

GOVERNMENT COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS)

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ANNUAL REPORT 2019 - 2020

Distinguished Chief Guest, Faculty Members across various Departments and my beloved students, warm greetings to one and all who have gathered here. It gives me immense pleasure to present before you the Annual Report for the year 2019-2020. Established in the year 1963, Government College for Women (A), Kumbakonam has grown into a pioneering institution in imparting quality education to women.

The college operates in two shifts offering 17 UG, 11 PG, 4 M. Phil and 10 Research Programmes to 4324 students. . The college admission was automated through a software purchased at cost of Rs.3,68, 880. This year, we had a fresh enrolment of 93.98% for all UG and PG Programmes. 1190 students got enrolled in the Computer Literacy Programme this year. 1 Value added course was offered by the Department of Zoology with a strength of 19 students while the Department of English offered five courses with an enrolment of 110. Internship has been introduced for all PG programmes. Board of Studies for Outcome Based Education for UG and PG Programmes was conducted by all the Departments during the period 7th – 19th, February, 2020 and a revised curriculum based on the stipulations of University Grants Commission was framed. Rs.1,55,900 was allocated by the Government of Tamil Nadu for the purchase of books and journals while Rs.2,50,000 was



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allocated towards the purchase of equipments. Construction of new class rooms for the Department of Botany was initiated by the Government at a cost of Rs.89,00,000 while the Administrative block was renovated through RUSA fund at an estimate of Rs.19,96,305. Rs.30,00,000 was allocated by RUSA for the purchase of advanced computers with i5 and i7 configurations. A CSIR sponsored Project was sanctioned to the Centre for Nonlinear Science (CeNSc) and a first instalment of Rs.13,83,500 was released.

Barcoded system was introduced for PG Examinations from November 2019 instead of fixing dummy numbers. OMR sheets were used for courses with MCQs. From November 2019 onwards, Examination Fees were being collected online. 4 Symposia on Language and Communication skills, 4 on Life-skills and 10 on Awareness of Trends and Technology were organized. A total of 295 students have gone on to take up either placement or higher studies. Scholarships worth Rs.1,38,71,187 were distributed to 5278 students. 29 students got qualified in State level examinations. Noon-meal scheme contributed to the welfare of 79 students this year. 16 students were honoured with Awards and Medals for their outstanding performance in Sports and Cultural domain. . A total of 1592 students contributed a sum of Rs. 15,32,452 towards the Alumni fund.



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UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS

Undergraduate Programmes:

S.NO.	DEPARTMENT	NAME	RANK
1.	Tamil	S. Swetha	12
2.	English	V. Surya	12
3.	History	U. Indhumathi	17
4.	Economics	J. Krithika	4
5.	Commerce	A. Shalini	21
6.	Mathematics	D. Thenmozhi	6
7.	Physics	S. Kavitha	19
8.	Chemistry	S. Maheswari	13
9.	Computer Science	S. Sindhuja	10
10.	Zoology	S. Vigneswari	3
11.	Geography	R. Swetha	2

Postgraduate Programmes

S.NO	DEPARTMENT	NAME	RANK
1.	Tamil	S. Ariuvkarasi	12
2.	English	S. Sheela	18
3.	History	V. Sivapriya	16
4.	Economics	S. Vennila	9
5.	Commerce	A. Nandhini	2
6.	Mathematics	M. Divya	3
7.	Physics	D. Muthulakshmi	10
8.	Chemistry	J. Jayapriya	19
9.	Computer Science	G. Dhivya	14
10.	Zoology	S. Seetha	5
11.	Geography	D. Sakthipriya	1



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RESULTS AT A GLANCE

Outcomes:

(a) Undergraduate Programmes

DEPARTMENT	APPEARED	PASSED	PASS %
Chemistry	73	73	100
Commerce	124	123	99.19
Computer Science	96	96	100
Economics	110	110	100
English	107	107	100
Geography	70	70	100
History	218	217	99.54
Mathematics	111	111	100
Physics	66	65	98.48
Tamil	99	99	100
Zoology	80	79	98.75

(b) Postgraduate Programmes

DEPARTMENT	APPEARED	PASSED	PASS %
Chemistry	24	24	100
Commerce	31	31	100
Computer Science	54	54	100
Economics	31	31	100
English	33	33	100
Geography	24	23	95.83
History	31	30	96.77
Mathematics	33	33	100
Physics	23	22	95.65
Tamil	28	28	100
Zoology	17	17	100



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16 members of the Teaching Fraternity have attended Orientation, Refresher, short term course or FDP during this academic year. A total of 70 papers were published by the teachers in Scopus – indexed/UGC CARE Journals.

College union was inaugurated on 08.08.2019 and renowned writer Mr. Bava Chelladurai was the Chief Guest. Muthamizh vizha was conducted on 27.02.2020. Annual day was celebrated on 28.02.2020 and Dr.V. Senthamizh Selvi, Principal, Rajah Serfoji Government College (A), Thanjavur addressed the gathering. The Annual day also coincided with the National Science day and this occasion was exploited by the Department of Physics to release a magazine entitled “Big Bang 2020”. Academic and Administrative Audit was conducted on 22.10.2019 by a team of Experts led by Dr. R. Nagarajan, Principal, AVC College, Mayiladuthurai, Dr. S. Mohan, Principal, SKSS Arts College, Thiruppananthal and Prof. V. Baskar, Government Arts College(A), Kumbakonam. This Academic and Administrative Audit helped the Institution to review the Teaching-Learning process and other strategies for the upcoming Academic years. The college was invited to give a presentation at Banarus-Hindu University, Varanasi for FIST (Level-0) on 17th September, 2019.

The college had also participated in the Quality Initiative by NIRF on 29.11.2019. The college also participated in the AISHE survey and a report was submitted on 01.02.2020. AQAR is being planned to be submitted in



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April, 2020. Green/Environmental audit of the campus has been carried out and sensor based lights were installed in the COE block. Energy audit has also ensured the reduction in power consumption. The college had also participated in several extension activities organized under various forums like NSS, YRC, Rotaract Club, Consumer Forum and Environmental Club, thereby reaching out to the society.

Special Camp for seven days was organized by NSS in the Villages of Melakorkai, Kezhakorkai and Puducherry with the theme **“Youth for Cleanliness”** during 4th – 10th January 2020. During this camp, activities like Survey of Villages, General Medical and Eye Check-Up, Village, Temple and School Cleaning, Planting of saplings, issuing cancer awareness pamphlets, yoga training, distribution of Neem water, Swatch Bharath Campaign and exhibition on natural food festival, have been taken up by 150 NSS volunteers. During the camp, various lectures were arranged for the benefit of the villagers on topics like “Training for Women’s Personality Development”, “First- Aid for Cardiology Movement”, “Health and Diet”, “Cancer that affects Women”, “Science and Environment”, Disaster Management”, Laws to protect Women”. A program on “General Medicine for Women” was organized by Women’s cell on 12/10/2019 and Dr. P. Hemalatha spoke on the occasion. A seed ball fest was organized by Women’s Cell on 19/12/2019 and 17/02/2020 in collaboration with Er. M. Karthik, Founder of NGO called “Thanthondri” and one lakh seed



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balls were prepared and sprayed all around Kumbakonam. Jal Shakthi Abhiyan, a pilot scheme of Government of India was launched by Rotary club of the college on 9th August, 2019. World Breast Feeding week was celebrated on 09/08/2019 and Dr. A.N. Janaki Raman MD, Government Medical College, Coimbatore spoke on the occasion.

This year has been an eventful year with the college taking up several new initiatives like automated admission, Online Payment of Examination fees, Release of magazines by the Department of Physics etc. I take this opportunity to thank the Teaching and Administrative staff for the tireless support in carrying out several curricular and co-curricular activities. I congratulate all the students who have brought laurels to the institution in the form of Awards / Medals in curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities to keep the college in the National Educational Map.



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