



VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE

College with Potential Excellence

Residential & Autonomous – A Gurukula Institute of Life Training,

Affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University

Reaccredited with 'A' Grade (3.59 out of 4.00) by NAAC

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Details of the performance of the institution in one area distinctive to its vision, priority and thrust.

Vivekananda College is a residential College established under the Gurukula Pattern with a vision to make the students culturally fit to serve the society and to acquire leadership qualities. The college firmly believes in and stands for the words of Swami Vivekananda that “Education is the manifestation of perfection already in man”. It is through harmonious development of physical, emotional and intellectual facets of a student, his intellectual perfection can be achieved through a systematic routine in life.

The institution with its vision and mission has been established as an institution of life training and character building. The students shall fall in line with a well designed daily routine: the routine which starts from 4.45 a.m. in the early morning and ends at 9.30 p.m. in the night is an activity oriented routine which reflects physical, emotional and intellectual culture. Each of its activity inculcates a particular social and moral value in students. As such, the system is the co-existence of modern higher education with ancient gurukula life. The products of this institution are efficient and competent in the field of scholastic attainments in terms of values and overall development of personality.

Overall Personality Development

The way in which the students are trained through a well designed daily routine makes the curriculum strong not only in the context of academic performance but also in the context of personality development. The important components of personality development are physical culture which cultivated from this college through various physical activities not only makes the students physically fit but also it makes them prepare for uniform services and defence services, emotional culture enriched from this college through a set of spiritual activities directly or indirectly upholds moral strength among the students and promotes universal brotherhood in their life and intellectual culture excelled from this college through academic educative programmes but also inculcative programmes which act as a platform for the students to acquire and to manifest their skills, values and knowledge. The students realize that the overall personality development through life training and character building education is vital for success in their profession and in their personal life.

The students acquire number of qualities such as knowledge (academic programme), communication skills (English enrichment camp), self confidence (daily activities), health (wholesome hand pound rice and ragi malt), interest (student-teacher relationship), cheerfulness and friendliness (living together), morality (no scope for negative thoughts), maturity (behavioural reforms), time management (falling in line with daily routine), public speech (Articulation and Idea Fixation classes), leadership quality (being a captain for various activities in rotation) and discipline (the residual part of the gurukula pattern of life). Thus, the goals and objectives of the institution have been the motivating factors for self development and empowerment of the students with competencies in all aspects. As such the students possessing

the above qualities could be good citizens in the country which enhances the quality of societal life in general.