

N.V.K.S.D.COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, ATTOOR
ANNUAL REPORT 2016-2017

Good Morning to all.....

Esteemed chief guest of this august occasion **Dr B. Sukumar** , Regional Director ,Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU),Thiruvananthapuram , Adv. S. Reghu Kumar, President, N.V.K.S. Educational Society, Adv.S. Krishnakumar, Secretary, N.V.K.S. Educational Society, Dr. R. Mukundan, Academic advisor, Respected Members of the management committee, Principals and Vice-Principals of N.V.K.S. Higher Secondary School and N.V.K.S. Vidhyalaya, parents, alumni members, teaching and non-teaching staff ,research scholars, prospective teacher educators and my dear student teachers, I welcome you all to the **54th** college day celebrations. Your presence gives us immense joy and happiness!

Before embarking upon the performance of the institution during the academic year under review, I may like to refresh your memories to the remarkable academic journey of ours... With the vision of Gnana, Dharma and Sneha, the institution strives to become a centre of excellence in the field of teacher education. From its humble beginning in the year 1963, the college has grown towards excellence in the field of education by achieving many laurels, including the attainment of autonomous status. Indeed, the development of the college greatly lies on the role played by our visionary management. It is their foresight,

support, dedication, enthusiasm, commitment and inspiration that have led the institution to become an acclaimed centre of learning.

As I share the yearly updates of our activities, I take the modesty to say that we did our best to do as we have planned and I am proud of my beloved staff and students who strive hard to achieve beyond expectations. Praying for the blessings of our presiding deity Nalloor Vettuveni Kandan Sastha, I present the annual report for the academic year 2016-2017. To avoid lengthy presentation, the report will be a nutshell of all the activities and achievements of the current year. It had been a very exciting and rewarding year throughout with many accomplishments and the college excelled in all phases including academics, cultural and sports.

The academic session 2016-17 commenced on 1st August 2017. The inauguration of B.Ed. (I Year) course was formally conducted on 24th August 2016. Currently there are 89 students B.Ed.(II year), 83 B.Ed.(I year), 16 in M.Ed.(II year) course, 5 in M.Ed.(I year) and 4 students for M.Phil. course. We have 3 full-time scholars and 4 part-time scholars for Ph.D Degree Programme.

Visit of NCTE's Inspection Team Members

I take this opportunity to thank Dr. Mukther Ahamed Makki from Calcutta and Dr. Hiremath from Bangalore the members of the inspection team for their visit from NCTE, Bangalore.

Academic Highlights

Excellence in academic is the hall –mark of a good institution and the results of our students in the university examination have made us proud.

For the examinations held in May 2016 by Tamil Nadu Teacher Education University, Chennai, the students proved their academic

excellence. In the B.Ed Examination, we have secured cent percentage pass. In M.Ed., out of the 16, 15 passed out successfully and we are waiting for the announcement of the examination results of M.Phil, Degree programme .

With immense pleasure, I would like to announce the students who scored first position in the B.Ed.(I year) and M.Ed. (I Year) Examinations conducted by Tamilnadu Teachers Education ,Chennai for the year 2015-16

The Toppers

Sini.M.L(B.Ed.)

Sreedevi.M.(M.Ed).

The endowment prizes shall be awarded after the announcement of final results of the university examinations to be conducted by Tamilnadu Teachers Education University in May 2017.

Students' Association

The college witnessed election for the students' council on 26 November 2016. The following students were elected as office bearers.

<u>Designation</u>	<u>Name</u>
Chairman	- R.Karthick(M.Ed.)
Vice Chairperson	- A.B .Shilpa (B.Ed.)
Secretary	- A.Achutha Raj kumar (B.Ed.)
Arts Club Secretary	- T.T.Siva Prakash(B.Ed.)
Magazine Editor (Tamil)	- Jenisha .C(B.Ed.)
Magazine Editor (English)	- Remya Raj .A (B.Ed.)
Magazine Editor (Malayalam)	- A.G.Sai Geetha(B .Ed.)
Sports Secretary (Men)	- G.Kaliyaperumal(B.Ed.)
Sports Secretary (Women)	- Soorya A.M. (B.Ed.)

Representatives (B.Ed. II Year)

Physical Science	-	Soorya .J.J.
Biological Science	-	Ancy F.R.
Mathematics	-	S.Johnsy
History	-	S.Rubini
English	-	A.B.Shilpa

Representatives (B.Ed. I Year)

Physical Science	-	A.S.Saranya
Biological Science	-	K.M.Mahalekshmi
Mathematics	-	A.V.Anandhu
History	-	P.Kavithra
English	-	M.Nidarshana

Representative (M.Ed. II Year) - M..Sreedevi

Representative (M.Ed. I Year) - Rajani.T.M.

P.T.A. Meeting

A General Body meeting of the P.T.A. for the academic year 2015-2016 was held on 24th August 2016. The Executive Committee members were unanimously selected on that day. They are actively involved in contributing the necessary inputs towards the welfare of this institution.

Induction Programme

Induction Programme was conducted from 26th to 29th August 2016 to orient the students towards teaching, to make them familiarize with the course content, and also to help them adjust with the new situations as the new entrants, .

Bridge Course

Bridge course was conducted for B.Ed. students from 30th August 2017 to 6th September 2017. Eminent Alumni members and our faculty members were the resource persons. Activities for enhancing communicative competence and interpersonal skills were included in the session.

Micro Teaching

Micro teaching was organised for B.Ed. students from 7th to 20th September 2017. The orientation was given by Dr. R. Mukundan, Former Principal, and Academic Advisor of our institution. Different sessions on different teaching skills were handled by our faculty members and the demonstration of the skills were also done. The sessions made the students acquainted with various teaching skills involved in the teaching-learning process. Video recording of the classes was also done to help the students to evaluate their classes for their improvement.

Intensive Teaching Practice

The Intensive Teaching Practice of B.Ed II year students for 16 weeks was organised from 7th September to 8th January, 2017. The students were allotted to 29 schools in Kanyakumari District. They were thoroughly supervised both by the college faculty and the mentors of the schools concerned.

TET/NET /SLET Coaching Programme

On 25th February 2017 an orientation to NET / SLET examinations was held .Dr Shekar, Associate Professor(Retd.) ,Department of Mathematics, Shivanthi Adithyanar College of Arts and Science was the resource persons .

Another TET Coaching Programme was organised on 18th March 2017.Sherlin .S. Principal ,Mar Chrysostoms College of Education,Krathoor was the resource person.

Graduation Day

The 53rd Graduation Day was held on 28th January 2017.Dr V.Raghu, Former Dean of Research and Controller of Examinations, Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, conferred degrees to the students. It was a moment of pride for students as well as the parents who look on the occasion with a sense of achievement.

Student Enrichment Programme

A UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “Inclusive Education for Transgender: Issues and Challenges” was organised on 16th and 17th December, 2016 in collaboration with SEEDS, Kulasekharam. Eminent transgender activists Ms.Kalki Subramaniam,,Ms.Sheetal Shyam,Ms.Priya Babu were some of the resource persons.

Workshops on Craft was organized for our B.Ed. students on 16th and 17th December, 2016 and 4th February 2017.. Ms. Parvathi Menon, Assistant Professor (Retd.), Sree Ayyappa College,Chungankadai and Ms. Thankam, Former Instructor, Sreedevi kumari College, Kuzhithurai and were the resource persons.

Workshops on Art and Drama Education were conducted on 1st and 2nd December 2016 and 18th and 19th January 2017 .Dr Xavier Das, Professor (Retd.), St.Jude's College of Arts and Science, Thoothoor was the resource person .

On 9th March 2017 a workshop on "SPSS Package" was also organised.

Exhibition

Our students had an opportunity to exhibit the models crafted by them which showcased their academic talents in an exhibition on models conducted on 3rd March 2017 .Various outstanding exhibits which supplemented the classroom instruction were on display.

Celebrations

Onam was celebrated with a glimpse of nostalgic tradition on 3rd September 2016.The students celebrated and enjoyed the day with pookalam competition, Thiruvathirakali, Uriyadi and Tug of war.

Universal Brotherhood Day was observed on 9th September 2016. Members from Vivekanda Kendra delivered a talk about the significance of the day. Various cultural competitions were conducted for the school and college students on that day.

With due respect and reverence, Teachers Day was celebrated.

Christmas Day celebration was held on 23rd December 2016 with gusto and gaiety. The day was celebrated with all its religious fervour and the

merry occasion was manifested with the sharing of gifts, conveying of Christmas messages and various other cultural programmes.

Pongal was celebrated with all its festivity on 13th January 2017 with competitions and spirited activities in connection with it.

National Science Day was celebrated on 28th February 2017.

Observation of National Days

On 15th August 2016, 70th Independence Day was celebrated by hoisting the flag.

Republic Day was celebrated on 26th January

Career and Counselling Cell

Career and Counselling Cell is actively functioning in our college. The cell gives notifications on various job placements. On 17th and 18th October 2017 a career guidance programme was organised for the benefit to the B.Ed. and M.Ed. students by Mr. John Muthuraj , James Academy, Tirunelveli District .

Career and Counselling Cell also directed the interested students to send their resume and attend campus interviews to recruit teachers in various schools.

Women's Cell

Women's cell is constituted for addressing the issues of women students. A *Task Force* is actively functioning in our institution to redress the issues of the lady students. On 8th March 2017, various competitions for women students were conducted as part of International Women's Day Celebrations.

Library

We express gratitude to our management for contributing enormous amount to the library for the purchase of books. Our library is richly equipped and technologically uplifted with a collection of 16190 books, 58 Indian and International journals and magazines, nine multilingual news dailies and Inlibnet N-list e-journals.

IGNOU

Our college is one of the approved study centres of Indira Gandhi National Open University. Certificate course in Functional English and Certificate course in Guidance and Counselling are the add-on courses for our B.Ed and M.Ed students. Our centre offers IGNOU courses in M.A (Education), Post Graduate Diploma in Pre-Primary Education (PGDPPED) and Certificate Programme in Value Education (CPV).

I take this opportunity to express our gratitude to our chief guest for the valuable support he rendered to our institution

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

IQAC was instituted as a measure to monitor quality sustenance and quality enhancement. It is actively functioning in the institution. IQAC Newsletter which envisages all our curricular and co-curricular activities during the academic year 2016-2017 is to be released soon.

Pre-Ph.D. Viva and Research Colloquium

A pre-Ph.D. viva for Ph.D. scholars was conducted on July 2016 under the supervision of Dr B. William Dharma Raja, Head, Department of Education, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University. Ms.V.Pravitha and Ms.Y.Sophia, Our Ph.D.Scholars submitted their Ph.D thesis in Jaanuary 2017.

A Doctoral Committee for Ph.D. scholars was held on 9th March 2017 headed by Rev. Dr Jesu Doss, Associate Professor in Education, St. Xavier's College of Education, Palayamkottai.

Educational Tour

An educational tour was arranged for the students on 23rd and 24th March 2017. The students, along with the staff members visited various places of educational significance in Ernakulum District, Kerala.

Extension / Out Reach Activities

Extension activities help the students to recognise others feelings and “how and when “to assist others.

A clean drive was organized in the college premises on 8th September 2016 under the initiative of Attoor Panchayat. Our student teachers enthusiastically participated in the” clean drive “by putting all their efforts in making the place and its surrounding areas clean.

Our college was the venue for the competitions conducted by Vivekananda Kendra in association with Universal Brotherhood Day on 9th September 2016

An educational film ‘Mudalvar Gandhi ‘was telecasted on 28th September 2016 to spread and inculcate the values of national integration.

A Legal Awareness Programme was arranged on 21st November 2016.

To bring out the importance of voting, a Voter awareness programme was organised on 25th January 2017 under the initiative of Local Administration Department (Atoor Panchayat) Tamilnadu.

A Dengue Fever awareness programme was conducted on 20th February 2017 .It was jointly organised by our institution with Local Administration Department (Attoor Panchayat), Government of Tamilnadu.

A Dengue Fever Awareness was created in the locale of adopted village of Aruvikkarai through pamphlet distributions on 11th March 2017 as the area was reported to have cases of Dengue Fever. Students visited the homes of the villagers and created awareness among the people regarding dengue fever. On the same day '**Sensitisation of Villagers on Water Conservation and Prevention of Drought**' was also carried out to create awareness on these grave issues.

An awareness programme on *Disaster Management* was conducted on 1st April 2017 in collaboration with Indian Red Cross Society .Dr V.Veukumar, Associate Professor, S.T.Hindu College and District organiser, YRC (Youth Red Ribbon Club), Kanyakumari and Mr.Blithe Sudar, District Trainer and First Aid Lecturer, IRC, Chennai were the resource persons

A visit to Vatstalym-a special school for mentally challenged children was organised on 21st March 2017.This was to encourage the spirit of compassion in students.

Under the initiative of our college Pan cards were made available to the students

Student Achievements

Our students took part in various competitions conducted by other colleges and won laurels for several events.

Pavithra .V.V. (B.Ed.II –English) and Athira.P.S. (B.Ed. II– Physical Science) won the second prize in English Elocution Competition and third prize in the solo song competition in the Trinity Cultural fest -2017 held at Holy Trinity College of Education, Melpalai.

R.D.Juliat Anusha (B.Ed.II –Physical Science) and P.Brilla (B.Ed. –Mathematics) won third prizes in the Inter-collegiate quiz competition held at Grace College of Education on 8th March 2017.

The students participated in the various competitions conducted by Vivekanda Kendra, Kaniyakumari in connection with International Brotherhood day celebration and secured the following positions.

M.Nidharshana (B.Ed. I Year –English) won the first prize in the English elocution competition,

Anjana .S. (B.Ed. I Year –English) won first prize, in the Malayalam elocution competition

Aishwarya.M.N. (B.Ed. I Year –English) second prize in the Malayalam elocution competition and

Vidhya Reshmi .V (B.Ed. I Year –Mathematics) secured third prize in the Malayalam elocution competition

Monisha .J.S. (B.Ed.I Year Physical Science) won the consolation prize in the pencil drawing competition

Press Club of Kanyakumari organised various competitions for college students on 21st September 2016. Our students participated and won the prizes.

Anusha Vimal (Bed I year Physical Science -) won first prize in the poetry writing competition and consolation prize in short story writing competition.

R.Murugan((B.Ed. I Year Physical Science) won third prize in poetry writing competition and consolation prize in Essay writing competition, Saranya .P.S ((B.Ed. I Year Mathematics) won first prize in the Essay writing competition and consolation prize in Poetry writing competition Derfi Dani .D ((B.Ed. I Year Mathematics) won third prizes in the essay writing competition and short story writing competition

,T.J.Anish (B.Ed. I Year English) won consolation prize in essay writing competition

R.S.Anusha (B.Ed.II Year Physical Science) first prize in short story writing completion

J.C.Abisha (B.Ed. I Year Mathematics,) got consolation prize for short story writing Competition

Ancy gratel ((B.Ed. I Year Mathematics) got consolation prize in short story writing competition,

J.S.Monisha, (B.Ed. I Year Physical Science) won third prize in drawing competition

Rejilin Blessey .R.J. (B.Ed. I Year Mathematics) got consolation prizes in pencil drawing and essay writing competition

R.P.A College of Education conducted Drama competition .The individual category winners are

Pavithra .V.V. (B.Ed.II –English) -Best Actor

Reshma A.B (B.Ed.II –English)- Best Actress

Pavithra.V.V and team won third prize in the Drama competition

Our M.Ed., students M.Phil. and Ph.D. scholars have participated and presented papers in various seminars and workshops at St.Thomas College, Thiruvananthapuram, Holy Trinity College, Melpalai .

Alumni Association

The Alumni Association ‘**Nostalgia**’ made noteworthy contribution in organising the bridge course and , also contributing to the infrastructural augmentation of our institution .Some of the members served as panel members of interview board of school teachers and served as resource persons in various seminars. Alumni Executive Committee Meetings are frequently held to monitor the progress.

During this academic year, two Alumni Meets were conducted on 28th October 2016 and 28th January 2017 . The students of 1987 -88 and 2014-15 batches met once again with their batch mates.

Those were really ‘moments of reflect back’; our present students also interacted with their Alumni where they vividly remembers their rich experiences in the form of sharing of reminiscent times in their alma mater.

In this occasion I extend a Big Thanks to our dear Alumni!

Arts Day

Arts Day was conducted with all its vigour and vitality on 6th April 2017.The students from four different houses competed in a variety of competitions which showcased their creative talents.

Physical Education

Every evening, the B.Ed. students are given training in the sports, games and yoga for an hour.

The college sports day was conducted on 7th April 2017. Various athletic events were held and prizes were distributed to the winners by our management member and teaching faculty. Housewise competitions were also conducted (Lion and Tiger house for men : Lotus, Lilly, Rose for women). D.Sahaya Ebin (Lion House) and Sandhya.S.S (Rose House) and Parvathi A. (Lotus House) emerged as individual Champions of men and women respectively. Lion House and Rose House won the overall championship for men and women respectively.

Awards Instituted

- Apart from the Endowment Awards, the college management has instituted the following awards for the toppers of B.Ed., M.Ed., and M.Phil.
- Cash award of Rs.2000/- and Memento for the college toppers in B.Ed., M.Ed. and M.Phil courses.
- Cash award of Rs.1000/- and Memento for the B.Ed and M.Ed students who secured second position in the college.
- Cash award of Rs.500/- and Memento for the B.Ed. and M.Ed. students who secured third position in the college.
- Cash award of Rs.500/- for the Toppers in each optional subject.
- Cash award of Rs.2000/- for those students who secured university rank up to 5 and 1000/- for other University Rank holders.

Staff Profile

We are extremely proud to inform that Dr K. Gireesh Kumar, Assistant Professor in History has accomplished the task of attaining his Doctorate

degree in Education successfully. Congratulations on your achievement. Wish you a successful and bright life ahead.

The professional accomplishments of my staff are briefly cited below

Ms. Bindu Gouri. V.P., Assistant Professor in Education

Presented a paper on Disaster Management Awareness among Higher Secondary students in the International seminar on Education at crossroads: Social Equations on 2nd to 4th February held at St.Thomas College of Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

Dr. R. P. Deepa, Assistant Professor in Education

Served as a resource person in the National Seminar held at Government College of Teacher Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

Mr. V.S.Pavithra kumar, Assistant Professor in Physical Science

Presented a paper on “Critical Analysis of Curriculum of Tamilnadu Teachers’ Education University “ in International Conference on “Curriculum in the Perspective of Education for Sustainable Development “organised by AIAER and Sohanlal Dav College of Education .Ambala ,Haryana on 25th November 2016.

Participated in the Orientation Course for B.Ed.Regulation and Syllabus of Tamilnadu Teachers’ Education University held at St.Xavier’s College of Education, Palayamkotai on 28th and 30th September 2016.

Ms. S. Devika, Assistant Professor in Education

Presented a paper in the International seminar on Education at crossroads: Social Equations on 2nd to 4th February 2017 held at St.Thomas College of Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

Mr. P.S. Prasad, Assistant Professor in Education

Presented a paper on “Critical Analysis of Curriculum of Tamilnadu Teachers’ Education University “in International Conference on “Curriculum in the Perspective of Education for Sustainable Development “organised by AIAER and Sohanlal Dav College of Education .Ambala ,Haryana on 25th November 2016.

Participated in the Orientation Course for B.Ed.Regulation and Syllabus of Tamilnadu Teachers’ Education University held at St.Xavier’s College of Education, Palayamkotai on 28th and 30th September 2016.

Dr. S. Praveen Kumar, Assistant Professor in Mathematics

Served as a resource person in the Orientation Programme on *Educational Research* held at Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli during July 2016.

Co-authored an article entitled “School Environment and Student Achievement in Chemistry at Higher Secondary Level” in LPC Bulletin on Research in July 2016.

Participated in a Workshop on *Lesson Plan Writing and Achievement Test Construction* organised by Tamil Nadu Teachers University, Tirunelveli on 11th and 12th January 2017.

Presented a paper entitled “Mitigation of Gender Bias Via Conducive School Environment” in the National Seminar on *Gender Disparities:*

Issues and Concerns organised by Bethlehem College of Education, Karungal on 17th March 2017.

Participated in the Awareness Programme on Autism jointly organised by Department of Education, M.S.University, Tirunelveli and Diya Trust of India, Tirunelveli on 25th March 2017.

Concluding Moments.....

I am thankful to my versatile and committed academic team for their contributions to enhance the standards of this college and their strife towards autonomy. Also I want to express my sincere thanks to The President, The Secretary and other members of the management for their keen interest, support, encouragement and co-operation they are generously extending for the total upcoming and smooth running of this institution.

I would like to convey my whole hearted appreciation to the parents, our Alumni for their contribution to their Alma matter, teaching staff, non-teaching staff, B.Ed., M.Ed., M.Phil. Students and Ph.D. scholars and also wish them a very great success in all their endeavours. I am sure that our collective efforts shall take our college to greater heights.

For all achievements and credits, our pranams to the guiding force Nalloor Vettunni Kandan Sastha for His Blessings and infinite grace He has showered upon this institution .Let me conclude this report by entrusting our college into his divine hands....

Once again I thank you all.