

Institutional Distinctiveness

Initiatives for Innovations in Modern Methods for Pedagogy:

The college strives to provide necessary support, facilities and infrastructure to the students to enable a holistic development and encourage them to pursue their studies to their full potential. The students of the college are from various socio-economic strata including first generation graduate students (Students who are the first in their families to enter the portals of college education). For those students who belong to the lower economic background, financial help is required to enable them to undertake/complete their education. It is also essential to ensure a level playing field for those students from the marginalised sections of society. With many distractions to the student's mind such as multimedia, there is a pressing need to provide a conducive learning atmosphere to the students thereby motivating them to excel in academics. It is also, essential that the students leaving the college are not just competent professionals, but also responsible citizens who contribute to the society.

To ensure that the students are able to pursue their education without any financial stress, the students are awarded scholarships under various categories such as merit, merit cum means, economic means, excellence in sports and NCC activities. The amount is a portion of the total tuition fees collected every year. Also, students are provided assistance for acquiring learning material. For this purpose, the college has a generous corpus. In addition to this, the college ensures smooth transfer of the government scholarships. Recognising the reputation of the college and contributing towards the noble cause of providing scholarships to the students of SVCE, private organisations like the CTS, Vasanth J Sheth Foundation, J R Charitable Trust, HIMT provide scholarships for the students. Students are also encouraged to receive scholarships from private charitable trusts set up for the purpose of the same. The needy students are also provided laptops at a discount and also to further ease the financial burden, the payments are made in 4 instalments.

To motivate the students to excel in academics, they are provided with state-of-the-art infrastructure. All the class rooms are provided with LCD projectors along with black board and chalk. Video lectures and study materials are uploaded in the college website. The college Library is equipped with print and e- learning materials.

The toppers in the Continuous Assessment Tests and in the End Semester Examinations are awarded for their achievements. In addition, departments have awards to motivate the excellent performers in their departments. Industrial visits are arranged every year to expose the students to the industrial practices relevant to their area of learning. Students are also encouraged to undergo internships in various industries during their vacation. Further, students are encouraged to enrol in online courses.

In the college, classes are being conducted in online mode due to the ongoing pandemic, students are actively encouraged to join additional online courses to gain a rich and wider knowledge in their areas of interest. Students and faculty have successfully completed online courses through the NPTEL platform from 2016-17 onwards. Majority of students were asked to mandatorily enrol in NPTEL courses as part of their curriculum for the year 2020-21.

Further in 2020-21, Coursera provided the students an opportunity to enrol in their programmes free of cost. More than 1845 students and faculty have been benefitted from the same and 1262 number of courses were certified by Coursera for our faculty and students. Also, the college conducts certificate courses in addition to the regular classes in various topics such as Financial Statement Analysis, Mathematics for AI & ML, Managerial Economics, Corporate Finance and Project Management with experts from NSE Academy, Madras School of Economics, Chennai, Presidency College, LIBA Chennai and Industry Expert as mentors. This has immensely helped students in getting admission to prestigious institution of the state.