

SPOKEN ENGLISH PROGRAMME

REPORT

Acharya Pathasala College of Arts and Science in association with the Times of India organized the inaugural function of Teach India (Spoken English Programme) initiated by IQAC on Thursday, 13th May 2021 at 10.30 am.

The Inaugural Programme was conducted online during COVID-19 Pandemic, in the presence of the Chief Guest Sri A R Acharya, General Secretary, APSET. Smt. Rajini Menon, Representative of CSR initiatives, Times of India in Bengaluru, briefed about the importance of taking up the course. This course was free for our students. The Presidential address of this Online Inaugural function was delivered by Dr. B Jayashree, Principal, Acharya Pathasala College of Arts and Science.

The inaugural programme was followed by the selection process for final year BCA and other combination students, under the supervision of Rajini Menon with the help of volunteers. 15 students were selected for the programme.

The classes were conducted from Monday to Friday between 3:30 to 5:00 P.M, for a duration of 1.30 hours. 44 classes were conducted online. It was activity based and practices on communication skills, pronunciation, conversation in English, meaning of different words, different words arising from the same alphabet, pick and speak and the like were given. They were also trained on interview skills like conversation, attire and the kind of gesture to be maintained in an interview. A mock interview was conducted to help students get the experience of an interview. Out of 15 students 10 students could attend regularly. The remaining has network issues. The certificates issued by Times of India for successful students with more than 75% attendance were given away by Sri. A. R. Acharya, General Secretary, APSET.



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