



St. MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

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(Thoothukudi – 628 001. Tamil Nadu, India)

(Affiliated to Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli)

Department of History

Community Development Programme

2020– 2021

In the academic year 2020-21, Covid-19 pandemic has to an extent affected the direct activities of CDP. In the pandemic era also, department conducted various activities in online mode. Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and Community Development Programme, Department of History of St. Mary's College (Autonomous), Thoothukudi organized a three day Hands on training on Diversified Eco-friendly products at Tharuvaikulam from February 17th February to 19th February 2021. The free training was aimed to develop entrepreneurship skill among the rural women. More than 20 women benefitted. Fr. Edward of Tharuvaikulam, Mr. Maharaja, the village head, Mr. Christopher and Mr. Chithanandan of We can Trust NGO, Rev. Sr. Kenzi, Mother superior of St. Mary's Convent, Dr. Sr. S. Kulandai Therese, CDP Co-ordinator of St. Mary's College, BeulineRegi, Assistant coordinator of CDP and Ms. KeerthanaSanthosh, CDP Staff Incharge of History department, students and villagers attended the programme. Certificates were issued for those who have completed the training. The products made during the training were displayed and the training was extremely useful for the people.



Trainer Ms. X. Rajathi giving training to rural women (17.02.2021-19.02.2021)



Participants with Certificates

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan of St Mary's College (Autonomous) Thoothukudiorganised a 12 days training program on jute products at Tharuvaikulam from 12th April 2021 to 24th April 2021 as part of the Marine Ponmagal Scheme. The free training was aimed to develop entrepreneurship skill among the rural women. The programme was sponsored by the Perennial Assistance Fund of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan. More than 20 women were benefitted. Mohandass Samuel, lawyer and founder of All Can Trust was the chief guest. Fr. Edward of Tharuvaikulam, Mr. Maharaja, the village head, Dr. Sr. A. S. J. Lucia Rose, the principal of St. Mary's, Dr. Sr. S. Kulandai Therese, UBA coordinator of St. Mary's College, Keerthana Santhosh, Assistant Professor and UBA Coordinator of History department, Dr. G. Priscilla Pacifica, Assistant professor of Mathematics, students and villagers attended the programme. Certificates were issued for those who have completed the training. The products made during the training were displayed as well. The training was extremely useful for the people. The programme was attended by students of St. Mary's and people from Tharuvaikulam.



Participants displaying products