Collaborative activity for student and faculty exchange for soft skill certificate course

Department of English

Report on Certificate Course on Soft Skills for Successful Career

The Department of English, Sacred Heart College for Women, Chalakudy, conducted a certificate course on soft skills in collaboration with the six colleges of Kerala (Bishop Moore College, Mavelikkara, St. John's College, Agra, Catholicate College, Pathanamthitta, St. Joseph's College for Women, Alappuzha, Assumption College (Autonomous), Changanacherry and St. Joseph's College (Autonomous), Irinjalakuda) and GAD-TLC of MHRD, under the Govt. of India. The course was conducted from 18 October 2021 to 28 February 2021. The course offered 45 hours of experiential learning. This act of learning process became a befitting platform for both the faculty members and students of the Department of English Sacred Heart College for Women, Chalakudy who performed their roles in varying capacities as the resource persons and masters of ceremonies respectively for the various sessions of the certificate course. The faculty members of the Department of English, Sacred Heart College for Women, Chalakudy, Ms. Sandra Juliet Jose, Ms. Darly Mathew, Ms. Anju Rose Anto and Ms. Keerthana P. K. engaged lecture sessions for the students from the six collaborative colleges. The topics covered include communication skills, interview skills, presentation skills, negotiation skills, self-management skills, problem solving skills, learning skills, team work skills, entrepreneurial skills, and technology-based skills.

Apart from the faculty of the department, the Department of English solicited the support of external experts for the efficacy of putting across soft skill lessons to the students and thus the following persons collaborated with the scheme as part of the Soft Skills programme.

1. Mr. Joyson Jose, Assistant Professor, Adi Shankara Institute of Science and Technology, Kalady.

2. Ms. Ann Vincent Saravanan, Senior Site Manager of Microchip Technology, Chennai

3. Dr. Deepak Mathew, Assistant Professor, College of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Wayanad

Brochure indicating the Collaboration between institutions:



| Prof. A.K. Bakhshi | Prof. K.V. Bhanu Murthy | Prof. Jaswinder Singh | Dr. Vimal Rarh |
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| Vice-Chancellor, PDM | Professor, DTU | Principal, | Project Head & |
| University, Haryana | Vice-Chairman, | SGTB Khalsa College | Joint Director, GAD-TLC |
| Chairman, GAD-TLC | GAD-TLC | Director, GAD-TLC | |

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Faculty from Sacred Heart college who has been part of this course

| SL.NO. | Name of the faculty | Session taken | | |
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| 1 | Ms.Sandra Juliet Jose | Entrepreneurial skills | | |
| 2 | Ms. Darly Mathew | Work ethics and customer management | | |
| 3 | Ms. Anju Rose Anto | Team building and professionalism | | |
| 4 | Ms. Keerthana P.K. | Team building and professionalism | | |

Report of the classes from Day 17- Day 21 conducted by Sacred Heart

College for Women, Chalakudy.

Course Convener: Dr. Sr. A. Princy Anto

Course Coordinator: Ms. Sandra Juliet Jose

Day 17:

Day 17 of the Certificate Course on Soft Skills, conducted in collaboration with six colleges of Kerala and with GAD-TLC of MHRD, was GHT SHINES IN DARKNESS the beginning day of the sessions at Sacred Heart College for Women, Chalakudy of the course. The introductory session on the topic 'ENTREPRENEURIAL SKILLS/ ENTERPRISING SKILLS AND assigned to Sacred Heart College for Women, INITIATING SKILLS' Chalakudy was delivered by Ms. Sandra Juliet Jose, Assistant Professor of the Department of English, Sacred Heart College for Women, Chalakudy. Ms. Sandra Juliet Jose covered the introductory session on 'ENTREPRENEURIAL SKILLS/ENTERPRISING SKILLS AND INITIATING SKILLS' on Day 17 of the course, which is to be handled comprehensively in the following sessions. The Session examined the details of 'Who is an Entrepreneur/Enterpriser/Initiator' and the significant skills required by an entrepreneur/enterpriser. **Ms. Sandra** explicated the topic through PPT presentations and she also made the topic effectively comprehensible to the students by drawing around various experiences and words of remarkable successful entrepreneurs through videos and voice notes. Ms. Sandra dealt with the introductory session of the topic from 8.30 am to 9.45 am. Altogether 111 students attended the session. The session concluded with a note of gratitude by **Afreena K.R, student representative of Sacred Heart College, Chalakudy** and the meeting ended by clicking a cheerful screenshot of the Resource person and the students. A feedback form and a quiz based on the class were issued to the students later the day.

Day 18:

The successive session to the introductory session was delivered by Mr. Joyson Jose, Assistant Professor, Adi Shankara Institute of Science and Technology, Kalady. Mr. Joyson Jose delivered a discussion on **'Problem Solving and Decision-Making Tools'** to the students on the 18th Day of the Soft Skills course. The Resource person of the day accentuated on the strategies of Problem Solving and fundamental instruments for Decision Making requisite for an Entrepreneur/Enterpriser/Initiator through PPT presentations and by foregrounding the significance of creative thinking by spotlighting upon the avant-garde venture experiences of an inventive magnate, Irfan Alam, the founder of SammaN foundation. By illustrating the experiences and the measures Irfan Alam undertook in making his venture a great sensation, Mr. Joyson threw light upon each specific concept regarding Problem solving and Decision Making, making it easily penetrable to the students. The participants were around 108. The session commenced at 8.00 am and concluded by 9.30 am by clicking a cheerful picture of the students and the Resource person of the day, Mr. Joyson Jose.

Day 19:

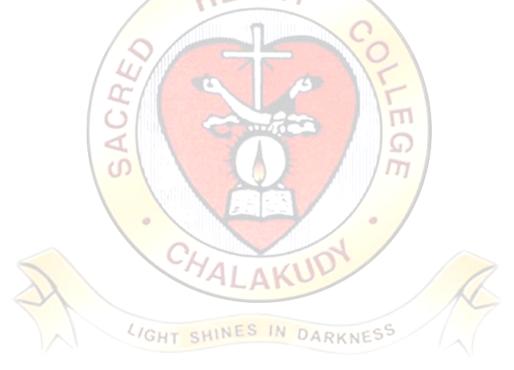
The lecture session on 'CHALLENGES IN A START UP BUSINESS' was delivered by Ms, Ann Vincent Saravanan, working as Senior Site Manager of Microchip Technology, Chennai on the 19th day of the Certificate Course on Soft Skills, on March 19th, 2022. As a strong professional and a start up specialist with exposure in setting up the companies from scratch, and working in close connection with Amura health, an entrepreneurial venture of her husband, Mr Saravanan Balakrishnan, she expounded the topic with her own experiences of challenges and hurdles that she had to come across in start-up ventures and motivated the students to jump over the hurdles in a startup venture. The session commenced at 8 am and concluded at 9.15 am. It was later open for students to discuss the challenges in Entrepreneurial skills. The total participants were around 90. The resource person and the students clicked a cheerful snap before they took their leave.

Day 20:

The session conducted on the 26th of March was attended by two resource persons to speak on the topic 'WORK ETHICS AND CUSTOMER MANAGEMENT'. The topic was informatively carried out by Ms. Darly Mathew, Assistant Professor of English Department, Sacred Heart College, Chalakudy and Dr. Deepak Mathew, Assistant Professor, College of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Wayanad. Ms. Darly Mathew took a session on 'WORK ETHICS' for the first 45 minutes and Dr. Deepak Mathew delivered a talk on 'CUSTOMER MANAGEMENT' for the next 45 minutes. The topic foregrounded the details on the ethics to be kept in work premises and how to approach the customers efficiently. The session was made instrumental and remunerative through videos and activities for the students. The session commenced at 8 am and wound up at 9.30 am. The students and the resource persons left the meeting delightfully after clicking a snap together.

Day 21:

The session on 2nd April, the Day 21 of the course, was blessed with two young and vibrant resource persons to provide lectures on the topic 'TEAM BUILDING and PROFESSIONALISM'. The specific areas on the topic were illuminated instructively by Ms. Anju Rose Anto, Assistant Professor (on Contract), Department of English, Sacred Heart College, Chalakudy and Ms. Keerthana P.K, Assistant Professor (on Contract), Department of **English, Sacred Heart College, Chalakudy.** Ms.Anju Rose Anto gave an informative session on 'Team Building' for the first 45 minutes of the session and she elucidated on the necessity of team building, how to build a team and how to cope up with the ego and conflicts that originate in a team effectively. Ms. Keerthana P.K handled the next 45 minutes of the session by illuminating on what professionalism is, who is a professional and the key attributes of professionalism through PPTs. The final session assigned for the college concluded cheerfully by taking a snap by the resource persons and the students.



Link to various sessions:

Day 17: Ms. Sandra Juliet Jose

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Day 18: Mr. Joyson Jose

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Day 19: Ms. Ann Vincent Saravanan

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Day 20: Ms. Darly Mathew and Dr. Deepak Sebastian:

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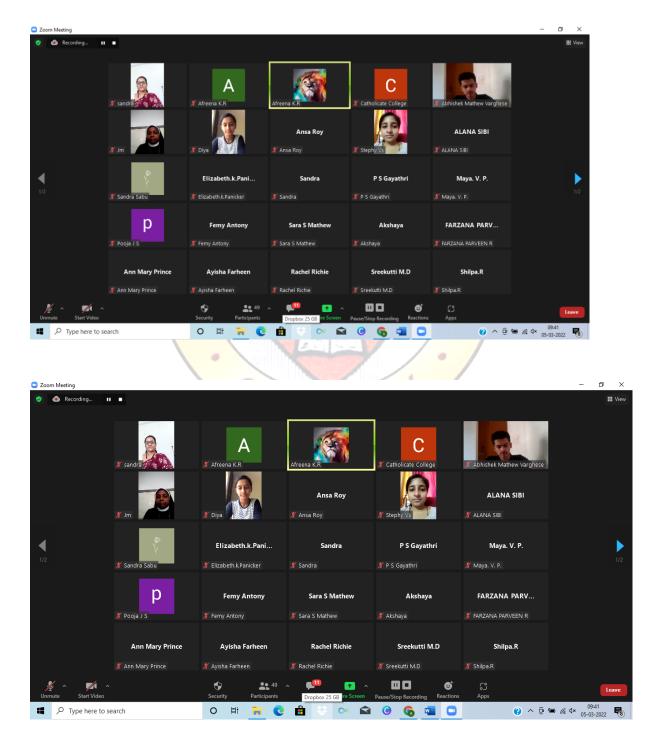
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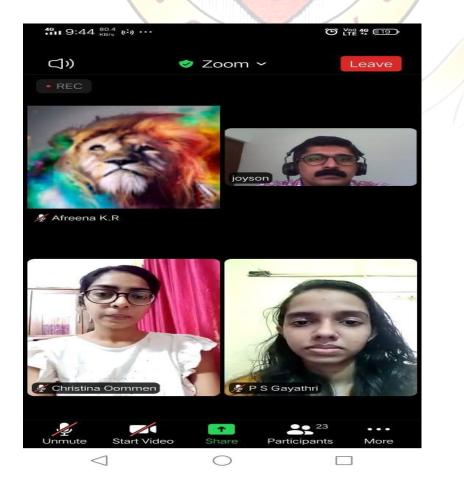
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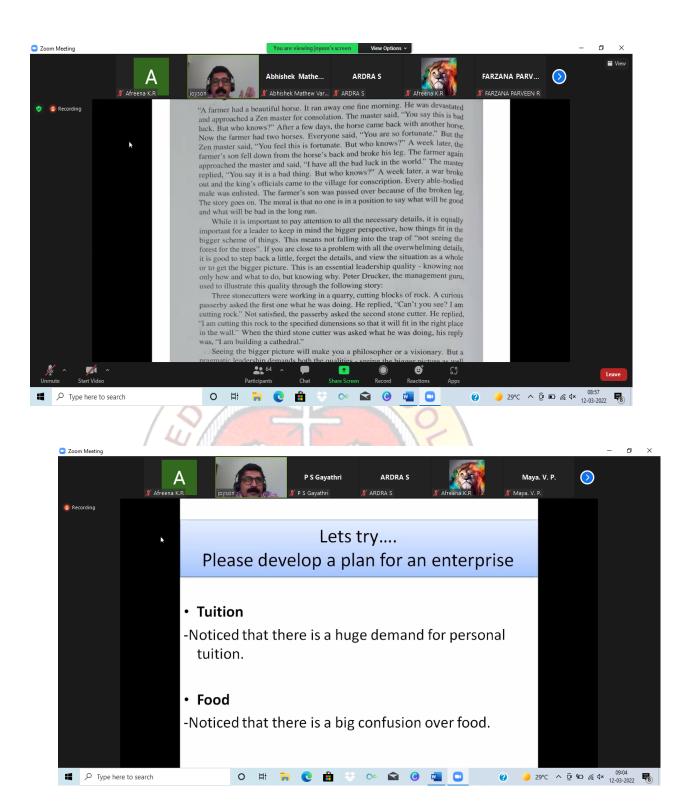


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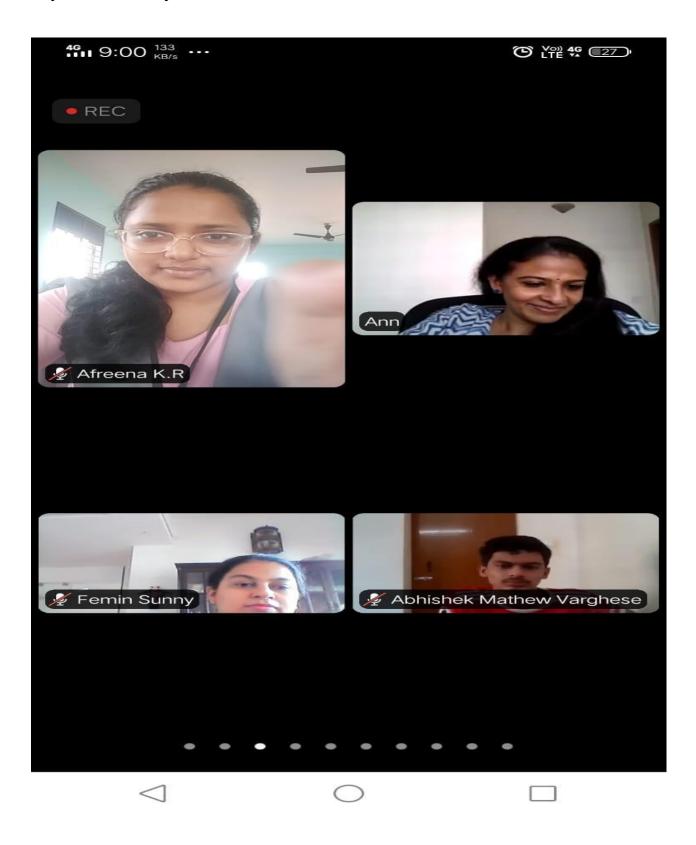
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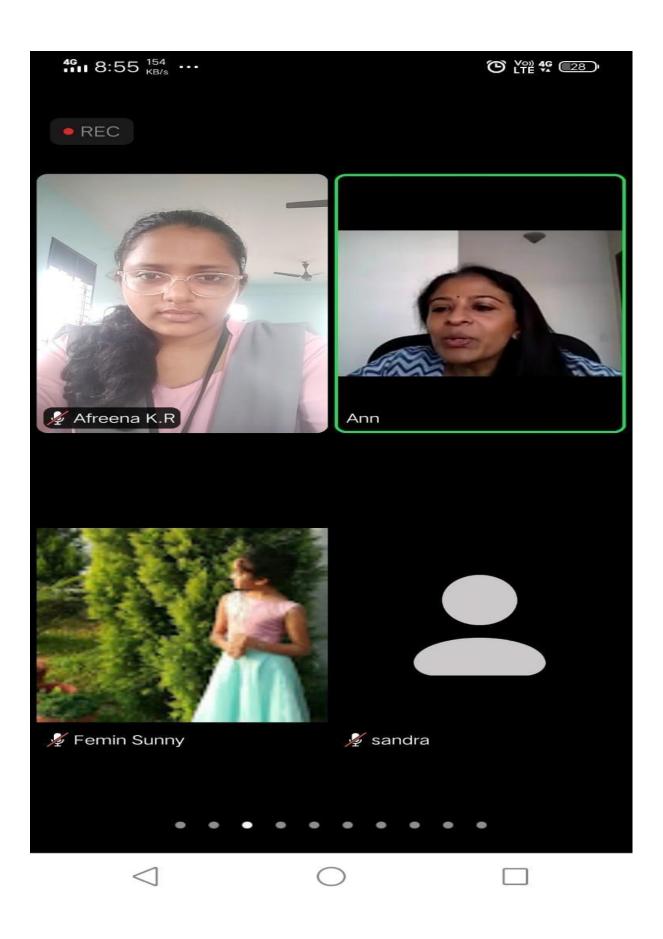
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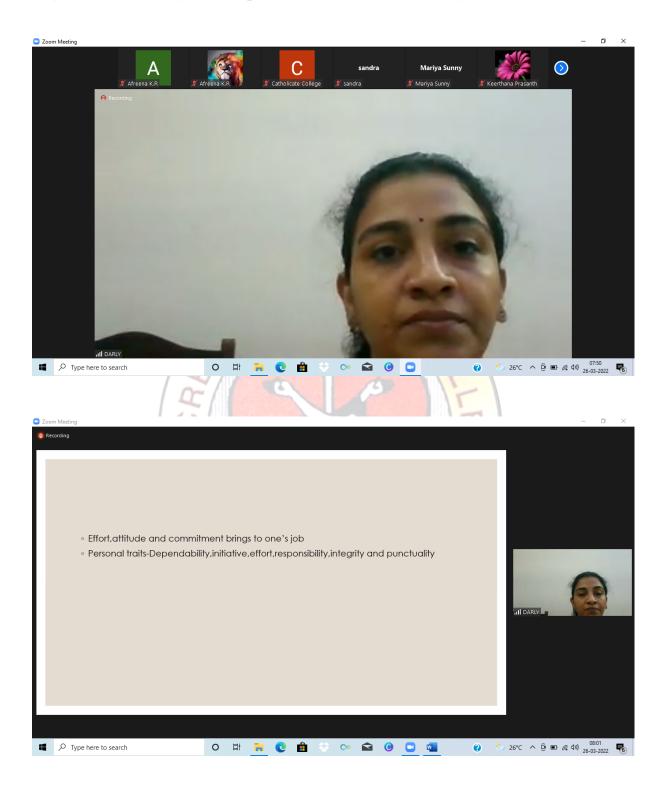


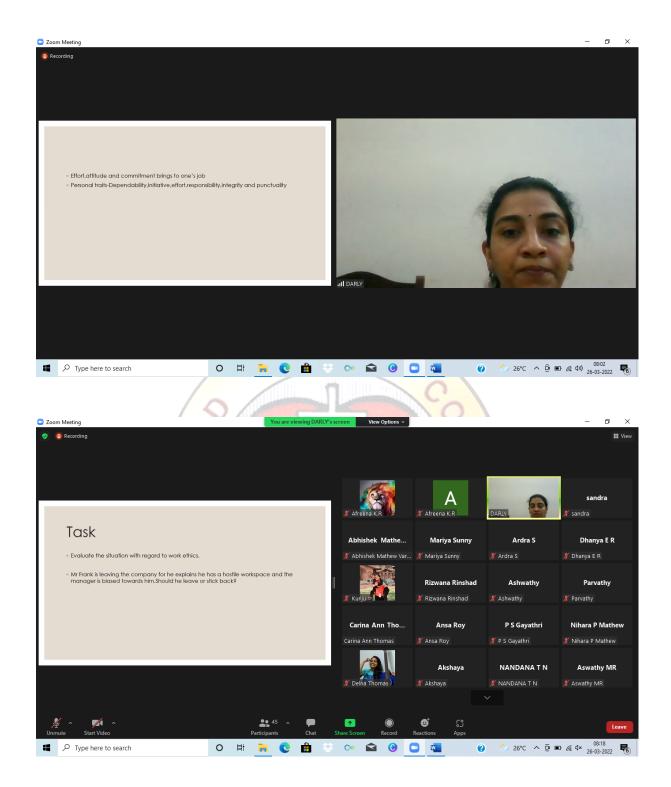
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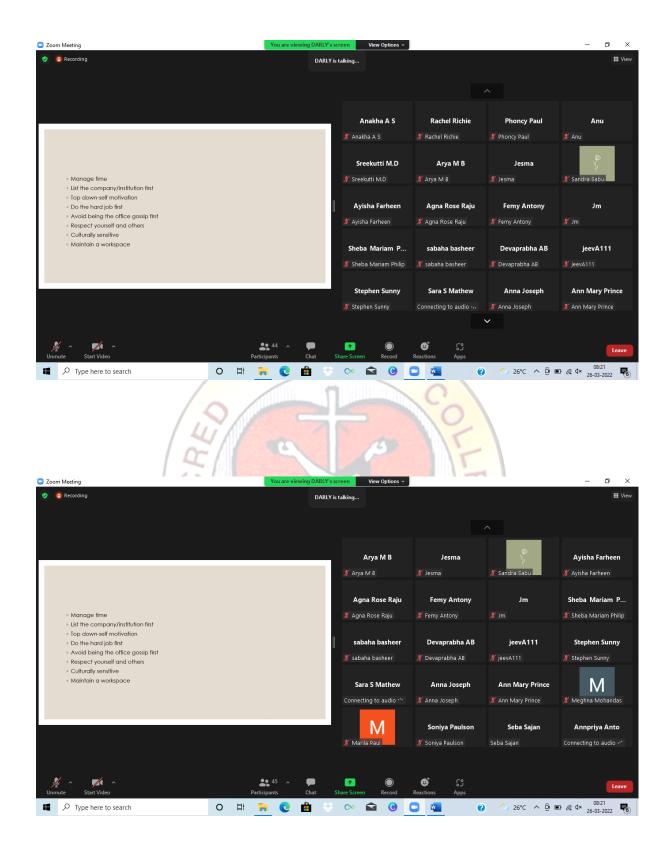


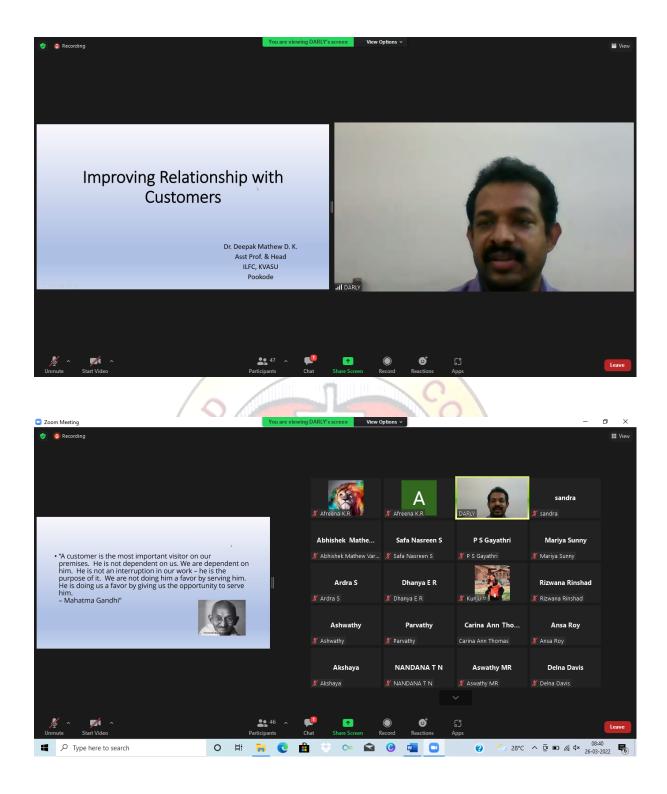


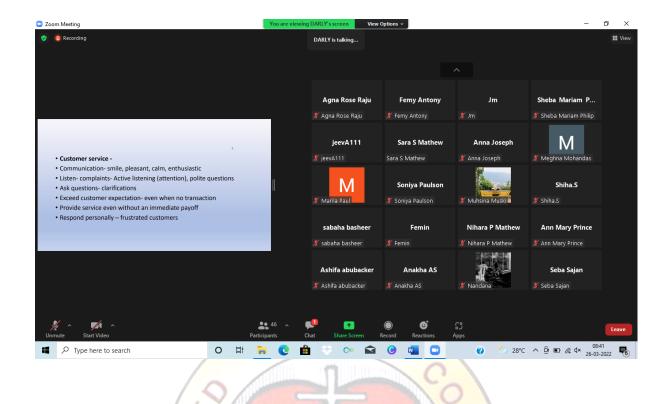
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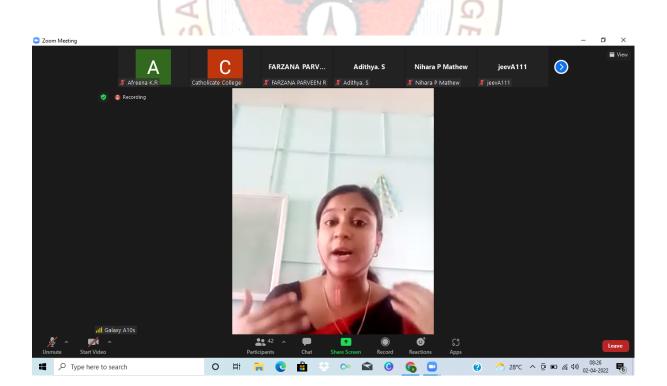


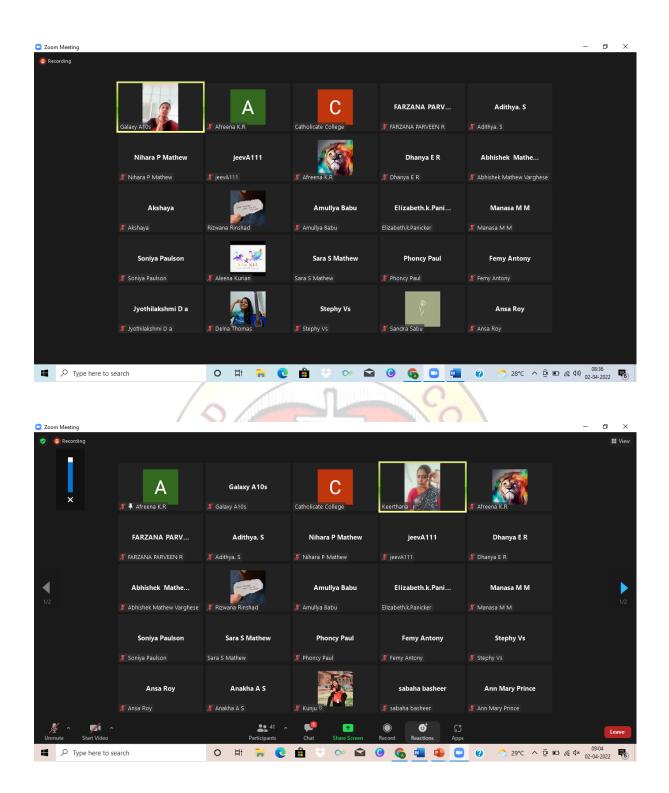


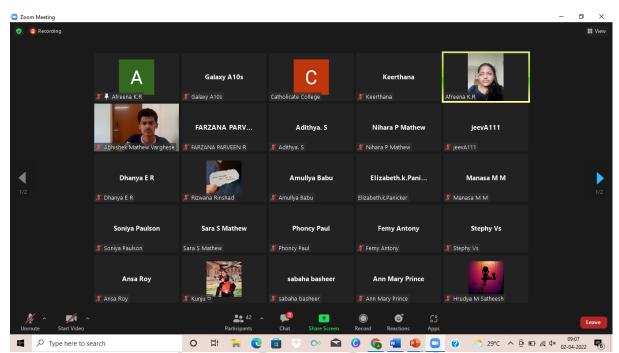


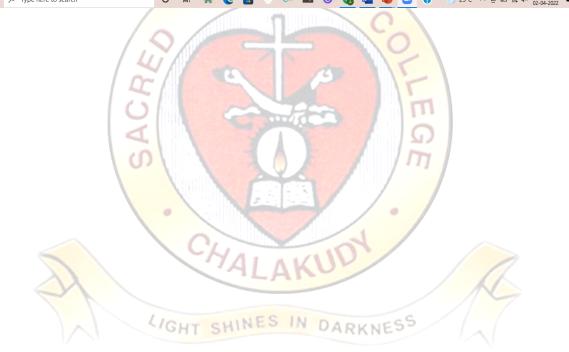


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