

K. J. Somaiya College of Arts & Commerce

Library report 2018-2019

Stock of Library:

During the year 2018-2019, 1472 new books are added in Aided College in the previous collection and 26 CD-ROMs are newly added. In Junior College, 272 new books added to the previous collection. In UGC A/C e-Books, 758 e-books are added. **20** Kindles has been purchased under UGC Grant.

Advanced Automation:

We have introduced KIOSK system in the Library. RFID tagging and antitheft sticker pasting work has been done. Staff & Students can issue, return and renew books themselves through KIOSK system.

Scholar Card:

The Library Scholar's Card as an extended library facility to encourage the scholar students of T.Y.B.A./B.Com. of our college is used by 10 students of T.Y.B.A. & B.Com.

Book Bank Scheme:

In the Book-Bank Scheme 1,487 books were issued to 311 students under UGC Book-Bank Scheme.

Best Library Book Reader Award:

The "Best Library Book Reader Award of the Year 2018-19" prize, which is given to the students who read more number of good books other than textbooks from the library during this year, won by *Sis. Sayli Anirudra Zagade* (T.Y.B.A., Roll.NO.56 and *Sis. Shifa S. Khan* (XII Arts, Roll No.-71)

Book Exhibition:

On 16th January 2019, the library had arranged a special book exhibition on Sociology subject.

Service to Students and Teachers:

Students are using the Internet facilities, computer practice facility at free of cost. Library is fully computerized.

Service to the Outsiders:

This year many ex-students and 5 outside visitors used our library.

We thank all those teachers who encouraged the students to read more good books in library.

We are thankful to The Principal, The Library Committee members and all those teaching and non-teaching staff members for their encouragement, guidance, help and co-operation.

Librarian.

(Anil B.Gaware)