

SOPHIA GIRLS' COLLEGE
(AUTONOMOUS), AJMER



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

2019-20

1. Green Drive

**Arthniti- Economics
Planning Forum**

Sophia Girls' College
Ajmer (Autonomous)



**Green
Drive**

**DATE:-30TH AUGUST,2019
VENUE:- FROM ANASAGAR
CHOPATTI TO REGIONAL
COLLEGE**

ACTIVITY DETAILS:

Date– 30th Aug 2019

Level – Institutional Level

Venue – Anasagar to Regional College

Title of the Event –Green Drive

No. of Participants– 10

Description : Less polluted the environment, greener the environment.

On 30th August 2019, The Department of Economics (Arthniti – The Economic Club and Forum) had conducted green drive in the month of August under the aegis of Sophia Girl’s College (Autonomous) Ajmer, in which a total of 13 students participated. It was headed by 3 department teachers. All of us met at old chaupati. In this we had gone for cycling from old chaupati to new chaupati. We had so much fun. It was such a fresh and delightful experience. Cycling also improves health and fitness. We enjoyed a lot after cycling we also had mouthwatering breakfast. AS this green drive not only benefits health but also environment friendly. A healthy and a pollution free bicycle ride. This ride also refreshes us inside out. A refreshed and a peaceful mind with a healthy body. That greener environment makes you feel so revitalized. Overall it was a very good experience and a good exposure for all the students who participated.

Learning Outcome: Importance of physical activity in daily routine for healthy life and promote sustainable practices.



2. Weekend Activity

ARTHITI

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

Sophia Girls' College (Autonomous),

Ajmer



**Weekend
Activities**



Days: - Saturdays

Time: - 1:30 pm

Venue: - College Field

ACTIVITY DETAILS:

Date – Every Saturday

Level – Institutional Level

Venue – Sophia Girls' College (Autonomous), Ajmer

Title of the Event – Weekend Activity

No. of Participants -118

Description: Activities were planned for the students of economic department on weekends. Apart from usual study days these activities were planned to strengthen the bond between students. This idea was welcomed by all students and teachers as it will help in building team spirit and unity. These activities include weekly discussions on general topics, economics Satolia and watching movies.

Learning Outcome: To engage students in healthy completion and to develop the skill of participation.



3. Student Exchange at St. Xavier's College

ACTIVITY DETAILS

Date: 4th -10th November 2019

Level: International Level

Venue: St. Xavier's College, Jaipur

Title of Event: Student Exchange Program

No. of Participants: 05

Description: This report is about various activities held during study at St. Xavier's College, Jaipur where a group of three students represented Sophia Girls' College, Ajmer from 4-10 November 2019.

Exchange program is the one that not only unites two colleges but also it is a friendship between two institutions and their students. These programs are opportunities where different colleges come together and explore culture of one another. The exchange program was hosted by St. Xavier's College Jaipur, where students from St. Xavier's college Mumbai, St. Xavier's College Kathmandu, Loyola college Meghalaya. St. Joseph's College Bangalore participated.

Various activities like talk by former education minister of Bhutan Mr. Norbu Wangchuk on Happiness, fun-based icebreaking activities, visit to barefoot College, Tilonia, Session on effective communication by Dr Deepak Mahan, etc. were part of the program. To give the practical exposure of the cultural differences guided city tours were also organized.

This program was a major add on to students' personal growth and exposure. We wish this relationship between two institutions keep growing every passing year and students get to experience such development programmes more.

Learning Outcome: This program was a major add on to students' personal growth and exposure.

4. Synergy 2019-20

ACTIVITY DETAILS

Name of the Activity SYNERGY 2019-20

Level- Institution Level

Venue – St. Xavier’s College, Jaipur

Title of the Event – Economics Fest

No. of Participants– 18

Description: 18 students from III and II year Economics (Hons.) participated in the national level fest ‘Synergy-2019’ organized by the economics department St Xavier’s Jaipur. There were so many interesting events that were organized in which students enthusiastically participated. 18 colleges participated in the event. Various activities like Press Quest, MUN, treasure hunt Pitfall, etc. were organized for the students. This helped the students to develop team spirit, critical and creative thinking and presentation skills.

Learning Outcome: Opportunity to foster social interaction and managerial skills.



5. Sadbhawana

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Outreach Programme

SADBHAWANA

Special Children's Day Care Centre

Date: - 16/01/2020

ACTIVITY DETAILS –

Date – 16/01/2020

Level – College Level

Venue- Sadbhawna–Special Children’s Day Care School

Title Of Event- Outreach Program

No. Of Participants- 95

Description: To sensitize the students towards the Specially-abled children the Department of economics visited the school for specially-abled children in Madar. The students spend quality time with them and were happy to render services out there and to learn about how these children accomplish daily tasks of their life.

Learning Outcome: To sensitize the students towards the Specially abled children.





6. Ekossion: The Economic Fest



**SOPHIA GIRLS' COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS),
AJMER**



Department of Economics
invites you to the first

Intercollegiate Economics Fest 2020



EKOSSION'20

*Inflate your Knowledge with
Passion*

27TH JANUARY 2020

 Arthniti Sophia

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ACTIVITY DETAILS:

Name of the Event: Ekossion: The Economic Fest

Venue: College

Date: 27th January 2020

Level: Inter-Collegiate

No. of Participants: 118 (Sophia Girls' College (Autonomous), Ajmer, 27 (Other College)

Description

Arthniti, the Economic Club and Forum organized its first Inter-Collegiate Economics Fest "EKOSSION" with 9 different colleges participating from all over India with more than 200 participants on 27th January 2020. A total of 3 different and unique events namely Triniti, Market Tycoon and Chase Phase were held throughout the day. The main idea behind the fest was to provide a stage for students to showcase their talent and elevate their confidence. Students got a chance to meet people with different walks of life and thus developed a sense of responsibility and work in unison. Overall, it was a very good experience and a good exposure for all the teams who participated.

Learning Outcome: The main idea behind the fest was to provide a stage for students to showcase their talent and elevate their confidence.

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7. Internship With Barc

ACTIVITY DETAILS

Date – 10TH -20TH Feb 2020

Level – National level

Venue – Budget Analysis Research Centre, Jaipur

Title – Internship

No. of participants- 6 students

Description: The Memorandum of Understanding between our college Sophia Girl's College (Autonomous), Ajmer having an address Sophia Girl's College (Autonomous), Ajmer, Mirshah Ali, Jaipur road, Ajmer-305001 and Budget Analysis Rajasthan Centre P-1, Tilakmarg, C- scheme, Ashok Nagar, Jaipur, Rajasthan 302005 referred to as SCG and BARC have been established on 10th February 2020. These two parties have discussed the field of common research interest and allied activities between the two institutions. And thereafter decided to enter into the collaboration for three years in the areas of education, training and research.

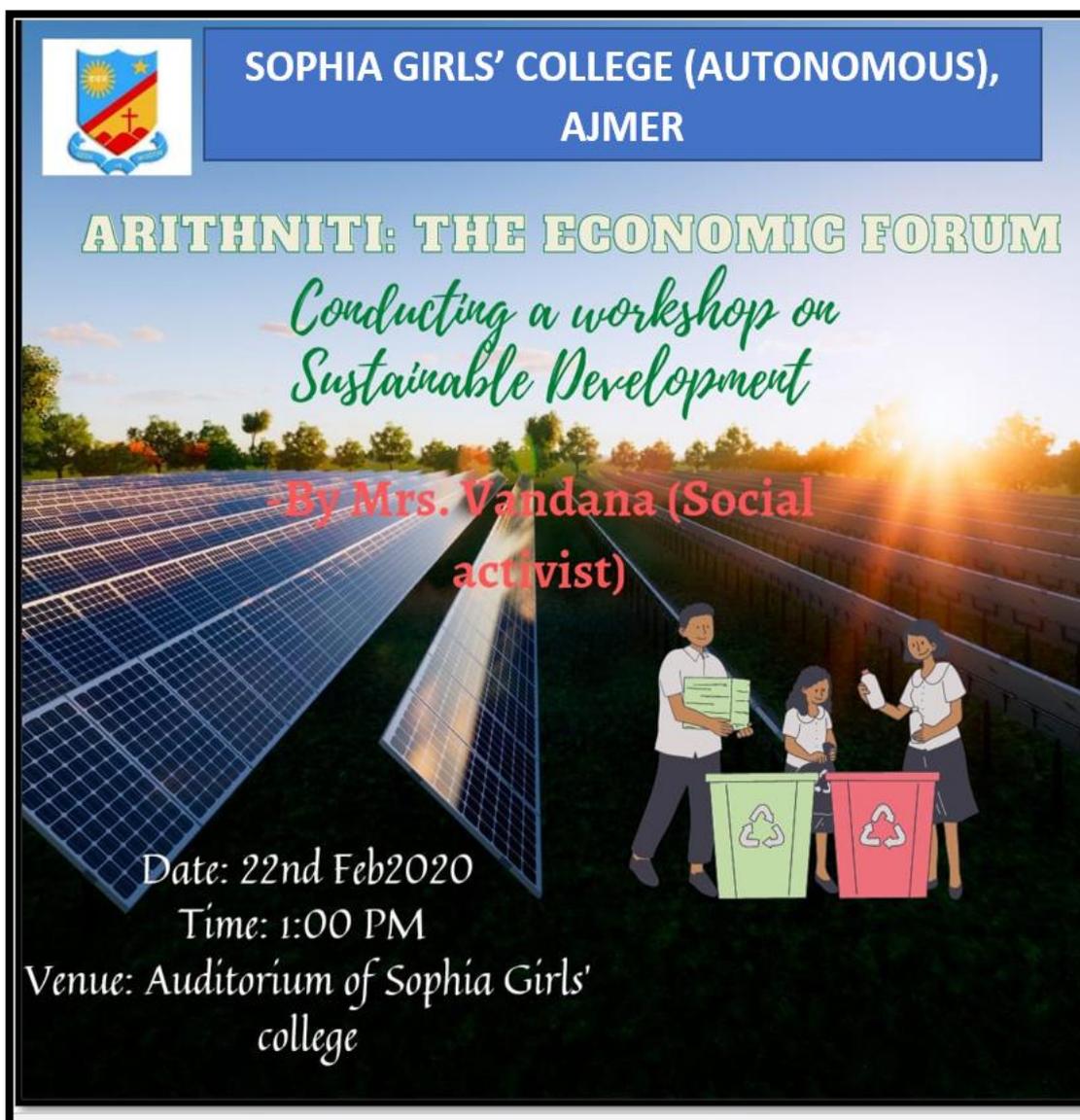
The allied activities included an internship program for 10 days from 10th to 20th February 2020 for the UG final year students of Department of Economics (Arthniti- The Economic Club and Forum) of SGC, Ajmer. 6 students were part of this program, names of these students are:

1. Anjali Bhargava
2. Ankita Rathore
3. Avani Mishra
4. Ishmeet Sodhi
5. Rhythm Sogani
6. Sheetal Tailor.

The main objective of this program was to prepare the students to link their theoretical knowledge with the practical knowledge. Application of any theoretical comprehension in the practical work has become the need of the hour in the present settings. The students, who were part of this, acquainted with experts and learnt and experienced the newly acquired knowledge. They were trained to develop cognition to perceive any actions with insight and pragmatic view. Overall, the students were able to up skill their comprehension and consciousness.

Learning Outcome: To prepare the students to link their theoretical knowledge with the practical knowledge

8. One day workshop on Sustainable Development



 SOPHIA GIRLS' COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS),
AJMER

ARITHNITI: THE ECONOMIC FORUM

*Conducting a workshop on
Sustainable Development*

*-By Mrs. Vandana (Social
activist)*

Date: 22nd Feb2020
Time: 1:00 PM
Venue: Auditorium of Sophia Girls'
college

Activity Details:

Date: - 22nd Feb 2020

Level: - college level

Venue: College-Auditorium, Sophia Girls' College (Autonomous), Ajmer

Title of Event- One day workshop on Sustainable Development

No. of Participants- 118

Resource Person- Mrs. Vandana

Name	Work Profile	Contact no.
Mrs. Vandana	Social and environmental activist	9925069216

Description The department of Economics (ARTHNITI – Economics forum and club) of Sophia Girls' College (Autonomous) planned to conduct a one-day seminar on SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT. This was planned by the department as an activity for the students of economics to help them know more about sustainable development and how to bring that to day to day life in order to save environment degradation and make earth a better place. Sustainable development can be defined as **development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs**. The workshop was conducted on 22nd February 2020 in the college campus by Mrs. Vandana, a social activist from Gujarat. The permission for the conduction of this workshop was taken from the respected Dr. Sr. Pearl, which she gave with immense pleasure. The workshop included presentations by students expressing their views on the mentioned topic followed by different activities planned and administered by the Mrs. Vandana herself. The activity was a refreshing yet learning experience for the students as they got to know many things that may affect the environment both positively or negatively. Students were also motivated at the end of the session to adopt sustainable development methods and make surrounding people aware about the same.

Learning Objective- To adopt sustainable development methods and also make surrounding people aware about the same.

9. International Conference on Water – A Focus on Future and Innovation

GUIDELINES FOR THE AUTHOR

Paper should cover the following aspects.

- Research Problem
- Objective(s)
- Research gap
- Methodology
- Conclusion
- Implications of the study

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Title of the paper, Author's Name, Name of the Institution, Address, E-mail and Contact No. (Title font size -14)

ABSTRACT

250-300 words (4-5 keywords)

FULL PAPER:

2000-3000 Words (Font Size 12, Font Style- Times New Roman, and Line Spacing – 1.5).
Paper should be sent as a word document.
Paper should be completed with references as per APA/MLA handbook 7th edition guidelines.

AWARDS

The best paper award will be conferred upon the author (s) of a full paper in every technical session presented in the conference.

Registration Fee

Academicians	1500/- (without accommodation)
Academicians	2500/- (with accommodation)
Research Scholars	1200/- (without accommodation)
Research Scholars	2200/- (with accommodation)
Entrepreneurs	1500/-
Students	750/-

Registration Fee is inclusive of conference kit, lunch and high tea. All the members who desire to attend the workshop must send their registration fee through any of the following modes:

1. NEFT to: A/C Name: Sophia Girls' College, Ajmer Bank Name: Canara Bank Branch Name: Sophia Sr. Sec. School, Ajmer A/c No.: 8469101014963 IFSC Code: CNRB0008469
2. Online Payment: can be made through the College website - <http://admin.sophiacollegeconference>
(Kindly bring the receipt of your online payment)

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WATER - A FOCUS ON THE FUTURE AND INNOVATION

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About Sophia Girls' College, Ajmer (Autonomous)

Sophia Girls' College, Ajmer (Autonomous) is an 'A' Grade Accredited Institute by NAAC (UGC) and is affiliated to Maharshi Dayanand Saraswati University. Since 1959 the College has held a high reputation nationally and internationally for imparting quality higher education through its dedicated and conscientious staff with high academic credentials and diversity of offered courses. At the Undergraduate Level, the College offers programs in B.A., B.Sc., B.Com, BBA, BCA, B.LIS, Honours in English, Economics, Commerce and Post Graduate Programs in English, Geography, Political Science, Sociology, History, Computer Science, Chemistry and ABST. To inculcate scholarly excellence and make globally competent citizens, the Institution offers Generic, Skill Enhancement, Career Development and Foundation Courses for students. The Institution revisits building its reputation at par with international standards through its worldwide collaboration and linkages with Institutes of repute.

The College has an MHRD recognized Innovation Institution Cell. It offers Cambridge English Level Certification, Diploma in French from the French Embassy, ISRO and DST Sponsored programs under its aegis. A vision initiative towards Institutional, Social and Environmental Responsibility, the College has developed a 'Sustainable Environment by developing Biogas, Water Harvesting System and proudly boasts of being one of the fully solar electrified campus in Rajasthan. It also has a diversity of flora and fauna on the idyllic campus. As a girls' College the Institution is in the forefront collaborating with NGOs, Women Development Corporation and the PUCI on gender sensitization, women empowerment and women entrepreneurship.

Location

The College is located on Jaipur Road, Ajmer, Rajasthan at a distance of 1.5 Km from Ajmer bus stand and around 2.5 Km from Ajmer Railway station. It is connected to Jaipur by road through AC Bus service and Rail through Shatabadi/Superfast trains. The city is surrounded by the famous Aravali Hills. Ajmer is internationally famous for the Lord Brahma Temple at Pushkar and Dargah Sharif at Ajmer.

About the Departments

Economics:
The Department of Economics was established in the year 1959 to offer in-depth knowledge of Economics as a subject to young girls. Honors in Economics was started in the year 1998. With the changing scenario, both at National and International level, the curriculum was revised after getting an Autonomous status.

Political Science:
Established in 1959, the Department of Political Science aims at creating political awakening and enlightening young minds with the much required Political education. In 2017, the Department also introduced a Post-Graduate course. Through academic courses and activities, the Department gives a platform to explore the diverse political spectrum.

About the Conference

Over the centuries, civilisations have relied on the availability of clean and inexpensive water. This can no longer be taken for granted as the need for water continues to increase due to the pressure from growing global population as well as demands from agriculture and industry. Water distribution networks as well as soiled water collection system also present serious problems. The socio-political implications of a world short of clean, easily available water are enormous.

Water problems happen to be a problem of multi-dimensional nature from Water Pollution to Water Politics. It will lead to realignment in international politics and the emergence of new centres of power in the world. The problem has serious implications for India as well. According to the Composite Water Management Index (CWMi) report released by the NITI Aayog in 2018, 21 major cities (Delhi, Bengaluru, Chennai, Hyderabad and others) are racing to reach zero groundwater levels by 2020, affecting access for 100 million people. 12 per cent of India's population is already living the 'Day Zero' scenario, thanks to excessive groundwater pumping, an inefficient and wasteful water management system and years of deficient rains. This glaring problem demands immediate corrective measures to be taken.

Therefore there is a need to question, discover, ponder and answer. The need of the hour is for us, as stakeholders, to debate and discuss the latest developments, strategies, techniques and applications of best practices to innovatively manage this very important resource- Water. Past experiences, global methods and local knowledge can combine to help offer plausible solutions, let's not wait for a miracle to save this 'miracle drink'.

Themes and Sub Themes

- GEO POLITICS OF WATER
- Trans-Boundary Water Issues
- Water and peace
- Water for the Cities of the Future
- WATER ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE
- Water and Sanitation
- Water and Environmental Sustainability
- Water-Energy-Food-Ecosystem nexus
- Natural and Manmade Water Threats
- Climate Change and Water
- Water Related Disaster – Future Challenges & Solutions

- WATER AND SOCIETY
- Water Ethics
- Water and Social Harmony
- Water as Human Right
- Water as Heritage
- Water and Media/ Literature
- Water and Spirituality
- Gender Dynamics of Water
- WATER ECONOMICS
- Water Resources and Food Security
- Water Scarcity –Challenges Ahead
- Water Poverty
- Water Quality and Public Health Issues
- Water Resources Sustainability for Industrial Growth
- Water Resources Development for Rural Growth
- WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
- Efficient Management of Water Loss and Smart Water Distribution System
- Innovative Water Network Management
- Urban and Rural Water Management for Economic Growth
- Water and Disaster Management
- Learning from Global Best Practices in Water Management
- Ecological Management of Water
- INNOVATIVE WATER TECHNOLOGIES
- E-governance in Water Sector
- Technological Innovation and Big Data for Water Security
- Innovative Water Engineering Technology
- Innovative Waste Water Management Technology

Important Dates

1. Submission of Abstract	28 th January 2020
2. Acceptance of Abstract	30 th January 2020
3. Submission of Full Paper	15 th February 2020
4. Acceptance of Full Paper	20 th February 2020
5. Registration open till	19 th February 2020

Name of the Activity- International Conference on “Water- A Focus on the Future and Innovation”

Date of the Activity- 24th and 25th February 2020

Total number of Students- 414

Venue – Quadrilateral, Sophia Girls’ College (Autonomous), Ajmer

Level- International Conference

Resource Persons –

S.No	Name	Designation	Affiliating Institute/University	Contact Details	Contributed to the event as a-
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2	Shri Rajendra Singh	‘Waterman of India’	Tarun Bharat Sangh	jalpurushtbs@gmail.com	The Guest of Honour
3	Dr. M Kavvas	Professor	University of California, Davis, USA	mkavvas@ucdavis.edu	Keynote Speaker
4	Shri Bhupendra Yadav	Hon’ble Member of Parliament	Government of India	bhupendra.yadav@sansad.nic.in	Chief Guest for Valedictory Session
5	Dr. Raghu Murtugudde	Earth System Scientist	University of Maryland, USA	mahatma@umd.edu	Resource Person

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8	Ms. Vandana Pandya	Social Activist Ahmedabad	WASMO	9925069216	Resource Person
9	Dr. Preeti Sharma	Professor	Kurukshetra University	7342301120	Resource Person
10	Prof. M S Rathore	Director	CEDS, Jaipur	8976547120	Chair – Technical Session
11	Prof. Shiv Dayal	Professor, Head of Department - Economics	MDS University	9413260045	Co- chair Technical Session
12	Shri Prahlad Pareekh	Executive Engineer	PHED, Ajmer	9414559876	Resource Person
13	Prof. Anurad ha Tripathi	Professor- International Affairs Expert	Head- Dept of Political Science, SPC Government College, Ajmer	9460791146	Panelist
14	Mr. Hemant Mathur	RAS	Government of Rajasthan	9782118957	Panelist
15	Dr Pinky Tak	Medical Officer	JLN Medical Hospital	7976960370	Panelist
16	Shri Ramesh Yada var	Activist and Senior Programme Officer	Participatory Research in Asia	9829547063	Panelist

17	Dr. Naseer Ahmed	Director	BARC	8769334215	Panelist
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Learning Outcome & Objective of the Activity-

To explore the various possibilities of Water Management and Water Conservation in India and the world and to encourage and provide a platform to students and research scholars wherein they can explore this field to study.

Water problem happens to be a problem of multi-dimensional nature from Water Pollution to Water Politics. It will lead to realignment in International Politics and the emergence of new centres of power in the world.

The eventual outcome of the activity was the recognition of the need for the stakeholder to be well versed with latest development, strategies, techniques and application of best practices to innovatively manage this very important resource –water.

