

**MOUNT CARMEL COLLEGE ATONOMOUS**

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**EMPOWERING STUDENT TEACHER WEBINAR REPORT**

**Name of the event:** 'Empowering Student Teacher'

**GUEST SPEAKER:** DR.N. SHIVARAMA REDDY Educational Psychologist, Academic Advisor & Educationist  
Chief Administrative Officer, BGS Group of Institutions, Karnataka.

**Faculty coordinator:** Ms. S. Shanti, Sr. Mary Ashwini D'Souza, Dr. Gururaj, Ms. Diyaneshwari (association coordinator)

**Date and Time:** 6th March 2021 at 11:00a.m.

**Venue:** Microsoft teams

"As educators one of our primary responsibilities is empowerment."

Education is the penultimate instrument that can bring progressive changes in society. Teaching is one profession that enables individuals to build a healthy, academic system for the country. When we train student teachers, it is our responsibility to empower and equip them to lead the future generations. They play a crucial role in shaping minds and help children become holistic individuals. This webinar aims at empowering the student teachers and make them familiar with the tools and techniques of teaching and learning. It is not only an attempt to encourage our student teachers to think independently and critically but also help them build a good learning community which will make them better teachers of the future.

The webinar was held on 6th March 2021 at 11:00a.m. The lecture was initiated by the Department of Education to brainstorm the students pursuing B.Ed., with the objective of Providing students with resources from around the world • Empowering them to publish for a global audience • Applying tools to make thinking practically applicable. • Teaching critical thinking and sophisticated search skills. • Creating challenges where students have to apply knowledge. • Building learning communities of students to create a positive and coercive learning environment for everyone.

The event began with a formal welcome and introduction by Irene Freda, Secretary B.Ed. association followed with the inaugural song by S. Daya Christ Angel (B.Sc. B.Ed. PCM). The event was then commenced by DR.N. SHIVARAMA REDDY.

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The lecture then advanced with an informative talk on the best education system present in the world that is the education system of FINLAND. Then

The talk emphasized on how to use tools to make thinking practically applicable, teaching critical thinking and sophisticated search skills, creating challenges where students have to apply knowledge and how to Build learning communities of students to create a positive and coercive learning environment for everyone. A simple meaningful video supported this idea and conveyed the message to the audience.

The objective of the presentation was to

- Provide students with resources from around the world.
- Empowering them to publish for a global audience.
- Applying tools to make thinking practically applicable.
- Teaching critical thinking and sophisticated search skills.
- Creating challenges where students have to apply knowledge.
- Building learning communities of students to create a positive and coercive learning environment for everyone.

The event was then followed by a questioning session where very interesting and informative topics were discussed.

The program was finally concluded with a vote of thanks by Faustina (4<sup>th</sup> SEM B.A. B.Ed. HES).