

In the name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Compassionate

Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College (Autonomous)

Uthamapalayam - 625 533, Theni District.

ANNUAL REPORT 2025-2026

Distinguished Chief Guest of the day,

Dr. K. Kala,
Vice-Chancellor,
Mother Teresa Women's University,
Kodaikanal,

Revered President,

Honourable Secretary & Correspondent,

Esteemed Members of the Managing Committee,

Learned Members of various Faculty,

Enthusiastic Non-Teaching Staff,

Dear Guests and my dear Students,

Being the Head of the Institution, I wish to greet you all on this auspicious occasion of our College Day Celebrations being held today.

On behalf of the Management, the Staff, and the Students, I welcome you all to this renowned citadel of learning on its **70th** College Day Celebrations. The Institution was founded by the visionary philanthropist Hajee Karutha Rowther to promote higher education and uplift the poor and the downtrodden in and around the Cumbum Valley. Guided by his noble vision, we continue to nurture talented young men and women who contribute to the society year after year.

I'm glad to state that our Institution has been placed within the **201 - 300 Rank Band** in the **NIRF India Rankings 2025** by the Ministry of Education, India, for the second consecutive year.

With pride and immense pleasure, I present the Annual Report for this Academic Year 2025-2026, which has witnessed many successful events and is a record of several activities and achievements.

Strength and Courses

The tremendous development of our College is measured by the growing strength of the students and the number of programmes offered every year. Our College is proud of the overwhelming strength of its students this year, which is 2341, of whom 1336 are women students. In the Aided Stream, our college offers Undergraduate Programmes in Economics, English, History, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Computer Science, and Commerce. At the Postgraduate level, we have History and Commerce Programmes. Under the Self-Finance Scheme, in addition to the Undergraduate Programmes in Arabic, Tamil, Business Administration, Commerce (Banking), Commerce with Computer Application, Biochemistry, Microbiology, and Information Technology, we have Postgraduate Programmes in Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Economics, English, Tamil, and Commerce with Computer Application, as well as M.Phil. Programmes in Commerce, English, Chemistry, Mathematics, and History. The Departments of Commerce, Physics, English, History and Zoology are recognized Research Centres of Madurai Kamaraj University.

The College is an IGNOU Study Centre that provides Certificate Programmes in subjects like Arabic Language, Tourism Studies, Environmental Studies and Beekeeping. The College operates 12 buses exclusively for the safe conveyance of women students.

The conferment of **Permanent Minority Status** on our Institution by the Government of Tamil Nadu on 13th February 2026 stands as a landmark achievement elevating our legacy and shaping a bright future. This prestigious recognition reaffirms our dedication to inclusive and value-based education. At this juncture, I wish to express my gratitude to our College Management for their generous donation of ₹ 22 lakh towards the academic development and ₹ 2.5 crore for the infrastructure development of the Institution.

The Institution received several awards this year – the **Academic Excellence Award-2025** from Ram's Business Analytics Private Ltd., and the **State-level Achievement Survey Award-2025** from the District Institute of Education and Training. Moreover, the **Best Organizer College Award-2025** was also bestowed on us by Nattathi Nadar Hospital, Theni, for voluntarily organising the **Blood Donation Camps**.

The live telecast of கல்வியில் சிறந்த தமிழ்நாடு highlighting the achievements and educational initiatives of the Government of Tamil Nadu was screened for the students and staff of

the Institution on 25th September 2025. Under the Government of Tamil Nadu's **உலகம் உங்கள் கையில்** programme, laptops were distributed to eligible students on 05th January 2026 to promote digital learning and technological empowerment.

Around **25 Functional MoUs** have been signed with different Institutions, Professional Bodies and NGOs for the sustenance of quality education, promotion of research and to foster industry-academia collaboration.

As many as **768 alumni** attended the **Alumni Meet** which was organised by the Alumni Association of our College on 23rd August 2025. Furthermore, the Association organised a **Motivational Session “Turning Aspirations into Achievements”** on 01st April 2026. **Mr. S. Moosa Anees, Founder & Director, ICE-Institute of Competitive Exams, Theni,** and **Mr. M. Baskaran, Honorary Advisor, ICE-Institute of Competitive Exams, Theni,** were the **Keynote Speakers** of the programme.

A **Five-day Student Induction & Orientation Programme - “Deeksharambh”** was conducted for the First Year Undergraduates from 19th to 25th June 2025. Almost **692 Freshers** from seventeen Departments were the beneficiaries of the Student Induction Programme.

The Departments of our College have organised several events in collaboration with IQAC, including Workshops, National/International Seminars and Awareness Campaigns.

All the Classrooms and Seminar Halls are equipped with LED Projectors to promote ICT enabled teaching, as it has the potential to transform the nature and process of the teaching and learning environment.

Our campus is going green, eco-friendly and plastic-free, and a digital display board installed in the College premises, paves way for effective communication with students, staff, and employees about the ongoing events of the Institution.

Our Management has appointed the following Teaching and Non-Teaching staff in the existing vacancies.

Name	Designation
Teaching Staff (Unaided)	
Mr. M. MOHAMED ASLAM	Assistant Professor of Computer Science

Ms. J. FATHIMA KALEEMA	Assistant Professor of Computer Science
Non-Teaching Staff (Unaided)	
Mr. K. NOOR FAZIL	Lab Assistant
Mr. S. MOHAMED SATHIK	Attendant
Mr. B. SUBER KHAN	Attendant

Academic Achievements

Our education enables us to learn things outside the classroom through extracurricular activities and co-curricular pursuits. I'm happy to report that in terms of graduating student results for the Academic Year 2025-2026 our College has had remarkable success.

Pass Percentage 2025-2026			
Undergraduate Programmes			
Aided		Unaided	
Course	Pass Percentage	Course	Pass Percentage
Part-I			
Tamil	81%	Tamil	85%
Arabic	100%	Arabic	93%
Part-II			
English	91%	English	90%
Undergraduate Programmes			
Aided		Unaided	
Economics	81%	Arabic	100%
English	93%	Tamil	91%
History	84%	Business Administration	90%
Commerce	91%	Commerce with Banking	87%
Mathematics	95%	Commerce with Comp. Appl.	98%
Physics	96%	Biochemistry	90%
Chemistry	90%	Microbiology	96%
Zoology	87%	Information Technology	90%
Computer Science	97%		
Postgraduate Programmes			

Aided		Unaided	
History	99%	English	98%
Commerce	99%	Tamil	99%
		Economics	100%
		Commerce with Comp. Appl.	100%
		Mathematics	94%
		Physics	100%
		Chemistry	99%
		Zoology	100%
		Computer Science	96%

Staff of Merit

A college does not rise to excellence merely because of its infrastructure or reputation; it flourishes because of the dedication, sincerity, and tireless commitment of the faculty members. The honour and appreciation received by our esteemed teaching faculty for their profound knowledge across diverse disciplines and their rich experience in the field of education are reflected in the numerous awards and distinguished positions they hold, showcasing their unwavering dedication and professional excellence.

The Principal, Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran, has been honoured with the **Best Principal Award** by two prestigious organisations - Knowledge Research Academy, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, and Saksham Society, Jaipur. He is also the recipient of two **Lifetime Achievement Awards** from the Indian Society of Research and Development Professionals (ISRDP) & SKRGC Academy, Madurai.

Further, Dr. Mohamed Meeran, Principal, and Dr. H. Rakhiba, Associate Professor, Department of English, have **translated** into English the edited volume **ஹாஜி கருத்த ராவுத்தர் 1888-1958** on the life and legacy of the Founder of our Institution, compiled by Hajee Dr. M. Howdh Mohideen, former Principal, and Dr. M. A. Samad, former Head & Associate Professor, Department of Tamil.

Dr. J. Ahamed Meeran, Associate Professor & Head In-Charge, Department of English, has applied for a **Minor Research Project** funded by **ICSSR**.

Dr. H. Rakhiba, Associate Professor, Department of English, and Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, have jointly applied for a **Minor Research Project** funded by **ICSSR**.

Dr. A. Mujiber Rahman, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, is a **University Nominee** on the Interview Panel at Justice Basheer Ahmed Sayeed College for Women, Chennai, where he also serves as the **Subject Expert**. Adding to his credit, his **textbook Concepts of Astrophysics** has been recommended for the students of Physics by Annamalai University.

Dr. M. Charles Robert, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, has published a **patent** titled “**Machine Learning-Integrated Nanoparticle System for Early Cancer Detection and Targeted Drug Delivery**”.

Dr. A. Nihath Nazleen, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, has obtained a patent for a **Portable DNA Sequencing Device** numbered **477513**.

Dr. R. Renganathan, Librarian, has received a **research grant** of **₹ 1,40,000** for a **Minor Project** from the Local Library Authority, Government of Tamil Nadu.

Awards and Achievements

Recipient	Name of the Award	Awarding Organization
Dr. P. Murugan Associate Professor & Head Department of Tamil	செந்தாமரை விருது	முத்துக் கமலம் மின்னிதழ்
Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather Associate Professor Department of Tamil	Honorary Award	ATHAYI, Cumbum
Ms. M. Rizvana Assistant Professor Department of English	Award of Appreciation	Tamil Nadu AIDS Control Society through the Director of Health Services, Theni
Dr. N. Mohamed Sameem Associate Professor Department of Economics	Best Faculty Award	Knowledge Research Academy, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
	Global Iconic Excellence Award	Indian Society of Research and Development Professionals (ISRDP) & SKRGC Academy, Madurai
	Saksham Pride Award	Saksham Society, Jaipur
	Academic and Administrative Excellence Award	Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Excellence Award Ceremony

Dr. M. Nizam Mydeen Associate Professor Department of Economics	Saksham Pride Award	Saksham Society, Jaipur
Dr. T. K. Thirumalaisamy Associate Professor & Head Department of Physics	Best Academician Award	CSIR - NTSC
Ms. K. Roobini Assistant Professor Department of Physics	Best Researcher Award	Indian Society of Research and Development Professionals (ISRDP) & SKRGC Academy, Madurai
	Teaching and Research Excellence Award	
Dr. H. Habeeb Rani Assistant Professor & Head Department of Mathematics	Best Professor Award	Wisdom Path Foundation
	Kalam Award	Silampoli Foundation
Ms. N. Rayshima Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	Award of Appreciation	Tamil Nadu AIDS Control Society through the Director of Health Services, Theni
Dr. M. Ashiq Ur Rahman Assistant Professor Department of Zoology	Gold Medal in Badminton (Doubles)	Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Games 2025
Dr. A. Maajitha Begam Assistant Professor & Head Department of Botany	Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing	South Asian Research Journal of Natural Products
Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Assistant Professor Department of Botany	Certificate of Excellence in Reviewing	Journal of Experimental Agriculture International
		Journal of Agriculture and Ecology Research International
		International Journal of Plant & Soil Science
Dr. M. Mohamed Ishaq Associate Professor & Head Department of Commerce	Teaching and Research Excellence Award	Indian Society of Research and Development Professionals (ISRDP) & SKRGC Academy, Madurai
	Academic Excellence Award	
	Best Researcher Award	Knowledge Research Academy, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
	Best Researcher Award	Saksham Society, Jaipur
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	Teaching and Research Excellence Award	Indian Society of Research and Development Professionals (ISRDP) & SKRGC Academy, Madurai
	Academic Excellence Award	
	Best Researcher Award	Knowledge Research Academy, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
	Best Researcher Award	Saksham Society, Jaipur
	Outstanding Performance in Academics and Teaching for the Year 2025	Beginup Ventures India, Elite Education and Institutional Excellence, Bengaluru

	IFERD Excellence Award 2025 for Teaching	IFERD, ERDA, New Delhi
	Nabi Nesa Kavignar Award	Qibla Islamic Palsuvai Naazhithal, Tiruchirappalli
Dr. S. Faiz Ahamed Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	இலக்குவனார் தமிழ் இளமணி விருது	தமிழ் காப்புக் கழகம், சென்னை
	கவிரத்னா விருது Award of Honour	இளந்துளி பதிப்பகம், கோயம்புத்தூர்
		Vellore Muththamizh Sangam
Dr. B. Akbar Ali Director of Physical Education	Dedicated Physical Education Director Award	Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports Physical Education Foundation of India and National Sports Promotion Organizations, Tamil Nadu Chapter
Dr. R. Renganathan Librarian	Best Senior Faculty Award	Novel Research Academy
Ms. M. Mariyam Beevi, Assistant Professor & Head Department of Biochemistry Ms. G. Gowri Sankari & Ms. P. Jeyasri, Assistant Professors Department of Tamil Ms. M. Rabiyyathul Basariya Assistant Professor Department of Arabic Dr. A. Mumthaj, Ms. A. Ismath Raihana & Ms. A. Soniya Assistant Professors Department of Chemistry Ms. D. Gowsalya Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics & Ms. P. Vinnoli Assistant Professor Department of Zoology	Silver Medal in Cricket	Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Games 2025
Mr. A. Syed Isqak Lab. Asst.	Gold Medal in Badminton (Doubles)	Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Games 2025
	Silver Medal in Badminton (Singles)	

Books Authored

Name of the Faculty	Title of the Book
Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather Associate Professor Department of Tamil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - அறிமுக நோக்கில் திராவிட மொழிகளின் ஒப்பிலக்கணம் - Jallikattu Sinthu - Mulam, Vilakkam, Thiranurai - கம்பம் தாத்தப்பன் குளச்சிந்து - சுதந்திரப் போராட்டத்தில் கம்பம் பள்ளத்தாக்கின் பங்களிப்பு - நெடுநல்வாடை
Dr. R. Mohamed Rafeek Assistant Professor Department of Tamil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - மேகலை (நாவல்)
Ms. A. Shafana Parveen Assistant Professor Department of Tamil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Nimittaam Poochi</i> - <i>Suttrulaaviyalum Tamizhar Unaviyalum</i> - <i>Karutha Rowther Pillai Tamil</i>
Dr. N. Mohamed Sameem Associate Professor Department of Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Blockchain, Fintech and AI Convergence to Digital Finance</i> - <i>AI in Education: Principles and Emerging Horizons</i>
Dr. K. Shahul Hameed & Mr. G. Arivalagan Assistant Professors Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Adsorption and Kinetic Study of Copper (II) Ion by Kaolin</i>
Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Essentials of Organic Spectroscopy: Theory and Its Applications</i> - <i>Inorganic Chemistry</i>
Dr. A. Nihath Nazleen Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Industrial Chemistry-I</i>
Dr. A. Mumthaj & Dr. M. P. Kesavan Assistant Professors Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>A Handbook of Physical Chemistry Experiments</i>
Dr. M. P. Kesavan, Ms. A. Ismath Raihana, & Ms. A. Soniya Assistant Professors Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Environmental Studies</i>

Dr. A. Benazir Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	- <i>Real Analysis</i>
Dr. M. Mohamed Meeran Associate Professor Department of Zoology	- <i>A Textbook of Medical Laboratory Techniques</i>
Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Assistant Professor Department of Botany	- <i>Basic Concepts of Botany</i> - <i>Digitization, Molecular Conservation, and Ethnobotanical Studies in the Selected Villages of Theni District, Tamil Nadu, India</i>
Dr. M. Mohamed Ishaq Associate Professor & Head & Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen, Dr. M. Mohamed Ilyas Assistant Professors Department of Commerce	- <i>AI in Education: Principles and Emerging Horizons</i>
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	- <i>Edu Tech Intelligence AI Integration in Teaching and Learning</i> - <i>The Psychology of Purchase: Understanding Consumer Behaviour in Digital Age</i> - <i>Innovations in Human Resource Management: Shaping the Future Work and Employee Engagement</i>
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen & Dr. M. Mohamed Ilyas Assistant Professors Department of Commerce	- <i>Collection of Book Reviews</i>
Dr. H. Anis Fathima Assistant Professor Department of Commerce Banking	- <i>Principles of Management</i> - <i>Principles of Marketing</i>
Dr. P. Sivamanikandan Assistant Professor Department of Microbiology	- <i>Entrepreneurship and Bio-business</i>

Books Edited

Name of the Faculty	Title of the Book
Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran Principal	- <i>Higher Education in India - Dimensions & Perspectives</i>

Dr. P. Murugan Associate Professor & Head, Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather Associate Professor & Faculty Members of the Department of Tamil	- தமிழ் இலக்கியங்களில் போர்: பெருமிதங்களும் பேரவலங்களும்
Dr. J. Ahamed Meeran Associate Professor & Head In- Charge Department of English	- <i>Innovation through Integration Advances in Multidisciplinary Research</i>
Dr. M. Mohamed Ishaq Associate Professor & Head & Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	- <i>Higher Education in India - Dimensions & Perspectives</i>
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	- <i>Commerce Corner-Festschrift - In Honour of Hajee Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran, Principal</i>
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen & Dr. M. Mohamed Ilyas Assistant Professors Department of Commerce	- <i>A Handbook of Reviews</i> - <i>Commerce Corner</i>
Dr. A Maajitha Begam Assistant Professor & Head Department of Botany	- <i>Medicinal Trees of India (Vol. II)</i>

Book Chapters Contributed/Edited

Name of the Faculty	Name of the Chapter
Dr. J. Ahamed Meeran Associate Professor & Head In- Charge Department of English	- <i>Mystery, Memory and Madness</i>
	- <i>The Evaluation of the Anti-Hero in Modern Literature</i>
	- <i>Innovation through Integration</i>
	- <i>Digital Tools for Literature Analysis in the AI Age for UG English Learners</i>
	- <i>Blended AI and Teacher Methods for English Teaching</i>

<p>Mr. K. Athinarayanan Assistant Professor Department of English</p>	<p><i>in Government Colleges</i></p>
	<p>- <i>Assessing English Proficiency of College Students with AI - Driven Tools in Resource-Limited Classrooms</i></p>
	<p>- <i>Challenges and Solutions in Designing MOOCs for Various Platforms</i></p>
	<p>- <i>English Language Skills to Empower Skill Development Programs</i></p>
	<p>- <i>Integrating Gamification and AI for Enhanced Language Learning: A Research-Based Approach</i></p>
	<p>- <i>Emerging English Language Teaching Technologies to Improve Employability Skills</i></p>
	<p>- <i>Incorporating Digital Communication Syllabus in Higher Education Language Classes</i></p>
<p>Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry</p>	<p>- <i>Materials Selection for Corrosion Resistance</i></p>
<p>Dr. M. Ashiq Ur Rahman, & Dr. M. Mohiadeen Batcha, Assistant Professors Department of Zoology, Dr. A. Sajith Ahamed Assistant Professor Department of Microbiology</p>	<p>- <i>A Comprehensive Checklist of Freshwater Fish Species in Theni, Tamil Nadu</i></p>
<p>Dr. A. Maajitha Begam Assistant Professor & Head Department of Botany</p>	<p>- <i>Alysicarpus Monilifer (L.) DC.: A Review</i> - <i>Medicinal and Nutraceutical Values of ERAGROSTIS CILIARIS (L.) R.Br.: A Wild Grass of India</i> - <i>Ficus tinctoria: Analysis of Bioactive Compounds and their Pharmacological Potential with Smattering of Ecological Factors</i></p>
<p>Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Assistant Professor Department of Botany</p>	<p>- <i>Documentation of Islamic Ethnobotanical Knowledge among the People of Gokilapuram, Theni District, Tamil Nadu</i></p>

Ms. J. Fathima Kaleema Assistant Professor Department of Computer Science	- <i>Sentiment Analysis and Social Media Intelligence Using NLP</i>
Dr. M. Mohamed Ishaq Associate Professor & Head Department of Commerce	- <i>Capital Structure Dynamics in Post-Pandemic Economics: Evidence from Emerging Markets</i>
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	- <i>Adaptive Strategy Formulation Navigating Business Uncertainty in the Age of Disruption</i> - <i>Blockchain Technology in Supply Chain Transparency and Security</i> - <i>Strategic Agility and Resilience: A Framework for Post-Crisis Growth in Emerging Markets</i>
Dr. M. Mohamed Ilyas Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	- <i>Behavioural Biases and Capital Budgeting: A Cognitive Finance Perspective</i>
Mr. A. Abdul Hakeem Associate Professor & Head Department of Business Administration	- <i>Virtual Reality in Higher Education</i>
Mr. M. Abubakkar Siddique Data Administrator - IQAC	- <i>The Future of Higher Education: Trends and Innovations</i>

Membership in Board of Studies

Dr. P. Anitha Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	- Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Dr. B. Akbar Ali Director of Physical Education	- Physical Education Foundation of India, Tamil Nadu Chapter, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports. - The American College, Madurai. - Sri S. Ramasamy Naidu Memorial College, Sattur. - Sports Hostel of Excellence, Kovilpatti.
Dr. Rm. Lakshmanan Associate Professor & Head Department of Microbiology	- Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Dr. J. Thasleen Fathima Associate Professor & Head Department of Information Technology	- Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.

Reviewer in Journals/Editorial Board Member in Journals/ Member in Professional Bodies

Name of the Faculty	Name of the Journal/Professional Body
Mr. M. Seetharaman Assistant Professor Department of Tamil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>International Journal of Tamil Language and Literary Studies</i> - <i>Arimaa Nokku</i>
Dr. M. Charles Robert Associate Professor Department of Physics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Ionics</i> (Springer) - <i>Results in Physics</i> (Elsevier) - <i>Physica b: Condensed Matter</i> (Elsevier)
Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>ChemNanoMat</i> (Wiley) - <i>Colloids and Surfaces B</i> (Elsevier) - <i>Journal of Pharmaceutical Innovation</i> (Elsevier)
Dr. M. P. Kesavan Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Journal of Molecular Structure</i> (Elsevier) - <i>Nanomedicine: Nanotechnology, Biology, and Medicine</i> (Elsevier) - <i>Carbohydrate Polymers</i> (Elsevier) - <i>International Journal of Biological Macromolecules</i> (Elsevier) - <i>Cancer Medicine</i> (Wiley) - <i>Journal of Drug Delivery Science and Technology</i> (Elsevier) - <i>European Journal of Pharmaceutical Science</i> (Elsevier) - <i>Next Nanotechnology</i> (Elsevier)
Dr. A. Maajitha Begam Assistant Professor & Head Department of Botany	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>South Asian Research Journal of Natural Products</i>
Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Assistant Professor Department of Botany	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Journal of Experimental Agriculture International</i> - <i>Journal of Agriculture and Ecology Research International</i> - <i>International Journal of Plant & Soil Science</i>
Dr. S. Thowfeek Khan Assistant Professor Department of Commerce Banking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Membership - <i>Edwin Group of Journals</i> - <i>REST Publisher</i>

Ph.D. Awarded

- Ms. A. M. Rashida Banu - Department of Botany
- Ms. A. Mumthaj - Department of Chemistry

Ph. D. Registered

Ms. B. Shameema	-	Department of English
Ms. S. Sophia Rani	-	Department of Computer Science

SET/NET Qualified

Mr. M. Mathan	Assistant Professor, Department of English
Dr. A. Mumthaj	Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry
Dr. A. Khadira Sreen	Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry

Orientation/ Refresher Courses Attended

Dr. P. Murugan Department of Tamil	-	Orientation Programme, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.
Dr. K. Shahul Hameed Department of Chemistry	-	Refresher Course, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli.
Ms. N. Rayshima Department of Mathematics	-	Refresher Course, UGC-MMTTC, Patna University.
Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Department of Botany	-	Refresher Course, University of Mumbai.
Dr. K. Mohamed Irshad Department of Commerce	-	Refresher Course, UGC-MMTTC, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.

Short-term Courses Attended

Dr. H. Habeeb Rani Assistant Professor & Head Department of Mathematics	-	Applications of Indian Traditional Knowledge, Children's Research University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, and A. C. T Academy, Kerala.
Dr. S. Syedali Fathima Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	-	Applications of Indian Traditional Knowledge, Children's Research University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, and A. C. T Academy, Kerala.
Dr. P. Anitha Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	-	Vedic Mathematics: Techniques and Applications, Jayaraj Annapackaim College for Women, Periyakulam.
Ms. N. Rayshima Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	-	Applications of Indian Traditional Knowledge, Children's Research University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, and A. C. T Academy, Kerala.
Dr. S. Mohamed Basheer Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics	-	Applications of Indian Traditional Knowledge, Children's Research University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, and A. C. T Academy, Kerala.
Dr. M. Vijaya Sankari	-	Applications of Indian Traditional Knowledge,

Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics		Children's Research University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, and A. C. T Academy, Kerala.
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor Department of Commerce	-	Digital Marketing Course, Indian Council for Technical Research and Development.

SWAYAM/NPTEL Courses

Ms. A. Shafana Parveen Department of Tamil	-	1 SWAYAM Course, NITTTTR, Bhopal
Ms. S. Anees Fathima Department of English	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Madras
Ms. M. Rizvana Department of English	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Madras
Ms. A. Sumaya Banu Department of English	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Madras
Ms. B. Nagia Department of English	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Madras
Ms. K. Roobini Department of Physics	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Kharagpur 2 NPTEL Courses, IIT, Madras
Dr. K. Shahul Hameed Department of Chemistry	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Kharagpur
Mr. G. Arivalagan Department of Chemistry	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Bombay
Dr. R. Renganathan Librarian	-	1 NPTEL Course, IIT, Madras

Training Programmes

Ms. S. Nasreen Banu Department of English	-	ICC Awareness Programme, District Social Welfare Office, Theni.
Dr. A. Abdul Hameed Department of Economics	-	Student Mentor Training, Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute (EDII) under the Tamil Nadu Youth Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Programme (TNYIEDP)
Dr. Waseema Yaseen Department of Economics	-	ICC Awareness Programme, District Social Welfare Office, Theni.
Dr. M. Jannathul Firdouse Department of Chemistry	-	One day Instrument Training in Dynamic Light Scattering and Zeta Potential, Prof. CNR Rao Research Centre, Avinashilingam University for Women, Coimbatore.
Dr. H. Habeeb Rani Department of Mathematics	-	ICC Awareness Programme, District Social Welfare Office, Theni.
Dr. A. Benazir Department of Mathematics	-	Best Practices in Teaching and Learning Process, A.C.T Academy, Kerala.
Mr. P. Seenivasan	-	NEP 2020 Orientation Programme, Bharathiyar

Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl.		University, Coimbatore.
Dr. K. Mohammed Abdul Kader Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl.	-	NEP 2020 Orientation Programme, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore.
Dr. P. Sivamanikandan Department of Microbiology	-	NEP 2020 Orientation Programme, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore.
Dr. J. Thasleen Fathima Department of Information Technology	-	ICC Awareness Programme, District Social Welfare Office, Theni.

Papers Presented

Dr. P. Murugan Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Mr. M. Bilal Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. R. Mohamed Rafeek Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Mr. M. Seetharaman Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. K. Palanivelu Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. G. Gowri Sankari Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. S. Jasmine Shifana Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - International Conference, Agurchand Manmull Jain College, Chennai.
Mr. K. Jiyavudeen Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Mr. R. Karthik Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. A. Subaitha Hasina Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. R. Jansi Rani Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - International Conference, Islamiya Ilakkiya Kazhagam.
Ms. P. Mutheeswari Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. M. Eswari Department of Tamil	-	International Conference, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.

	-	International Conference, Vivekananda College, Tiruvedakam, Madurai (2 papers).
Mr. S. Mohamed Isthrikskhan Department of Commerce	-	National Conference, Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Arts ans Science, Koduvilarpatti.
Dr. S. Thowfeek Khan Department of Commerce (Banking)	-	National Conference, Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Arts ans Science, Koduvilarpatti.
Ms. M. Papathi Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl.	-	International Conference, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Dr. K. Mohammed Abdul Kader Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl.	-	International Conference, Vivekananda College, Tiruvedakam, Madurai (2 papers).
Mr. T. H. Zaheer Ahamed Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl.	-	International Conference, Dr. Zakir Husain College, Ilayangudi.
Dr. A. Khadira Sereen Department of Biochemistry	-	National Conference, St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science, Cuddalore.
Ms. R. Priya Department of Microbiology	-	International Conference, Jamal Mohamed College, Tiruchirappalli.
Ms. G. Manonmani Department of Information Technology	-	International Conference, Universiti Teknologi MARA, Malaysia, in association with RVS College of Engineering and Technology, Coimbatore.
Mr. Z. Abdul Basith Department of Information Technology	-	National Conference, M. E.S. Wadia College of Engineering, Pune. - National Conference, AJK College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore (4 papers). - International Conference, Rajeswari College of Arts and Science for Women, Villupuram. - International Conference on Engineering Advancements, Science and Technology (ICEAST), Military Technology College, Muscat, Oman.

Guest Lecture/External Examiner/ Resource Person/ Chair Person/Chief Guest/ Advisory Committee Member etc.

Dr. P. Murugan Department of Tamil	-	Chief Guest - உலக புத்தக நாள் விழா, Bharathi Tamil Ilakkiya Peravai, Cumbum. - Chief Guest - தேசிய புத்தகக் கண்காட்சி, Chinnamanur. - Chief Guest - கலைமாவை, Tamil Nadu Murpokku Ezhuththalargal Sangam, Cumbum. - Chief Guest - 17 th Annual Day, Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Arts and Science, Koduvilarpatti.
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<p>Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather Department of Tamil</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chief Guest - தொல் மரபு நடை பயணம் to Samanar Cave, Uthamapalayam. - Chief Guest - Internship Programme, Nansei Arakkattalai. - Chair Person - National Seminar, Gandhigram Rural Institute - Deemed to be University, Gandhigram. - Chief Guest - உலக இஸ்லாமிய தமிழ் இலக்கிய ஒன்பதாம் மாநாடு, Islamiya Ilakkiya Kazhagam, Tiruchirappalli. - Chief Guest - Book Release, Chinnamanur Book Fair.
<p>Mr. M. Bilal Department of Tamil</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Resource Person - NSS Special Camp, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - NSS Special Camp, Mother Teresa Arts and Science College, Theni.
<p>Dr. R. Mohamed Rafeek Department of Tamil</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Keynote Address - Founder's Day, Jamal Mohamed College, Tiruchirappalli. - Special Talk - Islamiya Ilakkiya Kalagam, Kadaiyanallur. - Keynote Address - Anna Memorial Seminar, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Chief Guest - Bharathi Vizha, Nirmala College for Women, Coimbatore. - Keynote Speaker - Motivation Programme, Er. Perumal Manimekalai College of Engineering, Hosur. - Chief Guest - Annual Day, The Crescent Matric Higher Secondary School, Kolundururai. - Keynote Speaker - Motivation Programme 'வெற்றி நிச்சயம்', Indira Ganesan Group of Institutions, Tiruchirappalli. - Keynote Address - Book Release, Tamizhini Pathippagam, Tiruchirappalli & Chennai. - Special Talk - இளையோர் இலக்கியப் பாசறை, Cardamom Planters' Association College, Bodi. - Special Talk - Book Fair, Tenkasi & Chengalpattu. - Keynote Address - Vaigai Thiruvizha, VHNSN College, Virudhunagar. - Moderator - Debate, Nellai Book Fair. - Chief Guest - Mazhalaiyar Matric Hr. School, Gudalur. - Chief Guest - St. Francis Assisi Matric School, Chinnamanur.
<p>Mr. M. Seetharaman Department of Tamil</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chief Guest - Andril Ilakkiya Suttram, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
<p>Dr. K. Palanivelu Department of Tamil</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
<p>Ms. G. Gowri Sankari Department of Tamil</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Resource Person - Internship Programme, Nansei, Uthamapalayam. - Expert Talk - NCC - Dindigul Battalion - Seminar.

Ms. A. Shafana Parveen Department of Tamil	- - - - -	Special Lecture - Ulaga Tamizh Sangam, Madurai. Chief Guest - Interschool Competition - 2025 (Talent Hunt), Alhikmah Matric Hr. Sec. School, Uthamapalayam. Expert Talk - CATC Sanganacheri Battalion NCC Camp, Marian College, Kuttikanam. 2 - Radio Talks - Aakashvani, Madurai. Expert Talk - Resource Person - Annai Women's College, Karur.
Mr. M. Seyid Abdul Kadher Department of Arabic	-	Resource Person - Arabic Grammar Forum & World Record Arabic Thirukkural Recitation, Athayi Arabic College, Kadayanallur.
Mr. A. Ahamed Faize Department of Arabic	-	Resource Person - INTELLECTS' EXPO, Al-Azhar Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Cumbum.
Dr. J. Ahamed Meeran Department of English	- - - - -	Resource Person (twice) - St. Aloysius College of Education, Royappanpatti. Chair Person - St. Aloysius College of Education, Royappanpatti. Resource Person - K. M. G College of Arts Science, Vellore. External Examiner - Viva - Voce - Nirmala College for Women, Coimbatore. Chair Person - International Virtual Seminar, Kanchi Shri Krishna College of Arts and Science, Kanchipuram.
Ms. S. Nasreen Banu Department of English	-	External Examiner - Thiagarajar College, Madurai.
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Dr. H. Rakhiba Department of English	- - - - - - -	Resource Person - Youth Red Cross, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. Resource Person - NSS Day Celebrations, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. External Examiner - Thiagarajar College, Madurai. External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni. External Examiner - Project Viva - Voce, Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam. Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni. Adjudicator - NSS National Voters' Day Rangoli Competition, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
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Mr. A. Rajamani Department of English	-	Resource Person - SIP, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. S. Anees Fathima Department of English	- -	External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni. External Examiner - Thiagarajar College, Madurai.

Mr. M. Mathan Department of English	- -	External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni Resource Person - NET/SET Coaching Centre, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. A. Sumaya Banu Department of English	- -	External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni. Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Ms. B. Nagia Department of English	-	External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Mr. A. Aboobacker Siddiq Department of History	-	Chief Guest - Arts & Science Expo, Sri Vikasa Vidyalaya Matric Hr. School, Uthamapalayam.
Mr. C. P. Muhammed Kabeer Department of History	-	Resource Person - NET/SET Coaching Centre, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Sub. Lt. S. Shack Abdullah Department of History	-	Guest Lecture - Vivekananda College, Thiruvudakam, Madurai.
Ms. K. C. Raihanath Department of History	- -	Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni. Resource Person - NET/SET Coaching Centre, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. K. Abdul Rahim Department of Economics	-	Resource Person - Centre for Entrepreneurship & Rural Development, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. N. Mohamed Sameem Department of Economics	-	Resource Person - Centre for Entrepreneurship & Rural Development, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Ms. S. Sagetha Parvin Department of Economics	-	Guest Lecture - Vivekananda College, Tiruvudakam, Madurai.
Dr. V. Paramasivan Department of Economics	-	Resource Person - Citizen Consumer Club, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. T. K. Thirumalaisamy Department of Physics	- - - - - - - -	Resource Person - Kalith Rali Islamic Ilaigiar Sangam I Year Celebration, Theradi Mosque, Chinnamanur. Resource Person - SIP, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. Resource Person - Students' Motivation Programme, Kallar Higher Secondary School, Muthaiyanchettipatty. Special Talk - District Collectorate, Theni. Expert Talk - M. V. Muthiah Government Arts College for Women, Dindigul. Chief Guest - Annual Day, G. V. B. Hr. Sec. School, Kanniservaipatti. Resource Person - Student Council, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College Uthamapalayam.
Dr. M. Charles Robert Department of Physics	-	Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.

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Dr. K. Shahul Hameed Department of Chemistry	-	External Examiner - Cardamom Planters' Association College, Bodi.
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Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse Department of Chemistry	-	Resource Person - World Tourism Day, Department of History, Hajee Karutha Rowther College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - International Conference, PSGR Krishnammal College of Women, Coimbatore. - Resource Person - Lecture Workshop, Department of Zoology, Hajee Karutha Rowther College, Uthamapalayam.
Mr. G. Arivalagan Department of Chemistry	-	External Examiner - SreeVee College, Dindigul. - External Examiner - Government Arts College (Autonomous), Karur.
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Dr. K. Arifa Banu Department of Zoology	-	Resource Person - FDP, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Dr. M. Mohamed Meeran Department of Zoology	-	Resource Person - Workshop, MS Swaminathan Research Foundation, Pudukottai.
Dr. M. Ashiq Ur Rahman Department of Zoology	-	External Examiner - Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal.
	-	Chief Guest - Arts & Science Expo, Sri Vikasa Vidyalaya Matric Hr. School, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - Workshop, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.

Dr. A. Maajitha Begam Department of Botany	- Resource Person - World Environmental Health Day Celebration, Department of Zoology, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - Workshop, CSIR NET/SET Coaching Centre, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - Academic Lecture Series, Department of Zoology, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. Advisory Committee Member, International Conference (ICRTILST-2025), Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Department of Botany	- Resource Person - SIP, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - NSS, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. M. Mohamed Ishaq Department of Commerce	- Keynote Address - Dr. Zakir Husain College, Ilayangudi.
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Department of Commerce	- Keynote Address - Dr. Zakir Husain College, Ilayangudi. - Guest Lecture - Government College, Peravurani.
Dr. K. Mohamed Irshad Department of Commerce	- Resource Person - NSS Day Celebrations, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - External Examiner - Government Arts and Science College, Sivakasi. - Resource Person - NET/SET Coaching Centre, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
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Mr. A. Javith Raja Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl.	- Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Ms. M. Mariyam Beevi Department of Biochemistry	- Resource Person - Academic Lecture Series, Department of Zoology, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. A. Khadira Sreen Department of Biochemistry	- Resource Person - Academic Lecture Series, Department of Zoology, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and

		Science, Theni.
Dr. P. Sivamanikandan Department of Microbiology	-	Resource Person - Seminar, Science Communication Club, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - Academic Lecture Series, Department of Zoology, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - Workshop, Community College, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. J. Thasleen Fathima Department of Information Technology	-	Question Papers Scrutiny Committee Member, Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Mr. A. K. Jenarathanan Department of Information Technology	-	External Examiner - Thiagarajar College, Madurai.
Mr. K. Iscaq Faizal Department of Information Technology	-	Resource Person - Awareness Programme on SWAYAM Courses, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Mr. Z. Abdul Basith Department of Information Technology	-	External Examiner - Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni.
Dr. B. Akbar Ali Director of Physical Education	-	Resource Person - SIP, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam. - Resource Person - National Level Workshop, Yoga Club, Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College, Uthamapalayam.
Dr. R. Renganathan Librarian	-	Resource Person - District Central Library, Theni. - Resource Person - Nirmala College for Women, Coimbatore.

Programmes Attended/Articles Published: (In Numbers)

Name of the Faculty	State / National / International				Articles Published
	Webinar	FDP/FIP/ PDP	Conference	Workshop	
Department of Tamil					
Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran Principal					1 - Peer- Reviewed Journal
Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather Associate Professor					3 - Peer- Reviewed Journals

Dr. R. Mohamed Rafeek Assistant Professor				1	
Mr. M. Seetharaman Assistant Professor			1		2 - UGC Care List Journals
Ms. G. Gowri Sankari Assistant Professor		2		1	
Ms. S. Jasmine Shifana Assistant Professor		2	3	1	
Ms. P. Latha Assistant Professor			1		
Ms. A. Subaitha Hasina Assistant Professor		1			
Ms. R. Jansi Rani Assistant Professor		5		1	
Ms. P. Mutheeswari Assistant Professor		1		1	
Ms. M. Eswari Assistant Professor		1			
Dr. P. Shanthi Assistant Professor		6		10	1 - Peer- Reviewed Journal
Ms. P. Jeyasri Assistant Professor		1			
Ms. A. Shafana Parveen Assistant Professor		1			1 - Peer- Reviewed Journal
Ms. R. Gowri Assistant Professor		1		1	
Department of English					
Dr. J. Ahamed Meeran Associate Professor & Head In-Charge				2	3 - Peer- Reviewed Journals
Dr. S. Mohamed Rowther Assistant Professor			1		
Ms. S. Nasreen Banu Assistant Professor	1	2	1	3	
Ms. A. J. Saleema Kathoon Assistant Professor			2	3	
Dr. H. Rakhiba Associate Professor	1	4		6	
Mr. S. Abubacker Siddiq Assistant Professor		1		1	1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Mr. P. M. Noushad Assistant Professor				2	

Ms. S. Anees Fathima Assistant Professor		1			
Mr. K. Athinarayanan Assistant Professor		3	1	2	
Ms. K. Fathima Nasreen Assistant Professor				1	
Ms. M. Rizvana Assistant Professor		1			
Ms. A. Sumaya Banu Assistant Professor		1			
Ms. B. Nagia Assistant Professor		1			
Ms. B. Shameema Assistant Professor				5	1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Ms. N. Vennila Assistant Professor		2		2	
Department of History					
Mr. A. Aboobacker Siddiq Assistant Professor			1		
Mr. C. P. Muhammed Kabeer Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. T. Anas Babu Assistant Professor					1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (0.3) 2 - Peer Reviewed Journals
Ms. K. C. Raihanath Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Mr. M. Jamal Mohideen Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Mr. F. Mohamed Khan Assistant Professor		1	1		
Department of Economics					
Dr. G. Ramanan Associate Professor & Head					2 - Peer-Reviewed Journals
Mr. G. Ponnambalam Associate Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. K. Abdul Rahim Associate Professor					2 - Peer-Reviewed Journals
Dr. A. Abdul Hameed		2		1	

Associate Professor					
Dr. M. Nizam Mydeen Associate Professor					2 - Peer-Reviewed Journals
Department of Physics					
Dr. A. Mujiber Rahman Associate Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. M. Charles Robert Associate Professor					8 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (6.9/6/5.6/5.4/4.6/ 4.6/2.8/1.7)
Dr. M. Fathima Parveen Associate Professor			1	1	1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (5.4)
Dr. S. Prasanna Subramanian Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Ms. R. Yoga Assistant Professor					1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (5.4)
Ms. K. Roobini Assistant Professor					1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (5.4)
Department of Chemistry					
Dr. M. Kamal Nasar Associate Professor & Head				1	
Dr. K. Shahul Hameed Assistant Professor		1			1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. S. Sivakumar Assistant Professor				1	1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse Assistant Professor	1	2		1	1 - UGC/SCOPUS/W oS (6.7)
Dr. A. Nihath Nazleen Assistant Professor				2	
Mr. G. Arivalagan Assistant Professor		1	1	2	1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. A. Mumthaj Assistant Professor			1	8	
Dr. M. P. Kesavan Assistant Professor				1	3 - UGC/SCOPUS/W oS (3.4/2/3.1)
Ms. A. Ismath Raihana		3		2	

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Dr. S. Seyadali Fathima Assistant Professor	1	6		3	
Dr. P. Anitha Assistant Professor	1	1		1	1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (2.3)
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Dr. S. Mohamed Basheer Assistant Professor.		2		1	
Dr. M. Vijaya Sankari Assistant Professor	1	2		1	
Dr. A. Benazir Assistant Professor	1	1		1	
Mr. M. Vignesh Babu Assistant Professor	1				
Ms. D. Gowsalya Assistant Professor	1			3	
Department of Zoology					
Dr. K. Arifa Banu Assistant Professor & Head In-Charge				1	
Dr. M. Mohiadeen Batcha Assistant Professor					1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (3.9)
Dr. M. Mohamed Meeran Associate Professor	5	2	1		1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. M. Ashiq Ur Rahman Assistant Professor					2 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (3.9/1.1)
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Dr. A. Maajitha Begam Assistant Professor & Head			1		
Dr. A. M. Rashida Banu Assistant Professor		1		2	
Department of Computer Science					
Ms. S. Sophia Rani		1		5	

Assistant Professor					
Ms. J. Fathima Kaleema Assistant Professor		2		3	
Mr. M. Mohamed Aslam Assistant Professor		1		1	
Department of Commerce					
Dr. M. Mohamed Ishaq Associate Professor & Head					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. A. Sulthan Mohideen Assistant Professor		1			
Dr. K. Mohamed Irshad Assistant Professor				1	
Dr. S. Faiz Ahamed Assistant Professor		1		1	2 - Peer-Reviewed Journals
Dr. K. Sharifa Nizara Assistant Professor				1	
Dr. M. Abdul Jabbar Assistant Professor		1			
Mr. S. Mohamed Isthriskhan Assistant Professor		7		2	
Library					
Dr. R. Renganathan Librarian					3 - Peer-Reviewed Journals
Department of Business Administration					
Mr. A. Abdul Hakeem Associate Professor & Head			1		
Department of Commerce (Banking)					
Dr. S. Thowfeek Khan Assistant Professor		2	1	1	1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Department of Commerce with Computer Application					
Mr. P. Seenivasan Associate Professor & Head		2			
Dr. K. Deepalakshmi Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. K. Mohammed Abdul Kader				1	1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal

Assistant Professor					
Mr. M. Gulam Riyaz Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Department of Biochemistry					
Ms. M. Mariyam Beevi Assistant Professor & Head				1	
Dr. A. Khadira Sreen Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Ms. R. Vanitha Assistant Professor		1			
Ms. A. Suriya Assistant Professor				2	
Department of Microbiology					
Dr. P. Sivamanikandan Assistant Professor	1				1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (1.1)
Ms. M. Musbira Banu Assistant Professor					1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Dr. A. Sajith Ahamed Assistant Professor					2 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (3.9/3.1)
Department of Information Technology					
Dr. J. Thasleen Fathima Associate Professor & Head	1	1		1	
Ms. G. Manonmani Assistant Professor		5		1	1 - UGC/SCOPUS/W oS (2.7) 1 - Peer-Reviewed Journal
Mr. Z. Abdul Basith Assistant Professor		2			1 - UGC/SCOPUS/ WoS (2.03)
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Mr. M. Abubakkar Siddique Data Administrator - IQAC		2		1	

Department Activities

The Department of Tamil organised a **State-level செம்மொழிப் பேச்சுப் போட்டி** on 10th May 2025, followed by a **இலக்கியக் கருத்தரங்கம்** on 15th July 2025. The **Programme “மாபெரும் தமிழ் கனவு”** was held on 13th August 2025. A **National Seminar** titled **மகாகவி பாரதி நினைவு சொற்பொழிவு**, in memory of the legendary Tamil poet Subramania Bharati, was organised on 15th September 2025. Moreover, the Department also screened the movie **12th Fail** on 19th September 2025 for its students. In honour of Mahatma Gandhi, the father of our nation, a **Programme “Gandhi - நேற்று, இன்று, நாளை”** was arranged by the Department on 16th October 2025. Further, an **International Seminar on Global and Indian Historical Perspectives** was conducted on 11th December 2025. Besides the **Centenary Celebrations of Nagore E. M. Hanifa**, along with the **குரலெழுத்து நூல் வெளியீட்டு விழா**, held on 02nd February 2026, a **State-level Seminar** titled **பாரெங்கும் பாவேந்தர்** was also organised on 06th February 2026.

An **International Quiz Competition** was conducted by the Department of Arabic on 25th September 2025. In commemoration of **World Arabic Day**, the Department organised a **Special Lecture “புத்தகங்களை காதலி”** on 18th December 2025. In addition to the **State-level Seminar “Mastering Arabic Syntax: A Comprehensive Revision”** organised on 16th February 2026, a **Special Lecture** and a **Workshop “Learning Arabic Language: An Easy Way”** were also conducted for the students on 17th February and 24th March 2026 respectively.

The Department of English organised **two Workshops** titled **Creative Writing and Story Telling** as well as **Unveiling the Poetic Spirit: Creative Journeys and Modern Readings** on 3rd September and 09th December 2025 respectively. Besides the **Student Exchange Programme** conducted on 08th August 2025, the students of the Department also visited the **Image Special School** at T. Mettupatti, Thevaram, as part of the Community Outreach Programme on 22nd January 2026. Further, **Howdia Bliss - An Interdepartmental Fiesta** was organised on 24th March 2026.

On 14th July 2025, the Department of History conducted an **Orientation Programme for Freshers 2025** for the I M.A. History students. The Department also screened a **Movie** on 29th September 2025 to mark the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, and a **Documentary on the Making of Indian Constitution** on 25th February 2026. In addition, the **Hajiya Hajarammal Mohamed Meeran Endowment Lecture** was organised on 01st April 2026. The **Resource**

Person, Dr. A. Thoufiq Rameez, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, Jamal Mohamed College, Tiruchirappalli, deliberated on “Sufism in Medieval India”.

The Department of Economics organised **three State-level Seminars - Think like an Economist** on 04th July 2025, **Balancing Sustainability and Food Demand** on 22nd July 2025, and **The Next Leap of the Indian Economy** on 20th February 2026.

A **One-day Workshop “Electroanalytical Techniques”** was conducted on 26th February 2026 by the PG and Research Department of Physics.

The Department of Chemistry organised **two State-level Workshops** titled **Improved Corrosion Resistant Performance of Carbon Steel under Acid Environment by Expired Drug as Corrosion Inhibitors** on 06th January 2026 and **Powering the Future: Innovations in Electrochemical Energy Conversion and Storage Technologies** on 10th February 2026.

Besides organising a **One-day National Seminar “Bridging Algebra with Graph Theory”** on 23rd September 2025, the Department of Mathematics observed **National Mathematics Day** by screening a **Documentary on Life Skill Development** and conducting **Competitions** titled **Brainy Math Battle** on 22nd December 2025.

The Department of Zoology celebrated **World Environmental Health Day** on 25th September 2025. A **One-day Workshop on Analytical Applications of UV Spectroscopy** was conducted on 20th January 2026 and an **Academic Lecture Series** titled **Futuristic Advancement in Biological Sciences for Students** was organised in the first week of February 2026. In addition, a **One-day Webinar on PCR in Diagnostics** was also arranged by the Department on 18th February 2026, in which **Dr. S. Vijayakumar, Director & Research Coordinator, VJ Biotech, Coimbatore,** served as the **Resource Person**.

In coordination with the Eco Club, the Department of Botany organised a **Guest Lecture** in observance of **World Wetlands Day** on the theme **“Wetlands and Traditional Knowledge: Celebrating Cultural Heritage”** on 03rd February 2026. The **Herbal Garden Cleaning Programme** was also undertaken on 04th February 2026.

On 16th February 2026, the Department of Computer Science organised a **One-day Seminar on Web Craft Designing & Building the Web** with **Mr. Mohamed Arsath, Director of Operation, Tarcin, Madurai,** as the **Resource Person**. It also conducted the **International**

Workshop “The Role of NLP in Cyber Security: From Threat Detection to Intelligence Automation on 07th August 2025 and the **National-level Orientation Programme on Mobile Application Development Using Flutter** on 10th February 2026.

The Department of Commerce organised **Orientation Programmes** for the final year PG & UG students on 16th & 17th June 2025 respectively as well as another **Orientation Programme “Share & Care Meet”** exclusively for the first year PG & UG students on 23rd & 25th June 2025 respectively. In addition to the **State-level Research Orientation Programme** conducted on 01st July 2025, the Department has also organised a **Student Development Programme** titled **Money and Happiness** on 16th July 2025. Meanwhile the PG students attended the **Maaperum Tamil Kanavu, a Tamil Nadu Government initiative Programme**, at Government College of Engineering, Bodinayakanur, Theni, on 13th November 2025.

Two State-level Seminars - “Emerging Qualities of Leadership” on 29th September 2025 and **“Artificial Intelligence and the Future of Management Education”** on 09th February 2026 were organized by the Department of Business Administration.

The Department of Commerce (Banking) conducted a **State-level Workshop “Smart Learning with AI”** on 07th August 2025, a **Student Induction Programme** on 07th December 2025, and a **State-level Seminar** titled **AI Tools for Learning Research** on 12th February 2026.

Besides the **One-day State-level Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights** conducted on 04th February 2026 with **Mr. R. Sathiyamoorthi, Advocate, Uthamapalayam**, as **Resource Person**, the Department of Commerce with Computer Application in association with the Alumni Association of the Institution felicitated and honoured its **Alumnus**, the **Kirti Chakra Awardee - Lance Naik A. Meenatchi Sundaram** on 29th August 2025.

While a **One-day Workshop** titled **Significant Role of Lab Technicians in Health Care Sectors** was organised by the Department of Biochemistry on 09th July 2025, a **Competition Healthify – 2025** as well as a **State-level Seminar “The Bridge of Heal Care in IT (Medical Coding) and Career Roadmap for Biochemistry”** were also conducted on 13th October 2025 and 17th February 2026 respectively.

The Department of Microbiology has organised a **Training Session “Hands-on Training in Analysis of Clinical Specimens”** on 16th February 2026.

In addition to the **One-day International Workshop “Network Essentials: Switch and Router Configuration”** conducted on 17th July 2025, the Department of Information Technology organised a **Seminar titled Transforming India Digitally** on 13th October 2025.

Students of Talent

Ms. M. Fazila Banu, Department of Arabic, participated in the **Meelad Day Essay Writing Competition**.

The UG students of Tamil participated and bagged prizes in various events held at different colleges. **Ms. T. Kavya, I M.A. Tamil**, bagged the **Prize-II** in **புலவர் சுந்தரமூர்த்தி நாயனார் கட்டுரைப் போட்டி**.

The UG students of English attended the **Student Exchange Programme** organised at Arulmigu Palaniandavar College of Arts and Science, Palani, on 08th August 2025. Meanwhile, as part of the **Community Outreach Programme**, the third year Undergraduate students visited the **Image Special School** at T. Mettupatti, Thevaram, on 23rd January 2026 and **donated a sum of ₹ 7000** to support the overall well-being and development of children at the Special School. In addition, the students participated and bagged prizes at the **Intercollegiate Competitions** held at Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam. **Ms. S. Booja Shri, III B.A. English**, won the **Prize-III** for **Book Review**, and **Ms. R. Archana, III B.A. English**, got the **Prize-III** in **Verse Writing Competition**. Moreover, the UG students of English took part in a variety of events hosted by different colleges.

The PG students of Economics participated in the **State-level Seminar on Careers in Economics** held at Ayya Nadar Janaki Ammal College, Sivakasi, on 04th August 2025. Two II PG students **Ms. Sriha** and **Ms. M. Suruthi** participated in **Ilaignar Ilakkiya Thiruvila-2025** organised by the Department of Library, Theni, on 29th December 2025. Meanwhile, the UG and PG students attended the **State-level Seminar on Economic Transformation for an Executive and Sustainable Future** on 25th February 2026.

While the PG students of History participated in the **International Conference on Indigenous Identities and Subaltern Studies: A Comparative Perspective on India and Sri Lanka** held at Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam, on 11th February 2026, **Mr. J. Muphim, II M.A. History**, participated and presented research papers in several **International Conferences**.

The UG students of Mathematics participated and bagged **Places-I, II, & III** in the **Quiz Competition** conducted by the Human Rights Club of Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College on 17th October 2025. In addition, they attended **JACMAT FEST 2026** held at Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam, on 07th January 2026.

The students of Computer Science attended the **State-level Technical Intercollegiate Meet IT Galaxy '25** held at Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam, on 16th September 2025.

Ms. M. Junaidha Begum, II M. Com, has not only completed the **NPTEL Course - Corporate Finance** successfully but has also published a **book** titled *Petals of Thoughts in Lines of Lines*. Further, she has participated in the **International Conference on AI - Driven Strategies for Sustainable Business Excellence** held at Lady Doak College, Madurai, on 21st & 22nd August 2025 and **presented** a research paper in the **International Conference IFRS** on 12th February 2026. While **Mr. J. Yabesh, II B.Com.**, won the **Prize-I**, **Mr. R. Vishwa, II M. Com.**, secured **Prize-II** in the **Poetry Writing Competition** conducted by Tamil Nadu Science Organisation, Theni, on 06th August 2025. **Mr. Janarth, II B. Com**, participated in **Tamil Marabu Matrum Panpattu Parappurai** organised by Mary Matha College of Arts and Science, Periyakulam, on 03rd September 2025. **Mr. A. Mohamed Ashfaq, Mr. R. Vishwa, & Mr. N. Mohamed Aathif, students of Commerce**, participated and presented papers in several **Seminars and Conferences** at the **National & International levels** and attended **Intercollegiate Competitions** held at different institutions. Besides having **reviewed a Book**, **Ms. A. Ajira Fathima, III B.Com.**, has published the **book** *Chains of Bond*. **Ms. S. Taraniya Priya, I M.Com.**, published a **book** titled *Naduththara Kudumbum*.

Ms. N. Nivetha, Department of IT, participated and presented a research paper at the **International Conference** held at Rajeswari College of Arts and Science for Women, Villupuram, on 08th October 2025. While **Ms. J. Dhanalakshmi, Ms. S. Adhila Parkana, & Ms. M. Kajalakshmi**, participated and presented papers in the **National Conference** held at AJK College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore, on 18th September 2025, **Mr. Vigneswaran** and **Mr. S Rajavel Murugan** also presented papers in the **National Conference** held at the same institution on 13th October 2025.

Functions

On 06th August 2025, our **Founder's Memorial Day** was observed with ceremonial solemnity. A silent march was taken out to the Founder's Tomb to leave floral tributes.

Independence Day was celebrated on 15th August 2025. **Dr. S. Hasan Banu, formerly Associate Professor & Head, Department of Commerce**, hoisted the National Flag and delivered the Independence Day Address.

Meanwhile, the **Graduation Day**, the most significant event of receiving awards and degrees, was held on 23rd August 2025 for the students of the Batch 2021-2024 (UG) and 2022-2024 (PG). This momentous occasion was graced by the esteemed presence of the **Honourable Chief Guest Dr. P. Kannadasan, MBA, M.Phil., Ph.D., Dean (i/c), College Development Council, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Management Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai**, who delivered the Graduation Day Address and conferred the degrees on **714 UG** and **151 PG** graduands from the aided and unaided streams as well. Furthermore, another **Graduation Ceremony** is proposed to be held on 11th April 2026 for the students of the Batch 2022-2025 (UG) and 2023-2025 (PG) with **Dr. S. Muthiah, M.A., MBA, Ph.D., Registrar (i/c), Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai**, as the **Honourable Chief Guest**. The Chief Guest will deliver the Graduation Day Address and will confer degrees on **695 UG** and **153 PG** graduands.

On 14th January 2026, **Samathuva Pongal** was celebrated with great enthusiasm in our campus. The whole College was in a festive spirit, making vibrant rangoli and distributing delicious Pongal.

Republic Day was celebrated on 26th January 2026. **Hajee G. Nather Meeran, Member, College Managing Committee**, unfurled the National Flag and **Hajee Dr. M. Basheer Ahamed Meeran, Associate Professor & Head, Department of History**, delivered the Republic Day Address.

இலக்கியப் பேருரை was organised in the forenoon of 04th April 2026 in which **Mr. Joe Malloori, Poet and Actor**, highlighted the cultural and literary significance of the Tamil language through the topic “**தமிழ் செய்ய விரும்பு**” while the day for **NCC** and **NSS** was celebrated in the afternoon with **Lt. Col. S. Jagadeesan, Officer Commanding, 14 TN BN NCC, Dindigul**, as the **Chief Guest**. Moreover, **70th Sports Day** was celebrated on 06th April 2026 with

Real “BISON” Manathi Mr. P. Ganesan, International Kabaddi Player & Arjuna Awardee, as the **Chief Guest**.

உத்தம நபியின் உதய தின விழா was commemorated on 07th April 2026. The **Chief Guest, Dravida Suriyan Cumbum P. Selvendran, Ex. M.P.,** gave an enlightening talk on Prophet Mohamed (Sal). Following the event, our **Founder’s Memorial Day** was observed in which **Dr. M. Basheer Ahamed Meeran, Associate Professor & Head, Department of History,** cherished the memories of our beloved Founder. Further, prizes were distributed to the meritorious students of Deeniyath classes. It was followed by **அலசல் அரங்கம்** in the afternoon. Our students participated with vibrant energy in this programme which was coordinated by **Ms.Trichy Annalakshmi, Comedy Queen & Television Celebrity.**

In the forenoon of 08th April 2026, the musical play **சுருளிப்பட்டி சிவாஜியின் இயக்கத்தில் செவக்காடு நாடகக்குழுவின் நாடகம் கரிசல் கருணாநிதியின் பாடல்களுடன்** kept the audience transfixed. **Women’s Day** was celebrated in the afternoon in which the **Chief Guest Dr. Rashida Sulthan, Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Gennisi - The Speciality Clinic for Women, Bengaluru,** rendered an inspiring and motivating speech. Subsequently, a glorious **Cultural Programme** was performed by our women students.

At present, our **College Day** is in progress. On behalf of the Management, the Staff, and the Students, I convey my gratitude to our **Honourable Chief Guest Dr. K. Kala, Vice-Chancellor, Mother Teresa Women’s University, Kodaikanal,** for graciously gracing our College Day with her esteemed presence. Her inspiring words and encouragement will certainly add greater value to today’s celebration.

Educational Tour & Industrial Visit

Industrial visits and educational tours aim to provide practical exposure, enhance experiential learning, develop professional and social skills, and bridge the gap between classroom knowledge and real-world applications. Several departments of our Institution have organised educational tours and industrial visits for the students under the guidance of the respective faculty.

The Postgraduate and third year Undergraduate students of the Department of Tamil were taken on a field visit to Keezhadi Museum and Kalaignar Centenary Library at Madurai on 01st August 2025. Around 42 women students of the Department undertook an educational tour to

Kanniyakumari and Thiruchendur on 02nd and 03rd April 2026 to enhance their understanding of classical and devotional Tamil literature.

In the course of the educational trip arranged by the Department of English, the women students visited Vagamon on 12th September 2025 to observe and appreciate the natural landscape. Furthermore, the UG and PG women students visited Ooty and Mysuru from 28th to 30th March 2026.

Besides the field visit organised for the women students of the Department of History to Keezhadi Museum and Madurai on 21st August 2025, an educational tour was also arranged to Parunthumpara and Vagamon on 02nd April 2026.

The Department of Physics organised an educational trip to places such as Rameswaram and Cochin on 17th September 2025 and 03rd February 2026.

The Postgraduate students of the Department of Zoology were taken for a field visit to a Freshwater Pond located near the Institution on 06th October 2025. Meanwhile a field trip was arranged for the final year Undergraduate and Postgraduate students of the Department to the Tamil Nadu Government Agriculture Biofertilizer Production Unit at Karukkodai, Uthamapalayam, on 10th February 2026. Furthermore, the students also visited the Silkworm Rearing Unit at Thevaram as well as the Silk Fiber Reeling Unit at Chinnamanur on 12th February 2026.

As part of the industrial visit, the women students of the Department of Computer Science visited Kodaikanal on 07th January 2026 for gaining practical exposure to real-world technological applications.

An industrial visit was organised for the students of the Department of Commerce to Ithrees Mills, a Millets Factory, at Vadaveeranaickenpatty, Periyakulam, on 30th July 2025.

The Department of Commerce with Computer Application arranged an educational tour to Mettupalayam for the men students on 27th September 2025. Similarly, the women students were taken to Munnar and Kanthalloor on 07th February 2026.

Around 26 Undergraduate women students of the Department of Biochemistry were taken on an educational tour to Ooty and Mysuru from 28th to 30th March 2026.

The Undergraduate students of the Department of Microbiology went on an industrial visit to PSA Entertainment World, Gudalur, as well as on a field visit to ICAR-CMFRI Mandapam Regional Centre, Rameswaram, on 15th September 2025 and 04th February 2026 respectively.

Internship Programme

Internships act as a bridge between academic learning and professional career, making them essential for career development. Almost all the final year UG and PG students underwent internship to harness the skill, knowledge and theoretical practice acquired by them. They attended internship at several reputed organizations and institutions including Tracin Robotic, Madurai, Eminent Technology Solutions, Madurai, Nexzon Enterprises, Ramanathapuram, Ideal Analytical and Research, Puducherry, Mass Aqua Farms, Cumbum, Krishnammal Memorial Hospital, Theni, and the Government Museum, Aundipatti.

Library

Our Library, the greatest treasure house of our Institution, continues enriching its stock of books not only to cater to the curricular requirements but also the intellectual enquiry and research. The Library boasts an extensive collection of **57918** books including **258** rare books, besides **53** journals, **42** magazines, and **42** Research projects as well. It has a well-equipped digital facility consisting of 40 systems. Many knowledge based services such as Open Access system for borrowing books, Reference Service, the Barcode based circulation system, Back Volumes and complete Computerized Management System are provided by our Library. The institutional Membership in DELNET and N-LIST is an added advantage.

Dr. R. Renganathan, our Librarian, attempts to organize a Book Exhibition in our College premises for the benefit of the aspiring staff and students of our Institution. This academic year also a three-day **Book Exhibition** was organised from 28th to 30th July 2025 in which books on a variety of subjects were displayed.

The **Ilaignar Ilakkiya Vizha 2025-2026**, a Tamil Nadu Government - funded programme, was organised for the students of the College with the aim of promoting literary interest and creative expression. As part of the programme, various competitions on ten different topics were conducted for the students. A total of **180** students actively participated in the events. The winners were honoured with cash prizes and certificates of appreciation. The **First Prize** carried a cash award of ₹ **5,000** while the **Second Prize** was ₹ **4,000** and the **Third Prize** was ₹ **3,000**.

Altogether, a sum of ₹ 1, 40, 000 was distributed as prize money to the students. Members of the teaching staff served as adjudicators for the competitions. The programme provided a valuable platform for students to showcase their literary talents and encouraged greater participation in literary and cultural activities.

Moreover, five students successfully completed the **Certificate Course in Library and Information Science 2025-2026** through the **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)** with **Nirmala College, Coimbatore**. The Course provided the students with basic knowledge and practical exposure in library management and information services, thereby enhancing their academic and professional skills in the field of library and information science.

Physical Education

The Department of Physical Education organised several **State-level & National-level Workshops** such as “**Yoga - A Journey from Me to We**”, “**An Outbound Training Programme (Refresh, Recharge, Reinvent)**”, “**Water Games for Sensory Stimulations**”, “**Mountain Mindset: Health, Strength, and Harmony**”, “**Adventure Awaits Physical Education in Motion**”, “**Step Up: Outdoor Fitness and Leadership Camp**” from June 2025 to February 2026. A **Human Chain Awareness Programme “Physical Fitness-Join Hands for a Healthier Tomorrow”** was also organised in commemoration of the **National Sports Day**. Besides the **Chief Minister's Trophy Staff & Students Enrollment Drive** organised on 01st August 2025, the Department conducted the **Theni District-level Intercollegiate Kabaddi Men Tournament** on 08th January 2026. The Theni District-level Intercollegiate Kabaddi Men Tournament trophy was won by our Institution **Hajee Karutha Rowther Howdia College**. In association with NANSEI Arakkattalai, Uthamapalayam, and Sri Yoga Centre, Uthamapalayam, a **Yoga Awareness Training Programme “Nalam Naadi”** was organised in January 2026.

Mr. S. Sanjith Kanna, II B.A History, secured **Place-I** in **500 mts Squad Rink Race Event** (above 18 Senior Men Category) in the Tamil Nadu Open State Roller Skating Championship 2025. Further, he secured **Place-I** in **(Above 18 age Category) Roller Skating Quad 500 mts Rink Event, Roller Skating Quad 1 lap Road Event and Roller Skating Quad 3000 mts Road Event** in the **Theni District-level Roller Skating Competition 2025**. At the **35th Tamil Nadu State Roller Skating Championship 2025**, he secured **Place-V** in **Road-1**, **Place-VI** in **Road-2** and also participated in **Rink-2**.

Mr. S. Shivesh, II B.Sc. Computer Science, participated in the **World Record Event - 2 hour Shadow Boxing** organised by Tamil Nadu Ulaga Sadhanaiyalargal Mombaattu Kazhagam, T.N.U.S.M.K.S.W and T.N.U.S.M.K.F.W, Chennai.

Besides securing **Place-IV** in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Zone-C Chess Men Competition 2025-2026** held at Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Arts and Science, Koduvilarpatty, **Mr. C. Vishva, I M.A. History**, also got the **Place-IX** in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Interzone Men's Chess Competition 2025-2026** held at The American College, Madurai.

At the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Men's Athletics Competition 2025-2026**, while **Mr. R. Saran, I B.A Economics**, secured **Place-II** in **1500 mts Track Event** and **Place-III** in **400 mts Track Event**, **Mr. M. Akash, II BBA**, secured **Place-IV** in **1500 mts Track Event**. Similarly, in the **Women's Competition** **Ms. N. Srinathi, II B.A. Economics**, secured **Place-II** in **400 mts Track Event**.

Ms. A. Keerthanadevi, I B.Sc. Microbiology, won the **Place-II** in **Thodu Potti (40-50 kg Weight Category)** and **Ms. S. Keerthana, III BBA**, bagged the **Place-III** in **Thodu Potti (70-75 kg Weight Category)** at the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Women's Silambam Competition 2025-2026**.

The **Men's Chess Team** participated in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Men's Chess Competition 2025-2026**, in which **Mr. C. Vishva, I M.A. History**, won the **Place-II**.

Our **Carrom** player **Ms. M. Abitha, II M.Com. (CA)**, secured **Place-III (Singles)** in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Women's Carrom Competition 2025-2026**.

The **Women Staff (Unaided)** secured **Place-II** in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy General Public Women's Cricket Tournament 2025-2026**.

While **Dr. M. Ashiq Ur Rahman, Assistant Professor of Zoology**, & **Mr. A. Syed Isqak, Lab. Asst. S.G Office** secured **Place-I (Doubles)**, **Mr. A. Syed Isqak, Lab. Asst. S.G Office**, bagged the **Place-II (Singles)** in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Government Employees Men's Badminton Tournament 2025-2026**.

Meanwhile, our **Men Staff (Aided)** also participated in several events such as **Kabaddi, Carrom, and Volleyball** in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy 2025-2026 for Government Employees**. Moreover, the **Men Staff (Unaided)** participated in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy General Public Men's Volleyball Tournament 2025-2026**.

Besides having secured the **Place-II** in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Intercollegiate Men's Boxing Competition 2025-2026**, **Mr. S. Shivesh, II B.Sc. Computer Science**, participated in the **Regional-level Chief Minister's Trophy Men's Boxing Competition 2025-2026**. At the same **Regional-level Chief Minister's Trophy Men's Judo Competition 2025-2026**, **Mr. N. Deepak, II BBA**, won **Place-III (Below 66 kg Weight Category)**, **Mr. M. Yogesh, II BBA**, bagged **Place-III (Below 73 kg Weight Category)** and **Mr. M. Abinesh, I M.A. History**, secured **Place-IV (Below 60 kg Weight Category)**.

Mr. R. Mohamed Ishaq, I B.Com., won **Place-I** in the **8th Theni District Taekwondo Championship 2025** organised by Theni District Amateur Taekwondo Association while **Mr. R. Mohamed Ishaq, I B.Com.**, secured **Place-III** in the **State-level Taekwondo Championship 2025** held at Thanjavur.

Ms. G. Bhuvaneshwari, II B.A. Tamil, secured **Place-I** in **Silambam (Single Stick)** at the **24th SGADF National-level Silambam Championship 2025** held at **Idukki, Kerala**. **Mr. S. Lakshmanan & Mr. S. Ramar, III B.A Tamil**, participated in the **Theni District-level Silambam Competition** organised by Government Museum, Aundipatti, and Deentamil Art and Literature Foundation.

Our athletes **Ms. A. Keerthanadevi, I B.Sc. Microbiology**, won the **Place-I** and **Mr. E. Abisheik Kumar, III B.Sc. Physics**, bagged the **Place-III** in the **Theni District-level Red Run Marathon-2025 (5 km)** organised by **Theni District AIDS Prevention and Control Organization**. **Ms. A. Keerthanadevi** also participated in the **State-level Red Run Marathon-2025** held at Salem.

Mr. K. Giridharan, I B.A. Economics, secured **Place-I** in **Sqay (Khawankey and Individual)** in the **16th State Sqay Championship-2025** organised by **Sqay Martial Arts Association of Tamil Nadu**, and **Place-II** in **Sqay (Khawankey Individual - Junior)** at the **26th National Sqay Championship 2025-2026** organised by the **Telangana Sqay Association** at Hyderabad.

Cricket (Men & Women) teams, Volleyball team (Women), Football team (Women), Kabaddi team (Women), Handball teams - A & B (Women), Football team (Men), Badminton teams (Men & Women), Carrom teams (Men & Women), and Chess team (Women) participated in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy 2025-2026**. Our Ball Badminton (Men), Volleyball (Men), Kabaddi (Men), and Football teams (Men) participated in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Zone-C Tournaments 2025-2026**. Kabaddi team (Women) participated in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Intercollegiate Women's Kabaddi Tournament 2025-2026**.

While our Chess team (Women), Table Tennis team (Women), and Badminton team (Women) participated in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Intercollegiate Women Tournament 2025-2026** held at The Standard Fireworks Rajaratnam College, Sivakasi, our Badminton team (Men) participated in the **Madurai Kamaraj University Zone-C Badminton Men Tournament 2025-2026** held at G.T.N. Arts College, Dindigul.

The Hockey teams - A & B (Women) participated in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Women's Hockey Tournament 2025-2026**, and **Team - B** secured the **Place-IV** in the tournament. **Women's Ball Badminton team** also secured **Place-IV** in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Women's Ball Badminton Tournament 2025-2026**.

Our players of the Football team (Men), Hockey teams (Men & Women), Volleyball team (Men) represented the **Theni District CM Trophy team** and the Judo team (Men) represented the **Madurai Regional-level CM Trophy Men's Judo team** and participated in the **State-level CM Trophy Men's Tournament 2025-2026** held at Chennai. **Mr. N. Yogesh, II BBA**, represented the **Theni District CM Trophy Men's Kabaddi team** and participated in the **State-level CM Trophy Men's Kabaddi Tournament 2025-2026**. Moreover, **Mr. M. Yogesh, II BBA**, represented the **Madurai Regional-level CM Trophy Men's Judo team** also and secured **Place-II** in the **State-level CM Trophy Men's Judo Competition 2025-2026**.

At the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Tournaments 2025-2026**, our **Men's Hockey team** won the **Place-I**, the **Men's Volleyball team** also secured the **Place-III** and **Men's Ball Badminton team** secured the **Place-IV**. Our Men's Kabaddi teams - A, B & C participated in the **Theni District-level Chief Minister's Trophy Men's Kabaddi Tournament 2025-2026** and **Team - A** secured the **Place-IV**.

The enthusiastic participation of the students and the continuous support of the management and faculty contributed greatly to the success of the sports activities during the academic year.

National Cadet Corps (Army)

The NCC Army Unit of our College, which belongs to 14 TN BN NCC, Dindigul, has strength of 104 cadets including 35 girls. Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather, Associate Professor, Department of Tamil, is the NCC Officer of the NCC Army Wing of our Institution. The Army Wing of our College was begun 67 years ago and upholds the credit of being one of the oldest NCC Army Wing of our nation. Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather was selected as the Contingent Commander of the Tamil Nadu Pondicherry Andaman Directorate for the All India Thal Sainik

Camp and was sent to New Delhi. About **ten NCC cadets** from the Institution have been recruited into the Indian Army this year.

The 9th Battalion NCC **Inter-Unit Competition** of the **Thal Sainik Camp** for the academic year 2025-2026 was organised at Karaikudi from 06th to 15th June 2025. Three of our cadets **Hemavarna, III B.Sc. Chemistry, Mahalakshmi, III B.Sc. Mathematics, and Milton, III B.Com.,** participated in this Camp. In addition to the two cadets **Mahalakshmi, III B.Sc. Mathematics, and Milton, III. B.Com.,** one more cadet **Hari Sankar, III B.Sc. Physics,** attended the 8th Battalion NCC **Pre-Inter Group Competition** held at Annai College of Arts and Science, Kovilacheri, Kumbakonam, from 21st to 30th June 2025. Further, **Mahalakshmi and Hari Sankar** participated in another **Pre-Inter Group Competition** conducted by 2 TN BN at Tiruchirappalli from 02nd to 11th July 2025. These two cadets attended the **Inter Group Competition** also organised by 14 TN Dindigul BN at Idayapatti, Madurai, from 21st to 30th July 2025 and **Mahalakshmi** was selected as the winner in her respective competition.

Mahalakshmi attended **three Camps** conducted by various Battalions at Idayapatti, Madurai, from 01st July to 30th August 2025 and was finally selected in the team that went to Delhi. She was **one of the 48 cadets** who represented the **Tamil Nadu Pondicherry Andaman Directorate** at the Camp which was held at the NCC Headquarters, New Delhi, from 31st August to 13th September 2025. Around 1700 cadets from all over India attended the Camp at New Delhi. I'm proud to announce that our cadet **Mahalakshmi** won the **Prize-III in Judging Distance and Field Signal Competition (JDFS)** at the New Delhi Camp. I wish **Mahalakshmi** endless success in her journey ahead.

While our cadet **Kotta Karuppu, III B.Sc. Mathematics,** participated in the **Army Attachment Camp** conducted at Secunderabad from 11th to 20th July 2025, the cadets **Divya and Yuvarani, III B.Sc. Zoology, and Praveena, III B.Sc. Physics,** participated in the **Army Attachment Camp** organised at Madras Regimental Centre, Wellington, Coonoor, Ooty, from 04th to 14th August 2025.

Army Attachment Camps were held at Bengaluru, Madras Regimental Centre, Wellington, Coonoor, Ooty, and Secunderabad as well in the months of August & December 2025 and January 2026. **Manimuthu, III B.A. English, Harikrishnan, III B.Sc. Mathematics, Sathish Kumar and Janarthanan, II B.Com.,** were some of the cadets who attended these Camps.

Around 30 of our cadets participated in the **Annual Training Camp (ATC)** conducted by 14 TN Dindigul BN at SAM Academy, Akkaraipatti, Palani, from 16th to 25th June 2025. They

also attended the **10-day Combined Annual Training Camp (CATC)** held at Arulmigu Palaniandavar College, Palani, from 22nd to 31st October 2025. Similarly, **Navaneethan, II B.Com.**, participated in the **CATC** at Karaikudi.

Vishali, II B.A. English, attended the **Ek Bharat Shreshtha Camp (EBSB)** at the Officers Training Academy, Tambaram, Chennai, in August 2025. Moreover, **Nagarjun, III B.Sc. Mathematics**, attended the **EBSB Camp** held at Nagpur, Maharashtra, in December 2025 and **Mahalakshmi, III B.Sc. Mathematics**, also attended the **EBSB Camp** at Idayapatti, Madurai, in January 2026 which was conducted jointly by the State NCC teams of Maharashtra and Tamil Nadu. **Sharuk, III B.Com.**, attended the **Basic Leadership Camp** held at Coimbatore Institute of Technology from 25th July to 05th August 2025.

A **10-day Trekking Camp** was organised at Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, from 25th September to 03rd October 2025 in which **Harikrishnan, III B. Sc. Mathematics**, participated. Meanwhile **Kotta Karuppu** and **Abirami, III B.Sc. Mathematics**, **Vishali, II B.A. English**, and **Vasanth, III B.Com. (Banking)**, attended the **Group Registered Training Camp-I** at St. Antony's MHS School, Thuvankurichi, Tiruchirappalli.

Further, our cadets **Kotta Karuppu** and **Vishali** participated in the Camp conducted at Karaikudi in September 2025. These two cadets along with **Sharuk, III B.Com.**, attended the **Group Registered Training Camp-III** at Anjalai Ammal Mahalingam Engineering College, Kovilvenni, Tiruvarur, from 01st to 10th October 2025. The **Inter-Group Republic Day Camp (IGC-RDC)** was conducted at the NCC Training Academy, Idayapatti, Madurai, in October 2025 which was also attended by the aforementioned three cadets. The first, second and third phase of the **RD Parade Training Camps** were also held at Idayapatti, Madurai, in November 2025. **Kotta Karuppu, III B.Sc. Mathematics**, and **Sharuk, III B.Com.**, participated in these Camps. In addition, they also attended the first phase of the **RD Parade Training** which was coordinated by the 29 TN BN Independent Company (Indep Coy) from 11th to 20th December 2025.

It's a matter of great pride for the Institution that these two cadets **Kotta Karuppu, III B.Sc. Mathematics**, and **Sharuk, III B.Com.**, have participated in the **Republic Day Parade** on 26th January 2026 at New Delhi. They were also felicitated by the Commander, NCC Directorate, Tamil Nadu. My heartiest congratulations to the cadets for bringing honour to the Institution by participating in the NCC Republic Day Parade.

The Army Wing celebrated **International Day of Yoga** on 21st June 2025 by organising yoga training for the cadets at Thirukunagiri Samanamalai. On the occasion of the Independence Day on 15th August 2025, the **Har Ghar Tiranga** Campaign was observed and the NCC cadets

took part in the **8 km walk** from Pennycuick Memorial at Lower Camp to the Museum at Kumily. In association with Nansei Foundation, the NCC Army Wing planted **Palmyra saplings** in the Biodiversity forest of our Institution. As part of the Green Tamil Nadu Mission, **Jamun saplings** were also planted on the campus. The cadets carried out a **Parthenium weed removal drive** along the road near the Institution. They also rendered assistance during the Free Medical Camp organised by the Tamil Nadu Government in the premises of Sri Kannika Parameswari School, Kombai, Theni.

All our cadets who appeared for the 'B' Certificate and 'C' Certificate Examinations in 2024-2025 have passed the Examinations. Moreover, Special Scholarships have also been awarded by 14 TN BN to the cadets who have participated in the Republic Day Parade Camp.

National Cadet Corps (Navy)

The NCC Naval Wing of our College, affiliated to 2 TN Naval Unit NCC, Madurai, has a total strength of 100 cadets, including 40 girl cadets. Sub Lt. S. Shack Abdullah, Assistant Professor, Department of History, serves as the Associate NCC Officer (ANO) of our College. During the academic year 2025-2026, our cadets actively participated in various training camps and national-level programmes.

Twenty-eight cadets, including 16 SW cadets, attended the **10-day Combined Annual Training Camp** held at Madurai from 31st May to 09th June 2025. Cadet **M. Balasuriya, II B.A. History**, participated in the **12-day Attachment Camp of NCC Personnel to Regular Army, Navy, and Air Force Units/Ships/Establishments/Installations** held at INS Jalashwa, Visakhapatnam.

When our cadets and the ANO attended the **IUC Preparation Camp** at Uthamapalayam from 01st to 08th July 2025, 2 (TN) Naval Unit Commander Captain Pradeep Premkumar and Madurai Group Commander Colonel V.K.S. Chauhan visited and encouraged the cadets.

Meanwhile, three cadets - **T. Alagarsamy, II B.Com.**, **M. Srimathi, II B.A. History**, and **J. Sathees Sri, II B.A. History** - attended the **10-day Inter-Unit Competition - Nau Sainik Camp 2025** held at Puducherry from 13th to 22nd July 2025. While cadet **S. Muhamed Muhshin, II B.Sc. Chemistry**, participated in the **12-day Basic Leadership Camp** held at Coimbatore from 25th July to 05th August 2025, Cadet **T. Alagarsamy, II B.Com.**, attended the **12-day Aeromodelling and Drone Training Camp** held at Tiruchengode from 18th to 29th November 2025.

Furthermore, twenty cadets attended the **10-day Annual Training Camp** held at Agateeswaram, Kanniyakumari, from 20th to 29th November 2025. Five SW cadets attended the **CATC-cum-DTE RDC Training Camp-III** held at Idayapatti, Madurai, from 21st to 30th November 2025. The **10-day Combined Annual Training Camp** was held at Salem from 22nd to 31st December 2025, in which two of our cadets participated. Cadet **M. Susmitha, III B.Com.**, attended the **All India Annual Training Camp for SW Cadets** at INA, Ezhimala, Kerala, from 15th to 26th December 2025.

International Yoga Day was celebrated by the Naval Wing on 21st June 2025 and **Navy Day** was also observed by organising a **Sapling Plantation Drive** and screening a **Documentary** based on the role of Indian Navy in national defence. Besides the **Swachh Bharat Mission**, the **Puneet Sagar Abhiyan** (waterbody cleaning campaign) was undertaken at Ramasaminayakkanpatti Lake on 27th September 2025.

Moreover, 18 cadets appeared for the ‘C’ Certificate Examination while another 36 appeared for the ‘B’ Certificate Examination during the year.

The NCC Army and Navy Wings continue to uphold the motto of discipline, leadership, and national service through active participation in training, community development, and nation-building activities.

National Service Scheme

Development of the personality of the students through community service is the primary objective of our NSS units. Besides the existing NSS Programme Officers, Dr. K. Mohammed Abdul Kader, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce with Comp. Appl., as well as Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, have assumed office as NSS Programme Officers of Unit No. 115 & Unit No. 212 respectively this academic year.

I’m proud to inform that our NSS units have received a **Certificate of Appreciation** from the District Collector, Theni, as well as the **Best Organizer College Award** from Nattathi Nadar Hospital, Theni, for the Blood Donation Camps organised. A **Naval Poonga (Jamun Garden)** has been established by our NSS units as a part of the Green Initiative Programme, to promote environmental sustainability and increase green cover.

The **International Yoga Day** was observed on 20th June 2025 by providing a training programme including Aasanas and Meditation for the students of the Government Elementary

School, U. Ambasamudram. An **Oath-taking Programme** was organised for the NSS volunteers on the **International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking** on 26th June 2025 to create awareness on the theme “Breaking the Chains: Prevention, Treatment and Recovery for all”.

In the **Orientation Programme** organised on 04th July 2025, **Dr. S. Mohamed Rowther, Assistant Professor, Department of English & Former NSS Programme Officer** and **Mr. K. Jiyavudeen, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil**, addressed the volunteers emphasizing social service and community development. On the other hand, **former NSS Programme Officers, Dr. H. Rakhiba, Associate Professor, Department of English**, and **Dr. K. Mohamed Irshad, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce**, emphasized selfless service, volunteerism, personality development and youth empowerment in their **NSS Day Address** on 24th September 2025.

With a view to promoting environmental responsibility amidst the volunteers an **Awareness Programme on Solid Waste Management** was organised in association with the Municipality of Uthamapalayam on 04th July 2025. A **Pledge “Be Clean and Be Healthy”** was taken by the volunteers on the occasion. A **Hands-on training programme on Sapling Preparation** was conducted at U. Ammapatti on 09th July 2025 and a **Mega Sapling Plantation Programme** was also organised there on 03rd September 2025 to encourage environmental stewardship in students and community members. Meanwhile, on the eve of the **World Population Day**, an **Awareness Programme cum Human Chain** was also organised at this village on 11th July 2025.

While the birth anniversary of former Chief Minister Mr. K. Kamaraj was commemorated through the celebration of **Education Development Day** at the Government Elementary School, Gokilapuram, on 15th July 2025, our **Founder’s Day** was observed by conducting an **Elocution Competition** on 05th August 2025. **Van Mahotsav** was commemorated with a **Tree Plantation Programme** at U. Ammapatti on 18th July 2025.

The **Orientation Programme on Hygiene Awareness** on 01st August 2025 in which **Dr. M. A. Sanofar Ariffa, MBBS**, spoke on personal health and hygiene practices, and the **Special Lecture on Digital Violence against Women and Girls** in association with UGC, New Delhi & Women’s Studies Centre, MKU, on 4th December 2025, to raise awareness on online safety, were the programmes organised exclusively for the NSS women volunteers.

In association with the Disaster Management Unit, Arakkonam, a **Disaster Management Programme** was conducted on 04th August 2025 to hone the emergency response skills of the volunteers. An exhibition showcasing the nutritional and therapeutic potential of millets was a part of the **Awareness Programme “Millets: A Nutritional Powerhouse”** organised on 16th September 2025. **Mr. V. Varusai Beer Mydeen, Managing Director, NMR Mill, Theni,** was the **Resource Person** of the Programme.

In the **Blood Donation Camps** organised, around 80 units of blood was donated to the Periyakulam Blood Bank and another 60 units of blood was donated to the Theni Blood Bank.

As part of the **79th Independence Day Celebrations,** our **Alumnus Lance Naik A. Meenatchi Sundaram,** a recipient of the **Kirti Chakra,** was honoured on 15th August 2025 by the NSS units for his service to the nation.

In the **National Ayurveda Day** observed on 23rd September 2025 at the Siddha Wing of the Government Hospital, Uthamapalayam, **Dr. Swaminathan, Siddha Specialist,** deliberated on the significant traditional health services of Siddha medicine. Further, a **Special Lecture “Physiotherapy for a Healthy Life”** was delivered by **Dr. M. Mohaideen Nowfin Fathima, Physiotherapist,** on 08th December 2025. Meanwhile, an **Awareness Programme on Leprosy** was organised on 10th February 2025 for the volunteers to eliminate the social stigma, promote early diagnosis and to educate that leprosy is curable. **Mr. Saravanan, NMS Health Inspector, PHC, Kombai,** served as the **Resource Person.**

Awareness Programmes were organised to observe **National Electricity Safety Week** on 27th June 2025 at U. Ammapatti, for **Road Safety** on 05th January 2025, and **Health and Hygiene** on 02nd February 2025. **Poster Making Competitions on Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking** as well as **World Ozone Day, Essay Writing Competition on National Youth Day,** and **Rangoli Competition on National Voters’ Day** were conducted for the volunteers. Similarly, **Pledge** was also taken on significant dates for **Swachhta Hi Seva Campaign, Tuberculosis Awareness, National Unity Day, National Voters’ Day, Martyrs’ Day,** and **National Deworming Day.** **Awareness Rallies** were conducted for promoting eco-friendly alternatives like **Meendum Manjappai,** while a **Street Play** was performed to raise awareness on drug abuse. Training was provided to the volunteers for registering themselves on **My Bharat Portal** on 24th September 2025 in order to empower them to become catalysts for community transformation. As part of

their **Outreach Programme** the NSS volunteers accompanied by the Programme Officers visited **IMAGE Orphanage** on 12th February 2026.

The **Swachhta Hi Seva Campaign, National Sports Day Celebration, Teachers' Day Celebration, Swachhta Hi Seva Mega Cleanliness Drive, Green Tamil Nadu Day Celebration** in collaboration with Tamil Nadu Forest Department, **Kalviyil Sirantha Tamil Nadu, Village Library Cleaning Campaign & Survey on Unemployment** at U. Ammapatti, **Mega Cleanliness Campaign, Herbal Garden Cleanliness Drive, International Mother Language Day,** and **Special Lecture on National Science Day** were also organised by the NSS units.

Several students, staff, and the public were benefitted by the **Medical Camp, Aadhar Enrollment, Correction & Updation Camp, PAN Card & Vehicle Updation Camp, Dental Screening Camp** organised in the College premises. Furthermore, the **Survey on Unvaccinated Cows, Siddha Medical Camp, Veterinary Camp** and **Dental Screening Camp** organised at the adopted villages of the NSS units proved advantageous to the masses of the places.

The NSS volunteers have participated in Workshops and Camps at the State and National-level this academic year. **Mr. M. Mohammed Aahil, II B.Com.,** was the **Prize-I** winner of the **Chess Competition** at the **State-level NSS Workshop on Youth for Reviving Traditional Sports & Games 2025**. While **Mr. R. Mohammed Asharaf, II B.Sc. Zoology,** participated in the **State-level NSS Workshop on Disaster Management and First Aid-2025** held at S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil, **Ms. R. Keerthika, II B.Com. (Banking),** took part in the **State-level NSS Workshop on Youth against Digital Media Addiction-2025** held at the University of Madras.

Ms. M. Aarthi, II B.A. Tamil, attended the **National-level Adventure Camp-2025** held at Dharamshala, Himachal Pradesh, from 30th November to 09th December 2025. On the other hand, **Ms. M. Rubika, II B.Com. (Banking),** participated in the **State-level Adventure Camp-2025** held at Yercaud in August 2025. **Ms. P. Parthasarathy, II B.Sc. Zoology,** attended the **National Integration Camp-2026** held at Marian College, Kuttikanam, in February 2026. My hearty felicitations to the volunteers.

Moreover, NSS seven-day **Special Camps** were conducted for the men and women volunteers from 16th to 22nd December 2025 simultaneously. The Special Camp for the women's NSS units was organised at U. Karuvelnayakkanpatti, U. Ammapatti and U. Ambasamudram while the Special Camp for the men volunteers was conducted at U. Anaimalayanpatti, U.

Gokilapuram and U. Ramasaminayakkanpatti.

Youth Red Cross

Youth Red Cross is an extension activity of Part-V which strives to instill compassion, voluntary service, and a spirit of selfless dedication among students. Ms. A. Sumaya Banu, Assistant Professor, Department of English, is the Coordinator, and Ms. B. Nagia, Assistant Professor, Department of English, is the Member of the YRC Wing.

The Youth Red Cross of our College organised several awareness programmes and commemorative events during the academic year 2025-2026 to promote health, social responsibility, and civic awareness among students.

On 23rd July 2025, an **Awareness Programme on Cyber Security** was conducted in which **Mr. P. Venkatachalam, Inspector of Police**, and **Mr. Alagupandi, Sub-Inspector of Police, Cyber Crime Police Station**, educated students about cyber threats, online fraud, and safe digital practices. The YRC Wing observed **World Heart Day** on 29th September 2025 by screening cardiac care videos to emphasize the importance of maintaining heart health and prevent cardiovascular diseases.

The **International Day of Education** was celebrated on 23rd January 2026 on the theme **“Youth as Co-creators of Education”**. **Dr. H. Rakhiba, Associate Professor of English**, delivered a talk highlighting youth participation in strengthening democratic and inclusive education. To promote environmental consciousness, a **Drawing Competition** on the theme **“Save the Ocean, Save the Earth”** was organised on 11th February 2026, encouraging students to express their commitment to environmental protection.

Red Ribbon Club

The Red Ribbon Club, a Part-V extension activity, has been actively engaged in promoting health awareness, community service, and social responsibility among students. Ms. N. Rayshima, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, is the Coordinator and Ms. M. Rizvana, Assistant Professor, Department of English, is the Member of the Club. The Club organised a series of impactful programmes and competitions this year to educate students and the broader community on critical health and social issues.

The Club organised an **Outreach Programme** titled "Say No to Drugs" in nearby villages on 25th July 2025. The programme aimed to engage with the village community, raise awareness on key issues, and distribute informative pamphlets on the topic of drug abuse to empower them with knowledge. An **Essay Writing Competition** on the topic "**Benefits of Blood Donation**" was conducted for the volunteers on 16th October 2025 to create awareness on the significance of voluntary blood donation and its role in saving lives. Meanwhile, the **Pencil Sketch Competition** based on the theme "**Healthy Blood - Healthy Nation**" conducted on 02nd March 2026 emphasized the requisite of healthy blood for a healthy body in turn leading to a healthier and productive nation.

In association with ICTC, the Club organised an **Orientation Programme** on the **Prevention of Infectious Diseases** to commemorate **World AIDS Day** on 5th December 2025. **Mr. P. Ayyanar, Counsellor, ICTC, Government PHC, Kombai, and Ms. K. Malathi, Counsellor, ICTC, Government PHC, Gudalur,** addressed the volunteers and highlighted the role of youth in reducing the stigma towards individuals affected with AIDS and promoting healthy practices. The Programme reinforced the message "Stay healthy together and Stop AIDS".

Human Rights Club

The Human Rights Club seeks to promote understanding, tolerance and gender equality thereby enabling students to participate effectively in a free society. The Human Rights Club has been functioning as a Part-V extension activity in our College with Dr. H. Anis Fathima, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce (Banking), as Coordinator, and Dr. A. Benazir, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, as Member.

On 28th August 2025, the Club organised a **Digital Screening and Discussion Programme** for the Human Rights Club volunteers to ensure safety, security, and integrity in both their online and offline activities. The **Quiz Competition on Right to Information Act, 2005,** and the **Poster Making Competition** on the theme "**Human Rights: My Right, Our Future**" conducted on 17th October 2025 and 10th December 2025 respectively, aimed at promoting awareness, transparency, and responsible citizenship among volunteers. Furthermore, a **Workshop "Cyber Justice: Protecting Rights in the Digital Era"** was organised on 26th February 2026. The **Keynote Speakers** of the Workshop **Mr. R. Jerald Alexander, ADSP, Cyber Crime Wing, Theni, Ms. L. Victoriya Lourdu Mary, Inspector of Police, Cyber Crime PS, Theni, and Mr. P. Alagupandi, Sub-Inspector of Police, Cyber Crime PS, Theni,**

deliberated on the importance of cyber justice in today's digital world, discussed common cyber threats besides explaining the legal mechanisms available to address cyber offences. Following the Workshop, a **Pamphlet Distribution Programme on Cybercrime Awareness** was also arranged on 27th February 2026 in the College premises to educate the students about the common cyber threats, preventive measures, and the legal protections available under laws such as the Information Technology Act, 2000.

Citizen Consumer Club

The Citizen Consumer Club of our Institution aims at spreading awareness of consumer rights as well as the laws enacted for the protection and welfare of consumers. Dr. M. Kaja Mohideen, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce (Banking), is the Coordinator, and Ms. L. Saravana Priya, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, is the Member.

The Club organised an **Awareness Programme “Consumer Rights on Food Adulteration”** on 09th September 2025 to create awareness among students and the public about consumer rights, the dangers of food adulteration besides educating them on identifying adulterated food products and promoting safe, informed consumer practices. An **Essay Writing Competition** on the topic **“Rights and Responsibilities of a Consumer”** was conducted for the Club volunteers on 22nd January 2026. Moreover, **Dr. K. Rasool Mydeen, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce**, acted as the **Resource Person** for the **Awareness Programme “Youth as Smart Consumers in Online Trading”** organised on 27th February 2026 which not only aimed at sensitizing youth to safe, responsible online trading practices but also informed them about consumer rights, digital payment safety, and wise online purchasing decisions.

Yoga Club

The Yoga Club is a Part-V extension activity, which strives to spread awareness among students about the importance of yoga for the mind-body-soul connection. Mr. S. Velmurugan, Assistant Professor, Department of English, is the Coordinator, and Ms. P. Vinnoli, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, is the Member.

A **State-level Workshop “Yoga for Healthy Life Style”** was organised on 21st June 2025 commemorating **11th International Day of Yoga**. The **Resource Person** of the Workshop, **Dr. Santhosh John, AYUSH Medical Officer (Yoga & Naturopathy), Government Hospital, Uthamapalayam**, prioritized practicing yoga for a healthy life style. Meanwhile, for the

National-level Workshop on “**Yoga - A Relief for Exam Anxiety**” held at the Marine Drive, Kochi, Kerala, on 19th July 2025, **Dr. B. Akbar Ali, Director of Physical Education**, acted as the **Resource Person**. This Workshop focused on tools like meditation and yoga poses to reduce stress, enhance mental clarity and concentration during high-pressure academic periods.

Health and Fitness Club

Health and Fitness Club is an extension activity of Part-V. Dr. P. Kavimani, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, is the Coordinator of the Club while Ms. M. Eswari, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, is its Member. With a view to creating awareness among the students about health, fitness and hygiene, the Health and Fitness Club has organised many programmes this academic year.

In coordination with Ojas Dental Studio, the Club organised an **Oral Hygiene & Dental Screening Camp** for the students on 22nd July 2025. **Dr. Subetha, BDS, Root Canal Specialist, Ojas Dental Studio, Theni**, the **Resource Person**, sensitized the students on the importance of oral hygiene and healthy dental practices. **Dr. S. Dileep Kumar, Transplant Coordinator, Government Rajaji Hospital, Madurai**, dispelled the myths and misconceptions about organ donation and encouraged the volunteers to promote a sense of social responsibility by helping save lives through organ donation in the **Awareness Programme on Organ Donation** conducted on 01st September 2025. As part of their Community Outreach Programme, a **Dental Camp** was organised by the Club in association with Indian Dental Association at U. Ammapatti for the public on 19th December 2025. On 05th March 2026, the Club also conducted an **Essay Writing Competition** on the topic “**Power of Well-being**”.

Eco Club

The Eco Club in our Institution serves to cultivate environmental awareness, foster a sense of responsibility towards nature, and encourage sustainable, eco-friendly habits among students. Dr. A. Maajitha Begam, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Botany, is the Coordinator, while Ms. R. Priya, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, is the Member.

A **Chart Designing Competition** was conducted by the Club on 28th July 2025 to commemorate **Nature Conservation Day**. **Ms. Malliga Devi, Coordinator, National Green Corps and Eco Club, Government Model Higher Secondary School, Uthamapalayam**, was the **Chief Guest**. In her address, Ms. Malliga Devi emphasized the pressing necessity to protect

the environment and conserve natural resources. On the other hand, the students who enthusiastically participated showcased their creativity and awareness on environmental issues. A **Site Visit Programme to Resource Recovery Park** was arranged for the volunteers as part of their Outreach Programme on 26th September 2025. The volunteers were informed about the waste disposal process, incineration process, and release of toxic pollutants, composting techniques, as well as the process of recycling the plastics by **Mr. A. Muruganatham, Sanitary Inspector, Town Panchayat, Uthamapalayam**. On 29th September 2025, the volunteers were taken for a **Field Visit** to the **Vermicomposting Farm** located at Pudupatti, Theni. The proprietor of the vermicomposting farm **Mr. Jailani** explained the method of using earthworms to decompose waste and make nutrient-rich worm manure.

In association with the Department of Botany a **Guest Lecture** was organised by the Club in observance of **World Wetlands Day** on the theme “**Wetlands and Traditional Knowledge: Celebrating Cultural Heritage**” on 03rd February 2026. The **Resource Person, Dr. K. Arifa Banu, Assistant Professor & Head i/c, Department of Zoology**, deliberated on the ecological importance of wetlands for human survival and nature besides highlighting the role of the local communities in saving wetlands by acting as its custodians.

Library & Information Science Club

Dr. R. Renganathan, Librarian, is the Coordinator, and Mr. R. Karthik, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, is the Member, of the Library and Information Science Club which focuses on the promotion of the utility of information sources such as books, journals, magazines, e-resources and the like among the students. It seeks to develop information literacy by guiding students to access, evaluate, and utilize reliable information sources for academic and personal growth.

An **Awareness Programme on Part-V Clubs** was organised for the students on 04th December 2025. In addition to the **National Seminar** titled “**Smart Research Practices: AI, Online Tools & Zotero for Academicians**” organised on 10th December 2025, a **Painting Competition-cum-Exhibition** was also conducted on 06th and 07th January 2026. While the Seminar aimed to familiarize students and academicians with modern research tools, reference management software and the effective use of artificial intelligence in academic research, the Painting Art Exhibition encouraged students to showcase their creativity and artistic talents.

Science Communication Club

Science Communication Club is a Part-V extension activity striving to promote scientific temper and enhance students' ability to communicate scientific ideas effectively. Ms. M. Mariyam Beevi, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Biochemistry, is the Coordinator, while Ms. K. Roobini, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, is the Member.

In collaboration with the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, the Club organised a **One-day Hand-on Training Session** titled “**Quality Control Tests for Ensuring Food Safety**” on 18th July 2025. **Mr. C. Karthi, Senior Manager, Parikshan ESS Pvt. Ltd.**, the **Resource Person**, explained the importance of quality control tests in ensuring food safety and maintaining public health standards. **World Ozone Day** was commemorated by conducting a **Science Quiz** for the students on 29th September 2025. Furthermore, a **One-day Seminar “Oyster Mushroom Cultivation: A Sustainable Agro Business”** was organised with **Dr. P. Sivamanikandan, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology**, as the **Resource Person** on 25th February 2026. Subsequently, a **Drawing Competition** on the theme “**Sustainable Development Goals 2030**” was also conducted for the students to commemorate **National Science Day**. **Ms. R. Vanitha, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry**, was the **Adjudicator** for the Drawing Competition.

Fine Arts Club

The Fine Arts Club of our Institution aims to bring out the hidden talents of the youth by providing an artistic environment for expressing themselves freely. Ms. S. Sagetha Parvin, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, has assumed charge as the Coordinator of the Club.

The students of the Club participated in an **Intercollegiate Competition** held at Madurai Gandhi N.M.R. Subbaraman College for Women on 19th September 2025 and bagged several prizes in various events. A **Seminar on Folk Art and Culture in Indian Knowledge System** was organised on 03rd February 2026. The programme featured eminent resource persons from the field of folk art and performing arts. **Kalai Chudarmani Mr. T. Selvagesan**, one of the **Resource Persons**, delivered an insightful lecture on the role of folk art in Indian tradition and its contribution to social harmony and cultural continuity. Meanwhile, another **Speaker Mr. C. Chithendran, Nool Art Academy, Cumbum**, elaborated on various traditional art forms, their techniques as well as on the need for systematic documentation and preservation in the modern

era. **Ms. G. Niranjana Devi, Niranjana Natyalaya, Cumbum**, who addressed finally, explained the significance of classical and folk dance forms as carriers of Indian Knowledge System and cultural values. The programme created awareness about safeguarding intangible cultural heritage and inspired students to appreciate and preserve indigenous art forms.

Internal Complaints Committee

Dr. H. Habeeb Rani, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Mathematics, has assumed office as the Presiding Officer of the Internal Complaints Committee this academic year.

In the **Student Induction Programme** conducted on 24th June 2025, **Dr. H. Habeeb Rani, Presiding Officer of the ICC**, sensitized the students on the purpose of the existence of the Internal Complaints Committee in the Institution. Besides informing the students about the procedures involved in lodging complaints against physical and sexual harassment, the contact numbers of the Committee Members were also shared. The Presiding Officer along with the Members of the Committee attended a district-level **Awareness Programme under the Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao (BBBP) Scheme**, organised by the Social Welfare Department at Government College of Engineering, Bodinayakanur, Theni, on 15th October 2025, to promote awareness on the protection and education of the girl child.

Women's Forum

The Women's Forum of our College takes steps to provide ample opportunities to the women students for participating in academic, social as well as cultural activities. Dr. M. Fathima Parveen, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, is the Coordinator of the Forum.

With a view to highlighting the importance of recognizing and appreciating the contributions of women in all aspects of life, **Women's Equality Day** was commemorated by the Forum by conducting a **Poster Making Competition** on 25th August 2025 with **Dr. H. Habeeb Rani, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Mathematics**, as **Adjudicator** for the Competition. **Teachers' Day** was celebrated on 04th September 2025 to express gratitude and respect for teachers and to acknowledge their role in guiding and inspiring students. Commemorating **World Food Day**, a **Grand Food Festival-2025** was organised on the theme "**Hand in Hand for Better Foods and a Better Future**" on 30th September 2025 in which traditional and delicious homeland food items were displayed in the stalls for sale. In association with Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women, the Forum organised a **One-day Awareness Programme "Menstrual Hygiene Management-A Mental Health Perspective"** for

the women students on 06th January 2026. The programme aimed at promoting dignity, health, and awareness regarding menstrual hygiene. As part of their social outreach programme, the Forum Members along with the women students visited **Yuvak Vikas Kendra Old-age home** on 05th February 2026 and donated items worth **₹ 8,700**. Further, **International Women's Day** was also observed by conducting Competitions such as **News Reading, Mehandi, Singing, Fancy Dress, Rangoli, Art from Waste, Jewel Making, Vegetable Carving, and Bridal Makeup with Hairdo** for the women students on 13th February 2026. The Forum also organised a **Women's Awareness Programme (POSH Act, Child Marriage, Teenage Pregnancy, Pudhumai Penn Scheme, PMMVY)** in coordination with the District Social Welfare Department on 06th March 2026. The **Speakers Dr. Mohammed Azarudeen, PHC Kombai, Mr. P. Ravee Shankar, General Specialist, District Social Welfare Office, Theni, and Mr. R. Ahamed Meeran, District PMMVY IT Assistant, Theni**, sensitized the women students on women's rights, health issues, and the government welfare schemes exclusively for women.

Deeniyyath Education

Deeniyyath classes are offered for the Muslim students in after hours on every Wednesday to revive and sustain the Islamic spirit in them. In an attempt to encourage the Muslim students, attend Deeniyyath classes regularly, examination is conducted at the end of every academic year for the I and II year students and prizes are distributed to them based on their performance.

The notable Islamic scholars invited to address the students this academic year were Moulana Moulavi Alhaj **A. Mohamed Khan** Baqavi, Chief Translator, Aalim Foundation, Chennai, Moulana Moulavi **A. Alaudeen** Misbahi, Chief Imam, Vaver Jumma Masjid, Cumbum, Moulana Moulavi Alhaj Alhafil **V.S.M. Samsul Alam** Usmani, Chief Imam, Mohaideen Jumma Masjid, Cumbum, and Moulana Moulavi **A. Syed Abuthahir** Rashadi, Chief Imam, Howdia Jumma Masjid, Cumbum.

In accordance with Milad-un-Nabi celebrations, competitions such as Oratorical, Qira'at, Essay Writing and Quiz were conducted for the students and prizes were distributed to the winners.

Youth Welfare Wing

The Youth Welfare Wing of our Institution creates opportunities to the youth to identify and exhibit their talents. Dr. R. Mohamed Rafeek, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, is the

Coordinator of the Wing while Dr. M. Mohamed Ilyas, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Mr. K. Jiyavudeen, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, Dr. S. Deepa, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry, and Ms. R. Yoga, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, are its Members.

In association with Andril Ilakkiya Suttram, the Youth Welfare Wing organized **District-level Competitions in Oratory, Poetry, Quiz, and Drawing** for college and school students on 02nd August 2025. More than one hundred students participated. **Cash prizes** totaling ₹ 31,500 along with rolling trophies, certificates, and books, were awarded to the winners. In December 2025, the **Directorate of Public Libraries, Government of Tamil Nadu**, in collaboration with our College Library, organised a **District-level Literary Festival**. As part of the programme, the Youth Welfare Wing coordinated and conducted **Quiz** and **Haiku Poetry** competitions.

Our students actively participated in several **District-and State-level Competitions** and won notable prizes during the academic year. I'm glad to congratulate **Ms. Jesima, II M.A. Tamil**, who has won **First Prizes** with a **cash award** of ₹ 7,000 in the **Semmozhi Naal Oratorical Competition** on 10th May 2025 as well as ₹ 10,000 in another **Oratorical Competition** on 15th October 2025. Both the competitions were conducted by the Department of Tamil Development, Government of Tamil Nadu, at the Theni District Collectorate. Further, in the **District-level Arts and Literary Competitions** conducted by the Andril Ilakkiya Suttram at our College on 02nd August 2025, while she secured the **First Prize** with ₹ 2,000 **cash award** in **Oratory**, **Ms. Haseena, I B.A. Tamil**, won the **Second Prize** with **cash award** of ₹ 1,500 in **Drawing**. **Ms. Jesima**, also bagged the **First Prize** with ₹ 2,000 **cash award** in **Oratory** at the **District-level Competitions** organised by the Periyakulam Tamil Sangam on 02nd January 2026. In the same District-level Competitions **Mr. Aravind, I B.A. Tamil**, got the **Second Prize** with ₹ 1,500 **cash award** in **Oratory** and **Ms. Latha, I M.A. Tamil**, won the **Second Prize** with ₹ 1,500 **cash award** in **Essay Writing**.

Nadar Saraswathi College of Arts and Science, Theni, organized **Kamarajar Memorial Arts and Literary Competitions** in July 2025, in which more than a hundred of our students participated and received certificates, and our College bagged the **Rolling Trophy**. The Cumbum Bharathi Ilakkiya Peravai organized **Arts and Literary Competitions** on 10th August 2025. Our students who participated in the competitions won several prizes in events such as **Oratory, Poetry, and Music**. Moreover, **Ms. Latha, I M.A. Tamil**, also secured the **Second Prize** with ₹

1,500 cash award in the **State-level Book Review Competition** conducted by C. Abdul Hakeem College, Melvisharam, in October 2025. Nearly fifty students participated in the **State-level Thirukkural Competition** on 02nd January 2026.

Career Counselling, Training & Placement Cell

Dr. M. Amzad Ali, Assistant Professor, Department of History, is the Coordinator of Career Counselling, Training & Placement Cell. The Cell takes efforts to serve the students by motivating and guiding them to seek placement in reputed companies. This year around **553** final year students have got placements in various companies.

The **Workshops** organised such as **“Personality Development”** and **“Soft Skills”** with **Mr. Pandian Suppuraj, South Zonal Head, Veranda Race, Madurai**, as **Resource Person**, on 16th and 17th September 2025 respectively have been quite advantageous for the students. Furthermore, for the **Awareness Programme** on **“Government Examinations”** conducted on 17th September 2025, **Mr. Thamodharan, TNPSC Team Head, Veranda Race, Theni**, served as the **Resource Person**. On 29th September 2025, the Cell organised an **Awareness Programme** for downloading the Tamil Nadu Education Department initiative, the **Manarkeni app**, to facilitate self-paced learning, conceptual understanding and support competitive exam preparation. **Ms. A. Rajeshwari, Department of School Education, Manarkeni Ambassador, Theni**, highlighted the advantages of using the app.

The sessions of the **Awareness Programme “RRB Group-D Examination”** organised on 27th February 2026, were handled by **Mr. P. Jayakumar & Ms. R. Uthayanila, Assistants from District Employment and Career Guidance Centre, Theni**. The programme enabled the students to gain useful insights into career opportunities in the railway sector. A **Seminar on Higher Studies Abroad** was conducted on 03rd March 2026. The session was delivered by **Mr. N. George Rajamitran** from **ROI Educational Consultants, Tiruchirappalli**. The **Resource Person** highlighted various opportunities for pursuing higher education in foreign universities, explained the admission procedures, scholarships and visa processes, and motivated the students to explore global academic prospects. **Gainup Industries India Pvt. Ltd., Dindigul, Sureti Insurance Marketing Pvt. Ltd., Coimbatore**, and **Groveman Global Pvt. Ltd., Kanchipuram**, were some of the companies which have recruited our students through the **On-campus Recruitment Drives** in the months of January and February 2026.

Guidance for Competitive Examinations

The Guidance for Competitive Examination Cell plays a crucial role in shaping the career goals by offering support and guidance to students as well as the general public aspiring and preparing for various competitive examinations. Dr. T. Anas Babu, Assistant Professor, Department of History, has been acting as the Coordinator of the Cell. Intensive Coaching is offered to SC/ST/Minorities/OBC candidates who aspire to attend competitive examinations.

In coordination with Ganapathiammal Rajaiah Social, Educational, Charitable Trust, Uthamapalayam, the Cell organised **Outreach Programmes** through which **Free Coaching Classes** were effectively delivered for **TNPSC, SSC and RRB** Examinations during weekends.

NET/SET Coaching

NET/SET Coaching classes are conducted effectively by the NET/SET Coaching Centre of our Institution under the guidance of its Coordinator Dr. K. Mohamed Irshad, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce. The Postgraduate Students of various departments as well as the Teaching Faculty of the Unaided Streams were the beneficiaries. Coaching Sessions were organised with our faculty as **Resource Persons** on topics such as **Teaching and Research Aptitude, Business and Environment & Higher Education, Mathematical Reasoning, Key Terminologies in Classroom Communication, Ancient India: From Pre-History to the Vedic Age, From 6th Century BCE to Early Medieval India, Medieval India - I & II, Data Interpretation and Modern India** in the months of December 2025 and January 2026. I'm immensely happy to announce that **Mr. Mathan, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Dr. A. Mumthaj, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, and Dr. A. Khadira Sreen, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry,** have qualified **TNSET-2024 for Assistant Professor**. My hearty congratulations to them for their outstanding achievement.

CSIR NET/SET Coaching

Dr. K. Arifa Banu, Assistant Professor & Head i/c, Department of Zoology, is the Coordinator of the CSIR NET/SET Coaching Wing which has been initiated from this academic year. The Wing organised a **Workshop "Challenges and Preparation Methods to Crack CSIR NET"** on 16th February 2026. The **Keynote Speaker Dr. A. Maajitha Begam, Assistant**

Professor & Head, Department of Botany, provided guidance on the CSIR NET syllabus as well as strategies for preparing effectively for the examination.

Centre for Entrepreneurship and Rural Development (CERD)

The Centre for Entrepreneurship and Rural Development with Dr. A. Abdul Hameed, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, as Coordinator, and Ms. S. Sagetha Parvin, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, as Member, focuses on developing and strengthening the attitude of entrepreneurship among students.

The Centre has organised a **Certificate Course in Sewing** through which 13 women students were benefitted. Moreover, 30 students including women have successfully completed the **Certificate Course in E-Services**. In the Seminar “**Empowering Rural Youth through Entrepreneurship**” organised by the Centre on 23rd June 2025, the **Resource Person Dr. N. Mohamed Sameem, Associate Professor, Department of Economics & IQAC Coordinator**, stressed the role of entrepreneurship in transforming rural livelihoods and encouraged students to become job creators rather than job seekers. Meanwhile **Dr. K. Abdul Rahim, Associate Professor, Department of Economics**, spoke on the importance of developing entrepreneurial skills among rural youth to bring about sustainable rural transformation in the **Seminar “Entrepreneurial Skills for Rural Transmission”** on 13th August 2025.

Further, Dr. A. Abdul Hameed, attended the **Faculty E-Cell Coordinator Workshop and Student Mentor Training** conducted by the Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute (EDII) under the Tamil Nadu Youth Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Programme (TNYIEDP) on 23rd October 2025 and 08th December 2025 respectively. The Institution appreciates the service of the Coordinator of the CERD Cell, who has been rendering committed and exemplary service in this role from 2006 for two decades, guiding numerous initiatives and inspiring students through his consistent efforts.

Yuva Tourism Club

The Yuva Tourism Club of our Institution seeks to create interest, awareness and a sense of responsibility towards our country’s cultural heritage amongst youth besides developing their interest and passion for tourism. Dr. T. Anas Babu, Assistant Professor, Department of History, is the Coordinator of the Club while Ms. K. C. Raihanath, Mr. M. Jamal Mohideen, and Mr. F. Mohamed Khan, Assistant Professors, Department of History, are its Members.

A **Field Visit** was arranged to Keezhadi Museum and Madurai on 21st August 2025 facilitating the students to gain insights on Keezhadi excavation, Tamil civilization, archaeological methods and the historical, cultural heritage of Madurai as well. As part of **World Tourism Day Celebrations**, a **Seminar “Tourism and Sustainable Transformation”** was organised on 26th September 2025. The **Resource Person Dr. M. Jannathul Firdhouse, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry**, delivered an insightful lecture on responsible tourism practices, community participation, and the significance for preserving cultural and natural heritage. Furthermore, the students were taken on a **Field Trip to Pennycuick Memorial** at Lower Camp and **M.S.R Grape Yard** at Appachi Pannai. While the trip familiarized the students with the legacy and service of Colonel John Pennycuick to Tamil Nadu’s irrigation, it also educated them on agro-based tourism.

Antidrug Club

The Antidrug Club of our College strives to ensure a drug free campus and educate the students about the ill-effects of narcotics and alcohol. Dr. S. Sivakumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, is the Coordinator of the Antidrug Club. Mr. M. Gulam Riyaz, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, Mr. A. Javith Raja, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce with Computer Application, and Mr. S. Mohamed Isthrikskhan, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, are the Members of the Club.

The Club observed **International Day against Drug Abuse and Trafficking** on 26th June 2025 and **Awareness Day against Drug Abuse** on 11th August 2025. A **Slogan Writing Competition on Drug Abuse** was also conducted for the students on 12th December 2025. Moreover, a **Seminar “Impact of Drugs on the Society”** was organised for the volunteers on 21st January 2026. The **Resource Person** of the Seminar, **Dr. T. Mahalakshmi, MBBS, DPM, Psychiatrist, ECRI-IMH, Theni**, highlighted the impact of drug abuse on society and encouraged students to uphold a drug-free and responsible lifestyle.

Community College

Dr. M. Ashiq Ur Rahman, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, has been appointed as the Coordinator of the Community College of our Institution this academic year while Dr. P. Raja, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, is the Member.

In order to foster skill-development and self-employment opportunities amidst students a **One-day Workshop “Oyster Mushroom Cultivation”** was organised by the Wing on 24th March 2026. **Dr. P. Sivamanikandan, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology**, handled the session and provided practical insights on the techniques, benefits, and economic potential of oyster mushroom farming to the students.

Student Council

Our Principal, Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran, is the Chairman of the Student Council. Mr. J. Hakkim, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, is the Coordinator while Ms. R. Jansi Rani, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, is the Member.

With the objective of motivating students to maintain emotional balance along with academic excellence an **Orientation Programme “Mental Health and Confident Youth”** was organised on 06th October 2025. The **Resource Person Capt. Dr. M. Abdul Kather, Associate Professor, Department of Tamil**, emphasized the significance of mental well-being, confidence building and resilience among youth. Another session **“Know Yourself”** was also organised on 27th February 2026 in which **Dr. T. K. Thirumalaisamy, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Physics**, spoke on self-awareness, identifying strengths, and goal setting, motivating students to recognize their potential and build self-confidence.

Free Legal Aid

The Free Legal Aid Cell of our Institution functions with Dr. M. Amzad Ali, Assistant Professor, Department of History, as the Coordinator.

Under the aegis of the Cell, an **Awareness Programme on International Justice Day** was organised on 31st July 2025. The programme aimed to educate students about the significance of justice, legal rights, and the functioning of the judicial system in promoting fairness and equality in society. The programme was graced by distinguished legal professionals as **Resource Persons**. **Mr. M. Shivaji Chelliah, L.L.M., Sub Judge, Uthamapalayam, Mr. P. Kamarasu, B.A., B.L., Judicial Magistrate, Uthamapalayam, Ms. S. Amalanantha, B.A., B.L., Fast Track Court, Uthamapalayam, and Ms. M. Alagu Mareeswari, B.A., B.L., Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade-II, Judicial Magistrate Court, Uthamapalayam**, addressed the gathering. They highlighted the importance of justice, legal awareness, and the role of the judiciary in safeguarding the rights of citizens.

Road Safety Club

The Road Safety Club has been formed in the Institution with the objective of promoting awareness about road safety, thereby equipping them with the knowledge and skills necessary to significantly reduce road accidents. Dr. A. Sajith Ahamed, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology, has assumed office as the Coordinator of the Road Safety Club this academic year and Mr. F. Mohamed Khan, Assistant Professor, Department of History, is the Member.

The Club organised a **Road Safety Awareness Video Campaign Programme** on 05th January 2026 to educate the students about responsible road behaviour, traffic rules, pedestrian safety, significance of wearing helmets, avoiding mobile phones while driving and accident prevention through informative and impactful awareness videos. In accordance with the direction of the Higher Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, the **Road Safety Awareness Week** was observed from 11th to 17th January 2025. As part of the Road Safety Awareness Week, the Road Safety Club displayed digital posters and safety tips on the campus display board to create awareness among students. Messages highlighting helmet use, adherence to traffic rules, and responsible driving practices were showcased to promote road safety consciousness among student community.

Retiral

Every institution is shaped by the vision and dedication of great leaders. Therefore, it is befitting that we pause to reflect on a lifetime of service - one marked by scholarship, selfless dedication, and an enduring love for academic pursuit. Today let's celebrate the illustrious career of respected academicians **Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran** and **Dr. M. Basheer Ahamed Meeran** whose service has strengthened and enriched this Institution.

Dr. H. Mohamed Meeran, Principal, Associate Professor & Head, Research Centre in English, is a remarkable academic leader who has served the Institution with steadfast commitment, wisdom, and integrity. Having joined the Institution as an Assistant Professor in 1988, he rose to become the Principal in 2014. Under his dynamic leadership, the College witnessed significant progress in academic achievements, infrastructural development, and proudly secured the A++ grade from NAAC signifying a major milestone in the Institution's journey towards academic excellence. A hallmark of his tenure has been the extension of the College's Autonomous Status for another decade till 2034, its commendable placement in the

NIRF 201 – 300 rank band and the establishment of multiple functional MoUs, reflecting the Institution's growing academic and collaborative strength. He is also recognized as the first NAAC Assessor from our Institution, contributing to national quality assurance processes in higher education through the National Assessment and Accreditation Council. Besides maintaining a prolific research output throughout his career, he has authored several books on topics ranging from higher education in India to critical studies of Indian and Commonwealth literature in English. His extensive record of research publications spans from national and international journals to edited volumes. As a Resource Person, he has contributed significantly through his scholarly insights and academic expertise in National and International Conferences. He has guided many scholars to the successful completion of their M.Phil. and Ph.D. degrees, and his most recent publication — a Study of Coastal Ecology and Ecological Selfhood — appeared in January 2026, demonstrates his continued scholarly engagement. Dr. Meeran has received numerous awards from national and international organizations in recognition of his distinguished service as an educator and institutional leader. Notable among these are multiple Best Principal awards, Lifetime Achievement awards, and Fellow Membership from the International Institute of Organised Research (I2OR), Government of India. In 2025 alone, he has received six major honours.

As Principal since 2014, Dr. Mohamed Meeran chairs the Governing Body, Internal Quality Assurance Cell, NAAC Steering Committee, NSS Advisory Committee, and Howdia Research Forum of the College. He also serves as Chief Superintendent for B.Ed. and IGNOU examination centres, Chief Controller of Examinations, IGNOU Coordinator, and Member of the Academic Council and Senate of Madurai Kamaraj University from 2016 onwards. Since 2024, he serves as the International Mentor for I2OR, India. Dr. Mohamed Meeran concludes a distinguished career spanning 38 years of exemplary service as teacher, scholar, and Principal. His commitment to nurturing young minds, encouraging faculty development, and promoting value-based education has left an indelible mark on the Institution. Beyond administrative excellence, he is known for his humility, approachability, and genuine concern for students and staff. His guidance has inspired many, and his enduring influence will guide the Institution in the years ahead. As he gracefully steps into a new and well-deserved chapter of life, we acknowledge our deep appreciation and profound gratitude for his exceptional visionary leadership, tireless service, and invaluable contributions to the growth and reputation of this Institution.

Dr. M. Basheer Ahamed Meeran, Associate Professor & Head, Research Centre in History, has been a pillar of strength to our Institution since he joined the Department of History in 1989. For more than three decades, he has served this Institution with unwavering dedication, devotion, and perseverance. Dr. Basheer Ahamed Meeran began his academic journey with a B.A. from The New College, Chennai, followed by an M.A. from Aligarh Muslim University and later earned his M.Phil. & Ph.D. from Madurai Kamaraj University. His doctoral research on “Muslims of Tamil Nadu and Hajj Pilgrimage to Makkah” reflects his deep interest in social and cultural history. As a passionate teacher, he has shaped the minds of countless students with clarity, commitment, and compassion. Apart from academics, he has rendered remarkable administrative service. Having adorned the Office of NSS Programme Officer, he was honoured with the Best NSS Programme Officer Award at the State level in 1996. He has held several important responsibilities including IGNOU Study Centre Coordinator, Health & Fitness Club Coordinator, Additional Coordinator of Continuous Internal Assessment Examinations Committee, Convenor of Part-V Activities, and member of various academic and administrative committees such as the College Students Admission Committee, Finance Committee and the Sports Committee as well contributing meaningfully to the governance and progress of the College. He is also a recognized Ph.D. Supervisor and has mentored several M.Phil. scholars, contributing substantially to the field of History. Besides having served as a Member of the PG Board of Studies of Madurai Kamaraj University, he had been a Member of the FDP Selection Committee involved in the screening and selection of FDP candidates at Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam. He has actively contributed to academia by presenting and publishing research papers at National and International Conferences while also attending Seminars, Conferences, and Workshops at the state, national, and international levels. His leadership as NAAC Steering Committee Coordinator from 2017 to 2022 played a vital role in strengthening institutional quality, academic standards and the College ambience on a large scale. Further, he reserves the credit of having contributed a significant portion of our College website content. Under his able coordination and the collective efforts of the IQAC team, our Institution was awarded the highest A++ grade by NAAC in its 3rd Cycle of Reaccreditation. He is widely admired for his deep sense of spirituality. His habit of beginning every endeavour with prayer has been a guiding light for the entire academic community. With a unique record of 37 years of unblemished service, Dr. Basheer Ahamed Meeran goes into retirement by the end of this academic year.

Dear Sirs, you may be leaving your official position, but you will always remain respected and cherished members of this Institution's family. We wish you both a joyful, healthy, and fulfilling retirement.

Conclusion

With gratitude, let me take a moment to remember the wholehearted cooperation, guidance and assistance rendered by the President Hajee S. Mohamed Meeran, the Secretary & Correspondent Hajee M. Dharvesh Mohideen and the Members of the Managing Committee. My thanks are due to the Heads of the Departments, Coordinators, Controller of Examinations, Members of various Committees, Teaching Faculty, Office Superintendent, Non-Teaching Staff, and students for the unstinted support extended all through the academic year for the smooth functioning of the College as well as for the cooperation rendered during my tenure as Principal. With prayers and blessings, I wish our outgoing students a prosperous future.

Thank you,

Uthamapalayam,
09th April 2026

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Principal