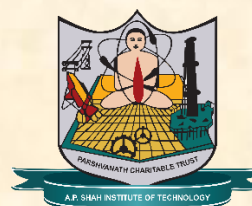




APSIT'S Xpression CLUB



Why Xpression Club:

APSIT Communication Club aims to create a supportive, learning environment for every person who wishes or needs to improve their communication skills and confidence. This club will have faculties as guides and mentors to help the students to develop solid communication skills which will be helpful for them in their career and personal life.

Engineering is a multidisciplinary profession. For engineers to be successful over the course of their careers, communication skills are just as important as technical knowledge. A single project may involve teamwork with business specialists, psychologists and public health officials, to name a few. The ability to collaborate and communicate effectively with a diverse team, as well as express complex concepts to a non-technical audience, is an asset. One of the best ways to deal with such scenarios is by learning and practicing good communication skills.

With the motive of enhancing the communication skills of our students we at APSIT have initiated the “Communication Skill Enhancement Activity”. As a part of this activity, every student’s participation is ensured, where each student speaks on a topic of his/her choice for about 5 mins. The student is monitored by faculty and suggested improvements. Also a video recording of the same is preserved for self-assessment purpose by the student. The said activity has helped students improve their verbal skills. Students who qualify with excellent skills are then promoted to Xpression Club, wherein they are exposed to other challenging activities like group discussion, Ted Talks, debates, etc. The cumulative motive of this initiative is to help students steadily enhance their interpersonal skills which in turn will boost their self confidence which is utmost important during placement drives and at large for their professional career.

Guidelines for Students:

- Students are required to choose different topics and the number of topics will be equal to number of practical /tutorial heads in that semester.
- A Student is expected to deliver talk only once in a semester in each practical / tutorial head.
- A Student is required to present the topic in the practical session for at least 3 to 5 minutes.
- Guidelines for selection of topic will be provided however, the topic shall not be biased on any religious or politically sensitive issues.
- Student needs to preserve the recordings of all the presentations done during the semester which will be helpful for self-assessment.

- Student should take self-initiative and utilize facilities like softwares installed in language lab provided by institute to improve communication skills.
- Any suggestions that will help improve this communication enhancement program are welcome.
- Once the students reach to a particular proficiency level, they will be promoted to the APSIT'S Xpression Club after undergoing a screening test where they can work on other aspects of communication skills.

