

MARIS STELLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

Department of English

2018-2019

- **LANGUAGE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMME**

Under the able stewardship of Principal Dr. Sr. Jasintha Quadras, the Language Partnership Programme was launched in collaboration with Stella Maris College. Dr. Thilagavathi Joseph, Former faculty, Department of English, trained the faculty and students in conducting this programme. 150 slow learners were identified and 60 volunteers were chosen to help out the slow learners. Students interacted with each other under the supervision of the English faculty. Various activities were used to build confidence and improve fluency among slow learners.



- **Motivational Talk by Mr. Chetan Bhagat, the Novelist (11.02.2019)**

With an objective to hone the English speaking and writing skills of schools and colleges in the state, a city-based startup, Nista National launched 'eduinfotainment' venture started by the Chairman and Managing Director of the firm, Mr. Sundara Chaitanya Anagani. The noted screen writer and the motivational speaker Mr. Chetan Bhagat, who is one among the 100 influential people, gave a motivational talk on "Life: Success and Happiness". Twenty Literature students of Maris Stella along with Dr. Sr. Innyasamma, Mrs. Swarupa and Ms. Manorama from the department of English attended it on 11.02.2019.

- **A Guest Lecture by Prof. M. Suresh Kumar (12.02.2019)**

A guest lecture on "Language of Translations and Language of Life" by Prof. M. Suresh Kumar, Dept. of English, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur was organized by the dept. of English for 60 Literature students of UG and PG on 12.02.2019.

