

S. A. S. S. N. D. P. Yogam College, Konni, Pathanamthitta – 689691

(An aided college - Affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam)

WWS – Annual Report for the year 2015 – 2016

(Submitted to **The Principal, S. A. S. S. N. D. P. Yogam College, Konni**)

The Principal and the College Council has decided to continue me as the Coordinator for the Higher Education's New Initiative programme Walk With a Scholar(WWS) this year also. After that the programme was notified and invited application on 01/09/2015 for the freshers. We have received the application till 18/09/2015. The selected students list for the year 2015-2016 was published on 22/09/2014. The Principal appointed 5 new Internal Mentors for the WWS program 2015-2016. They are Dr.Kishorekumar B S, Sri. Satyanarayanan S, Dr. Sajithkumar I V, Sri. Shaji N Raj and Smt. Spasiba Ravendran. I convened an initial meeting of WWS students and assigned 6 students for each mentors on 30/09/2015 according to the student's ambition. Our Principal officially Inaugurated the WWS programme on 05/10/2015. I convened various meetings of the WWS 2015-2016 batch to explain the program contents and seek their expectations from this program on 7/12/2015 and 6/1/2016. On 28/01/2016, we organized a meeting for the WWS students and their Parents to discuss the Programme features. The parents and the students became aware about this programme through this meeting. In that meeting, Principal distributed the stationary materials to students, Mentors and to the Coordinator. On 29th of January, 2015, we got an Orientation programme from the Higher education at Catholicate College, Pathanamthitta.

The second year batch(2014-2015) were also continued their activities on time. The previous years Internal Mentors were continued with them.

The Internal mentors conducted mentoring sessions for at least 15 hours on regular intervals. The WWS students met their Mentors regularly whenever they have free time. The Mentors were in telephonic contact with the parents about the wellbeing of their mentees. The mentors also informed the parents about the External Mentoring classes. Most of the Internal Mentors were also visited the mentees house to know the socio-economic background. They realised that most of them are from very poor family.

The **first** External Mentoring class for the 2014-2015 batch was on **23/01/2016** and it was handled by **Dr. Mary Matilda**. The topics were *Firo-B and effective communication tools*. The feedback collected by the mentors from their mentees shows that the class was so relevant and highly interactive. All the mentees told to their mentors that they were very highly benefited from her class.

The **first** External Mentoring class for the 2015-2016 batch was on **30/01/2016** and it was handled by **Dr. Mary Matilda**. The topics were *Communication Skills, Barriers to effective communication and how to improve communication*. The feedback collected by the mentors from their mentees shows that the class was so Interesting, Informative and highly interactive. All the mentees unanimously said that they never get bored during the session and she was in close touch with every mentees all the time.

The **Second** External Mentoring class for the 2014-2015 batch was on **12/03/2016** and it was handled by **Sri.Arun Gladwin**. The topics were *Vocabulary Building, Tongue Twisters Brain Games, Personality Development and How to improve Concentration*,. The feedback collected by the mentors from their mentees shows that the class was so interesting and informative. The sessions were too good and never being bored. He was also too interactive.

*The **Second** External Mentoring class for the 2015-2016 batch was on **12/03/2016** and it was handled by **Sri.Brijesh John**. The topics were *KASH Mantra for success and Knowledge, Attitude and Skills*. The feedback collected by the mentors from their mentees shows that the class was too good and helped them a lot.

The **Third** External Mentoring class for the 2014-2015 batch was on **13/03/2016** and it was handled by **Sri. Sri.Brijesh John**. The topics were *Attitude Development, General skill and Creativity skills*. The feedback collected by the mentors from their mentees shows that the class was informative and interactive.

*The **Second** External Mentoring class for the 2015-2016 batch was on **13/03/2016** and it was handled by **Sri. Arun Gladwin**. The topics were *Personality Development, Perception and Communication Skill for reaching greater heights*. The feedback collected by the mentors from their mentees shows that the class was too lively and helped them a lot to improve their personality and communication skill. They unanimously said that they never get bored during the entire session.

We have conducted Motivational Visit to the second year mentees and Mentors to the Bengaluru from 2nd March 2016 to 6th March 2016. We visited IIM, IBM, IISc. and Viswasaraya National Museum in Bengaluru. The feedback received from mentors and mentees showed that the visit was very motivating, encouraging and informative and all of them enjoyed a lot and were willing to go for another visit.

The Internal mentors were in close contact with their mentees to monitor their progress in every aspect. Mentors downloaded study materials from various sites according to the goals of mentees and distributed to them.

We have purchased more books as study materials and distributed it to the mentees. The Mentors were also given some exercises to do during the vacation and instructed them to give the feedback about the vacation spending.

The fund allotted for the programme was fully utilised as on date and the programme was so interesting and helped a lot to the Mentees and their Parents. We are also enthusiastically waiting for the next academic years activities.

Thanking You,
Yours faithfully,

Rajesh N
WWS Coordinator

Konni
30/03/2015

Annexure

Principal's Inaugural address during the WWS 2015-2018 batch with Coordinator, Mentors, Mentees and the Parents of Mentees



External Mentoring Classes

Distribution of Books and Pens to Mentees



Dr. Mary Matilda's Session with 2014-2017 WWS Batch on 23/01/2016



Dr. Mary Matilda's Session with 2015-2018 WWS Batch on 30/01/2016



Sri. Arun Gladwin's Session with 2014-2017 WWS Batch on 12/03/2016



Sri. BrijeshJohn's Session with 2015-2018 WWS Batch on 12/03/2016



Sri. Arun Gladwin's Session with 2015-2018 WWS Batch on 13/03/2016



Sri. BrijeshJohn's Session with 2014-2017 WWS Batch on 13/03/2016



Mentor's Visit to their Mentees Houses

Shyni S Das with Arya Vijayan's Family



Shyni S Das with Akhil A Menon's Family



Shyni S Das with Haritha Prasad's Family



Shyni S Das with Ajo K Mathew's Family



Shyni S Das with Vinu V Nair's Family

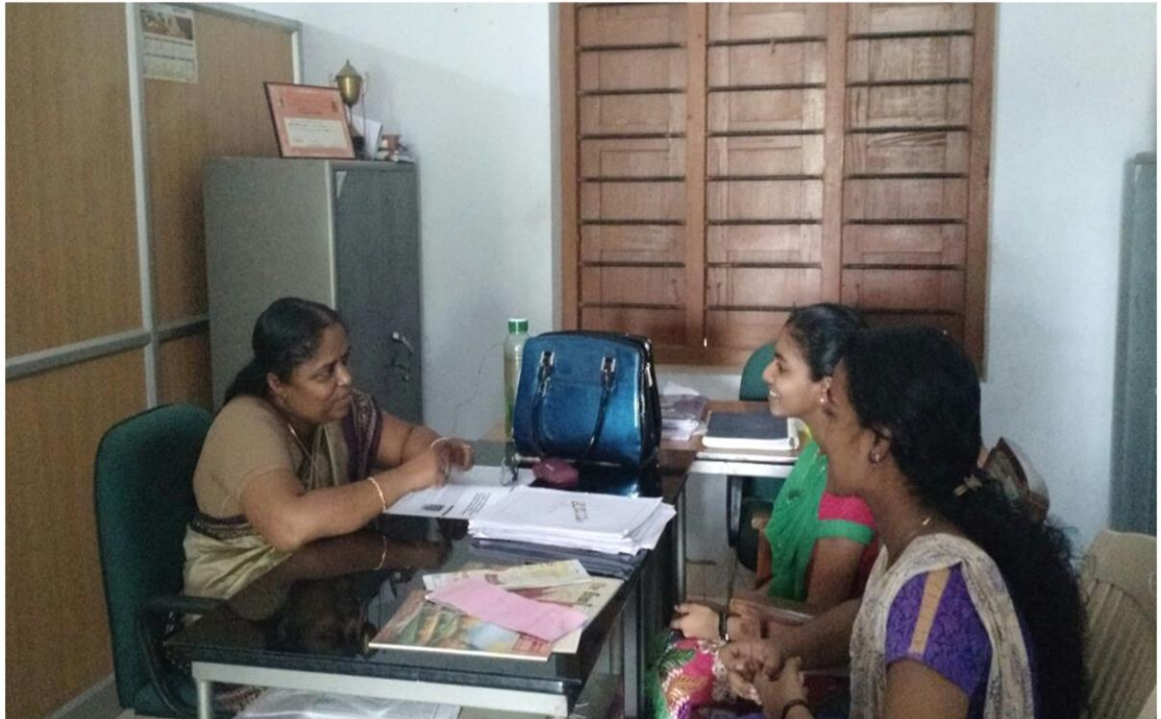


Internal Mentoring Session

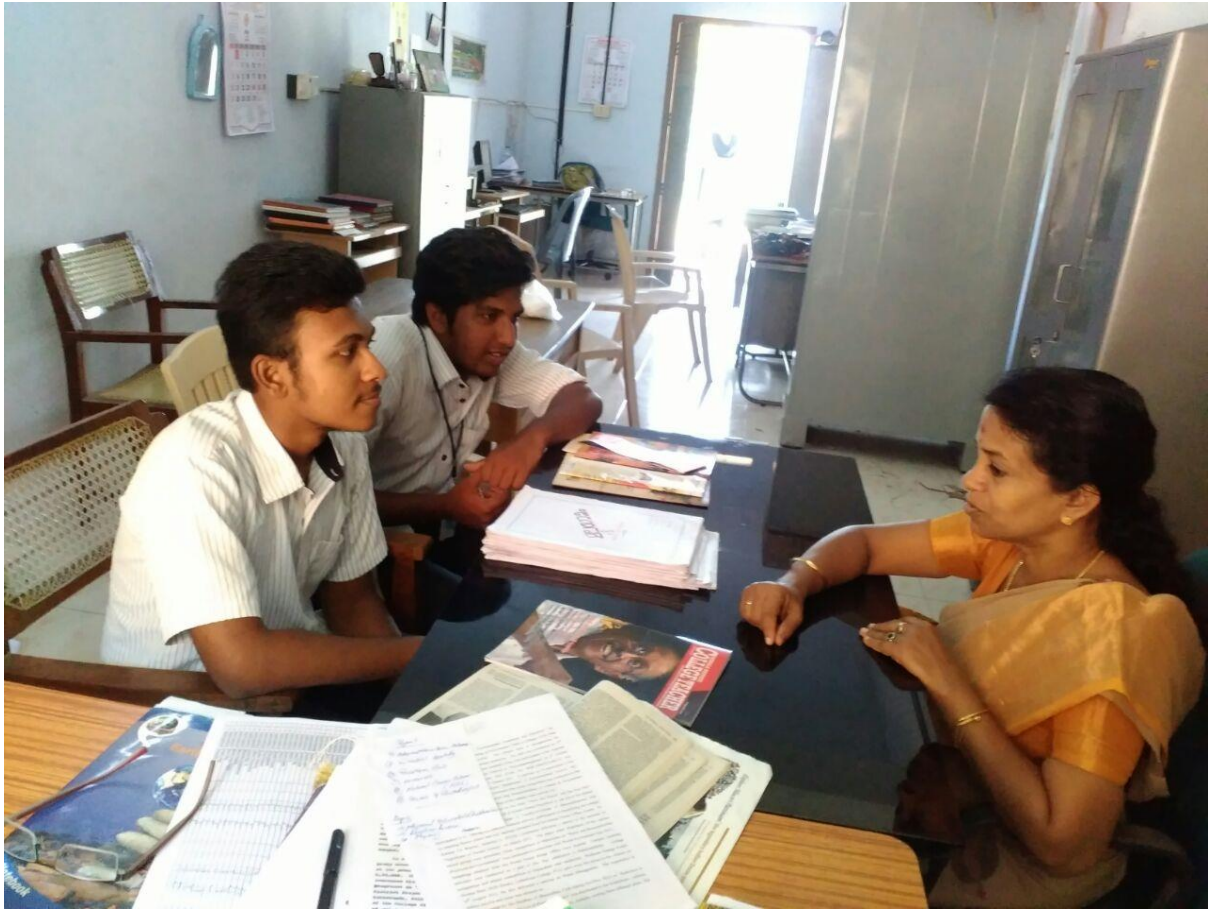
Shyni D Das With her Mentees



Sabeena Balachandran With her Mentees



Dr. Binu V With her Mentees







Spaciba Raveendran With her Mentees



Dr. Sajith Kumar I V With his Mentees



Sathyanarayanan With his Mentees



Motivational Tour Photos

Motivational Visit Planning by the Coordinator, Mentors and Mentees



At IIM- Bangalore- A group photo



At IIM – Bangalore – In the Class Room



At Visvesvaraya National Museum – Bangalore – 4th March 2016



At IBM – Manayatha Park – Bangalore - 4th March 2016

Attending Interactive Motivational seminar on Cloud storage and IBM Firm



At IISc. – Bangalore – A group Photo – 5th March 2016



At IISc. – Bangalore – Dept. of Computer Science and Automation



The accompanying Teachers / Mentors

