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Department of English

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FROM DARKNESS INTO MARVELLOUS LIGHT

Henry Baker College, Melukavu Is a Christian, Minority, Co-Educational, Government-aided Arts and Science College Established In 1981, affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.

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Annual Report of the Academic Year 2015-16

The opening programme of the department was conducted on 23 June 2015. It was a programme of multiple events which included a **Book Exhibition, screening of short films, and language games** and competitions. In the Book Exhibition landmark texts of English literature from the fourteenth to the twenty-first century were displayed according to the literary periods and movements they belong to. The language games included finding the right word from a descriptive idea and Phonetic Puzzle. A few short films by Charlie Chaplin were also screened as part of the programme. The Principal, Dr. Anneyamma Varughese inaugurated the programme.





Another programme was **Writers and their Work**, in which students of the final year, make short presentations on the author on whom their final semester projects focus. From August onwards students make the presentations every Monday at 1.20 p. m.

In the final semester University Examinations, March 2015, the students of B. A. English made a commendable performance. Out of the twenty-two students who appeared for the examination 19 passed. The pass percentage is 86. 36. Premalatha P and Fathima M. S were the toppers of the batch.

Merit Day was conducted on 23 February 2016 at 1.20 p. m. to honour the Toppers of I Semester CBCSS Degree Examination, November 2013. The following students were given prizes for their meritorious performance in the University Exams.

1. Lismin P. Samuel of First Semester B.A. English was the College Topper in Common Course English paper – Communication Skills in English scoring 87 marks out of 100. She was awarded the *Cambridge English Pronouncing Dictionary*.
2. Shani A P, Topper of First Semester B.A. English who scored 418/500 with A Grade, was awarded the *Cambridge English Pronouncing Dictionary*.

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