



Reading is a fundamental skill that provides numerous benefits across various aspects of life. Like Improves Brain Function, Enhances Vocabulary and Language Skills, Boosts Memory and Concentration, Expands Knowledge and Understanding, Improves Critical Thinking and Analytical Skills, Enhances Academic Performance, Professional Development, Reduces Stress, Improves Empathy and Emotional Intelligence, Encourages Self-Reflection and Personal Growth, Strengthens Relationships, Cultural Awareness and Sensitivity etc.

By knowing all the importance of reading RIT Central Library initiated Reading Club Activity from 2016-2017 for faculty. From the last year we added nonteaching staff also in this groups.

The Faculty Reading Club at RIT has been an integral part of our academic community for the past 8 years. This club was initiated to promote a culture of reading among our esteemed faculty members and provide a platform for intellectual discussions, knowledge sharing, and personal growth. In this report, we will provide an overview of the activities, achievements, and impact of our Faculty Reading Club during the 2023-2024.

As per practice this year also i.e., 2023-2024, departments formed a small group of 4 to 5 members, named as Dept. name e.g., RC 1. After that, they selected books and articles for each group. All group members had to read the same book or article; after reading a whole book or some small part, they discussed the book and shared their views in the group. The Faculty Reading Club consistently selected a diverse range of books, encompassing various genres, topics, and authors.

After all, reading all groups prepared reports on the books. It presented a report on that in front of all members in the department by using PowerPoint presentations and submitted reports. All HODs coordinated this activity and submitted each group's report to the library.

In the year 2023-2024 Total of 67 groups from each department were formed, and 294 faculties participated in this activity. All faculty read a total of 68 books.

The Faculty Reading Club at RIT has had a significant positive impact on our academic community over the past year. It has not only promoted a culture of reading and learning among faculty members but has also enriched intellectual discussions and contributed to a more vibrant campus culture. With continued dedication and innovation, the club is poised to make even greater strides in the future.

As per reports and feedback by faculty reading can be a deeply immersive experience. It often allows you to escape into different worlds, explore new ideas, and connect with characters and narratives on an emotional level. Many people find that reading stimulates their imagination, enhances empathy, and even provides a sense of comfort or solace.

All enjoyed this activity, and the library received good feedback. Thus, the library and the departments made a successful activity.

Finally, in the words of George R. R. Martin. *"A reader lives a thousand lives before he dies . . . The man who never reads lives only one."*

Faculty Reading Club Statistics For the year 2023-2024

Table No. 01: Degree Wing

Sr. No.	Department	Total Group	Total Faculty	Total Books
1	Auto	2	07	2
2	Civil	6	28	7
3	Computer	6	29	6
4	IT	4	18	4
5	Electrical	4	15	4
6	ETC	4	26	4
7	Mech.	6	26	6
8	Mechatronics	4	12	4
9	Sc. & Hum.	4	15	4
10	Central Library	3	11	3
11	Office	5	22	5
Total		49	213	50

Table No. 02: Management Wing.

Sr. No.	Department	Total Group	Total Faculty	Total Articles
1	MBA	05	23	05
Total		05	23	05

Table No. 03: Diploma.

Sr. No.	Department	Total Group	Total Faculty	Total Book
1	Auto	1	5	1
2	Civil	2	9	2
3	Computer	3	13	3
4	Computer Hardware	1	6	1
5	Electrical	2	7	2
6	Mech.	2	9	2
7	Sc. & Hum.	2	9	2
Total		13	58	13



FEEDBACK GIVEN BY HOD

- Faculty presentation was good.
- Completed successfully.
- Conducted successfully.
- Nicely presented, this book will help everyone in planning and prioritizing the key tasks.
- Nicely presented highlighting the important lessons from the book.
- Presented effectively the importance of positive mindset and healthy lifestyle.
- Properly presented the important lessons from the book which can be incorporated in life by everyone.
- James Clear provides techniques for building positive habits and eliminating negative ones.
- You can win by Shiv Khera offers practical advice and inspirational stories to achieve success in personal and professional life.
- Attitude is Everything by Jeff Keller explores the transformative power of a positive mindset.
- The Magic of Thinking Big by David J. Schwartz author encourages to set high goals and believe in ability to achieve them.
- All the books presented and discussed were very useful for improving English vocabulary, positive attitude and patience among all the faculty members.
- Think and Grow Rich shows how having the right mindset can help you become wealthy.
- The DNA of Success reveals the core principles that lead to achieving your goals.
- Happiness is a Habit shows you how to make joy a regular part of your daily life.
- The Power of Your Subconscious Mind teaches you how to tap into your inner thoughts to improve your life.
- Keep reading and share a good thing with all.

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List of Books Read by Faculty In Rading Club Activity
2023-2024

Sr. No.	Book Name	Author	Wing of	Department of
1	Measure What Matters	John Doerr	Degree	Auto
2	The Power of Habit	Charles Duhigg	Degree	Auto
3	Open: An Autobiography	Andre Agassi	Degree	Civil
4	The Power of Your Subconscious Mind	Joseph Murphy	Degree	Civil
5	Goshta Paishapanyachi	Prafulla Wankhede	Degree	Civil
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7	Shiva Tribology	Amish	Degree	Civil
8	The Success Principles	Jack Canfield Bordens K. S.	Degree	Civil
9	Rich Dad Poor Dad	Robert Koyasaki	Degree	Civil
10	The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People	Setphen Covey	Degree	CSE
11	How To Solve It	G. Poyla	Degree	CSE
12	Personal Confidence and Motivation		Degree	CSE
13	Automic Habits: Unleash The Power of Small Changes	James Clear	Degree	CSE
14	Magic Formula for Success	Adukia	Degree	CSE
15	Belive in Yourself	Joseph Murphy	Degree	CSE
16	The Secret	Rhonda Byrne	Degree	CSE-AIML
17	Automic Habits: An Easy and Proven Way To	James Clear	Degree	CSIT
18	You Can Win	Shiv Khera	Degree	CSIT
19	Attitude is Everything	Jeff Keller	Degree	CSIT
20	The Magic of Thinking Big	David Schwartz	Degree	CSIT
21	Brand Mantras Finding a Place in The Minds and Hearts of Consumer	Jagdeep Kapoor	Degree	Electrical
22	The Art of Selling	Zig Ziglar	Degree	Electrical
23	Belive in Yourself	Joseph Murphy	Degree	Electrical
24	Bhura (Marathi)	Sharad Baviskar	Degree	Electrical
25	Eat That Frog	Brian Tracy	Degree	ETC
26	The Alchemist	Paulo Coelho	Degree	ETC
27	Ageless Body Timeless Mind	Deepak Chopra	Degree	ETC
28	The Monk Who Sold His Ferrari	Robin Sharma	Degree	ETC
29	I Have A Dream	Rashmi Bansal	Degree	Mechanical
30	The Art of Happiness	Dalai Lama	Degree	Mechanical
31	The Monk Who Sold His Ferrari	Robin Sharma	Degree	Mechanical
32	The Power of Positive Thinking	Norman Peale	Degree	Mechanical