ENGLISH LITERARY SOCIETY

Department Activities

2018-19

President: Mrs Poonam Singla Co-President: Mrs Aastha Bhatia

- ➤ The English Literary Society organised "News Reading Competition" for students of all classes on September 15, 2018. Through this competition, an attempt was made to make students understand the various ways of reading text by focusing on pronunciation, grammar, pitch and use of adequate tone to gather the listener's attention.
- ➤ A "Paper Presentation Competition" was organised for the students of Post-Graduation and Honours on October 8, 2018. Students presented papers on various literary topics and gathered insights on the concerned subject area through discussion.
- Two Extension Lectures were organized on February 14, 2019. Distinguished resource persons—Dr Chander Kanta and Dr Neena Arora—talked about "Existentialism and its Operation in Various Literary Works" and "Post-Structuralism and Deconstruction" respectively. Dr Chander Kanta through her lecture on the theme of Existentialism made students understand the meaning, purpose and agency of human existence and the role of Literature in helping us understand such ideas. Dr Neena Arora with her lecture on Post-Structuralism and Deconstruction outlined the act of pursuing the internal contradictions and oppositions of the text in order to understand its true meaning.

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