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A supportive, nurturing environment and exposure to growing technological innovation are the two main aspects of a good education. To provide this, MITE conducted a three-week long induction program, which served as a strong foundation to the first-year students for beginning their four-year long journey. It began with a two-day orientation program, which then made way for a plethora of extra-curricular activities.

I would like to express my gratitude to all the faculty at MITE for providing a platform to our students to express their creativity and talent in a way never done before.

Making sure that our students were introduced to fields other than technology like personality development, creative arts, literary skill development, this induction program has also successfully prepared them to face the challenges that are sure to follow in the coming years. Several skills were imparted, including the email composition, communication skills and computer skills, all of which aimed to increase their proficiency in the respective domains. They also actively participated in social activities under NSS.

I hope students learn more as the years go by, and give them my best wishes.
MITE believes in making students very comfortable in the campus and allows them to explore their academic interests and activities. So MITE, under the guidance of AICTE, conducted a three week Induction Program. The Induction program had a strong focus on building confidence and boosting creativity through disciplines like Physical activity, taking up some Creative arts, Literary activity, fostering greater human interaction and class bonding with group discussions with faculty and lectures by eminent personalities.

Activities like Extempore, sessions on Spoken English and Grammar, Letter Writing and Email Etiquettes, Essay writing techniques were organised as a part of this program. Visit to orphanages, old age homes and foster homes for specially-abled children under NSS activities were also conducted to inculcate a sense of social responsibility.

The sessions on Universal Human Values gave space to students to explore oneself and experience the joy of learning, prepare themselves to stand up to peer pressure and take decisions with courage, be aware of relationships and be sensitive to others.

As a part of the event, the students were provided with a task of writing a final report that encompassed abstracts about everything they had learnt throughout the three weeks program. Two best reports from each section were felicitated with awards. This brochure provides an insight on various programs conducted at MITE.
ACTIVITIES

1. ORIENTATION
2. PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT
3. CREATIVE ARTS
4. LITERARY ACTIVITY
5. UNIVERSAL HUMAN VALUES
6. PLACEMENT ACTIVITY
7. PROFICIENCY MODULE
8. COMPUTER SKILLS
9. NSS ACTIVITY
10. SPORTS
11. LIBRARY ACTIVITY
12. UNIVERSAL HUMAN VALUES
ORIENTATION

Orientation is important for the new entrants both for the place and the curriculum. MITE takes this task seriously and conducts orientation program in small batches so that the program becomes effective and serves the purpose.

MITE inducted its latest batch of students of Engineering and organized an Orientation Program for the new entrants on August 6-7, 2018. Welcoming the new students Principal Dr. G L Easwara Prasad gave a brief of the College and highlighted the achievements, awards won by the students. He also mentioned about the various Industries tie ups that MITE has for providing global education. The students were then, briefed about the rules and regulations of the Institute and the University norms, hostel norms and the placement process at MITE.

Mr. Rajesh Chouta, Chairman, RET presided over the function. Mr. Chouta asked the parents not to shed their responsibility once their wards have joined the professional course. but rather keep a continous tab on their wards' academic progress. He further mentioned that, together with the parents and the College, we can bring success in each of the student's future.
In order to help nurture the essential attributes as well as to develop a personality which can help shape a professional lifestyle within the students, the college facilitated a session with an amazing round-up of events. The events were set out to be harbingers of the scholastic and non-scholastic activities the college envisions.
The need to inculcate self-discipline and self-confidence in our lives set the preface of the talk on ‘Self-development’ which was addressed by Dr. Jayadeva Prasad, Professor & HOD, Department of MBA.

An engaging talk which laid parallels on how such factors go hand in hand in shaping the lives of an individual captivated the young minds. The need to help stimulate self-confidence from within and a brief analysis on the modern educational scenario was also highlighted on the occasion.

The talk dwelled into practices that would help develop one’s confidence while assessing the symptoms of a self-confident individual. The need to stay focused to help channel a broader thought process while working hard and learning simultaneously will definitely entice one’s self-confidence and that was a definite take-away from the session.
If you want to reach great heights in your life, time management is necessary”, this was an auxiliary quote of guidance from our Principal, Dr. G. L. Easwara Prasad, to the solemn crowd in attendance. Following up the master class on self-development was a session on Time Management which began with an interaction with the students regarding the importance of time management in one’s life.

The talk shed light on the need to process and prioritize how we manage time in order to effectively plan, delegate and set our objectives. Taking inspiration from the eminent minds around the globe on how their time management rituals helped them become great leaders of tomorrow garnered the applause of the students. As the session concluded, the students realized the importance of maintaining a healthy body which would in turn help lead an effective time managed lifestyle.
For those who have conquered the mind, it is their friend. For those who have failed to do so, the mind works like an enemy”, this verse from the Bhagvath Geetha laid the foundation of the talk presented by Swami Sanandana Das and his team from the ISKCON. The team explained the basic techniques that the students could practise and the need of controlling the mind in a right path with the help of visuals, capturing them in awe.

The students were taught different techniques to control their mind in order to successfully reach their soulful destination. The attendees attained valuable insights on how to control one’s mind of numerous thoughts. The seminar also made a prominent remark on meditation, mind control and focus. As a final embellishment was an exercise to attain meditate state where the students were taught to spell Shlokas.
Technology addiction
Drive Responsibility
Global Warming
Social Influence
Protect Energy
Protect Flora and Fauna
Everything in Nature is about balance
Technology Dependence
Save Earth
Save Resources and water
Media Influence

CREATIVE ARTS
MITE, similar to AICTE believes that communication is a necessity in this new and progressive world. In the communication age, it is significant for the future generation to inculcate proper communication etiquettes. In this light, MITE took to conducting multiple training sessions for the engineers of the next generation, encompassing the domains of Letter Writing, Essay Writing, Extempore and E-mail Etiquettes. The sessions were conducted with the vision of improving students’ communication skills and to uplift their self confidences.
Although the world has moved towards digitization of almost every aspect of daily life, the art of letter writing is a necessary skill to inculcate. Some general applications like job applications, leave letters, etc still follow the conventional method of writing handwritten letters. In this light, Prof. Kutti, a senior visiting faculty of the MITE fraternity provided a retrospect into letter writing by beginning with the general mistakes that individuals generally make writing letters. Further, he mentioned ways to avoid the mistakes and also provided pointers on how to make a letter comprehensible and powerful.
Extempore is an activity that is aimed at inculcating spontaneity among students. MITE believes that spontaneity has a lasting impact on the student as in the one’s life, he/she may face situations where there maybe a need for quick and effective decision making skills. In this light, MITE invited Mr. Mohammed Azzan Patni, Co-Founder and Director, Pace Wisdom Solution, who apart from being an IT professional and an alumni of the institution, is also an effective orator. He presented various topics to the students that expected them to think differently and challenged them to be spontaneous at the same time. He also spoke about various skills of an effective orator and mentioned ways to inculcate those skills.
Essay writing is a necessary skill that is capable of improving a student’s language skills. MITE believes that essay writing promotes creativity when it comes to usage of words and formation of sentences which could potentially have a lasting impact on the student’s mind set. In this regard, Prof. Kutti addressed the students regarding various do's and don’ts while writing an essay.

Prof. Kutti went on to conduct essay writing activities for students thus putting a practical touch to the sessions. The sessions succeeded at allowing the students to explore various perceptions to the same topic thus promoting creative thinking.
Digital age has preoccupied the entire human race and the Electronic Mail (E-mail) has become a standard form of communication in almost every aspect of life. MITE believes in the power of the bits and bytes of the Internet and understands the importance of learning various etiquettes when it comes to E-mail writing. In this light, Mr. Glenson Toney, a faculty of the Mechatronics division of the MITE fraternity presented pointers on how one could write E-mails effectively and also notioned about what not to do while writing them. In addition, he mentioned about how important email names are and also demonstrated sending of an e-mail to multiple people.
In this busy world, we as human beings tend to focus on the world around us more than focusing on ourselves and our health. MITE believes that students, apart from focusing on building up their careers and lives, should also take time to focus on maintaining their health.

In this light, MITE invited Dr. Joslitta Rebello, Medical Officer at MITE, to present a retrospect into various ways of maintaining one’s health. She conveyed the importance of sticking to a balanced diet. In addition, she spoke about the adverse affects of infusing drugs, alcohol and nicotine into our bodies by taking a medical stand against the same.
LECTURES
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EMINENT PERSONALITY
Talk on Drug Abuse
- Dr. Jayaprakash K

Content:
Addictive substances like drugs and narcotics induce a pain that only becomes evident in the long run while presenting temporary pleasures. MITE understands the adverse effects of drugs on the human body and how the young minds are lured towards such heinous substances.

MITE invited Dr. Jayaprakash K, a veteran in the field of Forensics to address the students regarding the harmful effects of consumption of drugs, alcohol, etc on the human body. He presented a psychological explanation to the processes between attachment and addiction towards drugs. He provided clarity about various psychological after-effects of consumption of drugs and urged the students to have a strong will-power resonant enough to say no to such harmful substances.
MITE invited a renowned and an inspiring personality, Dr. Shikaripura Krishnamurthy to present perspectives on various aspects of life. Dr. Krishnamurthy’s address focused on topics of self-assessment, self-development, leadership and management skills. He stressed on the importance of self-scrutiny while assessing flaws in ourselves and provided pointers on how we can develop into leaders of tomorrow.

The address also focused on the importance keeping the human touch in us alive at every situation and provided clarity on how good habits directly promotes us as better humans. He engaged in an interaction with students by convincing them to participate in activities conducted by him. The activities shined a spotlight on what is important in life and left each student with a genuine lesson for life.
Talk on ‘Unleashing the Best in you’
-Babar Ali

MITE believes that one can do anything one wants if he/she has the courage, determination and the dedication to do it. MITE invited Babar Ali, acclaimed as the ‘Youngest Headmaster in the World’ to address the newly joined students of the institution with the intention of raising a fire of passion and courage in them. Mr. Ali recalled from his experiences and notioned about the importance of courage in our daily lives.

He mentioned that we are all capable of doing amazing things if we just have the courage to take that first step. He also spoke about how one can utilize his intelligence and thoughts to continually motivate one’s self. He stressed on the need of self-confidence and self-belief in whatever is done. The students gained valuable inspiration from Mr. Ali and were motivated to dream and conquer life.

Babar Ali is a famous Educationist who started teaching initially as a game at the age of 9 before deciding to continue teaching many other children at a larger scale. His school that began in his parents’ backyard, still continues to run as an outdoor school with about ten teachers. The teachers are volunteers from various schools and colleges. The school does not charge tuition-fee to the students, thus helping the less fortunate to have access to education. The school has positively contributed to the literacy rate of the country as an outcome of this. Babar Ali cites Swami Vivekananda as his inspiration to do good for the society. Babar Ali has won many accolades for his extraordinary grit and determination to contribute to the society.
Placements present an express ticket to a comfortable life for students by reducing the burden of searching for jobs externally. With the motto of ‘Where stones turn into diamonds’, MITE believes that personality and mindset development of students in increments could serve them well while facing interviews and moreover turn them into effective professionals. Mr. Narendra U P, the Dean of Training and Placement, presented talks on the importance of learning in everyday life and how it could have a lasting impact on the years to come. He presented a road map to the students that could potentially turn them into confident individuals. He presented a view into the placement activities in the college and advised students on how to face interviews.
Proficiency Module was an important session for the students to enrich their employability skills. For a student to embrace true professional values, a class was taken by Mr. Sourabh, Asst.Prof, Dept of Humanities at MITE. He explained on the requisite communication skills, body language and presentation format one needs to live by for a successful interview. They were taught on how to introduce themselves in an improved and professional manner. Students learnt the basic etiquettes followed in a group discussion as well. The students were asked to give an online examination to challenge their language skills.
Computers began as a mathematical and logical device but now has spread across the world as an important asset in almost every aspect of life. MITE believes that as the digital world changes the world, there is a need for the future generation to change along and learn about various aspects that is creating the change. At the crux of the digital change lie Computers. Various faculties from Information Science & Engineering and the Computer Science & Engineering educated the students on various aspects of Computers. They took to teaching the students about making presentations, creating documents, exploring operating systems and also briefed into the infinitely growing world of programming. The sessions aimed at providing important information about computer systems to students.
It is important for the students to understand their roles as Engineers of Tomorrow and their contributions to the betterment of the entire society. MITE believes that students should be educated about what is expected of them as the future engineers thus inculcating a sense of motivation driven by themselves. Heads of various branches of the institute along with assistance from faculties of their department held sessions for the students which aimed at familiarizing the students with their respective branches in terms of goals, duties and the learning growth expected. The sessions succeeded at presenting a clear view to the students regarding what is being taught in various branches of the institute.
Our institution takes pride over an impressive roster as part of the National Service Scheme (NSS) within the campus. The students facilitate to many national awareness as well as outreach programs. Headed by Mr. Sathyanarayana, HOD, Department of Mechatronics Engineering, the students were taken to Chethana special school, Karkala. The team from MITE conducted various performances and games that spread a lot of smile and joy to the tenants. A show of compassion, love and reconciliation from the students that help nurture unconditional humane values and gratitude for their perfect well-being. As an amazing gesture the kids performed a small program that lightened up the session. The first year students were grouped in 5 teams for this activity. Each batch visited these places separately along with faculty coordinator.
Mr. Shamith Rao, Physical Education Director and Mr. Aveen K.P, Sports Co-ordinator briefed on the various sports activities available at MITE. The students were made familiar about the various opportunity in the realm of sports. Apart from instructing them about the rules and regulations on various sporting events, the provisional facilities for different games available at MITE were also discussed. Unfortunately, due to bad weather conditions the students were not able to engage in sports activities on the college sports ground. But the instructors had a wholesome interaction with the students, enticing them to join the sports club.
A walkthrough of the institutional libraries was given by Mr. Santhosh Kumar, the Librarian. The students were instructed on the rules and regulations followed in the libraries. The facilities at their disposal such as the large volumes of available books and periodicals, the provision to a separate discussion room, assorted daily newspapers and magazine section, separate e-journals and internet facility as well as the borrowing system was thoroughly explained. Students were then taken to the separate boys and girls lounge where they have access to the latest magazines and newspapers.
Universal human values segment was carried out in sessions and presided over by Dr. Asha Crasta, Professor & HOD, Department of Mathematics, along with Ms. Shreya Prabhu, Asst.Prof, Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering. Giving much emphasis on explaining the role of education as well as right understanding of self and body in order to find a perfect harmony between an individual, society and the nature was addressed in the gathering. The segment helped orchestrate various group activities to help promote mutual interaction while signifying that human lives revolve around desires and these desires lead to infinite thoughts and infinite expectations. The students, having been allotted into different groups, actively participated in preparing designs and charts that embodied the philosophies that depict the values of relationships and gratitude.

The students were able to garner insights on how fulfilment of any relationship can lead to a life filled with mutual happiness between individuals as it enhances humane values from within. The talk was followed up by Ms. Shreya Prabhu, who dwelt into the pre-requisites for a healthy relationship. The foundation to any good relationship rely on trust, respect and care and its important that the students learn these essentials to help build a strong ethic. Harmony in society as well as nature can be maintained peacefully by following the five dimensions in the human order thus directing the crowd to develop more harmonious feelings throughout as its relevance on us human beings is unprecedented
# Roll of Honor: Best Reports of Induction Program

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