

**SHYAM LAL COLLEGE**  
**AMBEDKAR STUDY CIRCLE**  
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AMBEDKAR STUDY CIRCLE (ASC) AIMS TO SENSITISE THE STAKEHOLDERS ABOUT THE HISTORY OF STRUGGLE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE. THE ATTEMPT IS ALSO TO RE-APPROPRIATE DR. AMBEDKAR'S IDEAS IN THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY THROUGH ACADEMIC PURSUITS BY ORGANISING SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, FIELD-TRIPS ETC. TO MAKE IT RELEVANT VIS-À-VIS CONTEMPORARY EMERGING ISSUES. THE ACADEMIC/RESEARCH ENDEAVOURS HAVE HELPED THE ASC IN EXPLAINING THE ROLE OF DR. AMBEDKAR'S IDEAS BEYOND DALIT-BAHUJAN DISCOURSE.

ASC MEMBERS:

THE AMBEDKAR STUDY CIRCLE ORGANISED THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

VISIT TO PARLIAMENT<sup>||</sup> WITH A PURPOSE TO ACQUAINT THE STUDENT WITH THE HISTORY OF INDIAN CONSTITUTION. THE STUDENTS VISITED BOTH THE LOK SABHA AND THE RAJYA SABHA.

A SEMINAR WAS ORGANISED BY THE AMBEDKAR STUDY CIRCLE ON BABASAHEB B. R. AMBEDKAR: MAKING OF REPUBLIC INDIA<sup>||</sup> ON 24<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2017. THE SPEAKERS SH. ANIL CHAMADIA, SENIOR JOURNALIST AND SH. URMILESH URMI, SENIOR JOURNALIST EXPLAINED THE ROLE OF AMBEDKAR AS A POLICY MAKER AND THE PROGRAMME WAS WELL RECEIVED BY THE STUDENTS.

AMBEDKAR STUDY CIRCLE ORGANISED A NATIONAL SEMINAR ON MODERNITY AND NATIONALISM: THROUGH THE PRISM OF AMBEDKAR'S PHILOSOPHY. CHIEF GUEST OF THE SEMINAR WAS MR. KANHAIYA LAL, DIRECTOR SC/ST COMMISSION GOVERNMENT OF SLC ANNUAL REPORT 2016-17 47 INDIA. OTHER EMINENT INVITED SPEAKERS WERE DR. CHANDRABHAN PRASAD (WRITER/THINKER/FOUNDER OF DICCI) AND PROF. VIVEK KUMAR, JNU.