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## PG & Research Department of English

**NEWSLETTER**  
Academic year 2022-2023

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### HoD's Message

Dear Students and Faculty of the Department of English,

I am delighted to share the latest updates and achievements from our vibrant department. This academic year has been filled with remarkable accomplishments, demonstrating the dedication and talent within our community.

- We have successfully organized several seminars and conference, providing platforms for intellectual exchange and professional growth.
- Our staff have actively participated in numerous seminars and workshops, enhancing their knowledge and teaching practices.
- Our faculty members have presented and published papers at prestigious conferences and in reputed journals, contributing significantly to academic discourses.
- Our students extended their service in the adopted village through community development programs, making a positive impact and demonstrating their commitment to social responsibility.
- We are proud to announce that our students achieved a 100% pass rate in the final exams, a testament to their hard work and our faculty's support.
- Additionally, our students have shown outstanding performance in MooC exams, further enhancing their skills and knowledge.

These accomplishments reflect our department's commitment to excellence and holistic development. I extend my heartfelt congratulations to all our students and faculty for their achievements. Let us continue to strive for even greater heights in the coming months.

Thank you for your continued support and dedication.

Warm regards,

**Dr. A. Judit Sheela Damayanthi**  
Head of the Department of English

## Activities of the English Literary Association

The PG and the Research Department of English unfurled its activities for the year 2022-2023 with renewed spirit and vigour. On 29<sup>th</sup> July the office bearers of the English Literary Association were elected under the guidance of Mrs. A. Judith Sheela Damayanthi, Associate professor of English and Literary Association in-charges - Ms. M. Mangalaeswari, Assistant professor of English, Ms. K. Muthukalaivani, Assistant professor of English, and Ms. V. Dorothy Catherine, Assistant Professor of English.

Ms. C. Divya Dibashini of II M.A. English, Ms. Vesta Serapha of III B.A. English and Ms. Sindhuja of II B.A. English were elected as the President, Secretary and Vice-President respectively.

On 10<sup>th</sup> August 2022, the Literary Association was inaugurated by Dr. D. Jockim, Dean of Arts & Assistant Professor of English, St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Palayamkottai, and delivered a talk on "Literature and Life". Nearly 200 UG and PG students and staff were the beneficiaries.

On 30<sup>th</sup> August 2022, a National workshop through virtual mode was organised on "The Distinctness of Classical Theatres in Interpreting Tales: A Discussion based on the Traditional Indian Theatre, Kathakali". Dr. Krishna Praveen, Assistant Professor of English, School of Basic Sciences and Humanities, Jawaharlal College of Engineering and Technology, Kerala, was the resource person. Nearly 125 students and staff participated and benefitted from the workshop.

On 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> September 2022, a two day National Conference on "Avant-garde Interpretations of Theories in English Language and Literature" was organized. The following were the resource persons.

Dr. V. S. Joseph Albert, Former Head of the department of English, Deputy Principal (Rtd) St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Palayamkottai

## GALLERY OF EVENTS



Expert talk on "Literature and Life"



Workshop on "The Distinctness of Classical Theatres in Interpreting Tales: A Discussion based on the Traditional Indian Theatre, Kathakali"



Dr. S. Sudha Rani honouring Dr. Sushma V. Murthy in the National Conference on "Avant-garde Interpretations of Theories in English Language and Literature"

Dr. Sushma V. Murthy, Associate Professor of English & Cultural Studies, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore.

Dr. J. John Sekar, Associate Professor of English, The American College, Madurai

Dr. P. Malathy, Assistant Professor of English, Government Arts College (Autonomous), Coimbatore.

Dr. Saji Matthew, Associate Professor of English, School of Letters, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala

Dr. S. Prabahar, Dean of Languages, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli.

Nearly 120 students, scholars and faculty participated and 44 papers were presented.

On 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022, an international workshop through virtual mode was organized. Dr. Suneeta Peres da Costa, a Diasporic writer, an editor, critic in Broadcasting Corporation, The National Gallery of Victoria and University of Technology, Sydney, addressed the audience on “Diasporic Dreaming and the Post-colonial Imagination: A Creative Writing Journey”. A total of 368 participants comprising of professors, research scholars and students benefitted through this workshop.

On 14<sup>th</sup> October 2022, an Intercollegiate Literary and Cultural Competition- ZREALIT '22 was organized. Mr. Marudhupandian, Assistant Professor of English, V.O.C College, Thoothukudi was the chief guest for the Inauguration. A total of 77 participants from 5 colleges participated in all the events. St. John's College, Palayamkottai, won the overall Championship.



**St. John's College, Palayamkottai, winners of ZREALIT '22**



**Resource Persons  
Dr. Saji Matthew & Dr. S. Prabahar**



**An interactive session with the Australian  
Diasporic writer, Dr. Suneeta Peres da Costa**



On 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023, Literary Association meeting was conducted on the topic “Resistance Discourse: From Obedience to Defiance”. Dr. T. S. Alagianayagi, Assistant Professor of English, Rani Anna Government College for Women, Tirunelveli, served as the resource person. Nearly 100 students and staff participated and benefitted from the programme.

### Bridge Course

The department of English conducted Bridge Course for all the first year undergraduate students during the Part II- General English course hour. It served as a crucial transitional program designed to equip the students with the necessary language skills to meet the demands of higher education. This course aimed to bridge the gap between the students' current proficiency level and the advanced language requirements of their academic curriculum. The primary focus was on enhancing their reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills through targeted activities and structured lessons. The course instructors conducted the designed activities from 02.08.2022 to 04.08.2022.

### Language Laboratory

A Language laboratory is an advanced facility used for language learning, enabling students to practice speaking, listening, and comprehension skills through interactive audio-visual tools. It enhances language acquisition by providing a controlled environment for immersive and individualized learning experiences. The lab is enhanced with Shine Tech software. A total number of sixty nine experiential hours were utilized in this academic year.

Dr. T. S. Alagianayagi’s talk on “Resistance Discourse: From Obedience to Defiance”



Class	Total No. of Hours
I General English	18
II General English	18
I B. A. English	7
II B. A. English	7
III B. A. English	6
I M. A. English	5
II M. A. English	8



## Mentor Mentee System

The system is a move towards Student Support and Progression. It purports to achieve holistic development of every student in the department. A teacher has a group of 10 – 13 students whose academic and other aspects of their progress are her concern. The teacher takes care to concentrate more on issues related to their psychological needs during periodical Tutor- Ward Meet each Friday from 2.30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. A record of academic results and bio-data of each of the students is maintained. The mentees met their mentor seven times in the odd semester and seven times in the even semester.


Semester	Dates
ODD	09.09.2022
	16.09.2022
	07.10.2022
	14.10.2022
	21.10.2022
	28.10.2022
	11.11.2022
EVEN	06.01.2023
	27.01.2023
	03.02.2023
	10.02.2023
	17.02.2023
	10.03.2023
	17.03.2023

## Certificate Course


**English for Professional Competence** was offered as Certificate in the month of August 2022 to the III B.A. English Literature students. Ms. X. Angel was the Instructor and the classes were conducted during the afternoon hours (2.00 p.m-4.00 p.m.). A total of 30 hours were completed. It was conducted from 12.08.2022 to 12.10.2022. The students were made to appear for an online written test at the end of the programme and were issued certificates with Grade levels according to their percentage of attendance. 71 students benefitted out of this programme.

## Board of Studies


The Board of Studies Meeting of the P.G. & Research Department of English was conducted on 18.04.2023 in the Language Lab. The subject experts of the board were Dr. V. Christopher Ramesh, Assistant Professor of English, Sri Meenakshi Government Arts College for Women (A), Madurai, Dr. S.J. Kala, Dean of Research & Associate Professor, The Research Centre of English, Fatima College, Madurai, the university nominee was Dr. R. Selvi, Associate Professor of English, Sarah Tucker College (Autonomous), Perumalpuram, Tirunelveli, the alumna representative was Dr. M. Sheyamala, Head & Asst. Professor of English, Kamaraj College, Thoothukudi. The Syllabus was designed



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in the pattern of Outcome Based Education with Choice Based Credit System. The board acknowledged and approved the set pattern.

### MoU

The department signed a MoU with Shakespeare Institute, Coimbatore. State level competitions were conducted once in a year for the students. The students won prizes too. The institute sponsored a sum of 10,000/- for the intercollegiate literary fest. The department established a good rapport with the institute.

### PTA and Alumnae

The Parents Teachers Association conducted meetings regularly for all the parents and students of the department. The meetings were held respectively I B. A. & I M. A. on 21.01.23, II B. A. on 05.11.22 and III B. A. & II M. A. on 17.09.2022. The Marian Alumnae Meet was organised in commemoration of the Platinum Jubilee celebration on 11. 03. 2023. Rev. Sr. Dr. S. Decla Mary, OSM, Superior General, Servite Generalate, Chennai was the chief guest.

### Research Activities- Faculty

Name	Publication- Journal	Publication- Book	Conference	Seminar	Workshop	FDP	Refresher Course	Orientation/ Induction	Training Prog	Short term
Dr.A. Judit Sheela Damayanthi			1		2		1			
Dr. L. Jacqueline Leo			1	1	4	2	0			
Dr. T. Mary Manonmani			1		2					
Dr. B. Serena Margaret			1	3	3	2		4	4	
Dr. A. Josephine Alangara Betsy	5		2	2	2			1	1	
Dr. S. Sudha Rani	8		2							
Ms. M. Mangalaeswari			3	3	3		1			
Dr. N. Sumathi	2		1	1	1	1	1			
Dr. F. Mary Priya	7		2	1						
Ms. X. Amala Steffi	3		1	4	3	1				
Ms. V. Muthukalaivani			1	2	4					
Ms. A. Patricia Romila			1	6	4	1				
Dr. D. Shunmugajothi			3	3	3	2				
Ms. V. Dorothy Catherine	2	1	3	23	13	12				1
Dr. M. Hermina	1			2						
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>

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## Shakespeare Talent Examinations Coimbatore Congratulations



to the Principal, Staff and Students of  
ST.MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS),  
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This Certificate has been awarded in  
appreciation of the students' active  
participation and good performance  
in the Shakespeare Talent Examinations  
(State Level) Coimbatore conducted by  
Shakespeare Publications, Coimbatore in  
Academic Year 2022- 2023

With Best Wishes

*V.H. Prabhakar*  
Chairman & Members  
of the Board

## Resource Persons

Name	Programme	Role	Date
Dr. L. Jacqualine Leo	CAS Screening Committee Meeting	Subject Expert	26.03.2022
	Interview for recruitment of Asst. Professors in English	Panel member	29.03.2022
	Interview for recruitment of Asst. Professors in English	Panel member	15.02.2022
	University Nominee for BoS	Member	26.05.2023
Dr. B. Serena Margaret	BoS- MSU	Member	2022
	BoS- Sadakattullah Appa College, Tirunelveli	Member	2022
	SWAYAM-NPTEL	Member	2022
	MDT Hindu College, Tirunelveli	Resource Person	15.09.2022
	IIC- SMC	Resource Person & Innovation Ambassador	29.09.2022
	VOC, Tuty	Member of Selection Committee for appointment of Asst. Professors	19.12.2022
	APC, Tuty	Member of Selection Committee for appointment of Asst. Professors	03.01.2023
	St. Xavier's College, Palayamkottai	External Expert- Academic Audit	11.01.2023
	Arulmigu Subramania Swamy College, Tirunelveli	Subject Expert- Final Interview	28.02.2023
	SMC, Tuty	Chairperson- Paper Presentation	13.03.2023
Dr. A. Josephine Alangara Betsy	Govindammal Aditanar College for Women, Tiruchendur	Subject Expert- Final Interview	29.03.2023
	Holy Cross College, Nagercovil	External Expert- Academic Audit	04.05.2023
	Bishop Heber College, Tirchy	Question Paper Setter	Nov-22
	Sadakathullah Appa College, Tirunelveli	External Examiner	10.11.2022
Dr. S. Sudha Rani	Sri Sarada College for Women	Subject Expert- Interview Board	12.05.2022
	SMC, Tuty	Session Chair	07.08.2022
Dr. N. Sumathi	SMC, Tuty	Session Chair	07.08.2022

## Research Centre

The Research Centre was renewed on 11 January 2022. Several **Research Advisory Meetings** were held between 2022 and 2023, including sessions for **Ms. Thibursius** on 15 November 2022, **Ms. Bercina Fernando** on 15 March 2023, **Ms. Minnaa K.** and **Ms. Colette Sharmila** on 17 April 2023, **Ms. R. Infantina** on 15 March 2023. Additionally, Public Ph.D Viva-Voce Examinations was conducted for **Ms. Kanaga Durga** on 24 August 2022.

PhD Awardee	Thesis Title
Ms. Kanaga Durga	Contravention and Inclination: A Feminist Reading of Anita Nair's Novels

**CDP**

The team visited Tharuvaikulam on 11.08.2022, with a group of fifty seven students from II B.A English Literature (Regular) for a one day Awareness Programme on National Flag Hoisting. The students created awareness on hoisting the National Flag in accordance with the 75 years of Indian Independence among the people of Tharuvaikulam. The students enthusiastically participated and spread the message with the placards at every doorstep of the adopted village.

The CDP visit to Tharuvaikulam 15.08.2023, with a group of fifty seven students from II B.A English Literature (Regular) attended the Grama Sabha Meeting organized in the Panchayat office, Tharuvaikulam celebrated the 75th Independence Day. The various development schemes like minority scholarship, rain water management, child protection and the environmental issues were discussed for the development of the village.

The CDP visit to Tharuvaikulam on 15.11.2023, with a group of fifty seven students from II B.A English Literature (Regular) organized a Medical Camp in Tharuvaikulam. The children and women Tharuvaikulam actively participated in the event.

The CDP visit to Tharuvaikulam was on 26.01.2023, with the group of fifty seven students from II B.A English Literature (Regular) attended the Grama Sabha Meeting organized in the Panchayat office, Tharuvaikulam celebrated the Republic Day. The various development schemes like minority scholarship, rain water management, child protection and the environmental issues were discussed for the development of the village.

The CDP visit to Tharuvaikulam was on 26.01.2023, with the group of twenty three students from II B.A English Literature (Regular) have cleaned the beach of Tharuvaikulam.

**EFFECTIVENESS OF COMMUNITY SERVICES**



The CDP visit to Tharuvaikulam was on 08.03.2023, with the group of fifty seven students from II B.A English Literature (Regular) organized an Women's Day Celebration. The meeting was held in Government School of Tharuvaikulam. The students of II B.A English (Regular) actively participated in the celebration by organizing cultural programs and giving awareness speeches about women's empowerment and the need for higher education.



**தாய மரியன்னை கல்லூரி (தன்னாட்சி)**  
ஆங்கிலத்துறை  
**சுந்தரம் அருள்ராஜ் மருத்துவமனை**  
மற்றும்  
**டாக்டர் அகர்வால் கண் மருத்துவமனை**  
இணைந்து நடத்தும்

**மாபெரும் இலவச மருத்துவமுகாம்**

**சுந்தரம் அருள்ராஜ் மருத்துவமனை**  
மருத்துவர். திருமதி ஆர்த்தி கண்ணன் M.D, Dip, Diab.  
(சர்க்கரை நோய் சிறப்பு மற்றும் பொது மருத்துவர்)

**டாக்டர் அகர்வால் மருத்துவமனை கண் மருத்துவர்கள்**  
கலந்து கொண்டு மருத்துவ பணி செய்ய வருகிறார்கள்.

நாள் : **16.10.2022** சூயிற்றுக்கிழமை  
நேரம் : மதியம் 12.00 மணி முதல் மதியம் 3.00 மணி வரை  
இடம் : **தாய மைகேல் மழலையர் பள்ளி**

இம் முகாமில் கலந்து கொள்பவர்களுக்கு இலவசமாக சர்க்கரை அளவு, இரத்த அழுத்தம், உடல் பருமன் மற்றும் கண் பரிசோதனை செய்யப்படும்.  
உணவு முறை மற்றும் உடல் பயிற்சி செய்முறை ஆலோசனைகள் வழங்கப்படும்.  
பொது மக்கள் இந்த வாய்ப்பினை பயன்படுத்தி கொள்ளும்படி அன்புடன் அழைக்கின்றோம்.

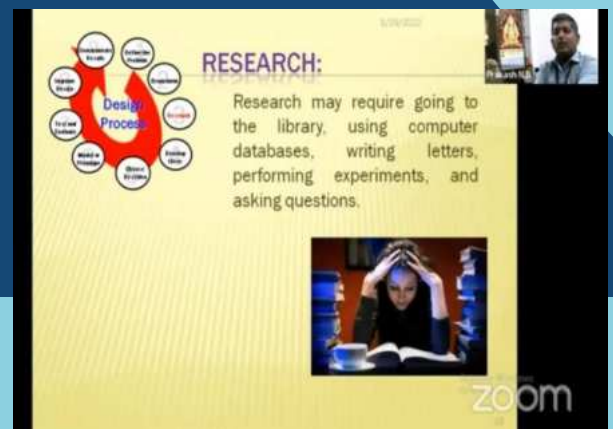
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## IIC

IIC conducted two programmes this year. An online webinar was conducted on the topic “PoC & Linkage with Innovation Ambassadors” on 15.11.2022. Dr. I. Sankar, Assistant Professor (Senior Grade), Mechanical Engineering, National Engineering College, Kovilpatti was the resource person. A total of 100 students were benefitted.

On 29<sup>th</sup> August 2022, Institution’s Innovation Council and P.G. and Research Department of English organized a National Webinar on “Process Design and Development” at 4.00 p.m. through Zoom platform. Dr. N. B. Prakash Professor, Dept. of EEE served as the resource person and delivered a lecture. The session focused on the steps of process design and development. The steps in preparing proof of concept includes generating ideas through which we have to understand the outcomes and competitor analysis to explore more about the idea. He further explained the brainstorming process involved in the process of idea creation. He explained the process involved to explore the information collected and create the concept around which a road map should be prepared.

The speaker then explained the concepts of Process Design, with examples from various sectors. He explored the different types of design and the things to be taken into account while designing the ideas with theoretical demonstration to confirm that those concepts are feasible for real world application. He motivated the students to find out the dependencies in the ideas generated and prepare content analysis and then analyze the pros and cons of the idea. A total of 100 students were benefitted through this webinar.



## Study Tour

P. G. & Research Department of English organized a Study Tour for the students of III B. A. English Literature (35) and II M. A. English Literature (11) as part of their curriculum. The visit was based on the Post-colonial aspects of literary study and war elements described in Diasporic Literature. Three faculty members escorted the students between 13.04.2023 and 14.03.2023 to Ootacamund. The purpose was to provide practical expose to the students on course namely Diasporic Literature and Post-colonial Writings in English.

### Observations:

1. The visit to the small pastoral tribal community living in the Nilgiri plateau named Todas offered the students an overview on the lifestyle and cultural perspectives of the pre-British occupants of the hills.
2. The Tribal Museum maintained by the aspirants of Providence College for Women, Coonoor was an insightful experience for the students of the coastal area. The wind instrument named Pocheeri was played by the students.
3. The visit to the Toda mund helped the students to understand the tribals' spiritual tradition and customs. The architecture of the Toda Hut and shrine showcased their concern in ecological conservation.
4. The Madras Regimental Museum provided a realistic war time experience of the past.
5. A documentary film on "Training, Sacrifice and Achievement of the Indian Soldiers" screened in the MRC theatre kindled the patriotic spirit of the students.

## Glimpses of the Study Tour



Madras Regimental Museum, Wellington.



Tea Factory & Tea Museum, Ooty



Tribal Museum, Coonoor

6. The Tea Factory and the Tea Museum in Ooty demonstrated a live production of the Indian Tea Dust focusing on the origin of tea plantation in India established by the East India Company.

7. An evidential documentation of the Boston Tea Party, Chinese War prisoners, the introduction of railway transportation served as historical significance in the study of Social History of England.

To sum up, the study tour on the whole was a very informative, useful and served the educational purpose. The students were able to relate and comprehend the content of the course with real-time experience. The act of travelling and lodging helped the students to enhance their knowledge to produce travelogues, short stories, nature poems etc.

### Students Activities

During the academic year 2022-2023, the students demonstrated exceptional performance across various co-curricular, extra-curricular and sports competitions and events at different levels. Here's a detailed account of their achievements:

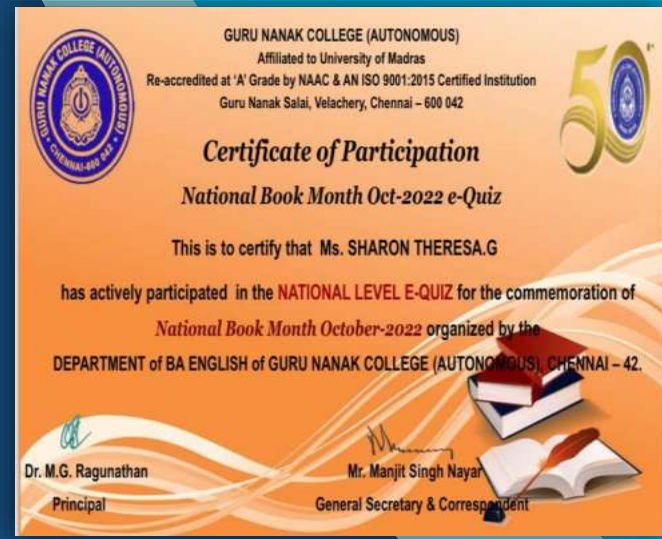
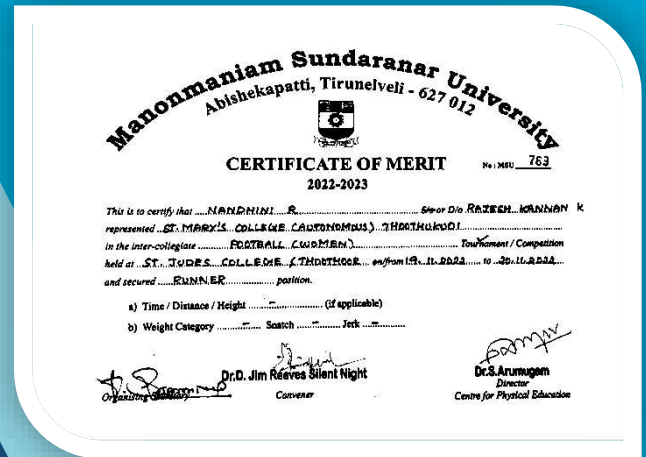
- ✚ **Nandhini R.** from II BA participated in a Walkathon event organized by the S.P. Office in Thoothukudi on August 12, 2022.
- ✚ **Kalaivani M.**, from II MA, attended a Two-Day National Conference on *Avant-Garde Interpretations of Theories in English Language and Literature*, hosted by the Department of English, St. Mary's College, on September 6 and 7, 2022. She also took part in a *Literary Parade* at Annai Hajira Women's College, Tirunelveli, on September 29, 2022.
- ✚ **Srikeerthanalakshmi D.**, also from II MA, participated in the same conference and presented a paper on *Immigrants' Adversities in Anita Desai's Bye-Bye Black Bird*.



Toda Mund & Shrine

**Exemplary Performers of the Year**

- Ashwini M.** from II MA attended the same conference and presented a paper on *Elements of Postcolonialism in Amitav Ghosh's The Shadow Lines*. Additionally, she won first prize in the Verse Writing competition held at Annai Hajira Women's College, Tirunelveli, on September 29, 2022.
- Divya Dibashini S.** from II MA participated in the conference and won the Best Paper Award for her presentation on *Death Takes a Holiday: A Comedy in Three Acts – A Psychological Conflict Narrative*, based on the translation of Walter Ferris. She also won second prize in a Story Writing competition at Annai Hajira Women's College.
- Agnes Jeba S.** from II MA attended the conference and presented a paper on *Subordination of Women in Margaret Atwood's The Handmaid's Tale*. She also won first prize in a Drama competition at Annai Hajira Women's College.
- Other students, such as **Jessy S., Sakthi Bhavani S., Brightlin Leema W., Abarna M., and Saral Leon A.,** also participated in the conference.
- On October 20, 2022, students including **Kalaivani M., Jessy S., Sakthi Bhavani S., and Brightlin Leema W.** attended a National Seminar on *Representations of Voices in New Literature* at Kamaraj College, Thoothukudi.
- Antony Steniba B.** from I MA won first prize in a Tableau competition at Holy Cross Arts and Science College for Women, Nagercoil, on October 7, 2022.
- Various II BA students participated in a range of events such as the *Diasporic Dreaming and Post-Colonial Imagination* event on October 7, 2022, and a Rejigging Programme organized by the Center for Human Excellence at St. Mary's College on October 21, 2022.
- Several students, including **Sharon Theresa G., Sahaya Snowfa M., and Gracelin Jeba M.,** participated in a Quiz competition for National Book Month held at Guru Nanak College, Chennai, on October 31, 2022.



- ✚ Many students took part in an *Awareness Quiz on Reformation Day* at St. John’s College, Tirunelveli, on November 14, 2022.
- ✚ **Sindhuja S.**, a student from the English department, attended an international webinar on *Comprehending Cultural Differences between India and France* organized by the Department of French on December 17, 2022. She also participated in a national webinar on *Mental Health through Cyber Security and Safe Social Media* on February 8, 2023, organized by the Department of Psychology.
- ✚ Several students from I B.A. English participated in various events during the *Marian Art Fest* held on December 15-16, 2022, at St. Mary’s College. **Ashika Sweety A.** participated in group dance and fusion feat events, **Fathima Shahina M.**, **Sri Abinaya S.**, and **Mumina Ashifa S.** participated in the Rangoli event, and **Snowfa Fantina S.** took part in an *Art from Waste* competition. **Liniciba A.** won first prize for Aari work, while **Sr. Sheeba J.** and **Niki Conzaha M.** secured first prize in flower arrangement.
- ✚ In the same Marian Art Fest, **Vidharshana G.** won third prize for her performance in the *Comedy Track* event. Additionally, several students took part in events like vegetable carving, rangoli, and dance.
- ✚ **Ashika Sweety A.** also participated in group dance events at St. Mary’s College on December 16, 2022. Other students from I B.A. English such as **Janisha A.** and **Jesu Tribina B.** attended a French international webinar co-organized by St. Mary’s College and Holy Cross College, Nagercoil, on December 17, 2022.
- ✚ On January 31, 2023, many I B.A. English students participated in a debate competition organized by Federal Bank, Tamil Nadu, at St. Mary’s College. Notable participants include **Karunya F.**, **Maria Therasal S.M.A.**, and **Vidharshana G.**.



- ✚ In sports events, **Esabella Rani J.** won second place in handball, **Maria Therasal S.M.A.** secured second place in basketball, and **Niki Conzaha M.** won first place in table tennis doubles during the 66th Annual Sports Meet held at St. Mary's College on February 18, 2023.
- ✚ **Heavena S.** from III B.A. English excelled in chess and won first prize at the same Annual Sports Meet, while **Vesta Serapha F.** won first prizes in essay writing, elocution, and poetry writing, achieving.
- ✚ **Vesta Serapha F.** was awarded the *Best Outgoing Student Award* on March 22, 2023
- ✚ **Apshan M.**, a student from II M.A. English, achieved the Topper of Top 1% award for the *NPTEL-Effective Writing Course* from SWAYAM, a national platform, in January-February 2023.
- ✚ Other students from II B.A. English, such as **Sindhuja S.**, participated in a poster painting competition, while **Deshaniya R.** and **Jaffrin Jenifer** took part in quiz competitions during National Youth Week 2023.
- ✚ **Karunya F** showcased her talents by securing third prize in the State-level Vigilance Awareness Week and first prize in the State Intercollegiate Literary Tableau.
- ✚ In the sports arena, **Nikiconzaha** represented our institution in Table Tennis, securing fourth place at the University level women's competition.
- ✚ **C. Jesintha Joselin** excelled at the Intercollegiate HAJI-LIT'22 event, winning both first prize in CROSS LINKS-2022 and second prize in another category. At the same event, **Divya Dibashini** earned a second prize, while **M. Ashwini** secured first prize in her category.
- ✚ **Vesta Serapha F** had an outstanding year with multiple accomplishments. She won first prizes at the District level in both Energy Conservation Week 2022 and TMB Foundation Day-101. At the state level SPRINGS 2K22, she secured both second and third prizes. She further demonstrated her

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capabilities by winning first and second prizes in the State Vigilance Awareness Week, and also secured first prize in the Intercollegiate HAJI-LIT'22.

✚ In the state-level SPRINGS 2K22 competition, **I. Vijayasri** and **D. Sneha** both earned second prizes in their respective categories. Sneha D performed exceptionally well in the HAJI-LIT'22 CROSS LINKS-2022, winning first prize and two second prizes.

✚ **S. Blessi** contributed to the institution's achievements by securing third prize in the Intercollegiate HAJI-LIT'22 CROSS LINKS-2022.

✚ **S. Bhuvana** demonstrated versatility by winning second prize in the same event and also securing first prize in the District level Annual Training Camp NCC.

✚ **Vaishnavi Thamizhkodi** made a remarkable impact at the Intercollegiate HAJI-LIT'22 by winning first prize twice. **J. Jaffrin Jenifer** also performed admirably, securing third prize in the Intercollegiate Competition-2022 and both first and third prizes in the HAJI-LIT'22 CROSS LINKS-2022.

✚ The State Vigilance Awareness Week saw additional successes with **J. Klency** winning second prize and **S. Leebee Selvaa** securing third prize.

These achievements reflect our students' dedication and excellence across various domains including academic competitions, cultural events, and sports activities. The success in events ranging from district to state level demonstrates the comprehensive development and competitive spirit of our students.

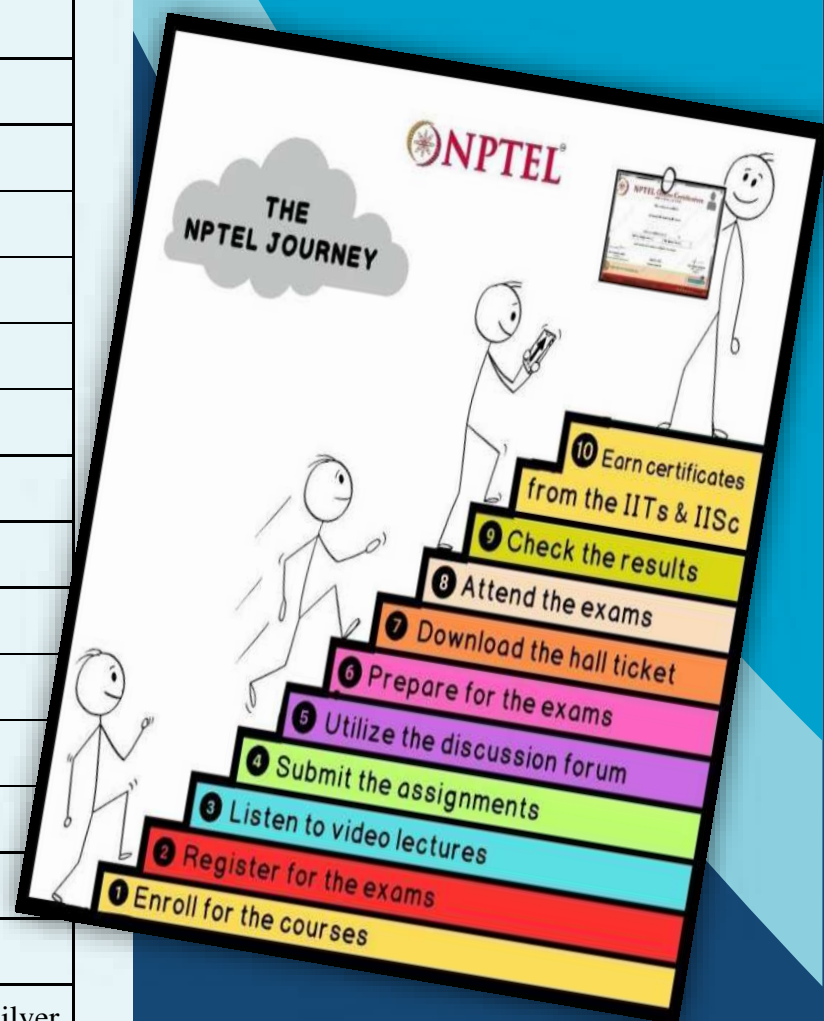




## MooC and NPTEL

The students of II M. A. English attended MooC course titled, **Short Fiction in Indian Literature** with subject code NOC22HS99 in the duration of 12 weeks (July - October 2022)

S. No	Reg. No	Student Name	Status
1	21APEN01	Abarna M	Elite+Silver
2	21APEN02	Agnes Jeba S	Elite
3	21APEN03	Anusuya G	Elite
4	21APEN04	Ashwini M	Elite
5	21APEN05	Brightlin Leema W	Elite
6	21APEN07	Devadharshini Benitta J	Elite
7	21APEN08	Divine Thendral A	Elite
8	21APEN10	Jesintha Joselin C	Elite
9	21APEN11	Jessy S	Elite
10	21APEN12	Joshi L	Elite
11	21APEN13	Kalaivani M	Elite
12	21APEN14	Malini Devi S	Elite
13	21APEN15	Margaret Merlin J	Elite
14	21APEN16	Merlin A	Elite
15	21APEN17	Miracline B	Elite
16	21APEN19	Rani Shellocious Rachel J	Elite
17	21APEN20	Sahaya Princy R	Elite
18	21APEN21	Sakthi Bhavani S	Elite
19	21APEN22	Saral Leon A	Elite+Silver
20	21APEN23	Seles S	Elite
21	21APEN24	Selsia S	Elite
22	21APEN26	Sherlay S	Elite
23	21APEN27	Srikeerthanalakshmi D	Elite
24	21APEN29	Yamuna Devi M	Elite



The students of I M. A. English attended MooC course titled, **Short Fiction in Indian Literature** with subject code NOC22HS99 in the duration of 12 weeks (July - October 2022)

S. No	Reg. No	Student Name	Status
1	22APEN02	Antony Abisha.M	Completed
2	22APEN04	Anu Malika.M	Elite
3	22APEN06	Ashmitha Chellam. C	Topper of Top 5%
4	22APEN06	Elzi Jayaseeli.J	Completed
5	22APEN12	Mariya Tiffany.A	Completed
6	22APEN13	Mathuri. Y	Elite
7	22APEN14	Meribatin.A	Elite
8	22APEN15	Muthusweatha.S	Elite
9	22APEN16	Nallal Esther Joyce.J	Elite
10	22APEN17	Prasanna.S	Elite
11	22APEN18	Sneka.R	Elite

The students of I M. A. English attended MooC course titled, **History of English Language and Literature** with subject code NOC22HS102 in the duration of 12 weeks (July - October 2022)

S. No	Reg. No	Student Name	Status
1	22APEN03	Antony Steniba.B	Elite
2	22APEN05	Apshan.M	Elite
3	22APEN11	Mari Priyadharshini. S	Completed
4	22APEN19	Steffe Sharon.V	Completed

Apshan.M of I M. A. English also attended MooC courses titled, **The 19<sup>th</sup> century English Novel and Effective Writing** in the duration of 12 weeks (July - October 2022) and 4 weeks (Jan- Feb 2023).



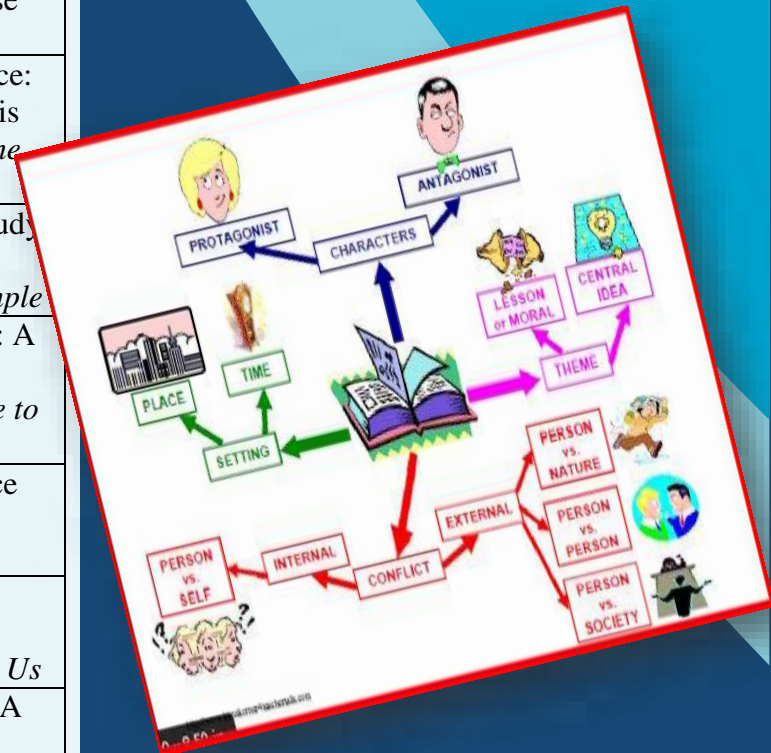
## Spoken English Viva

The Spoken English Viva was conducted for all the first year and second year undergraduate students at the end of the Even semester. The viva was conducted for the first year undergraduate students on 3.4.2023. The viva was conducted for the second year undergraduate students on 5.4.2023.

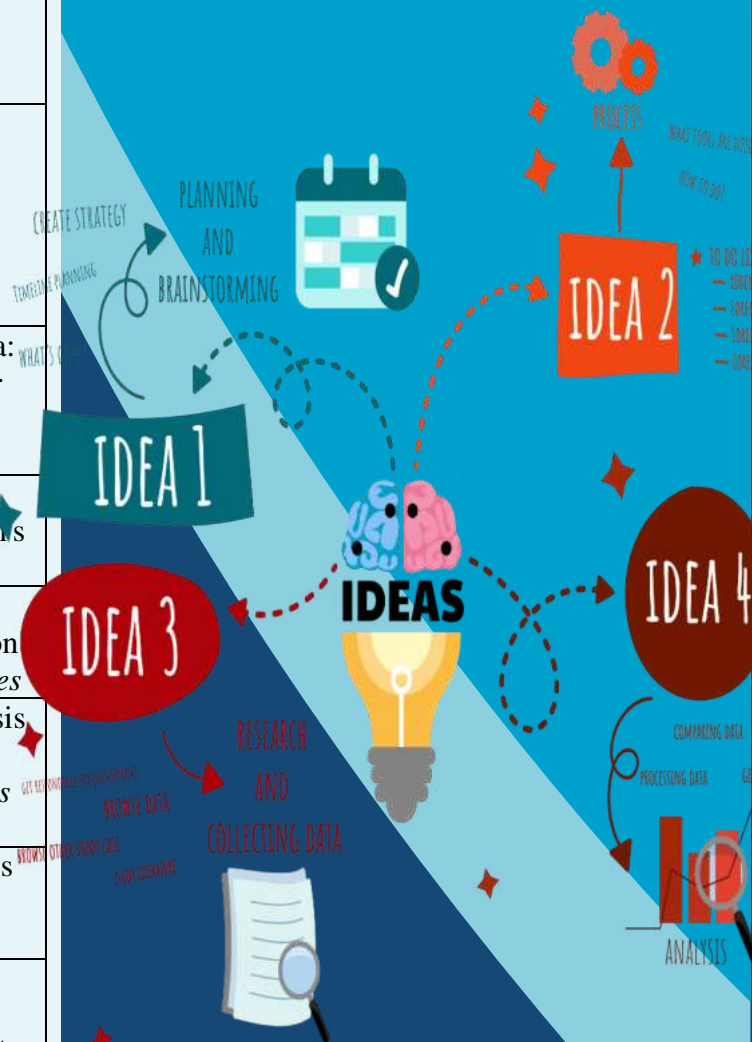
## PG Projects

A total of 27 post graduate students of II M.A. English Literature submitted the projects. The details are as follows:

Reg No.	Name of the candidate	Project Title
21APEN01	Abarna.M	Jennifer Niven's <i>All the Bright Places: A Behavioral Study on the Manifestation of Abuse and Loss</i>
21APEN02	Agnes Jeba.S	Expedition of Existence: An Ecological Analysis of Kristin Hannah's <i>The Four Winds</i>
21APEN03	Anusuya. G	A Psychoanalytical study of Sudha Murthy's <i>The Magic of the Lost Temple</i>
21APEN04	Ashwini. M	Redefining Blackness: A Diasporic Study of Claude Mckay's <i>Home to Harlem</i>
21APEN05	Brightlin Leema. W	Rebellion and Defiance in Hawthorne's <i>The Scarlet Letter</i>
21APEN07	Devadharshini Benitta. J	Trauma and Domestic violence in Colleen Hoover's <i>It Ends With Us</i>
21APEN08	Divine Thendral. A	Breaking the Silence: A Study of Shashi Deshpande's <i>That Long Silence.</i>
21APEN09	Divya Dibashini. S	Exploring Magical Realism in Walter Ferris' <i>Death Takes a Holiday: A Three Act Play</i> , The English Translation of



		Alberto Casella's <i>La Morte in Vacanza</i>
21APEN10	Jesintha Joselin C	The Destructive Legacy of Slavery: An Analytical study of Toni Morrison's <i>Beloved</i>
21APEN11	Jessy.S	From Personal Shame to Post-apartheid Regrets: An analysis of J.M.Coetzee's <i>Disgrace</i>
21APEN12	Joshi.L	Mapping the Generational Conflict between the Patriarchy and the Resistance : A Study of Anita Desai's <i>Fasting, Feasting</i>
21APEN13	Kalaivani.M	Andrew Morton's <i>Diana: Her True Story - In Her Own Words: A Psychological Study</i>
21APEN14	Malini Devi.M	Resisting Patriarchal Oppression in Etaf Rums <i>A Woman Is No Man</i>
21APEN15	Margaret Merlin.J	Transgenerational Traumas and Dislocation Hala Alyan's <i>Salt Houses</i>
21APEN16	Merlin.A	A Psycho-social Analysis of Githa Hariharan's <i>When Dreams Travel As a Quest Narrative</i>
21APEN17	Miracline.B	Articulating the Agonies of Untouchables in Bama's <i>Karukku</i>
21APEN18	Muthulakshmi.N	Food crisis and Humanistic concern in Kamala Markandaya's <i>A Handful of Rice</i>
21APEN19	Rani Shellicious Rachel.J	Metaphysical Exploration of The Self: A formalistic Study of Frances Hodgson Burnett's <i>The Secret Garden</i>
21APEN20	Sahaya Princy.R	Diaspora and Cultural Hybridity: A Study of the First and Second Generation Immigrants in Jhumpa Lahiri's <i>The Namesake</i> .
21APEN21	Sakthi Bhavani.S	Ethics of Alterity: A Psychological Reading of Paula Hawkins' <i>The Girl on the Train</i>



21APEN22	Saral Leon.A	Breaking the Barriers: A Reading of Gita Hariharan's <i>The Thousand Faces of Night</i> .
21APEN23	Seles.S	Deconstructing Holocaust Consciousness: Re-reading Jerzy Kosinski's <i>The Painted Bird</i>
21APEN24	Selsia.S	Pre eminence of Reason and Intelligence in William Golding's <i>Lord of the Flies</i>
21APEN25	Shanthinee.D	Rehumanising Humanity: Psychoanalytic Reflections on Memory and Trauma in Elif Shafak's <i>10 Minutes 38 Seconds in This Strange World</i>
21APEN26	Sheraly.S	A Postcolonial Study of Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie's <i>Purple Hibiscus</i>
21APEN27	Srikeerthanalakshmi.D	Psychological Realism in Fyodor Dostoevsky's <i>Crime and Punishment</i>
21APEN29	Yamuna Devi.M	Odyssey of the Santhal tribes : A Study of Hansda Sowvendra Shekhar's <i>The Adivasi Will Not Dance</i> .



### III UG and II PG Pass Percentage

III B. A. English	100%
II M. A. English	100%



## NTA NET- Competitive Examination

S. Agnes Jeba and M. Aswini of M.A. English Literature (2021-2023 batch) have cleared NTA NET.



**CONGRATULATIONS**

## Placement

Name of the Students Placed	Name of the Employer with Contact Details	Package Received	Programme Graduated from
Cigorniya. M	Freelance Content Writer, Egrove Systems, Madurai	Rs.25,000/-	M. A.
Nancy Carmel. D	Assistant Professor, PET Arts and Science College, Valliyur	Rs.11,000/-	M. A.
Smeha John Machado	Assistant Professor, Kamaraj College, Thoothukudi	Rs.12,000/-	M. A.
Qunista. A	Teacher, Kamal School, Thoothukudi	Rs. 10,000/-	M. A.

## Higher Education

S. Agnes Jeba of II M.A. English pursues her Ph D research programme in Sarah Tucker College (Autonomous), Tirunelveli.

The table below displays III B.A. English students future plans for higher education

Reg No	Name	Name of the program admitted	Name and Place of the institution joined
20AUEN01	Abilasha M	Bank Exam	The Chennai School Of Banking and Management, Chennai
20AUEN02	Akshaya V	M.A.Public Relations	Stella Maris College, Chennai
20AUEN04	Arcika G	MA English	V.O.Chidambaram college, Thoothukudi
20AUEN08	Berneth Mistica P	M.A. French	Madurai Kamaraj University
20AUEN09	Bhuvanaa S	CDS and CAPF Preparation Hub	ACE Institute
20AUEN10	Blessi S	M.A. English	St.Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN11	Esakki Tharunya R	M.A. French	Madurai Kamaraj University
20AUEN13	Gladys Rojitha R J	B.ED	V.O.Chidambaram college
20AUEN14	Gods Spiritny B	B.ED	St.Thomas college
20AUEN17	Heavena S	M.A English	Holy cross college ( Autonomous) Nagarcoil
20AUEN19	Jemema J	MA English literature	St.Mary's college autonomus
20AUEN20	Jenitta S	M.A. English Literature	St. Mary's College(Autonomous)
20AUEN25	Jordan Ruth Mitra N	IELTS and GMAT coaching	Texas Review Coaching Centre, Coimbatore
20AUEN26	Jose Magrina J	M.A.English Literature	V.O.Chidambaram College,Thoothukudi
20AUEN29	Jumana Hasin M H	M.A. English Literature	St.Mary's College(Autonomous),Tuticorin
20AUEN32	Krithika K	MBA	Fatima College
20AUEN34	Lourde Tatina L	M.A English Literature	St. Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN35	Lourdhu Selcia J	B.Ed	St.Thomas College of Education
20AUEN36	Maria Jessica Janein B	B.Ed	St.Thomas College of Education
20AUEN38	Maria Kate Winslet V	M.A English	St.Mary's college (Autonomous)
20AUEN39	Maria Remencia S	M.A English	St.Mary's college (Autonomous)
20AUEN40	Maria Thibursis Prasanna V	B.Ed	
20AUEN41	Maria Thrace Blesida J	M.A. English Literature	St. Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN42	Mariya Vinotha S	B.Ed	
20AUEN44	Mary Franciba S	M.A English Literature	
20AUEN45	Mercy Daisy Lilly S J	B.Ed	Waiting for counselling
20AUEN46	Merlin Rebeka R	B.Ed	
20AUEN49	Packia Kegitha L	Preparing for police exam	Muppada training academy
20AUEN50	Pavithra E	M.A English	St.Mary's College (Autonomous) Tuticorin
20AUEN51	Rose Bella S	B Ed	
20AUEN52	Sahaya Anbu S	M.A English	Holy cross college (AUTONOMOUS) Trichy
20AUEN54	Sakthi Priya K	M.A English	St.Mary's college Autonomous, Thoothukudi
20AUEN58	Sneha D	B. Ed	Annammal College of Education
20AUEN60	Snow Amilda Fernando A	MA English Literature	St. Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN61	Steenaa B	M.A. English	St.Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN65	Tharani P	M.A. English	St.Mary's College ( Autonomous)
20AUEN68	Veronica Berlin H	B.Ed	St.Thomas college
20AUEN69	Vesta Serapha F	M. A. English	St. Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN70	Vibinsa B	M.A.English Literature	St.John's college,Thirunelveli
20AUEN71	Vidhya R	M. A. English	St. Mary's College (Autonomous)
20AUEN72	Vijayasri I	M. A. English	St. Mary's College (Autonomous)

