#### PAAVAI POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE

### An exclusive workshop was organized on the topic "Be an Empowered Teacher" from 20.06.2024 to 24.06.2024

#### 25th Jun, 2024

An exclusive workshop was organized on the topic entitled "Be an Empowered Teacher" by Shri.CA.N.V.Natarajan, most revered Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions for all the faculty members of Paavai Educational Institutions from 20.6.2024 to 24.6.2024. A total of 400 faculty members were present for the workshop which was conducted in four batches.

#### Being an Empowered Teacher:

In the evolving landscape of education, the role of a teacher has transcended beyond mere dissemination of knowledge. Teachers today are seen as mentors, guides, and catalysts for change. During the session pivotal themes such as accountability, responsibility, and the timeless concept of Guru Dharma were highlighted, shedding light on what it means to be an empowered teacher in contemporary times.

Accountability and responsibility form the cornerstone of effective teaching. Chairman Sir emphasized that teachers must not only be accountable for their actions and decisions but also take responsibility for the outcomes of their students. Accountability involves a commitment to uphold high standards of teaching and learning, ensuring that educational objectives are met and students are supported in their academic and personal growth. Responsibility, on the other hand, entails being proactive in addressing the needs of students, adapting teaching methods to diverse learning styles, and continuously improving one's skills through professional development.



The concept of Guru Dharma, deeply rooted in ancient Indian tradition, encapsulates the ethical and moral duties of a teacher. Chairman Sir eloquently described Guru Dharma as the guiding principle that the defines relationship between a teacher and their

students. It emphasizes compassion, patience, and a genuine desire to nurture students' potential. Under Guru Dharma, a teacher is seen not just as an instructor but as a mentor who shapes the character and values of their students. This holistic approach to teaching fosters an environment where students feel respected, valued, and inspired for instance, in Indian tradition, the Guru was held in the highest regard, often equated with divinity. This historical context underscores the enduring significance of the teaching profession and its impact on societal development.

Chairman Sir also shared contemporary insights on evolving role of technology in education. He emphasized importance of integrating digital enhance learning experiences and the need for teachers to be adept at navigating these technologies. However, he cautioned that technology should complement, not replace, human touch that is crucial in education.



Being an empowered teacher today involves a blend of accountability, responsibility, and adherence to the principles of Guru Dharma. It requires a commitment to personal and professional growth, an understanding of the profound impact teachers have on their students, and a willingness to embrace change while maintaining the core values of the teaching profession. Chairman Sir's address was a compelling reminder of the noble responsibilities that teachers carry and the profound difference they make in shaping future generations.

### Yoga day celebrations held on 21.06.2024

#### 21st Jun, 2024

Paavai Educational Institutions celebrated the "International Yoga Day 24" on 21.06.2024 at Arjun Sports Maidan, to recognize Yoga's role in promoting peace and harmony as it unites people globally to embrace wellness. The programme commenced with a welcome address by Mr.B.Sasidhar, First year, Food Technology student. Shri.CA.N.V.Natarajan, Chairman, Paavai Educational Institutions presided over the function. Smt.Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent, Paavai Educational Institutions graced the yoga day celebration. Ms.S.Keerthana, District Youth Officer, Nehru Yuva Kendra, Namakkal was the chief guest. She insisted on "A Sound Mind in a Sound Body" and emphasized that mental well-being is best achieved and maintained through physical health. She also added that Yoga is a simple yet

excellent practice that should be incorporated into our daily routines, not just on special occasions.

To highlight the unifying power of yoga, a mass yoga demonstration was performed by the Paavai students to promote its benefits and foster a sense of community.





This event showcased the student's commitment to health and well-being, bringing together individuals to practice yoga in unison. The programme ended with a vote of thanks by Ms.P.Pavithra, first year AI&DS student. Director Administration, Principals, Deans, Heads of various departments, Professors, overall Program coordinator graced the event.





## Paavai Polytechnic College first classes Inauguration was held on 27.06.2024

➤ Inaugurated of first year function on 27.06.2024.Chairman sir inaugurate and gave presidential address.





### The faculty development department organized a three days Induction programme for Paavai polytechnic students from 02.07.2024 to 06.07.2024

8th Jul, 2024

The Faculty Development department organized a three day Induction Programme for the first year students of Paavai Polytechnic College. The Induction Programme was held from 02.07.2024 to 06.07.2024 at Cute Hall. The inauguration of the programme was held at Smart Hall on 02.07.2023 at 10.00 am. The programme started with a prayer song followed by lighting of the kuthuvilakku. Ms.B.Subhasree, II- Bio-Medical, PPC welcomed the gathering. Shri.CA.N.Natarajan, the Chairman presided over the function and delivered the inaugural address. Sir stressed on Paavai to always be a student centric institution guiding the youth towards success. He advised students to lead a disciplined life and told them to put in consistent efforts to achieve their goals. Sir inaugurated the Induction Programme. Smt. Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent offered felicitations and welcomed all the first year students into the portals of Paavai. She advised students to remain focused and make their academic life purposeful by enjoying their stay at Paavai. She also told the students to abide by the rules and regulations of the institution. The objectives and methodology of the Induction Programme were read out by Ms.G.Shruthi, I-CSE, PPC. After the inauguration, the formal sessions commenced.



Shri.CA.N.V.Natarajan conducted Chairman the session on the topic entitled Setting". The main objective of this programme is to acquaint the students about the need of the goal and to make them understand the goal significance of setting through which they can succeed in their life within the stipulated time. Sir quoted Abdul Kalam Sir's inspiring words and made all students to repeat those

words. Sir stressed on the importance of SMART goals and explained that preparation is necessary to accomplish goals. He correlated his life incidents of setting a goal at the age of 17 and how he made his dream to come true through consistent and persistent efforts. He listed out the six components to sustain victory namely Genuine Goal, Lawful and ethical path, continuous efforts, hard work and smart work, high self -discipline and faith in God. Finally he concluded by stating that," set your goal, shape your future and be a leader".

Dr.K.Selvi, Dean Academics, PEC delivered her speech on 'Paavai Culture'. She explained the Paavai Mantra, Principles, Belief and Code. She detailed about classroom behavior and the principles which should be followed in Paavai. She strongly imposed the culture to be followed strictly on and off the college campus.

Dr.C.Jayalakshmi, Dean Counseling, Paavai Institutions



delivered her speech on 'Transition from School to College'. She said that change is a stressful experience for any one. But for those who have prepared themselves mentally, nothing is difficult. Shifting from School to College is adopting the change in the mode of education and move on further in the process of Learning. Mr.Thamaraiselvan Head, Placement and training, PEC, delivered his speech on 'Career Development'. He described how to choose a career with clear knowledge. He described clearly about grooming skills, problem solving skills and communication skills. He insisted the students to speak in English without any hesitation to face interview and group discussion. He also created an awareness regarding the recruitment and the expectation of the companies.



Mr.T.S.Gowtham, Principal, PPC addressed on the topic "How to approach diploma subjects". He explained the various possibilities of making the subjects simple. He also highlighted that, polytechnic subjects are practical oriented and job opportunities are plenty.Dr.K.Sundaramurthy, Head, IQAC, PEC addressed students the on Time! Management'. their

session, they clearly explained about the importance of time and the necessity to manage time for the students to achieve their goal within a stipulated time. Mrs.Pradeepa, AP, Mathematics, PEC elaborated the topic, 'Beauty of Mathematics'. In her session, she beautifully explained how mathematics plays an important role in

day to day life. She also taught mathematics in simple way and elucidated its usage in everyday life. She has shown various videos related to mathematics. Some of the students recorded their feedback during the feedback session. Totally 135 students benefitted from this programme.

#### A guest lecture was organized for the CSE students on 08.07.2024

#### 10th Jul, 2024

A guest lecture program was organized for the 2nd and 3rd year CSE students on 08.07.2024. The Chief Guest, Mrs.V.Anitha, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science Engineering of Paavai Engineering College. The function started with a prayer song invoking God's blessings. G.Afrid III- Year CSE, welcomed the gathering. She delivered a lecture on "RDBMS". In his lecture, she explained about the relational database management system and uses data in various fields and its applications. Finally, she shared her personal experiences to enable students to understand the database. The interactive session helped the students clear their queries with the resource person.



#### The department of BME organized a guest lecture on 19.08.2024

21st Aug, 2024



guest lecture program organized for the 2nd and 3rd year BME students on 19.08.2024. The Mrs. R. Suganya, Chief Guest, Assistant Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering at Paavai Engineering College, delivered on "Recent lecture Trends in Diagnostic Equipment."

In the lecture, she explained how to detect the sequence of electrical events that occur during the contraction and relaxation cycle of the heart. She also discussed **Echocardiography**, a diagnostic test that uses ultrasound waves to create images of the heart's chambers, valves and surrounding structures. She covered the various types of echocardiograms, including **Transthoracic Echocardiogram**, **Transesophageal Echocardiogram**, **Stress Echocardiogram**, and **Doppler Echocardiogram**.

Suganya shared her personal Mrs. experiences help students understand echocardiography. The session interactive, and students had opportunity to clear their doubts with the resource person. The students from the Biomedical Department of Engineering enthusiastically participated and greatly benefited from the lecture.



#### Staff Responsibility session was conducted on 31.08.2024

#### 2nd Sep, 2024

A program was conducted for our PPC staff on 31.08.2024, led by Mr. T.S. Gowtham, Principal of Paavai Polytechnic College. He delivered a session on "Responsibilities of Staff and HODs."

In this program, he clarified and emphasized the roles and responsibilities of staff and Heads of Departments (HODs) in achieving the college's goals. He outlined key tasks for staff, including maintaining class log books and subject log books,



ensuring proper documentation, updating subject knowledge daily, and upholding discipline and staff responsibilities. Additionally, he stressed the importance of maintaining cleanliness in classrooms and labs, improving practical knowledge for handling subjects, and observing the activities of the HOD.

Finally, Mr. Gowtham shared his personal experiences in managing students and maintaining responsibility within the college. The session was interactive and helped broaden the staff's perspectives.



#### Paavai celebrated Teachers' Day as 'Guru Vanakkam' on 04.09.2024

#### 5th Sep, 2024

The Teachers' Day celebration was held at Paavai Educational Institutions under the theme of "Guru Vanakkam." The event began with the students offering their prayers and singing the Tamil Thai Vazhthu (a praise song to Mother Tamil). The Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions, Auditor Shri CA N. V. Natarajan, presided over the event and delivered the presidential address.



The Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions, Auditor Shri CA N. V. Natarajan, Mrs. Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent of PaavaiEducaiton Institutions lit the traditional lamp to inaugurate the event.

In his keynote address, the Chairman expressed his Teachers' Day greetings by saying, "I extend my best wishes to all of you who are diligently carrying out the noble work of teaching.

Celebrating events like this helps eliminate negative thoughts among students and brings clarity to their minds. Your profession as a teacher is a wonderful gift. You are the second parents of the students. Through you, they see the real world.

You are their mentors, guides, friends, trainers, leaders, and everything. You are worthy of being revered. Therefore, you must carry out your duties with dedication, responsibility, and devotion. A society where teachers are revered and celebrated is a society that flourishes and prospers. The traditions and customs we followed in ancient times were aimed at nurturing our heritage, culture, and values in the minds of children and students. However, over time,



those old good practices have started to fade away. Therefore, as teachers, you must teach the students to respect elders, teachers, and scholars. When you do so, your virtues, skills, and knowledge will reflect in the students, elevating their values. Only you, as teachers, can bring about significant changes in students because of your genuine concern and effective teaching. Your small encouragement and efforts can

become major factors in students' success. It is only through your teaching abilities that students can acquire world-class education and knowledge. At the same time, you must continue to improve yourselves daily. Only then can you stand out as exceptional professors. I wish you all success in your journey to becoming even better teachers."

Following this, students expressed their love and respect for their teachers by performing the traditional practice of "Paatha Pooja" (worshipping the feet of their teachers).

The event concluded with a vote of thanks from the Director of Paavai Educational Institutions, Dr. Ramasamy, bringing the celebration to a happy end. Dr. Satheesh, Director of PaavaiVidyasram Schools, along with the Principals, Heads of Departments, professors, and numerous students, participated in the event.



# An awareness program was conducted from the department of Agriculture on 11.09.2024

13th Sep, 2024

An awareness program was conducted for our PPC students on 11.09.2024 by Mr. N. Satheshkumar, Lecturer from the Department of Agriculture, and Mr. J. Sankar, HOD of the Department of Automobile, Paavai Polytechnic College. They delivered a session on "Anti-Drug Awareness and Road Safety."

In this program, Mr. N. Satheshkumar explained the issue of drug abuse, emphasizing the importance of awareness and education. He discussed the types of drugs and their associated risks, as well as methods for prevention and intervention.

Mr. J. Sankar highlighted road safety awareness, the need to avoid road accidents, and safe driving practices. He provided road safety tips for various types of users, encouraging the adoption of safe driving habits and promoting road safety awareness.

The awareness program was interactive and proved to be beneficial for the students, positively impacting their lives.





### Saraswathi&Aayuthapooja celebrations held at Paavai on 10.10.2024

10th Oct, 2024

> On 10.10.2024, Our Chairman sir and Correspondent madam and PPC staff and students celebrated to Saraswathi Pooja and Ayudha Pooja in our PPC.



