

HISTORY DEPARTMENT - ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT 2018-2019

ENDOWMENT: Ms Vera Augustus Endowment was organised on 8th March 2019

CONFERENCES/ SEMINARS/ WORKSHOPS : NIL

FIELD/INDUSTRY VISITS:

- **Field visit** to the villages near **Ulunderpet** was organized for the second year B.A History students as a part of the Indian Economic development course on March 15th, 2019. Around 61 students visited conducted survey in the villages, collecting data on agriculture, education, banking, unemployment programmes, and poverty alleviations programmes. Students learnt the various government measures on unemployment and poverty eradication and other development schemes for the villages. They understood the problems in the implementation of government schemes at the village level. Life in the rural India and their difficulties was studied.
- **Industrial visit** to **Aurobindo Paper Factory**, Pondicherry was arranged for Second year History students as a part of the Indian Economic Development on March 16th, 2019. Students learnt the manufacturing process for the paper and their market and exports to the other countries
Students also visited the Urban forest in Pondicherry on the same day, where they exposed the resources in the forest and their benefits.
- **Visit to Fort St. George Museum** was organized for the first year on February 16th as a part of their course Economic History of India. Students observed the oldest exhibits of English rule such as British weapons, coins, medals and uniforms on display as well as artifacts from Scotland, France and India.