

Report: Orientation to Library & Information Systems

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The Department of Education organized an orientation programme on **5th May 2026** on the theme “**Orientation to Library & Information Systems**” in collaboration with the College Library at the **College Library Block**. The programme was conducted with the objective of familiarizing students with the effective use of library resources, rules and regulations, cataloguing systems, borrowing procedures, and modern academic information services.

The programme commenced with a warm welcome and keynote address by the **Head of the Department of Education**, who highlighted the importance of libraries in academic growth and research. He emphasized the need for students to develop proper library usage skills and make optimum use of available learning resources.

The resource person for the programme was **Dr. Ansaar Hussain, Librarian, GDC Sopore**, who delivered an informative and engaging session on various aspects of library and information systems. During his lecture, he oriented the students about library usage, the **OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue)** system, **RFID technology**, print and electronic resources, and different kinds of **Open Educational Resources (OER)** and licensing systems. He also explained how students can access and utilize digital academic materials effectively for their studies and research.

The session proved highly interactive and beneficial for the students. Dr. Ansaar Hussain concluded his lecture with an engaging quiz session based on the topics discussed during the programme. In the quiz competition, **Adil Farooq of 6th Semester** secured the first position, followed by **Afshana of 4th Semester** who secured the second position, while **Bilquis Baba** secured the third position.

The programme concluded with a formal vote of thanks presented by **Dr. Najmun Sehar**, faculty member, Department of Education, who expressed gratitude to the resource person, faculty members, and students for their active participation and cooperation in making the programme successful. The event ended on a positive and informative note, leaving students better informed about the effective use of library and information resources.



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