



# **SREEKRISHNAPURAM V. T. BHATTATHIRIPAD COLLEGE**

**P. O. MANNAMPATTA, PALAKKAD, KERALA – 678633**

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## **ANNUAL REPORT 2023 - 2024**

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## SREE SANKARA TRUST

Sree Sankara Trust was established in 1965 in Peringara, Kerala, by a group of well-wishers from the Namboothiri community, led by founder Chairman Sri P.N. Namboothiri. It is registered under the Literary, Scientific, and Charitable Societies Registration Act of 1955.

The Trust is dedicated to the ideals and philosophies of Jagadguru Sree Sankaracharya, the renowned Indian saint and proponent of the Advaita Philosophy. Its mission is to realign educational and social welfare activities, encouraging the youth of the country to embrace progressive values for a healthy and productive life.

The Trust's first educational institution, Sree Sankara Vidyapeedam College (Government Aided), was established in Perumbavoor near Kalady, the birthplace of Sree Sankaracharya. The land for the college was generously donated by the local Namboothiri community. Affiliated with Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, this college offers courses up to the postgraduate level.

The second college, Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhathathirippad College (Government Aided), in Palakkad District, is named after the esteemed social reformer and writer V.T. Bhattathiripad. This college is affiliated with University of Calicut and also provides education up to the postgraduate level.

The third institution, another Sree Sankara Vidyapeetom College, is located in the picturesque Nagaroor valleys of Thiruvananthapuram District. This self-financing college, affiliated with the University of Kerala, sits on a sprawling 30-acre campus, offering tremendous potential for future growth into a prominent educational complex.

Sree Sankara College (Government Aided), in Nagaroor, the fourth institution established by the Sree Sankara Trust, was founded in 2018. Affiliated with the



University of Kerala, SSC offers a range of undergraduate courses. The college is committed to providing quality education and fostering a supportive learning environment.

## PROFILE OF THE INSTITUTE

Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhattathiripad College, a first-grade Government Aided College, is affiliated with the University of Calicut. Established in 1982, the college serves the rural and backward regions of Sreekrishnapuram in the Palakkad district of Kerala. Named after V. T. Bhattathiripad, a pioneer of social revolution in Kerala, the college aims to promote higher education. Managed by the Sree Sankara Trust, a charitable organization committed to the principles of Adi Sankaracharya, the college upholds the values of the renowned Advaita Vedanta philosopher and theologian of Namboothiri origin.

The college began modestly as a junior college with two Pre-degree Groups. In 1991, it was upgraded to a Degree college with the introduction of a BA in Sanskrit. Further advancements came in 2001 when it was elevated to a First-Grade college with the addition of a M.Sc. in Computer Science. Today, the college offers six Undergraduate Degree courses and three Postgraduate Degree courses.

In recognition of its quality and standards, the college is included under sections 12(B) and 2(f) of the UGC Act 1956, as per the letter No: F8-91/99(CP-P-1) dated 20-03-2000 from the Secretary of the UGC. The college was re-accredited with a B+ grade by NAAC in 2016.

The college's mission is to provide higher education opportunities to students in rural areas, fostering academic excellence and social responsibility. Through its dedication to these ideals, Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhattathiripad College continues to contribute significantly to the educational and social landscape of Kerala.



## MOTTO

The Upanishad Mantra “तमसो मा ज्योतिर्गमय” (Tamaso mā jyotirgamaya - Lead me from the darkness of ignorance to the Light of knowledge) is the motto of our college.

## VISION

“Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhattathiripad College aspires to be a leading institution of higher learning, recognized for academic excellence, innovative research with a commitment to positive societal impact and empowering students to thrive in a dynamic global environment.”

## MISSION

- To propagate holistic education rooted in Indian culture and heritage, aiming to develop ethically grounded individuals who contribute positively to society.
- To address the diverse educational needs of students from all societal backgrounds, with a special focus on empowering underprivileged and marginalized communities, developing equality and inclusivity in education.
- To update society with modern technological innovations and provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to meet the developmental needs of society.
- To instil a deep sense of responsibility towards environmental conservation and sustainable practices, ensuring a healthy and viable ecosystem for future generations.
- To promote community engagement and social welfare activities to address societal challenges and improve the quality of life for all.



**GOVERNING BODY OF THE INSTITUTE**

<b>Chairman</b>	Sri. N. Vijayan Namboothiri
<b>Vice Chairman</b>	Sri. Jayasree K.
<b>Secretary</b>	Sri. Brigesh Pattassery
<b>Joint Secretary</b>	Sri. Kunnam Vijayan
<b>Treasurer</b>	Sri. Sujil Thattayam
<b>Zonal Chairman (North Zone)</b>	Sri. T. M. Vasudevan
<b>Zonal Secretary (North Zone)</b>	Prof. M. K. Narayanan Namboothiri



**PRINCIPAL'S DESK**

As we embark on another academic year at Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College, I am delighted to share our unwavering commitment to our mission of providing holistic education rooted in Indian culture and heritage. Our goal is to nurture ethically grounded individuals who contribute positively to society. Our commitment to equality and inclusivity ensures that every student has access to quality education and opportunities for growth. The College is committed to providing students with the knowledge and skills necessary to meet the developmental needs of society. We believe in fostering a deep sense of responsibility towards our planet and promoting sustainable practices. By integrating environmental education into our curriculum and implementing eco-friendly initiatives, we aim to create a healthier and more sustainable future for all. We encourage our students to actively participate in community engagement and social welfare activities to create a positive impact on our community and beyond.

I extend my best wishes as we embark on this new academic journey. Let us work together to achieve our goals and make Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College a beacon of excellence in education.

Sincerely,

**Dr. Saritha Namboodiri**



## IQAC COORDINATOR DESK

As the IQAC Coordinator of Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhattathiripad College, I proudly emphasize our steadfast commitment to enhancing quality. The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) plays a crucial role in establishing a system for conscientious and consistent improvement across all aspects of our college's operations. Our dedication to accountability and transparency ensures that our educational standards meet the highest benchmarks, benefiting our stakeholders - students, parents, teachers, staff, management, funding agencies, and society at large. The IQAC fosters continuous improvement by organizing diverse programs for faculty, administrative staff, and quality circle members. These initiatives are designed to foster professional development and cultivate excellence. Open forums facilitate dialogue between students and staff, creating a feedback loop that enhances the educational experience. Staff assessments conducted by the IQAC provide valuable feedback to enhance the quality of teaching, learning, and research. This process identifies strengths and areas for growth, guiding our strategies for improvement effectively. Additionally, the IQAC meticulously documents and reports college activities to meet higher education standards, ensuring compliance and showcasing our commitment to ongoing enhancement. We diligently monitor infrastructural resources to maintain adequate facilities that support a conducive environment for education, research, and learning.

Through these initiatives, the IQAC remains integral to Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhattathiripad College, honoring our founder's vision by nurturing an inclusive, innovative, and excellent educational environment.

With Best Wishes

Dr. Sandeep Narayan





## CURRENT STATUS

### **Programmes Offered**

The college offers 6 Under Graduate and 3 Post Graduate programmes as on date. Additionally, Diploma, Certificate, Value - added, Add - On, and Competitive Training programmes are also offered.

### **UG Programme(s)**

- B. A. Sanskrit Sahitya
- B. A. History
- B. A. Economics with Foreign Trade
- B. Sc. Mathematics
- B. Com. Finance
- B. B. A. Finance

### **PG Programme(s)**

- M.Sc. Computer Science
- M. Com (Finance)
- M.Sc. Mathematics with Data Science

### **Diploma (KELTRON) Course(s)**

- Computer Application (DCA)

### **Course(s)**

- Certificate Course in Corporate Social Responsibility
- Certificate Course in Business Analytics
- Certificate Course in Office Automation Tools
- Certificate Course in Statistical Package for Social Science Research
- Certificate Course in Numismatic Treasures in History

• Certificate Course in Epigraphy



- Certificate Course in Health Economics
- Certificate Course in Digital Economy
- Certificate Course in Gender Analysis in Economics
- Certificate Course in AI and Data Science
- Certificate Course in R Programming
- Certificate Course in Indian Astronomy and Kerala Tradition
- Value Added Course in Entrepreneurial Finance
- Value Added Course in M. S. Excel
- Value Added Course in Physical Fitness
- Add on Course in Machine Learning
- Add on Course in Travel Guiding and Tour Packaging

### **Competitive Training Programmes**

- Coaching class for UGC / CSIR Examination for JRF / Lectureship

### **Scholarships Offered by the Institution**

- V T Endowment
- C. G. Panickar Memorial Endowment
- V. T. Umadevi Endowment
- Prof. A. T Sudha Endowment
- Prof M. N Geetha Endowment
- Kaladi Parameswaran Namboothiri Endowment
- Prof. M. Krishnan Endowment
- Madam Krishnan Namboothiri Endowment
- Alumni Department of Mathematics Scholarship
- Department of Computer Science Scholarship
- VTB Alumni Scholarship for Backward Students
- Management Scholarship for Meritorious Students
- PTA Scholarship for sports students



### **Infrastructural Facilities**

- Smart TV along with Wi-Fi facility and LCD Projectors in class rooms
- Seminar hall having seating capacity of 120 numbers
- Three computer labs, two in Block A with 60 and 20 computers respectively and another in B block with 40 computers
- Auditorium with seating capacity of 500 numbers
- Open air auditorium with seating capacity of 500 numbers
- Air-conditioned Board Room having seating capacity of 15 with 75-inch interactive panel, computer, colour printer, Internet with static domain id, Wi-Fi, attached coffee corner and Wash area.
- LED display boards in each block
- Enhanced security through CCTV surveillance
- Media Room having high specification computer with high-end Audio-Visual recording facilities
- Power generator installed in campus for uninterrupted power supply.

### **Library**

- Automated Library having KOHA Integrated Library Management software version 20.05
- Comprehensive collection, currently comprising 16,313 books, 36 subject-specific journals, 15 magazines, 6000 e-journals and 799500+ e-books subscriptions to 5 national newspapers
- UGC- INFLIBNET, NLIST: Remote access through individual login ID and password to all staff members, PG students and research scholars; common login ID and password to all UG students
- Web OPAC: Digital library facilities ensuring access to a number of online resources including e-books, journals, theses, OERs, magazines, previous year



question paper repository, etc. Open Educational Resources: DOAJ, DOAB, Shodhganga, Google scholar, N-LIST, DELNET, NDLI, NPTEL

- Automated book issue and return
  - Barcode Enabled Gate Register: Barcode technology is used to record the log in and log out details of the users
  - WEB-OPAC: The Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC), accessible via the college website, enables remote browsing of bibliographic details for all library documents
  - Library Orientation Programme: The library also conducts orientation programs for all first-year undergraduate and postgraduate students, ensuring they maximize the library's resources effectively
  - Network Resource Center: Network Resource Centre equipped with seven computers offering high-speed internet access at 100 Mbps
  - Independent internet connection with a bandwidth of 100 Mbps
  - Archives of previous question papers and journals, accessible through the college website
  - Reference books section
  - Periodical Section contains 36 subject specific journals and 15 magazines.
  - Career Corner stocked with resources for competitive exams across various disciplines
  - Separate display cabins for New Arrivals, Journals, Magazines and Newspapers
  - Reprographic Facility
  - 100 educational CD / DVD library as digital educational resources
  - Internships: For Library science students



### Centres

- V. T. Pathanakēndram
- Vaikhari Centre for Research in Kerala Heritage

### ERP Solutions

- EMBSE AMS (Academic Management System/Learning Management System) and Google Class rooms through G Suit Accounts
- EMBASE ERP Solution facility for administration, Complaint Management, Finance and Accounts, Admission, Student Support, Outcome Based Education and Conduct of Examination

### Tie-Up and Collaboration

- College has tie-up with Additional Skill Acquisition Programme (ASAP) Higher Education Department, Government of Kerala for imparting skill development.
- College has tie-up with KELTRON, Government of Kerala for job - oriented courses.

### Alumni Association

The alumni network of Sreekrishpuram V T Bhattathiripad College is diverse and influential, encompassing individuals from various sectors including government, non-government organizations, and multinational companies. Some alumni hold positions in legislative bodies and local self-government bodies like panchayats and blocks. They play a pivotal role in the college's development by supporting students financially, facilitating placements in reputed firms, and enhancing infrastructure. Each department has its own alumni association, coordinated under a central alumni association, which monitors and approves activities. Alumni activities include providing financial aid to economically disadvantaged students, rewarding academic excellence, conducting classes as resource persons, funding seminars and workshops, and offering career guidance. They also assist with placements and



provide coaching for competitive exams like NET/UPSC. Sports alumni contribute by training students in sports skills. Future plans include expanding activities beyond Palakkad.

### **Parent Teacher Association**

The Parent-Teacher Association (P. T. A.) is dedicated to cultivating a harmonious relationship and fostering active engagement among teachers, students, and their families. During this period, the PTA orchestrated various initiatives to enrich the school community. They organized significant events like Merit Day celebrations and a comprehensive 3-day Induction Programme, aimed at welcoming and integrating new students. These events not only celebrated academic achievements but also promoted a sense of belonging and camaraderie within the school. Additionally, the PTA played a pivotal role in facilitating the construction of an Open-Air Auditorium, providing a venue for cultural and educational activities that enhance the overall learning experience.

### **Executive Committee**

- Dr. Saritha Namboodiri [President (Principal)]
- Sri. Devadasan [Vice-President (Parent)]
- Sri. Haridas P. [Secretary (Parent)]
- Smt. Bhuvanaswery [Joint Secretary (Parent)]
- Sri. Kamal Raj Mohan [Treasurer (Teacher)]
- Smt. Sathyavathi [Member (Teacher)]
- Smt. Sathyabhama N. [Member (Teacher)]
- Dr. G. S. Aravind [Member (Teacher)]
- Sri. Krishnakumar [Member, (Parent)]
- Sri. Seema T. K. [Member, (Parent)]
- Sri. Prasad K. K. [Member, (Parent)]



STUDENT DETAILS

ENROLMENT PERCENTAGE

The total number of seats sanctioned and filled during the period 2023-2024

Academic Year	Number of Seats Sanctioned	Number of Seats Filled	Percentage of Enrolment
2023-2024	425	373	87.76%

STUDENTS ADMITTED

Programme Name	SC/ST/OEC		Open		Community	
	Sanctioned	Filled	Sanctioned	Filled	Sanctioned	Filled
BA Economics with Foreign Trade	12	12	31	31	6	4
BA Sanskrit Sahitya	7	4	17	13	4	2
BA History	12	12	31	31	6	5
B.Com.	12	12	32	32	6	6
BBA	12	11	28	28	6	6
B.Sc. Mathematics	7	5	17	17	3	2
M.Com.	5	5	13	13	3	3
M.Sc. Computer Science	3	3	6	6	1	1
M.Sc. Mathematics	4	4	10	10	2	2

Programme Name	Management		Sports		PH	
	Sanctioned	Filled	Sanctioned	Filled	Sanctioned	Filled
BA Economics with Foreign Trade	12	12	5	2	3	2
BA Sanskrit Sahitya	7	6	5	2	2	0
BA History	12	12	5	2	3	2
B.Com.	13	13	3	3	3	3
BBA	12	12	3	3	3	3
B.Sc. Mathematics	7	1	3	3	2	1
M.Com.	5	5	1	1	1	0
M.Sc. Computer Science	2	2	1	0	1	0
M.Sc. Mathematics	4	3	1	0	1	0



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Programme Name	Lakshadweep	
	Sanctioned	Filled
BA Economics with Foreign Trade	1	0
BA Sanskrit Sahitya	1	0
BA History	1	0
B.Com.	1	0
BBA	1	0
B.Sc. Mathematics	1	0
M.Com.	1	0
M.Sc. Computer Science	1	0
M.Sc. Mathematics	1	0

## WINNERS 2023 - 2024

Sl. No:	Name of the Achiever	Description
1	ANITH M.	Won the Kerala State Award and University of Calicut Award for the best NSS Volunteer for the year 2021-2022.
2	VAISHNAJA M. U.	Won University Award for the best NSS Volunteer from the University of Calicut for the year 2021- 2022
3	Ms. NANDANA P. K.	Secured 3 <sup>rd</sup> Position in the B A Economics with Foreign Trade - Calicut University Examinations 2022- 2023.
4	Ms. AKSHARA P. A.	Secured 4 <sup>th</sup> Position in the B A Economics with Foreign Trade - Calicut University Examinations 2022- 2023.
5	Ms. MEGHA V. M.	Secured 5 <sup>th</sup> Position in the B A Economics with Foreign Trade - Calicut University Examinations 2022- 2023
6	Ms. NANDANA T.	Secured 6 <sup>th</sup> Position in the B A Sanskrit- Calicut University Examinations 2022-2023
7	Ms. AMBILI K.	Secured 7 <sup>th</sup> Position in the B A Economics with Foreign Trade - Calicut University Examinations 2022- 2023
8	Ms. ARCHANA T.	Secured 9 <sup>th</sup> Position in the B.Sc. Mathematics - Calicut University Examinations 2022-2023
9	Ms. KEERTHI P. V.	Qualified the UGC - National Eligibility Test and State Eligibility Test in the subject COMMERCE
10	Ms. ARCHANA V. S.	Qualified the UGC - National Eligibility Test in the subject COMPUTER SCIENCE AND APPLICATIONS
11	Ms. ARCHANA V. S.	Secured 3 <sup>rd</sup> Position in M.Sc. Computer Science the Calicut University Examinations 2022-2023
12	Ms. LIJISHA M. J.	Won Senior National Gold Medal and All India Inter-University Silver Medal in Tug of War
13	Mr. MOHAMMED ARSHAD A. K.	Won Senior National Gold Medal in Tug of War





14	Mr. MUHAMMED SADIQ ALI K. P.	Won All India Inter University Gold Medal in Tug of War
15	Mr. RAZAL MEHABOOB K. T.	Won All India Inter University Gold Medal in Tug of War
16	Ms. SANGEETHA T. S.	Won Gold Medal in the Calicut University Athletic Meet (20-kilometre Walk) and being a member of Calicut University Athletic Team
17	Mr. SURJITH C.	Won Silver Medal in the Calicut University Athletic Meet (20- kilometre Walk)
18	Mr. RAYYAN S.	Won Gold Medal in the under 21 Kerala State Karate Championship

## NSS EVENTS

Here are some glimpses of NSS activities conducted outside the Seven Days Special Camp held from 22.12.2023 to 28.12.2023.

### 1. World Environment Day

On June 5, NSS volunteers carried out a rigorous campus cleaning program. They collected plastic, paper, and food waste scattered around the campus, sorting it into separate bags. Additionally, they visited classrooms to educate students on the importance of proper waste disposal methods both within and outside the college. The event saw participation from 80 volunteers and staff members.



### 2. World Water Day

As part of the World Water Day celebration on June 8, the documentary "A Plastic Wave" was screened at the college. The event was attended by both NSS

volunteers and other students, receiving an overwhelming response. Attendees expressed surprise at the extent of the threat posed by human activities to the oceans. A total of 85 participants attended the program.



### 3. Yoga Day Celebration

To celebrate International Yoga Day on June 21, the NSS units organized a special event at Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College. The event aimed to highlight the importance of yoga for maintaining a healthy mind and body. Participants eagerly engaged in various activities, including taking a yoga pledge and participating in a quiz competition. These activities underscored the significance of incorporating yoga into daily routines. The event saw 90 participants.



### 4. National Reading Day

In celebration of National Reading Day on June 23, a meaningful gathering was organized at the college library. The event aimed to honor the importance of



reading and its impact on personal growth and development. Teachers and NSS volunteers shared their insights on how reading has enriched their lives. The event saw the participation of 60 individuals.



### 5. Drama and Interaction with Dayabai

On August 6, NSS volunteers of Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College gathered for a thought-provoking drama screening focused on the life and work of renowned activist and environmentalist Dayabai. The event aimed to enlighten students about Dayabai's remarkable journey, her contributions to society, and the profound impact she has had on many lives. The program was attended by 25 participants.



### 6. Independence Day Celebration

This year, NSS volunteers led the Independence Day celebrations. Lance Naik came to the college to hoist the national flag. He addressed the students,



discussing the significance of the freedom struggle and inspiring a sense of nationalism among the young minds. Following the flag hoisting ceremony, students participated in a campus cleaning drive.



## 7. Onam Kit Distribution

The NSS (National Service Scheme) units of Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College organized a thoughtful initiative on August 30, distributing Onam kits containing essential items to support the less privileged during the festive season. The event successfully benefited 15 needy individuals and families, with 75 volunteers participating in the effort.



## 8. Athapookalam

In celebration of Onam, the ELC (Electoral Literacy Club), in collaboration with the NSS (National Service Scheme) units, organized an Athapookalam preparation





event on August 31 at Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College. The event aimed to popularize the ELC club and raise awareness among students about the importance of voting in elections. The program saw the participation of 80 individuals.



## 9. Survey on Unemployment

Responding to directives from the local Panchayat, NSS volunteers from Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College conducted a thorough survey on September 29 to assess community employability issues. The volunteers meticulously planned and executed the survey, utilizing structured questionnaires and personal interviews. They engaged with individuals from diverse backgrounds, spanning different age groups and educational levels, to gain a comprehensive understanding of the issue. A total of 90 participants contributed to the survey.



## 10. Poster Making Competition

To mark World Mental Health Day on October 10, NSS units organized a poster-making competition at Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College. The event sought to raise awareness about mental health and emphasize its importance in our daily lives. Participants were encouraged to express their creativity while fostering understanding and empathy towards mental health challenges. A total of 60 participants took part in the program, contributing to a meaningful dialogue on mental well-being through artistic expression.



## 11. Debate as Part of NSS Selection

NSS organized an inter-collegiate debate on September 25 as part of the selection process for students interested in joining the National Service Scheme. The debate focused on evaluating participants' communication skills, critical thinking abilities, and perspectives on social issues—essential qualities for effective engagement in NSS activities. A total of 100 students participated, showcasing their readiness to contribute meaningfully to community service and societal development.





## 12. ARUSH Fundraising Programme

On September 25, Daya Charitable Trust, in collaboration with NSS units from Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College, organized a compassionate fundraising event. The initiative aimed to raise funds for Arush, a young individual facing health challenges, to assist with his medical expenses and ease the financial burden on his family. A total of 85 participants attended the program, demonstrating solidarity and support for Arush's welfare.



## 13. Motivation Class by Ganesh Kailas as Part of Mission 100

On September 21, Mr. Ganesh Kailas, a distinguished motivational speaker and life coach, conducted a transformative motivational session. The class aimed to empower individuals to confront and overcome life's adversities, fostering resilience and determination among the participants. A total of 60 students



actively participated in the session, gaining valuable insights and inspiration to navigate challenges with confidence and positivity.



#### 14. Karunya Viplavam Day

On October 1, as part of Karunya Viplavam Day, Daya Charitable Trust partnered with NSS units from Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College to organize a heartfelt fundraising event. The initiative aimed to collect funds for Arush, a young individual facing health challenges, to support his medical expenses and ease the financial burden on his family. A total of 87 participants attended the program, demonstrating solidarity and compassion towards Arush's well-being.



#### 15. Blood Donation Camp

On October 18, the college NSS units, in collaboration with Sreekrishnapuram Family Health Centre and Blood Bank, Mannarkad, organized a successful blood





donation camp. The event yielded 45 units of blood, with 75 participants contributing to this lifesaving initiative.



16. Naalekku Oru Katir' - Inaguration

On October 20, the inauguration of the 'Nalekku Oru Katir' program took place at the college premises, led by Prof. P. Haridas, Head of the Department of Statistics. The program aims to cultivate a passion for agricultural practices among young minds and encourage them to reconnect with agriculture. NSS volunteers actively participated in the event, with a total of 75 participants joining to support this initiative.



### 17. Meri Maati Meri Desh

On October 20, Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College, in collaboration with Ideal Arts and Science College, Cherupullasery, conducted the "Meri Maati Meri Desh" program to honor our brave men and women who sacrificed their lives. The event included a grand rally with over 200 NSS volunteers from both colleges participating actively. A total of 80 participants attended the program.



### 18. Programme on Advantages of Hygiene in Menstrual Cup Usage

On October 25, a talk was organized for NSS volunteers in collaboration with Sreekrishnapuram Family Health Centre. The session focused on educating volunteers about the benefits of using menstrual cups for personal hygiene.



### 19. Kanal Fest

Kanal Fest was conducted in collaboration with Women and Child Development Department, Government of Kerala along with Women Development Cell and IQAC of VTB College on February 26, 2024 to raise awareness regarding women empowerment and gender sensitivity. Lectures, debates and cultural programmes were conducted.





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Women Development Cell  
&  
IQAC**

In association with

**Women And Child  
Development Department  
Palakkad**

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Venue	Auditorium
Date	26-2-2024

- Gender Awareness Program
- Cultural Program
- Self Defence Program
- Debate on the topic **BENEVOLENCE SEXISM**



## 20. Complete Voters Campus Campaign

In February 2024, the NSS units, along with the Electoral Literacy Club and the College Union, collaborated to transform our campus into a complete voter's campus. Together, they organized a voter registration campaign aimed at helping students obtain their voter IDs. Students were notified in advance to bring the required documents for registration. Already registered students manned multiple registration desks, ensuring convenience for all participants. This well-coordinated effort resulted in a highly successful event.

## 21. Sneharamam

On March 12, 2024, as part of the Sneharamam initiative led by the Panchayat, NSS volunteers undertook a cleanup effort at the bus stop waiting shelter and its surroundings. The area had been marred by overgrown thorny plants and littered with beer bottles and other plastic items discarded by anti-social elements. The volunteers diligently cleared the area and installed two metal waste boxes to ensure its cleanliness in the future. A total of 12 volunteers participated in this initiative.



## 22. Palliative Care programme: Helping hand to Appu

Appu, a palliative care patient since a 2020 accident, remains confined to his room, unable to move due to his condition. The intense March heat compounds his discomfort, making his situation nearly intolerable. In a touching display of compassion, 50 NSS volunteers undertook fundraising activities to alleviate his plight. Their joint efforts successfully raised funds to install a false ceiling in Appu's room, aimed at reducing the oppressive heat and improving his comfort. This gesture of kindness brought tangible relief to Appu on March 25, 2024.



## TRAINING PLACEMENT CELL INITIATIVES

### Work Readiness Programme

The **Work Readiness Programme** is a 15 - hour module designed to provide direction to candidates to improve their interview skills and articulate their thoughts confidently in front of an interview panel. The module is inclusive of interview etiquette, resume preparation, presentation skills, group discussions, job-related Q & A, soft skills, etc. The programme was rolled out by the Kerala Knowledge Economy Mission (KKEM), in collaboration with ASAP Kerala. The primary objective of KKEM is to guide the youth of Kerala so that they can directly engage in



opportunities from across the world, creating employment for over 20 lakh people. As a first step, KKEM had conducted a series of physical job fairs. It was found that jobseekers lacked confidence and interview skills while presenting themselves before interview panels, and thus felt the need for proper interview grooming for jobseekers. In this context, KKEM decided to include work readiness programmes as a mandate to assist aspirants. The trainees are required to register at Digital Workforce Management System (DWMS) for considering their candidature for placement drive conducted by KKEM.

### Phase 1


Work Readiness Programme (First Phase 2023 - 2024) was conducted at College Campus for S6 UG students of Business Administration, Economics and Commerce and S4 PG students of Computer Science and Mathematics with Data Science on 11, 12, and 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023 (10.00 am to 3.30 pm). The inauguration of WRP First Phase held at Seminar Hall on 11 December 2023 by Principal Dr. Saritha Namboodiri. IQAC Coordinator Dr. Sandeep Narayan, Training and Placement Coordinator Dr. Vivek S. A., ASAP Coordinator Dr. Remya S., felicitated the occasion.

The Resource Persons for the Programme are:

- Ms.Sneha T. (Master Trainer - ASAP) for S6 BBA
- Mr.Akhilesh A. (Master Trainer - ASAP) for S6 BA Economics
- Ms.Sreedevi M. N. (Master Trainer - ASAP) for S6 B.Com
- Ms.Suthri P for (Master Trainer - ASAP) for S6 S4 M. Sc. Computer Science, and M.Sc. Mathematics with Data Science





  
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**“Work Readiness Programme”**  
**Organized by Training & Placement Cell in**  
**Association with ASAP Club and IQAC**

Resource Persons: Ms. Sneha T, Mr. Akhilesh A, Ms. Sreedevi M N and  
Ms. Sruthi P, Master Trainers, ASAP

Date : 11/12/23 to 13/12/23  
Venue: Seminar Hall





The programme came to an end successfully on 13 December 2023 with a feedback session and experience sharing by the trainees.

## Phase 2

Work Readiness Programme (Second Phase 2023 - 2024) was conducted at College Campus for S6 UG students of History, Sanskrit and Mathematics on 16, 17, and 18<sup>th</sup> January 2024 (10.00 am to 3.30 pm). The inauguration of WRP Second Phase held at Seminar Hall on 16 January 2024 by Principal Dr. Saritha Namboodiri. IQAC Coordinator Dr. Sandeep Narayan, Training and Placement Coordinator Dr. Vivek S. A., ASAP Coordinator Dr. Remya S., felicitated the occasion.

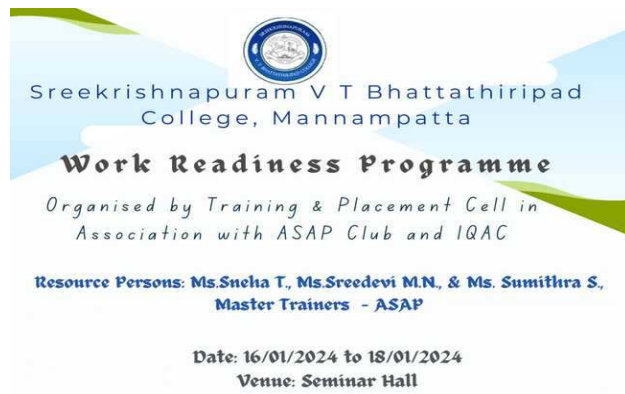
The Resource Persons for the Programme are:

1. Ms.Sneha T. (Master Trainer - ASAP) for S6 B.Sc Mathematics
2. Ms.Sreedevi M. N. (Master Trainer - ASAP) for S6 BA Sanskrit
3. Ms.Sumithra S. for S6 BA History





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The programme concluded successfully on 18 January 2024 with a feedback session and experience sharing by the trainees.

### ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT CLUB

Entrepreneurship development Club set up by the Department of Industries & Commerce, mainly with the objective of promoting entrepreneurial traits among students in schools and colleges. In our college ED Club was started in the year 2010. Since then, club tries to build a culture of self-independence through entrepreneurship. ED Clubs provide a platform for realizing business opportunities by arranging industrial visits, business awareness classes, practical sessions on skill development training, interaction with entrepreneurs etc.



### Activity 1: Seminar on Startups

The inauguration of the programme of the ED club was held on 11.07.2023 at college Seminar Hall. The inaugural function was from 10.30 am to 11.00 am. 112 students, 15 Staff members and one resource person have attended the function. Welcome speech was delivered by club coordinator Dr. Vinitha A. S, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce followed by the presidential address by Dr. Asish, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Saritha Namboothiri, Principal. The inaugural speech enlightened the participants about various aspects of entrepreneurial development. Felicitations were offered by Mrs. Bindu T., HOD, Department of Commerce, and Sri. Devadasan P., PTA Vice President, vote of thanks was presented by E D club student Co ordinator Kumari Anagha.

The first session began at 11.15 am and ended at 12.30 pm. The session was moderated by Dr. Asish, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics. The topic was "Startup". Sri, Sarath R., Industries Extension Officer, Ottappalam has conducted the session. The session was fruitful and the students were given awareness about various aspects of startup and its scope. The students got many of their doubts clarified through discussion with resource person.

The next session was started at 1.30 pm and concluded at 3.30 pm. Students were put their ideas about startup. Some students who have shared their ideas about starting new ventures. Some of them gave an account of the programme being held in the college, praised the entire programme. The session concluded with the vote of thanks by ED Club member Mr. Athul Prakash.





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**E.D Club  
In Association With IQAC  
Organising  
Seminar On**

**Start Up കളും  
വ്യവസായ വകുപ്പിന്റെ  
പദ്ധതികളും സേവനങ്ങളും**



**Resource Person:**  
  
**Mr.Sarath.R**  
Industries Extension Officer,  
Ottapalam.

**Date :11.07.2023  
Time : 10.30am  
Venue : Seminar Hall**

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## Activity 2: Food Fest

The inaugural session of the Food Fest was held from 10 am to 10.45 am at VTB College on 13.07.2023. The food fest was conducted for two days in VTB College, 13.07.2023 and 14.07.2023. Around all staff and students and even outsiders whole heartedly cooperated and attended in this function. The food fest was inaugurated by Principal Dr. Saritha Namboothiri, VT Bhattathiripad College. Kumari Leela V, student coordinator E. D club, 5h semester student has made first sale of the product to Prof P. Haridas, HOD, Department of Mathematics.

Food fest began at 10.50 am. There were different stalls like banana fry, parippuvada, Bagi, uzhunuvada, samosa, kalathappam, unniappam, Tea etc. As a gesture lime juice and tea were served free of cost. Food fest was a great success and enjoyed by all participants, students, teachers, public etc. They had a very good opinion about the foodfest. The active participation of the students in the production of these products have given them an idea on “how to earn while learn “and how to become successful entrepreneurs. This will encourage the students to enter into entrepreneurship venture into future.





### Activity 3: Art & Craft Exhibition

ED club organized an art and craft exhibition (exhibition cum sale) of the items prepared by our students on June 23/08/2023 at our college premises to celebrate world entrepreneurs' day 2023. The exhibition was inaugurated by the honourable Principal Dr. Saritha Namboodiri. Ottappalam MLA Sri Premkumar also visited the exhibition. The event featured a wide variety of handcrafted items such as jewelry, pottery, textiles and more. The exhibition was well attended and received positive feedback from visitors. 15 stalls were arranged. The pieces on display were creative and of high quality. It was a great opportunity to the community to get together and appreciate the stalls. Additionally, the craft exhibition provided an opportunity for the students to learn about different techniques and materials used in crafting. The event also provided a platform for the students to sell their creations and earn money. The exhibition place was decorated beautifully with the displays arranged in a way that made it easy for visitors to navigate and appreciate the pieces on display. Overall, it was a great learning experience for the students.





#### Activity 4: Khadi Products Exhibition

ED Club in association with Khadi Gramodhayog, Kadambazhipuram as a part of Onam celebration, V. T Bhattathiripad college organized Kerala Khadi products exhibition cum sale in college premise on 24/08/2023 9.30 AM onwards. The exhibition was inaugurated by our honourable principal *Dr. Saritha Namboodiri*.





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Khadi is a part of our self-respect and self-reliance. All Khadi products became fashion symbol in today's fashion world. Students and teachers purchased Khadi products from the Khadi stall and received positive feedback from visitors. Hand crafted self-textured designs make it unique. The exhibition was winded up at 4.30pm on 24/08/2023.



### Activity 5: Women Entrepreneurship Day Celebration and Chart Exhibition

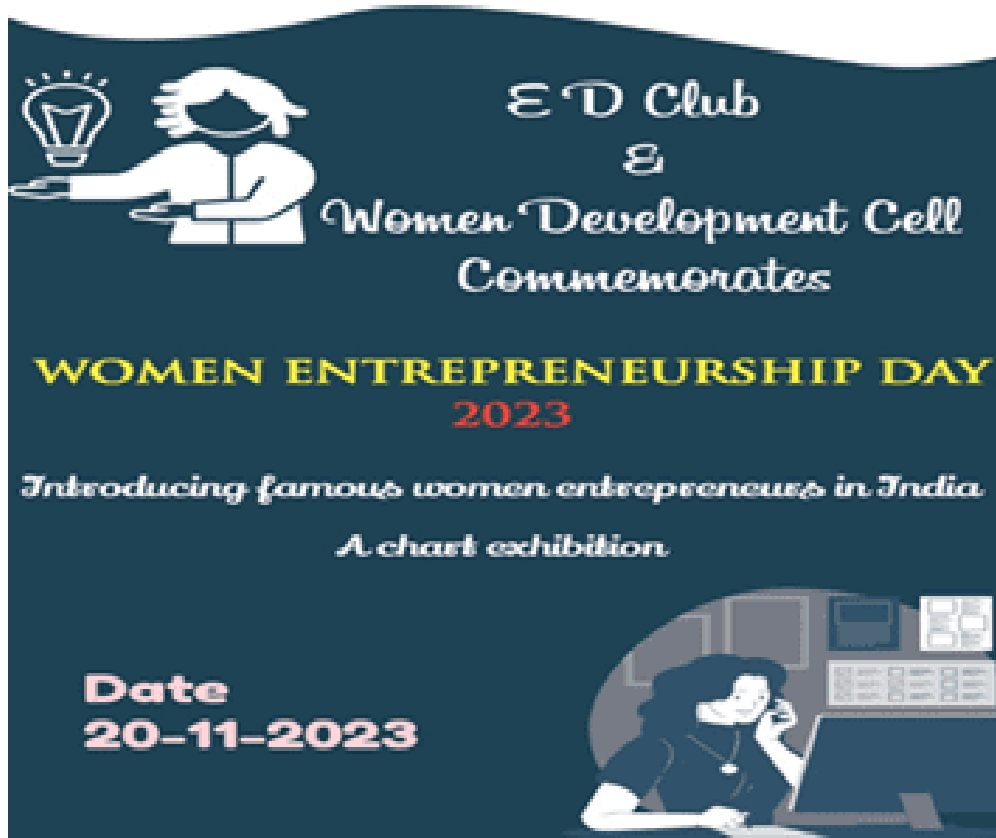
Women Entrepreneurship Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at VTB College on November 20, 2023. The highlight of the celebration was a chart exhibition showcasing the achievements and contributions of women entrepreneurs. The exhibition was inaugurated by the esteemed Principal, Dr. Saritha Namboothiri. In her opening address, Dr. Namboothiri emphasized the importance of recognizing and supporting women entrepreneurs. She highlighted the need for fostering an entrepreneurial spirit among female students and applauded the efforts of those who contributed to the exhibition. The heart of the celebration was the chart exhibition, where students of VTB College showcased the stories and achievements of notable women entrepreneurs from various fields. The charts were meticulously prepared, providing insights into the challenges these women faced and how they overcame them. The exhibition aimed to inspire and motivate the students, encouraging them to consider entrepreneurship as a viable career option. The charts covered a diverse range of industries, including technology, healthcare, fashion, and social entrepreneurship. Each display was accompanied by a brief description, outlining the entrepreneur's journey, key milestones, and impact on their respective industries.

Students of VTB College played a pivotal role in organizing and participating in the exhibition. They demonstrated creativity and dedication in designing and presenting the charts. The event served as a platform for students to learn about successful women entrepreneurs and gain insights into the challenges and opportunities in the entrepreneurial world.





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### Activity 6: Inter-Departmental Business Quiz

The ED Club at V. T. Bhattathiripad College organized an engaging and intellectually stimulating Interdepartmental Business Quiz on November 21, 2023, at the Seminar Hall. The event aimed to foster a spirit of entrepreneurship and business acumen among the students of various departments. The quiz was expertly moderated by Mr. Madhava Sadhasivan, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce. With his vast knowledge and experience, Mr. Madhava Sadhasivan ensured that the questions were insightful and challenged the participants' understanding of business concepts. Dr. Asish, the convener of the E D Club, delivered a warm welcome address, expressing gratitude to the participants and highlighting the significance of fostering entrepreneurial skills. He emphasized the importance of such events in shaping well-rounded individuals with a strong understanding of business principles. The event saw enthusiastic participation from students across various departments in the college. Teams were formed, bringing together students with diverse world scenarios of the business landscape.

The quiz consisted of multiple rounds, covering a wide array of topics such as business history, current affairs, case studies, and entrepreneurial success stories. Each round was meticulously crafted to challenge the participants' analytical thinking, problem-solving skills, and knowledge of the business world. The Seminar Hall provided an ideal setting for the event, offering a comfortable and focused environment for both participants and the audience. The audio-visual facilities were utilized to enhance the quiz experience, making it an engaging and dynamic competition. At the end of the competition, the winning teams were recognized and rewarded for their exceptional performance. The prizes, were distributed by the moderator and the convener of the ED Club, adding a sense of achievement to the

event.





## WOMEN'S DEVELOPMENT CELL

Women's Development Cell (WDC) a statutory cell aims at empowering and orienting women to recognize their true potential and to help them attain their own stand in a competing world. Its goal is the overall development in all spheres of their life. The targeted group includes all UG, PG students, women from nearby community and primary and secondary level students of nearby schools. The main objective of WDC was to look into the grievances of teaching staff, non-teaching staff and students, especially in cases of gender discrimination and also empower them in



all aspects.

### Activity 1: Mehandi Fest

Women Development Cell and IQAC of V T Bhattathiripad College Mannampatta organized a Mehandi fest as a part of cultural program celebrated in our college on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023. College Principal Dr. Saritha Namboodiri inaugurated the fest. Dozens of students took part in the henna design competition. The results are announced at last. The first prize goes to Riswana and Rashida, second prize given to Malu and Dinsha and third prize given to Jumana and Aiswarya. The prize will be distributed to the students.







## Activity 2: Awareness Program

On 27/07/2023 an awareness class given to all members in Women Development Cell (WDC) regarding the objectives of the cell. The program also discuss topic related to various issues faced by members of Women Development Cell. The programme helped to create awareness among students on the issues relating to hygiene, gender inequality, sexual harassment etc. and suggested ways to empower girls. Students were also informed about the coordinators and members in the WDC. The student coordinators are also selected during the program. They are: Nandana, Sruthi, Gopika, Theertha, Varada, Vishnupriya & Maneesha whom they could approach for guidance. In the interactive session, students openly discussed their problems.







### Activity 3: Women Empowerment Program

Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College Women Development Cell and Hand In Hand India, an NGO jointly organize a seminar on the topic “Women Empowerment” on 16/08/2023 (wednesday). The program started with presidential address Dr. Vijayasree, Dr. Geetha gave welcome speech. Mr. Varun. T. P., Sreekrishnapuram block co-ordinator Hand In Hand India, delivered a speech on the topic Women Empowerment. He throws light on the importance of personality development too. After that an interactive session also held with students. The programme ended with the vote of thanks by Gopika.



### Activity 4: Self Defense Program

Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College Women Development Cell, IQAC, Janamaithri Police Palakkad and Kerala Police Self Defense Team conducted a Self Defence Programme on 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023 at 10 am in the seminar hall. The programme was started with the prayer by vaishnaja (student). The session started with the welcome speech by Divya C (Coordinator, women development cell). Presidential address was done by Dr. Saritha Namboothiri (Principal, Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College). The session was inaugurated by R Manoj Kumar (Narcotic Cell DYSP Palakkad). The session was handled by ASI sarala, Ushas R., Civil Police Officer, and Bindu K. K. Civil Police Officer. 126 students participated in the program. Sri. Bineesh K. M. (Inspector, Sreekrishnapuram Police Station), Dr. Sandeep Narayanan (IQAC Coordinator), Prof. P Haridas (Head, Department of Statistics) and Devadasan P (PTA Vice President) gave felicitations. The session was ended with vote of thanks by Athmaja Anand (S1 BBA Student).





## EVENTS AT DEPARTMENT LEVEL

### World Environment Day

On 5th June 2023, as a part of World Environment Day, students and teachers of Department of Economics with Foreign Trade, visited an organic farm of Swapna James (Innovative Farmer Awardee of ICAR) at Kulakattukurissi, Palakkad district. There is no space on Swapna James' 15 acre farm that has been left unattended. She has judiciously and smartly used every inch of the field to implement a farming technique called intercropping. She has also integrated fish pond and animal husbandry as additional income sources. Swapna has planted coconut, nutmeg and turmeric together. Nutmeg and turmeric are shade loving trees that can thrive in between the coconut trees. Similarly, rubber is intercropped with cocoa, coffee,





vegetables and bananas. The visit enriched the students on the scope of intercrop farming method.



### Skill Trainings

ICDC and Department of Economics conducted one day cake making training at Kadambazhipuram on 13<sup>th</sup> October 2023, 10.00 am to 4.00 pm. Sreekrishnapuram Block Financial Literacy Councilor Mr. Udayakumar inaugurated the programme. ICDC Vice Chairman & SOFPCO Director Mr. K. K Gangadharan, SOFPCO Vice-Chairman Mr. E. K. Ajithprasad, ICDC Director Mr. T. Ramakrishnan, SOFPCO Executive Director Usha Narayanan, ICDC CEO Ms. Deepa V. R, SOFPCO CEO Ms. Ambika P., and Economics Department Faculty Ms. Sathyavathi facilitated the session. Mrs. Archana, Skill Trainer leads the class. Twenty-Eight students participated in the cake making training.





## Food Fest

Department of Economics with Foreign Trade conducted Food Fest “ YUMMY TUMMY ” on 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023, 10.00 am to 3.00 pm. The programme was inaugurated by Sri. P. Haridas (Associate Professor, Department of Statistics). The stalls were filled with a variety of homemade food items. Profit generated through sales was used for CSR activities by the Department.



## World Consumer Rights Day

Department of Economics with Foreign Trade observed World consumer rights day on March 15<sup>th</sup> 2024. It is observed on 15<sup>th</sup> March every year creating global awareness about consumer rights and needs. Students in economics department

propagate the idea of World consumer rights day among the students and faculties in our college.



### Charity Programme

As a part of the extension activity, the Department of Economics with Foreign Trade decided to give adult Walker to a palliative care unit. Department of Economics has decided to provide an adult walker to Kaniv Palliative Care Unit. This walker is funded by the profits earned from the food fest which was conducted on October 2023 .Kaniv Palliative Care Unit officials reached the college and received the adult walker.





## Workshop

Workshop on Research Methodology by Department of Management was conducted at College Seminar Hall on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2024 (10.00 am to 3.00 pm) exclusively for S6 and S4 BBA Students. The total number of trainees attended the Workshop was 85 numbers. The Resource Person for the Programme was **Mr. Pramod P., Assistant Professor, Department of Management Studies, Easa College of Engineering and Technology, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu.** The Programme got initiated by a Welcome Speech by Dr. Remya S., Assistant Professor, Department of Management Studies, and inaugurated by Principal Dr. Saritha Namboodiri. IQAC Coordinator Dr. Sandeep Narayan, felicitated the occasion, Programme Coordinator and Assistant Professor & Head (i/c), Department of Management Dr. Vivek S.A., presented Vote of Thanks. The participants' feedback on the Workshop indicated the success of the Programme.



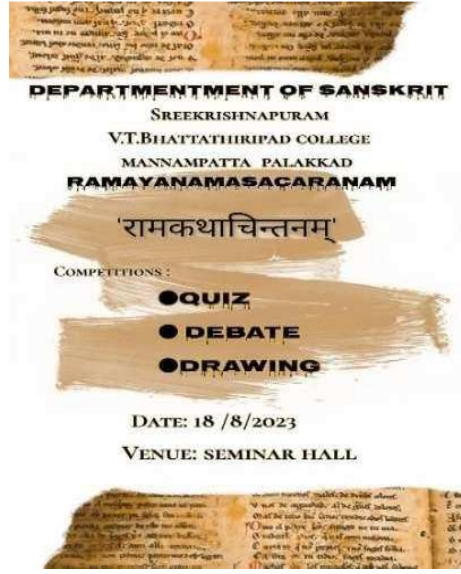
## Ramayana Masam

Department of Sanskrit Sreekrishnapuram V T Bhattathiripad College celebrated Ramayanamasa with various academic activities. The department organized an outreach programme named 'Sanjivani', introducing medicinal plants in accordance with Karkkidakamasa on 08/08/2023. It was a teamwork of the students and



teachers of the department. The students were instructed by Dr. Parvathy K.P. HoD, Sanskrit. Dr. Sruthi P. A. Assistant Professor coordinated the programme. The final-year students initiated the programme very well. Some of them prepared a paper with PPT and presented to Vellinezhi Higher Secondary School for Sanskrit students of the school. Students passionately attended the class.

As well as the Department conducted a competition named 'Ramakathacintanam' on Quiz, Debate and Drawing for the students of the college on 18/08/2023. Sreeshma K.P., Assistant Professor on contract, be in charge of the program. Students from various departments participated. Dr. Sruthi P. A., Assistant Professor welcomed the students. First and second places have been selected by the department. Rekha P. H., Assistant Professor on contract delivered Vote of thanks.





### Diploma in Computer Applications (DCA) Course

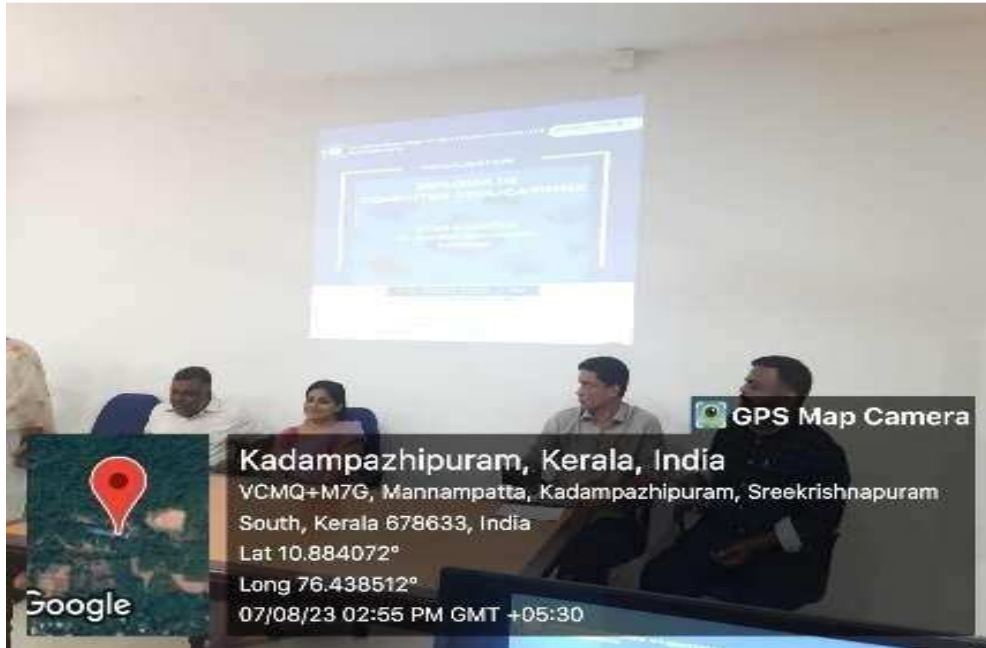
Diploma in Computer Applications (DCA) course of KELTRON inaugurated on August 7, 2023. Department of Computer Science conducted the course and Department of Management administers the program. This event marks the beginning of an enriching journey for participants eager to acquire essential skills in computer applications.

DCA course is designed to provide comprehensive training in various aspects of computer applications. Participants will learn fundamental concepts of computer software, programming languages, database management, and office automation tools. The course curriculum is structured to equip learners with practical skills necessary for career advancement in the IT industry. The highlights of the function include:

- **Inaugural Address:** The inauguration ceremony will commence with an inaugural address by Principal Dr. Saritha Namboothiri, highlighting the importance of computer literacy and the scope of opportunities in the IT sector.

- **Course Structure:** Participants will receive an overview of the DCA course structure, including modules, assessments, and practical sessions. Faculty members will outline the learning objectives and career prospects associated with completing the program.
- **Interactive Session:** An interactive session will allow prospective students to interact with faculty members and industry experts, gaining insights into the course curriculum and career pathways in computer applications.
- **Registration Information:** Interested individuals can register for the DCA course during the inauguration event. Limited seats are available, so early registration is encouraged.







Thirteen Undergraduate Students registered for the DCA course and successfully completed the same.

### **Computer Literacy Day Celebration**

The Department of Computer Science is delighted to announce its celebration of Computer Literacy Day on December 2, 2023. This event aims to highlight the importance of digital literacy in today's interconnected world. Through a series of engaging activities and informative sessions, participants will have the opportunity to enhance their understanding of various aspects of computer literacy. The event highlights are:

1. **Workshops and Demos:** Interactive workshops will cover essential digital skills such as basic programming concepts, internet safety, and using productivity software effectively. Live demonstrations will showcase emerging technologies and their practical applications.
2. **Guest Speakers:** Renowned experts from academia and industry will share insights on the significance of computer literacy in modern society, emphasizing its role in education, business, and everyday life.
3. **Hands-on Sessions:** Participants will engage in hands-on sessions where they can explore cutting-edge software tools, programming languages, and digital resources under the guidance of experienced faculty members.
4. **Panel Discussions:** Thought-provoking panel discussions will address current trends and challenges in digital literacy, fostering a deeper understanding of how technological advancements influence global communities.
5. **Networking Opportunities:** Attendees will have the chance to network with peers, faculty members, and industry professionals, creating connections that can support their ongoing learning and career development.



### Certificate Course on Machine Learning

The Department of Computer Science is pleased to announce a comprehensive certificate course on machine learning on December 4, 2023, designed to equip participants with essential skills and knowledge in this rapidly growing field. Machine learning has revolutionized industries by enabling computers to learn from data and make decisions or predictions based on that learning. The course will be delivered through a series of lectures, practical sessions, and projects. Topics covered will include:

- Introduction to machine learning and its applications
- Supervised learning (classification and regression)
- Unsupervised learning (clustering and dimensionality reduction)
- Evaluation metrics and model selection
- Hands-on exercises using popular machine learning libraries and tools

Participants who successfully complete the course requirements, including assignments and a final project, will receive a certificate of completion from the Department of Computer Science.

### SOFTWAVE 2023

Students of M.Sc. Computer Science, Department of Computer Science, Sreekrishnapuram VT Bhattathiripad College have developed games and apps for differently abled students as part of their final year Project work in association with ZENDALONA, an organization providing accessibility solutions for the differently abled people. Projects were developed with aim of promoting and inculcating FOSS culture among students. These games are primarily audio-based, that enhance the mathematical and cognitive skills of visually challenged students.



### Projects:

- Online Braille Translator Developed by Jithesh M.
- Braille Translator GUI Developed by Greeshna P.
- Maths Tutor Developed by Roopasree A.P.
- Accessible Bluff Developed by Aswathi P.
- Accessible Snakes and Ladders Developed by Archana V. S.

### National Workshop

#### Machine Learning Algorithms: Real-world Applications and Research Trends

The Department of Computer Science successfully conducted a National Workshop on Machine Learning Algorithms from March 11 to 13, 2024. This workshop served as a platform for participants to delve into advanced machine learning techniques and explore their practical applications across diverse domains.

#### Workshop Highlights:

**Expert Sessions:** Renowned researchers and industry leaders delivered insightful keynote speeches and specialized sessions on cutting-edge machine learning algorithms. Topics covered included deep learning, reinforcement learning, natural language processing, and more.

**Hands-on Workshops:** Participants engaged in practical, hands-on workshops where they applied machine learning algorithms to real-world datasets. These sessions focused on implementation strategies, model evaluation, and optimization techniques.



**Faculty Development Programme:**

IQAC, Sreekrishnapuram V.T. Bhattathiripad College Organized a One Week Online FEP on MOOC & E-Content Development, by from 16-20-10-2023, 25-10-2023 & 18-01-2024.

**Panel Discussions:** Interactive panel discussions provided a forum to discuss emerging research trends and address challenges in the field of machine learning. Topics such as AI ethics, interpretability, and scalability were thoroughly explored.

**Research Presentations:** Attendees had the opportunity to present their research findings and innovative solutions in machine learning algorithms. This segment facilitated knowledge sharing and collaboration among participants.

**Networking Opportunities:** The workshop facilitated networking among participants, enabling connections with peers, mentors, and potential collaborators in the machine learning community.

The workshop attracted researchers, academicians, graduate students, and professionals from diverse backgrounds interested in advancing their knowledge of machine learning algorithms and exploring new research avenues. Participants gained valuable insights into advanced machine learning techniques, practical implementation strategies, and current research trends. The workshop fostered collaboration and knowledge exchange, contributing to the development of innovative solutions in AI and machine learning.



## FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS

Faculty achievements for 2023 - 2024 at Sreekrishnapuram V. T. Bhattathiripad College are as follows:

1. Prof. P. Haridas appointed as Convener - Sub-Committee (Modification of Workload Rules) constituted by University of Calicut for Calicut University Four Year Under Graduate Programme (CUFYUGP) (Order Number 141427/GA-IV-J2-2023/Admin dated 07/11/2023).
2. Rathi K. N. Published an article entitled "Socially Responsible Investment (SRI) In Relation To Personality Traits" in International Journal of Professional Business Review", (SCOPUS), 8(5), 01-12.
3. Dr. Vivek S. A published an article titled "Relationship between Digitalization Technologies and Human Resource Management Practices in Information Technology Industry" in the Madhya Pradesh Journal of Social Sciences (UGC - Care Listed), 28, 42-50, 2023.
4. Dr. Vivek S. A published an article titled "Promoting Sustainable Tourism in Kerala through Social Media: A Review in the Journal of the Asiatic Society of Mumbai (UGC - Care Listed), 97, 10-18, 2023.
5. Dr. Vivek S. A was the Resource Person for the three-day international conference on Advances in AI for a Sustainable Future on 2023 October 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>, organized by PG Department of Commerce, Finance and Taxation Wing in Association with IQAC Yuvakshetra Institute of Management Studies, Palakkad, Kerala.
6. Rathi K N Published an article entitled "Influence of Personality Traits and Behavioral Biases on Irrational Investment Decision Making of Public Officials" in Review of Finance and Banking (UGC Care list), 49-63.



### FACULTY PARTICIPATION IN ORIENTATION/ REFRESHER/FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES/ SHORT TERM COURSES /ONLINE FDP

Sl. No:	Name of the Participant	Designation	Title of the FDP /MDP/ professional development / administrative training program
1	Divya C	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Faculty Induction Programme (Guru Dakshata) Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut
2	Dr Remya	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Faculty Induction Programme (Guru Dakshata) Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut
3	Sinu M.	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Development Studies Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut
4	Arathi R	Teaching Staff	Five day Faculty Enrichment Programme : Empowering Educators :Integrating all tools into Modern Teaching Practices Organised by Bishop Kurialacherry College for Women Amalagiri,Kottayam
5	Jasmin P	Teaching Staff	Five day Faculty Enrichment Programme : Empowering Educators :Integrating all tools into Modern Teaching Practices Organised by Bishop Kurialacherry College for Women Amalagiri,Kottayam
6	Manju P	Teaching Staff	Five day Faculty Enrichment Programme : Empowering Educators :Integrating all tools into Modern Teaching Practices Organised by Bishop Kurialacherry College for Women Amalagiri,Kottayam
7	Priya M	Teaching Staff	Five day Faculty Enrichment Programme : Empowering Educators :Integrating all tools into Modern Teaching Practices Organised by Bishop Kurialacherry College for Women Amalagiri,Kottayam
8	Dr. Parvathy KP	Teaching Staff	7 Day National level Online Faculty Development Program on Outcome Based Education and Essential AI Tools for Teachers, organised by The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and The Department of Computer Science, St. Albert's College (Autonomous), Ernakulam, in association with The Kerala State Higher Education Council (KSHEC)
9	Sathyabhama N.	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Special Summer School Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut
10	Dr. Sandeep Narayan K.R.	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Human Rights Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut



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11	Mini K	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Malayalam Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut
12	Aravind G.S.	Teaching Staff	Online two-week Interdisciplinary Refresher Course/Faculty Development Programme: "Advanced Research Methodology
13	Kamal Raj Mohan	Teaching Staff	UGC Sponsored Refresher Course in Development Studies Organised by UGC HRDC University of Calicut
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