE. Dr. G Valsala, Principal BNV College of Education and Dr. Lidson Raj, Asst. Professor of GCTE felicitated the gathering. Dr. AV Sujith, Asst. Professor, GCTE welcomed the gathering and Dr. Sobha V K Asst. Professor, GCTE proposed vote of thanks. The inaugural session ended by 10.00 AM.

Session 1

The morning session of the first day of the seminar started at 10.00 AM. The topic was *Classroom Communication Techniques for Effective Teaching* and the resource person was **Dr. G Porgio**, Research Supervisor, St. Xaviers College of Education, Palayamkottai, Tamil Nadu. Through the session he defined the term class room communication, explained the nine different techniques to make classroom communication more effective and also transacted about the psychological aspects of classroom communication. The session was interesting with the use of videos, pictures and active participation from the part of the students. The speaker, Dr. G Porgio was living as one of the best examples of effective class room communication there inside the classroom. He prompted us to challenge ourselves and to employ diverse strategies suitable to the learners before us, thus prompting us to be spontaneous and flexible.

Session 2 (1.30-4.30 PM)

The afternoon session which began by 1.30 PM was refreshing, inspiring and thought provoking for many reasons. The versatile personality and the deep subject knowledge of the resource person, **Sri.Sunil Kumar P.**, HSST, Govt. V & HSS Paruthipally, Thiruvananthapuram amazed the participants. He taught us the need to change from the structured and conditioned ways and be flexible to suit our environment. That is what makes one a better teacher. He dealt with the topic *Effective Transactional Strategies*. He discussed about the importance of issue based curriculum, objectives of learning and the components of learning. After listening to the speaker one may feel privileged to meet a great teacher. He inspired us to dream high and to plan well before entering a classroom keeping our expectations to the bare minimum. With that the first day of the seminar came to a successful conclusion by 4.45 PM.

Session 3 (9.30 -11.00AM)

The second day of the national seminar- Effective Planning for Effective Instruction started around 9.30 AM. The third session was on *Planning for Instruction*. The resource person of the session was **Dr. Vidhya R R**, Asst. Professor, St. Thomas Training College, Mukkolakkal, Thiruvananthapuram. She introduced the different types of planning before the audience and illustrated it with suitable examples. Her class would be beneficial to the students while preparing lesson plans in future. Due to time constraint, the participants could not communicate all their questions and queries to the resource person. Still the students were able to grasp the concept beautifully.

Session 4 (11.00 -1.00PM)

The fourth session was on *What to teach first and What to teach last*. The resource person who dealt with the topic was **Dr. Deepa R P**, Asst. Professor, NVKSD College of Education, Attoor, Kanyakumari. She dealt with the domains and taxonomy of learning process. She explained in detail about the original and revised taxonomy of Benjamin S Bloom. All the aspects of the subject has been dealt with with suitable examples. She urged us to understand the concept first and then to mould ourselves accordingly to fit the needs of the classroom. Care should be taken to touch the affective domain of the students and only through affective domain and psycho motor domain a teacher should try to reach the cognitive domain of a student. This will increase the efficiency of the teaching-learning process.

Session 5 (1.30-4.30)

The last session of the seminar was truly remarkable and unforgettable as it has succeeded in delving a space of its own in the minds of the learners . The session was on *Better Learning Environment Through Better Resources*. It was dealt by the 'King of Teaching

Aids' Sri, K Suresh Kumar, HST, SMV HSS, Thiruvananthapuram. The session transformed the perception of the participants regarding teaching aids and preparation for the classes. He taught us the importance of being resourceful and having access to the plethora of knowledge resources when ever needed. With all these a teacher can make his or her class effective and different. Such a class won't be boring to the students. If a teacher employs these strategies a student will love the classroom and a rapport will be created between the teacher and the student resulting in a positive learning environment. In one word the class can be called inspirational and motivating to the core prompting us to change our ways and be better.

Valedictory Session, 4.30 to 5 PM

In the valedictory session certificates to the participants were distributed by the Principal of GCTE, Thycaud Dr. B Suresh. The student participants from various colleges shared their experience regarding the seminar. All of them expressed their gratitude and happiness to be able to be a part of such a venture. The participants left the college feeling contented and privileged. Dr. A V Sujith, Asst. Professor GCTE, Thycaud proposed Vote of Thanks in the valedictory function. Thus the two day national seminar on Effective Planning for Effective Instructions came to a successful completion.

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August 30th and 31st, 2019

LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

1. Govt. College of Teacher Education, Thycaud, Thiruvananthapuram	- 49
2. NSS Training College, Pandalam, Pathanamthitta-	- 06
3. Christ Nagar College of Education, Thiruvallam, Thiruvananthapuram	- 04
4. Kaviyattu College of Teacher Education, Pirappancode, Thiruvananthapuram	- 06
5. BNV College of Teacher Education, Thiruvallam, Thiruvananthapuram	- 06
6. Emmanuel College of B.Ed Training, Vazhichal, Thiruvananthapuram	- 06
7. New B.Ed College Nellimood, Thiruvananthapuram	- 06
8. SN Gurukripa B.Ed. College, Pothencode, Thiruvananthapuram	- 02
9. KNM B.Ed College, Kanjiramkulam, Thiruvananthapuram	- 05
10. KPM B. Ed. College, Ayoor, Kollam	- 10
1. Mar Theophilus Training College, Nalanchira, Thiruvananthapuram	- 12
2. CSI College of Education, Parassala, Thiruvananthapuram	- 08

TOTAL

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