

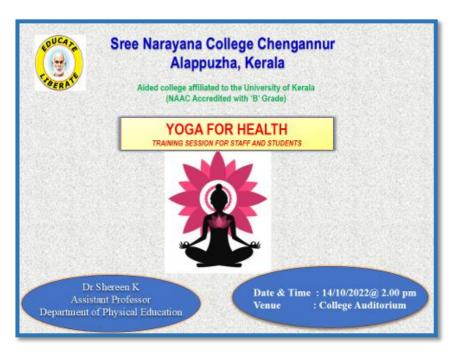
Sree Narayana College Chengannur Alapuzha, Kerala

2022-23

5.1.2 Report on Programmes /activities conducted to enhance Soft skills, Language and Communication skills, and Life skills 2022-23

1. YOGA AND PHYSICAL FITNESS 14/10/2022

IQAC in association with the Health Club of Sree Narayana College Chengannur has conducted a Yoga Class for teachers on 14/10/22 at 3 pm. Dr. Shereen K, Head, Department of Physical Education handled the session. She delivered a brief description of various 'yogasanas' and demonstrated various 'asanas'. The teachers followed her instructions and practiced yoga. At the end of the session Dr. Jisha Sreedharan acknowledged Dr Shereen K for the efforts she took to handle the class.







Yoga Class By Dr. Shereen K (Principal-in-Charge SNC Chengannur)

2. YOUNG EDU TECH MEET-2022 23/11/2022

Department of Economics in collaboration with Sastra Foundations organised an online Edu Tech Meet "Start Up Skill Development & Entrepreneurship Mission". This webinar provides an opportunity for our students to listen and interact with the key personalities of the 3 promising Edu tech companies



3. ONLINE WEBINAR ON ENTREPRENEURIAL OPPORTUNITIES & PROSPECTS IN KERALA, 26/12/2023

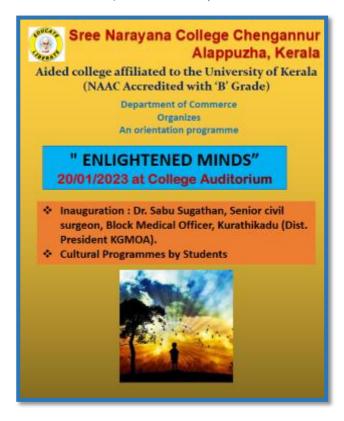
Department of Economics in collaboration with Sastra Foundations -Culture Historical Research & Responsible Tourism Mission organised an Online Webinar on Responsible Tourism:

Entrepreneurial Opportunities & Prospects in Kerala. This webinar provided an opportunity for our students to listen and interact with the key personalities in this field.



4. "ENLIGHTENED MINDS"

An orientation programme" Enlightened Minds" was organised by Department of Commerce on 20th January 2023 from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm. The session was inaugurated by Dr. Sabu Sugathan, Senior civil surgeon, Block Medical Officer, Kurathikadu (Dist. President KGMOA).





Enlightened Minds Inauguration and paper cutting

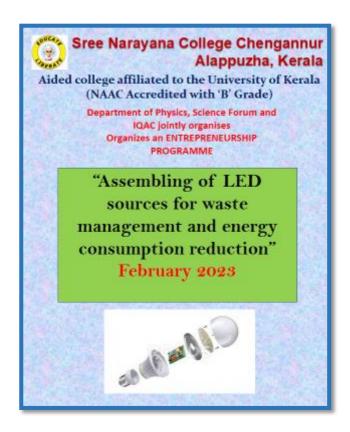
5. FOOD FEST 21/02/2023

FOOD FEST was organized by Commerce Association and Department of Commerce on 21st February 2023. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Shereen K (Principal in Charge, Sree Narayana College, Chengannur). Teaching, non-teaching staff and students were participated in this programme. Foods of all kinds starting from short eats to full meals are on sale in the fest. Traditional foods of Kerala were prepared by the students and was placed for sale.



6. ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAMME CONDUCTED BY DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS 25/02/2023

Entrepreneurship Programme on "Assembling of LED sources for waste management and energy consumption reduction" was jointly conducted by the Post Graduate Department of Physics, Science forum and IQAC for UG and PG students in the month of February 2023.

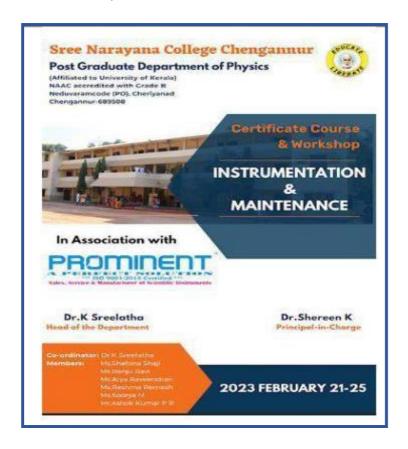




Assembling of LED

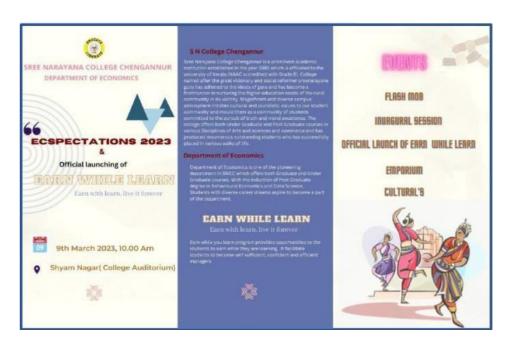
7. WORKSHOP ON INSTRUMENTATION AND MAINTENANCE

Industrial Training and Certificate Course organized by post graduate department of physics & IQAC in association with Prominent, Kozhikode



8. ECSPECTATIONS 2023 & Official Launching of "EARN WHILE LEARN"

Department of Economics has organised a programme on ECSPECTATIONS 2023 and an official launching of "Earn While Learn" was done on 9th March 2023 at 10 am at College Auditorium & Class rooms C1, C3, C4. The inauguration was done by Dr. Shereen K, Principal in Charge. The programme was presided over by Smt. Sreedevi Gopalakrishnan. Dr. Smitha Sasidharan (IQAC Coordinator) and Smt. Sincy B have delivered felicitations. As part of the programme students arranged various stalls on handicrafts, fish stall and food stall. Students prepared articles, materials and food items and put on sale.







ECSPECTATIONS- activities

9. LIFE SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME 13/032023

As a part of the skill development programme, the Department of Chemistry has organized a one-day programme, on 13/03/2023. The programme was a joint venture with the Women's study unit and IQAC of the college. The former Head, Department of Chemistry, Dr. (Prof.) Sheela S. Fernandez was the resource person of the programme.





Vegetable carving demonstration

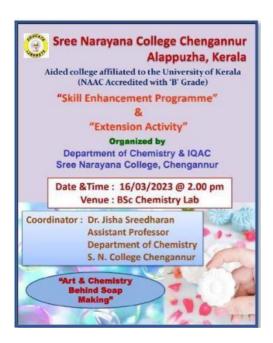


Flower arrangement class

10. SKILL ENHANCEMENT PROGRAMM-SOAP MAKING 16/03/2023

The Department of Chemistry has organized a skill development programme and extension activity on Soap Making, on 16/03/2023. The programme was co-ordinated by Dr. Jisha Sreedharan, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry.

A separate session, explaining the theory of soaps and detergents, was followed by the training session of soaps and detergents making. The students of the college, nearby institutions and the public (with limited participation) was benefitted from this training.





Inauguration of the session by Dr. Shereen K



Dr. Jisha Sreedharan demonstrates soap making process

11. YOUNG INNOVATORS PROGRAMME (YIP)

Sree Narayana College, Chengannur actively participating K-DISC's Young Innovative Programme. Coordinator of the Programme is Dr. Nishad A, Assistant

Professor, Dept. of Commerce. YIP Committee includes the Principal as the Head and all other Dept. Heads as the members of the committee. K-DISC's Young Innovators Programme (YIP) is set to enter an exciting new chapter with the announcement of the program's second edition through 2022. Keeping with the true intent of the vision of the program – to expose young students to the cycle of innovation and to promote a culture of Innovation in Kerala, YIP 2022 is designed to create a deeper imprint on the academic system in the state. The term "Young Innovators Program" is quite broad and can refer to different initiatives and programs aimed at fostering innovation among young individuals. These programs often provide resources, mentorship, and opportunities for young people to develop their innovative ideas and turn them into impactful projects or businesses. Young Innovators Competitions are competitions that invite young innovators to present their ideas or projects in various fields such as technology, science, social entrepreneurship, or sustainable development.

Orientation Programme

On 3rd April 2023 at Sree Narayana College conducted an online orientation programme by YIP districtrict co-ordinator Ms. Shamil M and it was a highly informative session for the students. A Young Innovators Students Orientation Program is an initiative designed to introduce young students to the world of innovation, entrepreneurship, and problem-solving.



Students are introduced to the concept of innovation, its importance in today's world, and how innovation can address real-world challenges. They learned about the different forms of innovation, such as technological, social, or business innovation. Students are guided through

the process of generating ideas and understanding the principles of design thinking. They learned how to identify problems, brainstorm creative solutions, and prototype their ideas. Students are exposed to the fundamentals of entrepreneurship, including aspects such as market research, business models, finance, and marketing. They learn about the entrepreneurial mindset and the process of turning ideas into viable business ventures.

12. REPORT ON REMEDIAL CLASS - 2022-2023

Remedial coaching classes were carried out for slow learners to identify their weaknesses and strengthen the areas where they are in lack. All the departments of the college conduct remedial classes for all semester and students are benefited out of the session. Systematic coaching classes for needy students will help them to perform better in their examinations. Remedial classes include organized teaching hours, repeated examinations, and mentoring sessions. The classes helped students to enhance their performances. The slow learners were identified by entry-level test and decided to give remedial classes from 3 pm-4 pm three days a week.



13. REPORT ON BRIDGE COURSE

The Department of Physics, Chemistry, Commerce, English and Economics organized a one-week duration bridge course to provide a foundation in the core subjects for the new students (2022-2025 Batch). Bridge course will help the students to have a smooth transition fromplus—two classes to the first-degree course. As per the decision of college, the departments organised one hour classes after the regular academic hours. The learner understood the concepts, the basics rules and procedures. The practical skill of the students also improved.



14. ICT TOOLS USED

Teachers use information and communication technology to effectively teach the curriculum. The selected classrooms are equipped with wall-mounted projectors. The smartboard and laptops are available to teachers for instruction as needed. Teachers use various educational technologies to support instruction. From 2020-21, due to the limitations of COVID -19, faculty primarily used online technologies such as YouTube, Google Meet, and Zoom to deliver regular lectures. Study materials are shared via Google Classroom. To supplement and encourage continuous internal assessment, various departments use KAHOOT software to conduct online quizzes. The college has subscribed to N-List (E-Journals E Books). The library is automated with the integrated library management system "Granthasoft".

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5.1.2 Language and Communication skills (2018-23)

The Department of English has been a part of the college since its inception in 1981 under the Sree Narayana Trusts, Kollam. Highly qualified English teachers have been handling English classes since then and the department has been reaching out to the students of all mains including BA Economics, B.Sc. Mathematics, BSc Physics and BSc Chemistry, and BCom. The department has been making conscious efforts to improve the English language skills of the students of this college who come from different levels of socio-economic backgrounds. With the emergence of English as a global lingua franca, English language skills have become vital for the current generation of students. As large number of students from rural areas are seen to be weak in English language skills, teachers of the department have been conducting remedial classes for them. Even in the absence of B.A. English Language and Literature course, the Department of English continues to play a vital role of imparting the knowledge of English to students of this college. The Department of English strives to equip the students by providing English language skill activities for improving their language skills. For achieving this goal the department conducts various programmes and classes online/offline for improving their four language skills for the past five years.

Providing practice materials and activities

Practice is essential to build vocabulary and develop your English communication skills. These activities help to accelerate English speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills. Teachers expose the students to tremendous practice materials available free online practice tests and offline study materials and physical classes

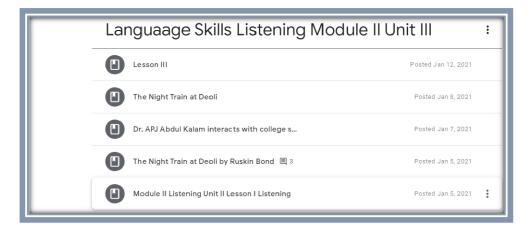
Activities

Various fun activities like word games, jokes, riddles, rhymes, songs, and tongue twisters give the students to learn the English language easily. Students are exposed to YouTube videos, guiding students to attend webinars of international universities like Oxford, Cambridge, etc. These activities prepare the students to be more updated and engaged in language skill activities.

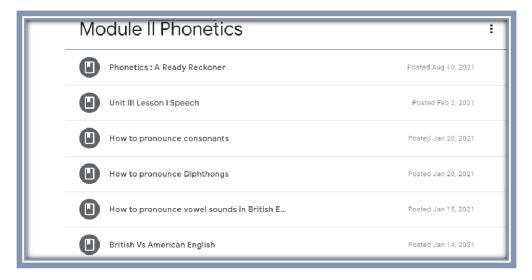


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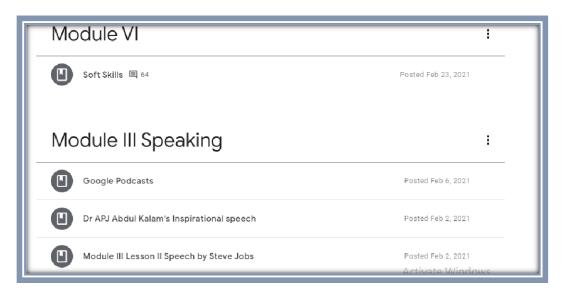
Google Classroom was created for the ease of study and delivery of study materials.



Study materials - sample screen picture



Speaking Skill activities- sample screen picture

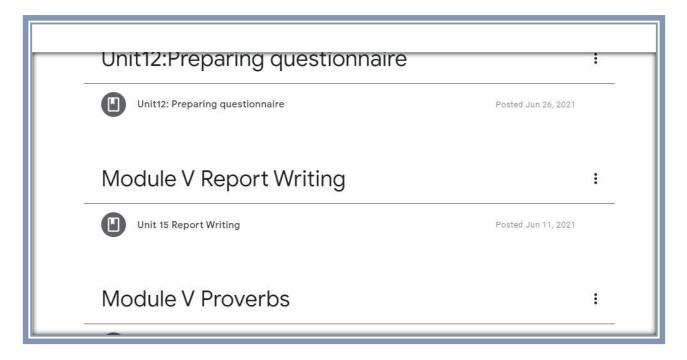


Speaking Skill activities- sample screen picture

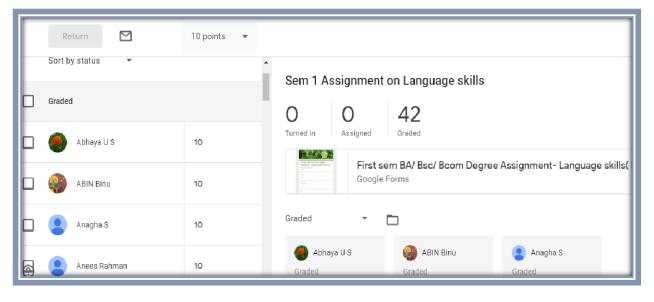
Reading Skills

Reading skills are abilities that pertain to a person's capacity to read, comprehend, interpret and decode written language and texts. Exceptional reading skills can be highly beneficial to assimilating and responding to written communications like emails, messages, letters and other

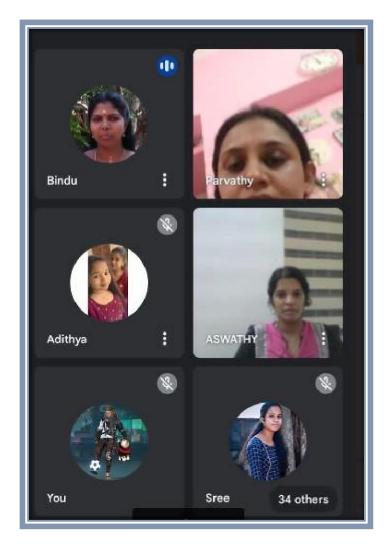
written messages. Faculties teach theories of reading and give them activities to achieve their goals in reading skills.



Writing Skill activities provided sample screen picture



Assignment sample screen picture



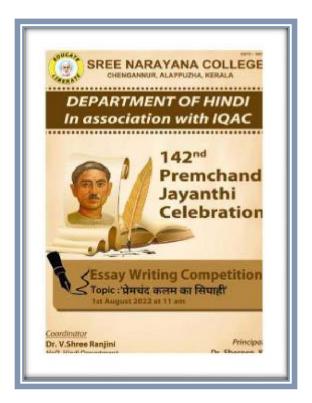
Online class on Writing skills- Ms Parvathy Ramachandran Assistant Professor and Writer, Department of English



Class on Interview Skills – Ms Aswathy Raj, HoD of English Department

Munshi Premchand's 142nd Birth Anniversary (July 31, 2022)

The Hindi Department of Sree Narayana College, Chengannur celebrated the 142nd Birth Anniversary of Premchand by organising an "Essay Writing Competition" in Hindi for all the UG students. The Topic given for the contest was "Premchand: Kalam Ka Sipahi." Anagha V. S. (I BCom), Amjith S.(I BSc Chemistry) and Aswin R. Chandran (I BCom) bagged the first, second and third prize respectively.

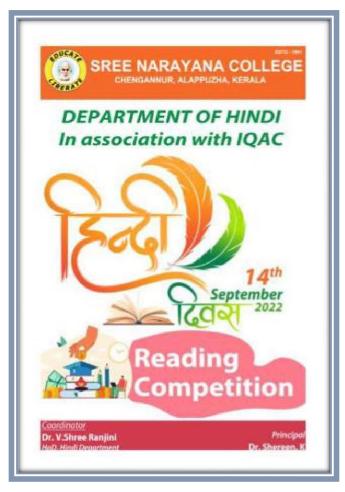




Essay Writing Competition

National Hindi Day (September 14, 2022)

To promote Hindi Language, the Hindi Department of Sree Narayana College, Chengannur organised "Hindi Book Reading Competition" for all UG students. Abhilash Prabhakaran (I BCom), Aneesh R (IBA Economics) and Aswin S (I B A Economics) bagged the first, second and third prize for the best Hindi Reader respectively.







Reading Competition

Reading Challenge in Malayalam (27/6/22)

A reading competition in Malayalam was also organized which aims to motivate the students to improve their Malayalam reading skills like their pronunciation, intonation, stress etc. The student participation was very high and students were actively participated in the programme. Parvathy S

Kumar from Msc Physics bagged first place and Varsha Rajesh from third year B.Com bagged second prize.



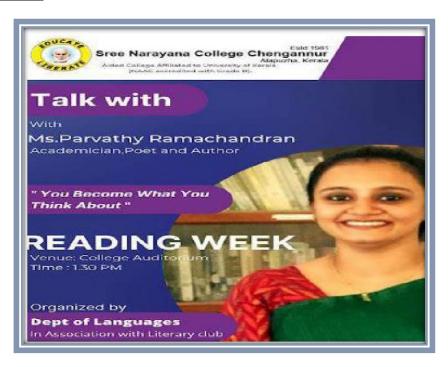


Reading Contest



Prize distribution to the winners of Reading Challenge Competition

Talk with writer



A talk with Ms Parvathy Ramachandran, academician, poet and author was also organized on the topic "You Become What You Think about". Students from various actively interacted with Ms

Parvathy. She showed the paths of writing to students. Students asked many doubts regarding writing process at the end of the session

Mathrubhumi Speech Series

SN College, Chengannur became a venue for Mathrubhumi international literary fest- Specch series MBIFL' 23. Mr Bipin Chandran eminent writer & novelist delivered a lecture on: "Ezhuthile kazhchappadum, kazhchayude ezhuthum". He emphasized that the perspective of writing is same because writing is the observations of a writer. But for cinema it is different because cinema depends upon one who enjoys that film. Student volunteer Mr. Adarsh T. S welcomed the gathering. The participation of students and public were appreciable, At the end of the lecture Dr Oommen Varghese, MD Oommen's Eye Hospital (sponsor of the programme) handed over memento to Mr. Bipin Chandran





Sree Narayana College Chengannur always gives higher priority to Language skills and soft skills and thus selected Reading (Vayichu Valaram: Read and Grow") and Yoga ("Yoga for Health") as Best Practices.

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