

Chellammal Women's College Of The Pachaiyappa's Trust
Guindy, Chennai -32

Annual Report For The Academic Year 2021-22

“ The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character — that is the goal of true education.”

- [Martin Luther King, Jr.](#)

A very warm greeting to the faculty members, students, and to everyone reading the 51st Annual report for the academic year 2021-22. As the old proverb goes “necessity is the mother of invention “,we have taken initiative to document the activities and events of the college during the academic year and present it to you in digital form.

In this report, I would like to present a brief summary of our achievements on the academic, co- curricular and extra –curricular front for the year 2021-22. As I look back, this academic year has brought many accomplishments and also made us see gaps in some areas where there is a definite scope for improvement. The college, besides academics, lays great emphasis on co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Our students have performed very well over the years and this year is no exception. My heartiest congratulations to all the winners of academics, sports, co-curricular and extra-curricular events of the current academic session.

The list of the courses offered are given below.

Aided Stream – Undergraduate Programme (Shift –I)

Arts

- B.A. Tamil literature
- B.A. English literature
- B.A. Economics

Science

- B.Sc. Advanced Zoology and Biotechnology
- B.Sc. Chemistry

Commerce

- B.Com

Aided Stream – Postgraduate Programme

- M.A. Tamil Literature

Aided Stream – Research Programme – M.Phil. &Ph.D.

- M.Phil. Tamil literature (Full Time)
- Ph.D. in Tamil Language (Full time)

Self – supporting Stream – Undergraduate programme

Commerce

- B.Com. General
- B.Com. Corporate Secretaryship
- B.Com. Accounts and Finance
- B.B.A

Science

- B.Sc. Mathematics
- B.Sc. Computer Science
- B.Sc. Physics

Self – supporting Stream – Postgraduate programme

Arts

- M.A. English

Commerce

- M.Com

The college serves a total of 1365 students in Aided stream and 1674 students in self-supporting stream . Consistent with our mission, we define student success not just by typical metrics like retention and graduation rates, but also by the community that we create for our students in the College and their readiness to make an impact in their future careers.

College has a band of dedicated teachers who have been toiling hard for the academic growth of students and their all-round development. The students have been guided properly and counseled regularly by the teachers. As a result, our students learn to lead a successful life and to face the challenges of their life.

There are 39 teachers at present serving in various Departments of the Under Graduate and Post Graduate Sections in Aided Stream and 71 teachers are serving in Self Supporting stream.

Our college office has 16 non – teaching staffs in the aided stream (shift – I) and 21 non- teaching staffs in self-supporting stream (shift II) , who render their constant support in administrative duties.

Achievements by the Faculty

Three of our teaching faculty from the aided stream , after having successfully defending their thesis, received the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Degree in the year 2021-22. We have Dr. Tmt. K. Anbarasi, Assistant Professor Department of Mathematics, Dr. Ms.K. Buvaneshwari, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil and Dr. Tmt. S.Yogeshwari, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil.

Dr.Mrs.M.Ramadevi, Dr.Mrs.D.A.Sirisha, Dr.Mrs.S.Vanitha, Dr.Mrs.M.Roopa , Dr.Mrs.S.Jayalakshmi and Dr.Mrs.T.Jayasheela have been granted full time & part time guideship.

University results

The ongoing global pandemic has caused a significant change in the academic and created unprecedented challenges to both the teachers and learners. With the outbreak of the corona virus, examinations were conducted online by the University of Madras for the academic evaluation and all the departments have the credit of scoring 100% pass percentage.

Ms. R. Keerthika from the department of B.Sc. Zoology and Biotechnology has secured the first rank in the April 2021 Examination conducted by the University of Madras.

Academics

The faculty and students of various departments nurtured the academic ethos of college through an impressive range of stimulating seminars, conferences and talks. These provided a wide spectrum for intellectual engagement beyond the confines of curricula.

PG & Research Department of Tamil conducted a two day online seminar on 9/06/21 and 10/06/21, in association with International Tamil Research Journal recognized by the Grants committee. Lectures were given by Dr. Chelladurai Sudarshan, University of Sri Lanka, Dr. Uma Devi, University of Delhi, Dr. PA Ravikumar, University of Pondicherry and Dr.Suresh Rathinasamy , Editor in Chief, ITRJ , on the topic ‘Social change in contemporary Literature’. The inaugural ceremony of the ‘Tamil literary Association’ was held on 09/09/2021. The occasion was graced by the special guest , Dr. N. Vijayasundari.

A one day virtual seminar on the topic ‘Musical instruments of Pazhanthamizh’ by Dr. Sakthi Ravana was held on 07/01/2022. On 07/03/22, Chandrika Subramanian , a former student from PG & Research Department of Tamil inaugurated the Endowment Lecture and donated a sum of Rs. 1 Lakh to the Department of Tamil .

Muththamizh Vizha was held on 21/04/22. A special speech was given by Sollin Selvar P. Manikandan , on the topic ‘ Relationship with Tamil’. Precursor to Muththamizh Vizha, various events in Iyal , Isai, Nadagam was organized , in which there was an active participation of the students.

Department of English had its inauguration of literary association on 29/10/2021 with special lectures by Dr.Indu Swami , Assistant Professor & Research supervisor of Assam University and Dr.A. Ganesan, Assistant Professor & Research Supervisor of RKM Vivekananda College.

A three day workshop by Prof. J. Partheban , Government Arts college (A) Salem on ‘ Literary History & Basics to Background’ was conducted to II & III B.A. English Literature students from 6th – 8th December 2021, through virtual platform.

Department of Commerce had organized a virtual Guest Lecture delivered on “ Marketing Mix - New Era” by Dr. M. Radhikaashree , Professor, Faculty of Management Studies, Dr. M.G.R. Educational and Research Institute on 28/10/2021. “ COMFEST 2021”(commerce department association) was held on 29/10/2021. A Guest lecture by K. Vijayachitra , Assistant Professor of Commerce, Sir Theagaraya College, Chennai was conducted on the topic ‘Underwriting of Shares’ on 29/10/2021. The department of commerce in collaboration with Manoranjitham, an NGO organized a three day online workshop from 05/01/2022 to 07/01/2022 as a part of the special project Initiative of Inner Wheel District 323.

Department of Chemistry Organized a workshop on ‘Microscale Techniques- an Ecofriendly Approach’ for the III Year students on 10/12/2021. The resource persons are the faculty members of Anna Adarsh College for Women, Chennai-40.

Department of advanced zoology and biotechnology conducted an Online Inter - collegiate event AQUA FEST -2021 from 4th to 6th October 2021 Around 116 students from various colleges participated in the events. An

Awareness Program on ‘ Water conservation’ was held on the 25/2/2022 ,along with an E- quiz competition.

Department of computer science conducted a workshop on Data Science on 10/01/2022. A webinar was organized on Digital tools for developing e-content on 30/03/2022.

Sports activities

"Never say never, because limits, like fears are often just an illusion".

-Michael Jordan

Physical Education is an integral part of the total education system. Our students have done us proud and won many awards and recognitions in a wide range of sports. Our students make the best use of the opportunities and have achieved remarkable feats in different disciplines such as Kho Kho, Kabaddi, Chess, Handball, Football, Cricket, Table Tennis, Tennis, Ball Badminton, Taekwondo and Athletics. The following is the list of teams that have won in their respective events at the A zone intercollegiate level.

II place in Kho Kho , III place in Tennis and chess and IV place in Table tennis. More than 20 students from our college have represented the A zone teams in various games and have won accolades.

College team took part in 2nd state level tournament organized by the Tamil Nadu Physical Education Sports University , south zone level Handball tournament conducted by Nazareth College.

College Cricket team won IV place in south zone cricket tournament organized by Red bull at PBEL city, Kelambakkam.

Ms. M.Sandhiya of II B.Com won Gold medal, in taekwondo at a District level tournament . Throw ball team participated in inter- district tournament organized by Saveetha school of management. Table tennis team participated in a tournament conducted by SIVET.

Library

*“The only thing that you absolutely have to know is the location of the library.”
-Albert Einstein.*

Libraries are the windows which open up to the new world to explore, achieve and contribute to improve our quality of Life. The College Library is the Store house of Knowledge, it is well furnished, with spacious reading area , adequate lighting facility and ventilation , accommodating 23,000 books and dissertations of various departments. Efforts are being made to update the access over the use of e- resources.

NSS ACTIVITIES

“Education is not the amount of information that is put into your brain and runs riot there, undigested, all your life. We must have life-building, (wo)man-making, character-making assimilation of ideas.”

At Chellammal Women’s College we firmly believe in these words of Swami Vivekananda and a great emphasis is laid on the overall development of the students. Hence we have a vibrant NSS (National Service Scheme) unit with committed staff members.

The birth anniversary of social reformer Periyar E.V.Ramasamy was observed as the day of social justice in the college by undertaking pledge on 17/09/2021.A free medical camp was conducted in the college campus in association with MNI Hospital, Tondiarpet on 27/10/2021. An awareness on Physiotherapy was created among the NSS volunteers .The awareness camp was beneficial for almost 50 staffs.

Foot Measurement survey was conducted by NSS unit in collaboration with Central training Institute, government of India. Nearly 300 NSS volunteers participated in the programme. 100 volunteers participated in the 25th national youth Festival which was virtually inaugurated by the honorable Prime Minister of India on 12/01/2022. NSS Unit of our college conducted a camp in Thiruvallur District from 16/03/22 to 22/03/22. 100 NSS volunteers actively participated in the seven day camp which included planting of trees, medical camp, students counselling, interaction with the people from the villages of Soran Cheri, Ayulo Cheri and Ana Kattucheri.

Former student Ms.N.G.Mirunalini who dedicated her entire life for the mentally challenged children had instituted an award of gold medal for the best NSS student and the gold medal was given to NSS secretary Ms.Nazeema Begum for rendering best service in NSS of our college. Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural education, Department of higher education, ministry of education, government of India has given certificate of appreciation to 15 NSS students of the Department of English for rendering the valuable service in team as a part of 'Beat Covid Campaign'. An Awareness generation meeting on communicable diseases, precaution and control of Covid and Dengue was held.

The Youth Red Cross unit of our college along MN EYE hospital organized an eye screening camp on 17th November 2021. Inter- departmental competitions were held on the account of world AIDS day, National Pollution Control day , World Disability Day and Pulse Polio Day.

On account of national deworming week , YRC Unit of our college coordinated with the Chennai Corporation in distributing 2993 tablets to the students. A seminar on " Health and Homeopathy awareness " was held on World health day and world homeopathy day.

Swachhta Action Plan

Swachhta action plan is introduced in Higher Education institution to follow campus hygiene parameters along with Education.

Faculty members involved in this program are

1. Dr. K. Anbarasi, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics
2. Dr.C.Revathi, Department of Chemistry
3. Dr.S.Kanimozhi , Department of Tamil
4. Dr. G. Lakshmi Sai , Department of Botany
5. Dr. K. Buvaneshwari, Department of Tamil

Under this program an online workshop on SAP was conducted. Two online seminars i) An overview of the Environmental Legislations & ii) Manam ennum manthirakol were organized.

Plans for waste management procedures are initiated by Dr.C.Revathi and Dr. G. Lakshmi Sai. Eco club was inaugurated and a conference in collaboration with ENVIS – UNOM was organized.

Placement

The placement cell of the college is associated with many organizations like Redington India Limited, Ripe Consultancy Services, Tata Strive, Titan Leap, HOV Source India Pvt.Ltd, To Language Educations Pvt. Ltd etc and we give employability training and soft skill training periodically. We also arrange motivational talks frequently Along with seminars and workshops. A good number of students are placed through the various placement activities in the campus. 819 students participated in the placement training and campus interview conducted by the mentioned agencies.

The Cell does not simply seek to place a few students but works hard to ensure that ample opportunities are provided to vulnerable members of the college community to realize their full potential.

25 computers along with tables was donated by Redington India Limited.

Salary Grants

The college has received the following grants. Salary Grants from Tamil Nadu government to shift I staff members Rs. 5,95,21,015/-. Salary paid to shift II staff members by Pachaiyappa's trust board Rs. 16,87,356/-.

Scholarship

Shift I scholarship details :

A number of students are benefited by various scholarships. 16 students from Post Graduate and M.Phil. courses have received a sum of Rs.97,646. A total of about Rs.4,80,080 , Rs.5,18,625 and Rs.5,22,615 has been paid as scholarship for I ,II & III year under graduate students of various streams.

Shift I scholarship details :

7 students from Post Graduate courses have received a sum of Rs.47,160. The total scholarship of I,II & III year under graduate is Rs.6,65,934, Rs.7,09,525 & Rs.5,39,825 respectively.

Infrastructural development

1. There was major maintenance due to lock down.
2. To ensure the safety of the students and to get the real time insights in times of emergencies,24 new CCTV cameras have been installed.
3. Shift II office has been renovated after the internal fire accident.

4. Old transformer was replaced with new small compact transformer to ensure uninterrupted power supply.
5. To prevent the movement of reptiles and venomous creatures, Weeds grown behind the Balambal block were uprooted and concrete platforms were laid.

Transfers in the academic year

A few Teaching and non- teaching staffs have been transferred during this academic year. The details of the staffs transferred to Chellammal Women's College are Dr. G. Premasundari – Principal – in – charge from C Kandaswami Naidu College for Men, Dr. N. Amudha – Assistant Professor – Department of advanced zoology and biotechnology and Dr. S.Djodilatchoumy – Assistant Professor - Department of Computer Science (Shift II) from Pachaiyappa's college.

The details of the non -teaching staffs transferred to Chellammal Women's College are Mrs. A.G.Maragathamani (Shift I) , Mrs. G. Chitra (Shift II), Mr. M.Karunanithi(Shift II) from Pachaiyappa's college & Mr. T. Dinakar(Shift II) from C Kandaswami Naidu College for Men.

Mrs.K.Malavizhi (Shift I) non -teaching staff of Chellammal Women's College was transferred to Pachaiyappa's college. Mr. K. Saravanan and Mrs.M.K.Arulvani were transferred to Pachaiyappa's Trust Board.

There was minimal hike in the salary paid to the guest lecturers. The qualified staffs receive a salary of Rs.16,000 and the salary of yet to qualify staffs is Rs. 14,000.

So as another year matures, it is the time for harvest. The students, who will graduate this year, first let me wish you a wonderful future. To you I repeat the words of Nelson Mandela “Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.” May you grow to inspire others and become genuine citizens and true leaders.

I take this opportunity to express my gratitude to my colleagues, students, administrative and other staff, service providers, without whose cooperation running the college would be an impossible task.

Dr. G .Premasundari, M.A.,M.Phil.,Ph.D.,
Principal – in - Charge

