

QUEEN MARY'S COLLEGE (A), CHENNAI – 4
DEPARTMENT OF HISTORICAL STUDIES
INDUCTION PROGRAMME FOR FIRST YEAR STUDENTS
DAY 6 PROGRAMME REPORT

On 9th July 2024, the Department of Historical Studies at Queen Mary's College, Chennai, organized the Day 6 induction program for first-year students. As per the instructions of the Head of the Department, Dr. M. Raziya Parvin, the second-year PG students took charge of facilitating the day's event, which included an informative and engaging College campus tour.

The tour aimed to familiarize the new students with the college's key facilities and infrastructure, ensuring they feel comfortable and confident navigating their new environment. The second-year PG students played a crucial role in providing a comprehensive and friendly introduction to the campus ensuring all important locations were covered. The history of the College was informed to them and the College Map point was indicated to help students visualize the layout of the campus. The tour stops and highlights were the main administrative block, academic buildings, heritage blocks and its importance, library, laboratories, sports and fitness facilities, canteen and the emerging hostel in the campus.

At each stop, the second-year PG students provided detailed explanations and answered any questions the new students had. They shared personal experiences and tips on making the most of each facility. The tour ensured that visually challenged students and others with special needs were given extra attention and assistance to ensure they could fully participate and understand the campus layout. The PG students provided contact information for any future queries and encouraged the first-year students to reach out for support.

The Day 6 induction program was a resounding success, providing new students with a comprehensive understanding of the Queen Mary's College campus. The efforts of the second-year PG students, guided by the instructions of Dr. Raziya Parvin, ensured that the new students felt welcomed, informed, and excited about their journey ahead. The detailed campus tour not only familiarized them with their new environment but also helped them build connections with their seniors, fostering a sense of community and support within the Department of Historical Studies.