

# Department of English

## Monthly Planner & Report

### MARCH 2014

## Joseph's Green Group

The increasing human footprint on Earth poses great environmental challenges that continue to grow over time. An unprecedented effort is required to alleviate the adverse effects that human activities have on the ecosystem, effects that in turn alter how we interact with the Earth and with each other. Inclusion of all approaches to problem-solving will be necessary to effect a meaningful change. **Joseph's Green Group** addresses this global need as an unparalleled hub of environmental issues, innovation, and education. Its unique strength is the zeal with which this group has emerged to reduce *the carbon footprints of Josephites*.



**JGG FORMATION –March 1, 2014**



JOSEPH'S GREEN GROUP

Presents

## JOSEPH'S ENVIRONMENT CARNIVAL

### "GREEN MARCH" 2014

#### A MARCH TOWARDS GREENER INITIATIVES

*A bonanza of fun activities to increase environmental awareness, create environment-friendly responsible Green Citizens/Josephites for a clean & Healthy Earth.*

1. PAINT/COLOR OUR EARTH GREEN - 3rd March
2. GREEN COLLAGES
3. BEST OUT OF WASTE - 3rd March
4. POLLUTION CONTROL CHECK CAMP - 4th March
5. CLEAN & GREEN CAMPUS- STREET PLAY "CLEANLINESS" - 4th March
6. ENVIRONMENT QUIZ - 4th March
7. JGG FORMATION BY STUDENTS- PHOTO & VIDEO SHOOT- MASS COM (ARIAL VIEW) - 1st March

*Conservation is a state of harmony between men and land.  
Aldo Leopold*

DRESS CODE: 1 MARCH 2014- GREEN FOR BOTH STAFF & STUDENTS.

*"Be Renewable, be Green, be Sustainable"*

**Bridge Courses & Certificates- International Certification from University of Cambridge**

## Details of Certificate Courses

### **BUSINESS ENGLISH CERTIFICATE - UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE-ESOL EXAMINATIONS**

BEC is an internationally recognized qualification in English for work by employers and universities in more than 60 countries. It is taken by students and young professionals around the world who want to improve their job prospects or study business courses overseas. Cambridge ESOL is a department of the University of Cambridge and is the world's leading provider of international English language qualifications for all learners of English. The English Department at St. Joseph's College has taken the initiative in starting the course at BEC Preliminary Level with cooperation from the management. It is Principal, Rev. Fr. Vincent's vision that the Josephites are equipped with all kinds of training required to be successful in life. It includes tests of reading, writing, listening and speaking. Candidates have to read reports, charts and advertisements as well as write a short email or memo. They also have to understand short conversations and discussions and give a short presentation in the speaking test.

### **Students attending the BUSINESS ENGLISH CERTIFICATE Course-2014**







**Business English Certificate:** The Business English Certificate of Cambridge which is immensely popular for employment as well as pursuing higher education. The First Batch consists of 43 students for the BEC Preliminary examination which is on March 13, 2014. The students were trained by Dr. Deepika Gardner & Ms. Bhuvana Immaculate. Results will be announced on 28 April 2014.

### **IRC -Industry Ready Certificate – Certificate Course of the Department of English**

1. **IRC -Industry Ready Certificate - Industry Ready Course:** This special course was designed by **Dr. Deepika Gardner**. This is a 20 Module course comprising of various aspects which the students need to be successful in the corporate life. The objective is to equip them with good employability skills. Ms. RM Sherlin Smile trained the students.
2. **2- “Industry Ready Certificate”** Course for Corporate English & Soft Skills. The objectives of the course are to teach skills required for a successful career, to develop personality & be successful. The duration of the course is 20 hours & 20 modules. The course is designed by Dr. Deepika Gardner Coordinator & the Co-coordinators are Ms. Sherlin Smile & Ms. Angela Christina. This is a certificate course designed to build their English & employability skills. This course can improve employment

opportunities by providing & equipping them with workplace etiquette, stress management, interpersonal skills, business communication skills, dressing & dining etiquette, cross-cultural etiquette, time management & leadership skills.

## ENVIRONMENT CLUB - “Environment Carnival”

1. An Environment Club called “JOSEPH’S GREEN GROUP” was established on 11 December 2013. 1 March 2014 was declared as the Joseph’s Green Day and the month is called the Green March. Various competitions were conducted on the theme of “Save the Green Earth “. Student and staff wore green made a JGG formation and raised slogans to create awareness about environment. The competitions held were:

- Best Out of Waste- Winner  
Pooja Agarwal (B. Com II P) –  
I Prize
- Painting- Winner  
Madhuri B. Com I A
- Poster Preparation
- Collage



