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with around 5306 Sisters  
of 79 nationalities  
in 74 countries*

## PRAYER OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI (Prayer for Peace)

Patron, Franciscan Missionaries of Mary



Lord, make me an instrument of your peace;  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
Where there is injury, pardon;  
Where there is discord, harmony;  
Where there is error, truth;  
Where there is doubt, faith;  
Where there is despair, hope;  
Where there is darkness, light;  
And where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek  
To be consoled as to console;  
To be understood as to understand;  
To be loved as to love with all my soul;  
For it is in giving that we receive;  
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned;  
And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.



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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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I am honoured and proud to lead Stella Maris College as its 10th Principal. It is a privilege to head an institution of such outstanding merit as ours in the field of higher learning.



We have been a strong strand in the fabric of higher education in India ever since our founding in 1947. We have a well-established liberal education curriculum facilitated by committed, well-qualified faculty and dedicated administrative and support staff. Underpinning classroom participatory activities are valuable out-of-classroom learning experiences through internships, research opportunities, global exposure through exchange programmes, and cultural events which hone talent and aptitude.

All our programmes train students to absorb knowledge, develop critical thinking skills and strong communication skills that prepare you, for jobs in the region and abroad and empower each one of you to face challenges with courage and become responsible citizens. In addition, we will offer you avenues to explore your creative instincts, fulfill your drive to innovate and aspiration to achieve academic fulfilment. Our students are the most important people on campus and we strive to create opportunities for you to achieve your individual and collective goals.



We will ensure that you enjoy a powerful and abiding sense of community and peaceful coexistence through curricular training modules, encouraging cooperation among diverse student cohorts, instilling empathy and kindness in our interactions, ensuring mental and physical well-being, and fostering an inclusive attitude in the classroom and on campus. We will work together to create a campus community that is respectful of differences and values harmonious relationships.

Looking ahead, we will launch a new strategic plan that will enable us to build on our strengths, advance our mission and make our vision a reality in the next five years.

I encourage each one of you to become deeply involved in life on campus. We will offer you whatever support you need to live out fulfilling, enriching experiences during your time with us.

We guarantee you will be changed persons at the end of your studies here, changed into becoming the best persons you can possibly be.

With best wishes and God bless,

**Dr. Sr. Stella Mary fmm**

Principal-in-Charge  
Stella Maris College (Autonomous)  
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## **ABOUT THE COLLEGE**

Stella Maris College, a Catholic minority institution of higher education for women is an autonomous institution affiliated to the University of Madras and is partly residential. It is managed by the Society of the Franciscan Missionaries of Mary, a Catholic religious congregation founded in 1877 by Hélène de Chappotin, today revered as Blessed Mary of the Passion. Guided by her charism, the initiatives of the College arise from a sound philosophy of life based on faith in God and the contemporary reality of a pluralistic Indian society that is challenged by global ideologies and cultures.

The College was founded on 15 August 1947 in a small one-storeyed building with 32 students in Santhome, in the city of Chennai. In 1960, it moved to its present campus “The Cloisters” on Cathedral Road. Today, the College has an enrollment of more than 6000 students from diverse backgrounds, communities and nations.

The College is committed to serving the economically and socially marginalised sections of society. It provides university education in a Christian atmosphere for deserving students, especially those belonging to the Catholic community. Admission is open to all, irrespective of caste and creed and their rights of conscience are respected.

The College is affiliated to the University of Madras and became autonomous in 1987. It currently offers 26 undergraduate, 15 postgraduate programmes, seven research programmes and a PG Diploma in Computer Science. and two certificate programmes in International Business and Data Science. Collaborative international programmes include a stand-alone Postgraduate Certificate in International Business leading to a one-year International Masters in Business Administration (IMBA), a one-year Stella Maris College

Diploma in Data Science, leading to a one-year MSc in Science from at Liverpool University, UK, and a Graduate Express Gateway Certificate in Leadership leading to a two-year Masters in Leadership from Trinity Western University, Canada.

As an Autonomous institution, the College frames its own courses of study and adopts innovative methods of teaching, learning and evaluation. In keeping with its tradition of promoting innovation and growth, the College introduced the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) for the undergraduate programmes from the academic year 1997–98. The CBCS was introduced for all postgraduate programmes from the academic year 2000–2001. With the introduction of the CBCS, new academic programmes, including interdisciplinary programmes and courses, were offered. The goals of the CBCS are as follows:

- to provide a broad-based, liberal education for all students
- to enable students to choose courses at basic/advanced levels
- to enable students to progress at their own pace
- to enable highly motivated students to go beyond minimum requirements and earn extra credits

Truth and Charity is the motto of the College. The College strives to encourage young women to continually search for truth, and grow into mature and responsible women, ready to face the challenges of life at home and in society. The ceaseless quest for truth and the untiring spirit of selfless service is the hallmark of a true Stella Marian.

The College emblem represents a ship sailing on stormy waters led by a star. This symbolises the student's life, guided amidst tempests by the light of Stella Maris, Mother Mary, the Star of the Sea.

Blue and Gold are the colours of the Stella Maris standard. Blue symbolises truth, loyalty and fidelity and gold symbolises love, zeal and charity.

## **VISION AND MISSION**

### **Vision Statement**

The vision of the College is to build a vibrant and inclusive learning community in a culture of excellence sustained by a sound value system that promotes responsible citizenship and effects social change.

### **Mission Statement**

The mission of the College is to empower young women to face the challenges of life with courage and commitment, to be builders of a humane and just society, and to promote a learning community in which all, especially those from less privileged backgrounds, feel part of the collaborative high quality educational process which is value based and leads to holistic growth.

To realise this vision and accomplish its mission, the College has set the following objectives:

- To nurture in the College, a community of individuals endowed with intellectual curiosity, and an eagerness for lifetime learning who will use knowledge creatively for social transformation
- To form women of character with sound moral principles and integrated personalities
- To instill in the students a sense of national pride and appreciation of Indian traditions and cultures
- To create awareness among students about current socio-economic, political and cultural issues and to denounce all forms of oppression relating to class, caste and gender
- To sensitise students to environmental issues, thus motivating them to promote ecological justice and sustainable development
- To establish a link between the institution and policy makers through collaborative research leading to social development

## **INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES**

The College prides itself on the well-developed infrastructure and facilities on its campus, all of which support the mission of the College to create an atmosphere conducive to the teaching-learning process, research, and student welfare. Our goal is to ensure that students have access to all resources that will enable them to succeed in their pursuit of educational excellence and become responsible citizens.

### **THE LIBRARY**

The Stella Maris College Library is fully automated with a wide collection of the latest books, periodicals and CDs. There are 116673 books, 8178 journals (print and online) accessible to all members of the College community. The library subscribes to several magazines and 12 newspapers. The Open Access System provides reading and reference facilities for faculty and students.

All the operations and services of the library have been automated with RFID (Radio Frequency Identification) technology. This is one of the latest technologies used in library theft detection systems and also eases circulation services and inventory control. Electronic databases like EBSCO, N-List, Indiastat.com are made available to the members of the library via the internet and the College's intranet. The Library also hosts DSpace, a digital repository which provides access to syllabi, academic papers presented at national and international fora, question papers, course schedules, synopses of theses and other research-related documents with full text wherever possible.

Every student is required to attend an orientation programme "Know Your Library" immediately after enrolment.

### **Library Working Hours**

Monday – Saturday : 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The Library remains closed on Sundays and all public holidays.



## **Library Services**

The major services rendered in addition to the conventional Library and Information Services are:

- Orientation Programmes
- Institutional Repository - DSpace
- Audio-Visual Facility
- Computer Systems with JAWS & NVDA Software for the Visually Challenged
- Local Chapter for NPTEL Online Courses
- Availability of Electronic Databases
- Library Catalogue (OPAC)
- Inter-library Loan
- “Earn While You Learn” Scheme for Students
- Information Literacy Programmes
- Membership for Alumnae

## **Lending Services**

- Every undergraduate student may borrow two library books and every postgraduate student may borrow five library books at a time for a period of one week.
- Books that have been reserved by other members of the library are issued for two days only.
- Books can be issued either at the counter or by using the RFID self-kiosk.
- Books can be returned at the return counter or through the drop box kept outside the Library adjacent to the OAT.

## **Identity Cards**

- Students must scan their Identity card (ID) before entering the library.
- Exchange of ID cards is not permitted.
- Students must immediately report the loss of their ID card to the Librarian.

## **Rules And Regulations**

- Strict silence should be maintained in the library.
- Books will be issued or renewed only if the student produces/ her identity card.

- Students are not allowed to bring any printed matter or files into the library.
- Students must deposit their mobile phones and wallets at the token counter, and obtain a token to ensure return of the articles.
- Books must not be marked or damaged in any manner.
- Students must examine each book before borrowing and immediately report any damaged/missing pages to the Librarian.
- Students shall replace or pay for the cost of any book lost or damaged by them. If one book of a set is lost or damaged the whole set shall be replaced.
- A fine of Rs.2/- is charged for each day a book is overdue for the first week, and thereafter Rs.3/- for each day it is overdue.
- The student must return all books and settle any outstanding dues prior to applying for the Transfer Certificate.

## **ARCHIVES**

Stellarchives, the College archives, is housed inside the Stella Maris College Library. Stellarchives serves the College community by preserving institutional records, artefacts and manuscripts. The archival collections document the history of the institution from its founding in 1947 to the present day.

Stellarchives houses a few rare, old books, autographed books written by the faculty, students and visitors to the College, doctoral theses of students and faculty members; photographs and ephemera such as invitations, programme sheets printed for various occasions; magazines and departmental journals printed and published over the years, and records of the different projects carried out by the various departments in the College.

The archives include a collection of posters and brochures of all College events, the history of the College Logo and the College Song, blueprints of all College buildings with their history. It also

houses an extensive collection of artefacts such as the College seal, logo, printing blocks, banners and flags as well as the College Visitors' Books. There is also a unique collection of about 600 coins from six continents.

The holdings are accessible to all in digitised form. The preserved originals are available only for restricted viewing.

### **COLLEGE TIMINGS**

Shift I : 7:50 a.m. to 12:50 p.m.

Shift II : 12:50 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

### **COLLEGE OFFICE**

**Office Hours for Students : 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon and  
02:00 p.m. to 04:00 p.m.**

- Requests for certificates, testimonials and other documents requiring the Principal's signature should be addressed to the Principal and submitted to the College Office.
- The Principal will take into consideration the reports of the departments when issuing academic/conduct/attendance/other certificates.
- A student desiring to obtain a certificate (transfer/conduct /age etc.) shall apply for it in the prescribed form available in the College Office. The application should be submitted along with a search fee.

**A minimum of five working days are required to process these requests.**

## COLLEGE FEES

- Every student shall be liable to pay the whole fee for each semester during any part of which her name is on the rolls. **The fees shall be paid online before the commencement of the semester.**
- Students who have not paid the fees within the due date will pay the fees with a penalty. Absence from College, whether with leave or without leave, forms no ground for exemption from the enforcement of the rule.
- Students who fail to pay the whole amount due from them before the commencement of the semester will have their names deleted from the rolls.
- Holders of scholarships are bound by all the above regulations.

## CENTRES FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND CAPACITY BUILDING

The College has developed core facilities that bring together existing expertise and resources into focused Centres that seek to develop abilities, explore issues, encourage and sustain research, introduce new ideas, skills, enable technological advancements and offer training to empower and prepare students for higher levels of academic attainment.

### DST-FIST Laboratories

The earliest of such Centres is the state-of-the-art laboratory instituted by the Department of Mathematics in 2006 with financial assistance from the Fund for Improvement of Science & Technology Infrastructure (FIST) of the Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India, with the aim of introducing a scientific computing environment based on mathematical approaches to cater to the needs of teaching, learning, research and industrial applications. Funds were also sanctioned for purchase of books to

support and enhance research activities.

In 2015, the DST also sanctioned financial assistance under the DST–FIST Programme—2015 Level ‘0’ to purchase high-end equipment, software and books to strengthen teaching and research facilities in science departments of the College. Funds were also sanctioned for purchase of books to support and enhance research activities. Equipment which includes Solid UV–Vis Spectrophotometer, ATR–FTIR Spectrophotometer, HPLC, Gel-Doc Molecular Imager, Orbital Shaker, Probe Sonicator, Electrochemical Workstation and two software—Schrodinger and MATLAB—have been obtained with the sanctioned grant.

### **The Centre for Research in Science and Technology**

The Centre for Research in Science and Technology (CRIST) was set up in 2010 with the objective of promoting research in the fields of Chemistry, Biotechnology and Microbiology. Set up with basic instruments, today, the Centre has preeminent facilities with state-of-the-art equipment and instruments, and is a prime resource Centre for research for faculty, research scholars and students.

A three-month Certificate Course on Exploring Nanoscience—Synthesis and Characterization of Nanoparticles in collaboration with the DST unit of Nanoscience and Thematic Unit of Excellence, IIT-Madras, is offered to undergraduate students of the departments of Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology under the auspices of CRIST. A series of lectures from eminent personalities in the field of science and technology is arranged periodically. The sophisticated instrumentation facility is outsourced to students from other colleges, universities and research institutions.

### **Stella Maris Research and International Partnerships Centre**

The Stella Maris Research and International Partnerships Centre (SMRIPC) was first conceived in 2013 as the Stella Maris



International Centre for Multidisciplinary Research, (SMICMR) instituted with the purpose of striving for enhancing research in the College and bringing together like-minded researchers and scholars to leverage the existing skills and expertise for excellence and innovation in research.

Building on the existing research strength and recognizing the need to merge local academic interests with the global and address a much-needed initiative of internationalisation of research, the SMRIPC was re-conceptualised into the Stella Maris Research and International Partnerships Centre. The Centre focuses on encouraging and creating avenues for international research partnerships and exchange programmes to enable the College community to explore and take advantage of global educational developments. The Research Centre provides information and services in support of research activities carried out within the College. The main objective of the Centre is to assist the College community in gaining and managing research collaborations and partnerships, shared research activities, grants and international contracts.

The Centre supports the integration of a research ambience within the institutional academic climate, positioning research as an integral aspect of educational endeavours, right from the undergraduate to the PhD level.

The Centre is supported by a dedicated team of the Research Council Advisory Board and the SMC Ethical committee.

### **Centre for Women's Studies**

The Centre for Women's Studies (CWS) was instituted on 12 December 2009 and was sanctioned by the UGC under the XI Plan in the academic year 2009- 2010.

The vision of the Centre is to sensitise, educate, and empower

students to work towards the creation of a just and egalitarian society that upholds the dignity and equality of women in India.

The Centre aims to

- create awareness regarding disparities and challenges faced by women
- provide an insight into the gender construct and its various dimensions
- be instrumental in bringing about a paradigm shift in the socialisation of women's issues through a systematic programme of teaching, research, action and appropriate interventions
- create an understanding of women-related issues and empower young women to become agents of social change

### **Incubation Centre**

The Incubation Centre promotes technological and knowledge based innovative ventures among students and faculty. It facilitates collaborative networks through partnerships between academia, industry, government and financial Institutions. The aim is to encourage and assist students to emerge as financially independent women by training and enabling them to set up profitable ventures.

The following are the objectives of the Centre.

- To catalyse the transformation of students from job seekers to job providers
- To build a vibrant start-up ecosystem by providing cost-effective, value-added services
- To support entrepreneurial activities in the initial stages so that they can eventually grow into profitable ventures
- To provide a platform for commercialisation of technologies

Any member of the academic community of the College may avail of the various facilities available at the Centre, by applying for it

along with relevant documents indicated in the form.

### **Informatics Centre**

The Informatics Centre aims to provide Information Technology Services and e-Governance solutions to the institution. The following are the objectives of the Centre:

- To support the teaching and learning process by harnessing Information Technology tools and services
- To promote research by providing state-of-the-art computing, networking, software and storage technologies
- To create the right technology platform to promote e-Governance and m-Governance
- To enhance information security, privacy and accessibility to all the users
- To facilitate documentation and instant report generation

The Centre will focus on the following services/activities:

- Networks and Connectivity
- Web Design and Development
- Software Development & E-Governance
- Multimedia & Video Conferencing
- IT Help Desk and Support
- E-mail Services
- Database Storage, Server Management and Web Hosting
- IT Infrastructure Development
- Technical Support to Departments

### **Stella Maris College Gender Centre**

The Stella Maris College Gender Centre (SMC-GC) was started in the year 2018 with the vision of creating gender consciousness and sensitisation among the youth in our society. It lays emphasis on participatory action to reach out to society by engaging in gender

mainstreaming activities within and outside the College.

The vision of SMC-GC articulates the inclusive vision of our college. The goal of SMC-GC is to generate awareness and create a vibrant environment in which gender issues and concerns can be discussed with openness and transparency. The objectives of the SMC-GC are:

- To promote gender inclusivity
- To enhance capacity-building within college through an introductory (certificate) course/workshop on gender; gender awareness training for faculty and students.
- To promote gender equality and equity through outreach activities in schools and colleges within Chennai.
- To identify the gaps and needs pertaining to gender issues in Tamil Nadu through quality research.

### **Stella Maris Centre for Development of Resources for Inclusion and Vocational Enrichment**

Stella Maris Centre for Development of Resources for Inclusion and Vocational Enrichment (SMCDRIVE), the Extension Centre of the College, has its roots in the Social Welfare Centre Shanthi Bhavan started by Sr. Thecla Camacho fmm, in 1954. In keeping with the changing needs of society SMCDRIVE aims at fostering an inclusive and just society.

SMCDRIVE Skills Development Centre in collaboration with Bank of New York Mellon and International Association for Human Values offers certificate courses in

- Employability skills (Digital literacy-Excel, Tally, Soft Skills and English Communication) necessary for development, employment, entrepreneurship and sustainability.
- Livelihood skills through beautician and tailoring courses
- Special Certificate courses in Sign Language and Lay Counselling

All these certificate courses are offered free of cost for both Stella Maris students and marginalised sections of society. Job fairs are conducted to support in placements.

### **Stella Maris College Extension Project Centre**

The Stella Maris College Extension Project Centre (SMCEPC) at Tirupachur village was dedicated to the local community with the construction of a new facility in 2013. Situated on thirteen acres of village land, this rural Centre provides urban school and college youth a place to reflect and equip themselves to serve the rural community. Students of the College can also translate the learning from the classrooms and labs into practice in the community.

A Common Service Centre (CSC) has been set up offering fourteen Business to Consumer, nine Government to Citizen and five Skill Development Services. Computer training is given to Anganwadi workers under the National Digital Literacy Mission (NDLM) and is available to all in the village.

### **Stella Maris Centre for Human Resource Development**

The Stella Maris Centre for Human Resource Development (SMCHRD) seeks to enhance innovative and collaborative high-quality education and promote institutional development. Enhancing and sustaining quality in education, fostering a sense of belonging to the institution and strengthening the culture of excellence is the prime objective of the Centre. The Centre functions as the focal point of institutionalising and channelising the activities of the various Centres of the College.

It will facilitate effective organisation of training programmes for the professional and personal development of faculty and students. Its activities will also be geared towards skill development training, exploring/undertaking projects, networking and collaborating with different organisations, effective



implementation of the eco-initiatives of the College and the improved use of sustainable energy for environmental upkeep and ecological balance.

### **Jayshree Venkatraman Digital Learning and Research Centre**

The Jayshree Venkatraman Digital Learning and Research Centre (JVDLRC) was inaugurated on 31 August 2021 in memory of Ms. Jayshree Venkatraman, an alumnus of Stella Maris College.

The Digital Centre, installed with cutting-edge equipment alongside sophisticated audio-visual technology, aims to leverage the students' potential in learning and research with the aid of digital technology.

### **Computer Centre**

The Computer Centre of Stella Maris College has state-of-the-art facilities with networks of around 715 nodes. Besides having two well-equipped computer laboratories attached to the Department of Computer Science, the College has other well-equipped computer laboratories which are used for courses in Computer Science, computational and IT needs of students as well as for internet browsing.

### **Application Development Innovation Engine**

The Application Development Innovation Engine (ADIE) was set up with a vision to encourage students explore and develop applications that are closer to operating system. It aims to create a student community with enhanced programming skills and apply industry standard practices.

The lab has been setup and maintained by the ADIE members. This exposure will enrich their knowledge in all dimensions and offers an extra lead in taking up open-source community projects.

## **STUDENT SERVICES**

### **The Office of the Deans of Student Affairs**

The Office of the Deans of Student Affairs comprises a team of faculty members who are advisors to the Students' Union. Their responsibility is to promote student welfare at all levels. The office offers the following services:

- Guidance and assistance in the co-ordination of student activities
- Counselling
- Information on the availability of student scholarships
- Arrangements for bus passes for students
- Distribution of food tokens for the students in need
- Conducts Students' Union elections

### **The Students' Union**

Two Students' Unions, representing fellow students from their respective shifts and elected by secret ballot, offer many services to their fellow students. They represent the student body both within the institution and externally.

The office bearers of the students' union are the President, Vice President, Treasurer, General Secretary and two Cultural Secretaries for the respective Unions. They are elected by the students by secret online ballot at the end of each academic year for the following year.

The Students Union conducts elections for Class Representatives for their respective classes at the beginning of the academic year. Together with the Students' Union members, they constitute the Student Council. The Students Union also oversees the election of office bearers for the various clubs on campus and co-ordinate the activities of these clubs.

The aims of the Students' Union are:

- To uphold and work for the attainment of the vision and mission

of the College by organising suitable programmes and events in consultation with Deans of Student Affairs and with the prior sanction of the Principal promote healthy and responsible participation in extracurricular activities.

- To take feedback regarding general facilities on campus from the student body under the guidance and supervision of the Deans of Student Affairs and resolve issues wherever possible.

### **Mentoring and Counselling**

In order to help students, plan their courses of study and to offer general advice on the academic programmes, every student is assigned to a member of the faculty who will function as her Mentor throughout her period of study. Students must inform their Mentor about their course registration, fulfillment of credit requirements, and matters relating to attendance. She should meet her Mentor at least three times per semester, on the date and time specified by the mentor.

Trained counsellors are available on campus to help students cope with psychological and emotional pressures of life. They are available on campus from Monday to Friday at SMCDRIVE, the Extension Project Centre.

Based on individual needs, students may also consult a professional counsellor who is available on campus once a week.

### **Scholarships**

Various Government scholarships are available for students belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes (including those converted to Christianity), Most Backward Classes and De-notified Communities and Other Backward Classes. Free Education is also available to SC/ST students (including converts) and to first generation learners among Backward Classes. Such students should apply to the College Office immediately after the reopening

of the College for the relevant application forms.

Scholarships instituted by the Management and other sources, including those instituted in the Golden Jubilee Year, the Diamond Jubilee Year, the New Millennium and the Semi-sesquicentennial Year are also available.

Fee concessions are available for deserving students through their class teachers/mentors.

### **Stella Maris Pathway Programme**

The Stella Maris Pathway Programme, with its goal 'Pathway to Opportunities', focusses on the overall development of students, through training in Life Skills, Computer Skills and Employability Skills, from Semesters I to VI.

### **Language Partnership Programme**

The Language Partnership Programme (LPP) is a language support programme which aims at improving the English language proficiency of first year undergraduate students who need help in this area. Teaching is done by student-teachers who volunteer to teach. They are monitored by the faculty members in charge of the programme.

### **Remedial Coaching Programme**

Remedial Coaching Programme (RCP) sessions are conducted on campus for both Shifts I and II either during the remedial hour or after regular class hours. RCP has been established to help the students improve their academic performance through peer teaching.

### **Writing Centre**

The Writing Centre functions at the SMC Research and International Programmes Office. The objective of the Writing Centre is to improve the writing skills of students, specifically in the areas of

grammar, organisation and style. Students from various departments, and research students who need help, may approach the faculty members at the Centre where they will receive guidance in academic writing.

### **Campus Ministry**

To foster the faith of Catholic students, the College offers activities such as Prayer Meetings and Bible Study. Student prayer groups both in English and Tamil are given direction and guidance by members of the Campus Ministry.

Workshops on different forms of prayer, yoga and meditation, as well as guest lectures on course-related themes, are organised for the students.

### **Star of the Sea Group**

The Star of the Sea Group (SSG) is an important organ of the Campus Ministry. It was founded in the academic year 2019-2020 in order to inculcate leadership qualities and foster faith formation in the Catholic students of the College. The activities include leadership training programmes, bilingual (English and Tamil) liturgical worship, feast day celebrations, outreach programmes, Christmas programmes and youth conventions.

### **Stella Maris Sustainable Development Students' Hub**

The Stella Maris Sustainable Development Student Hub (SMSDSH) is a student-initiated programme aiming to amplify the tremendous energy and capabilities of today's youth in generating broader buy-in for the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Three wings—Education, Solutions Lab and Community—have been established to carry out the operations of the Hub. The SMSD Students Hub facilitates the creation of student-inspired innovative solutions and connects local action with global advocacy.

## **Clubs**

Various clubs have been established on campus in order to encourage the interests of the students and to help channel their talents constructively.

Cercle de Francophiles	Mime & Street Theatre
Classical Dance	Photography and Film-making
Dramatics	Quiz, Debate & Current Affairs
Enviro	Rotaract
Event Management	Sanskrit Club–Kala Kriti
Folk Dance	Stellaeidoscope
Hindi Club-Anubuthi	Tamil Club–Bharathi Mandram
Light Music	Western Music
Damini	Western Dance
BIS Standards	Silambam

Every student is expected to enroll in a club. Elections of the office bearers are held at the end of each academic year. Each club has a faculty advisor.

## **Book Bank**

The objective of the scheme is to lend text books to deserving students. Text books on all subjects are available in the respective departments. A student borrowing books from the Book Bank is fully responsible for their safe custody. The books should not be marked, written upon or damaged. In the event of any damage or loss, she shall replace it with a new copy of the book or pay such compensation as may be decided by the Principal. Students are not allowed to sub-lend the book. All books on loan must be returned before the end of each year. If the books are not returned on time, the student will not be eligible to borrow books in future.

## **Desktop Publishing Services**

The college provides Desktop Publishing (DTP) services for browsing, scanning, printing and other related services for faculty and students.

## **Fitness Centre**

The Stella Maris College Fitness Centre was started on campus to create a personalized environment which would enable faculty and students to pursue their fitness goals and lead healthy lifestyles.

The Centre was inaugurated on 14 February 2018. An air-conditioned room with modern equipment is provided exclusively for cardio and strength training.

## **The Bank (Indian Overseas Bank)**

The Stella Maris College Branch of the Indian Overseas Bank (IOB), with an ATM facility, is located on campus and serves the College and other customers.

Bank Timings - Monday to Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The second and fourth Saturdays are Bank Holidays.

## **Appeal and Grievance Redressal Committee**

In order to afford students, the opportunity to redress any grievance regarding Continuous Assessment and End Semester Examinations, the College has set up an Appeal and Grievance Redressal Committee with the Principal as the Chairperson.

## **Ragging Prevention Committee**

In accordance with UGC norms, ragging in any form is strictly forbidden. Any student found guilty of ragging will face cancellation of admission/ suspension from the College/hostel, and a fine of Rs. 25,000 to Rs.1 lakh may be levied.

### **Members**

Principal

### **Contact Numbers**

044 28110121

Secretary 044 28110309

**Faculty**

Sr. Furtado Luiza Fatima fmm 9840429175

**Students**

**Shift I**

Yugapriya Thiyagarajan

Nikita Merwin

Sruthi R.

Shwetha G.

Nivitha Rose Thomas

Abigail Reena J.

**Shift II**

Diya S. Chugani

Sritanya S. A.

Zahra Yousuf

Khushi Mehra

Keisha Leah Fernandez

Sneha Sahani J.

**Inspector of Police Teynampet** 044 2345 2569

In case a student has been subjected to ragging, she should contact the above number or drop her complaint in the Complaint Box provided at the entrance to CC Block.

## **SPECIAL EVENTS OF THE COLLEGE**

### **Celebration of the Holy Eucharist**

At the beginning of each year an Inaugural Mass is celebrated to invoke God's blessings on the new academic year. A Thanksgiving Mass is also celebrated at the end of the academic year to thank God for His bountiful blessings and guidance.

### **The Annual Retreat**

The College arranges an annual retreat for the Catholic students. All Catholic students of the College are expected to attend the retreat. All non-Catholic students attend workshops on specified dates.

### **Valedictory Function**

A valedictory is organised at the end of the year to bid farewell to the outgoing students.



## **Cultural Activities**

Inter-year and inter-collegiate cultural programmes are held annually in a spirit of friendly rivalry and healthy competition. The College encourages an atmosphere of secularism and inclusivity by celebrating major religious festivals across the academic year.

## **Parent-Teacher Meet**

Parents are required to meet the mentors/faculty members of the department every semester to facilitate co-operation and collaboration in our educational endeavours. These meetings are organised by the respective departments.

## **Foundress Day**

Foundress's Day, celebrated on November 15, commemorates the death anniversary of Blessed Mary of the Passion, the Foundress of the Franciscan Missionaries of Mary.

## **Feast of St. Francis**

October 4 is celebrated as the feast of our patron, St. Francis of Assisi.

## **Dedicated Days**

College Day, Sports Day, NSS Day, NCC Day, International Women's Day, Union Day and Hostel Day are celebrated during the second semester. Prizes are awarded to meritorious students on these days.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **The College Magazine**

The College Magazine is published each academic year. The Editorial Board consists of a team of faculty members assisted by student volunteers.

## **SAMUDRA**

SAMUDRA is a theme-based bi-annual, fully open-sourced online double-blind peer reviewed multidisciplinary journal of Humanities, Social Sciences and Commerce, hosted on the Stella Maris College website. The journal aims at providing a space for the free flow of fresh perspectives between multiple disciplines. It offers a space for faculty, research scholars, independent academics, students and practitioners to publish their work.

### **Other Publications**

The Departments of English, Economics, History, Sociology, Social Work, Physics, Chemistry, Public Relations, International Studies and Hindi publish department journals. The College also publishes Stellaeidoscope, an online newspaper.

## **RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES**

### **The Hostels**

There are five hostels for resident students: Our Lady's Hostel, Nava Nirmana, Mother Klemens Hostel, Snehalaya and Assisi Hostel. Apart from a friendly rivalry in games and sports, all the residents are united as one large, happy family. They elect their own representatives at the beginning of each term who then assume responsibility for the varied activities of hostel life which include get-togethers, entertainment and inter-hostel sports.

## THE STUDENT

Every student is encouraged to make the most of every opportunity given to her to develop and grow into the best person she can possibly be. Stella Maris College expects each student to uphold the ideals and values of the institution, not only during her student days but also throughout her life. The spirit of Stella Maris is one of truth, compassion, service and devotion to God and one's country. It is for each Stella Marian to imbibe this spirit and demonstrate it in all her actions.

Truth and Charity is the hallmark of a true Stella Marian and should be reflected in her character, relationships and interactions, both within the College community and in society at large. A Stella Marian should be sensitive, courteous, caring and compassionate and uphold the virtues of honesty, respect for elders and kindness towards all.

Every Stella Marian should apply herself to regular, systematic and focused study. Such sustained efforts will ensure that she achieves a high level of academic excellence and overall development.

**Admission into the College mandates that students abide by the rules and regulations of the College. The decision of the Principal shall be final in all matters regarding rules and regulations and the enforcement of discipline.**

### ATTENDANCE

- Regular attendance in the classroom as well as the laboratory is expected of all students. Attendance is taken for every class, including Social Awareness Programmes, NCC, NSS, Games etc.
- Students must be present on the re-opening day of each semester. Those who fail to return on the specified day after the break will have to pay a fine.

## **Minimum Attendance Requirement**

- A student will be permitted to take the End Semester Examination provided she has a minimum of **85 percent** attendance per course.
- Students whose attendance falls between 75% and 85% due to participation in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities may be permitted to take the examinations on the recommendation of the respective faculty-in-charge/Head of Department.
- Students whose attendance falls between 75% and 85% due to participation in NCC/NSS/Sports may be permitted to take the examinations on the recommendation of the faculty-in-charge.
- Students whose attendance falls between 75% and 85% due to long-term illness/hospitalisation of ten days and above may be permitted to take the examination provided the Head of the Department has been notified on or before the third day of illness. A leave letter along with a medical certificate must be submitted to the Head of the Department by the parent or guardian on or before the third day of leave.
- Students whose attendance falls below 50% in any course in a semester will have to re-register and repeat the course requirements after their final semester.

**THE DECISION OF THE PRINCIPAL IS FINAL IN ALL MATTERS CONCERNING ATTENDANCE.**

## **CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS**

Students, you are expected to maintain the highest standards of discipline and behaviour inside as well as outside the College campus by following the rules and regulations as laid down in the handbook.

1. It is your responsibility to preserve an environment conducive to learning.
2. You should respect and obey the rules and policies of the College.
3. Regular attendance at classes is mandatory.
4. Attendance requirements for every course must be fulfilled. Attendance is taken at every lecture, practical or tutorial as specified in the College timetable.
5. You can check your attendance on the College website through the student login. Any discrepancy may be reported to the course teacher and rectified within three days. No further corrections in attendance status will be permitted.
6. You are expected to write all the tests and submit assignments/seminars requirements for each course on time. Any malpractice during Tests/ Examinations will result in their cancellation. In the case of End Semester examinations, you will also be debarred from all the exams of the semester.
7. You must be present on the reopening day of each semester. Those who are absent on these days will have to pay the prescribed fine.
8. The day begins with a common prayer for which all should be present and in which all should participate with due reverence.
9. You are not permitted to leave the College during working hours.

In case of an emergency, permission to do so must be obtained from the Head of the Department.

10. You should wear identity card while on campus.
11. You are expected to dress simply and modestly. You may wear a saree, or salwar kameez, or jeans and kurta while on campus. Sleeveless attire and short clothing (short Kurtis, short pants and short T-shirts) are not permitted.
12. You are not permitted to be in the parking lot during class hours.
13. You may not model/participate in live modelling shows/fashion shows/stage shows.
14. You may not participate in any of the following without prior permission from the Principal: give interviews, publish any material, or participate in radio/TV programmes.
15. Those of you who come by two-wheelers should obtain a vehicle pass on payment of a fee, and park in the allotted space. Vehicles without passes will not be allowed into the campus.
16. Undergraduate students are not permitted to park their four-wheelers on campus. They may be dropped off at college and picked up after classes if they have a vehicle pass.
17. Postgraduate students, MPhil and Doctoral scholars may park their self-driven cars in the area allocated for them on campus. Chauffeurs are not allowed to remain on campus.
18. Vehicle passes will not be necessary for those who come to college by cycle and electric bikes.
19. The helmet for two-wheeler riders is mandatory.
20. Littering is prohibited. You are expected to keep the classroom and campus neat and clean.
21. You should take care not to damage/deface College property

(chairs, benches, tables, walls, etc.) A heavy fine will be levied on those of you who misuse/damage College property.

22. Eating in classrooms is not permitted.
23. You are expected to report to the Office of the Deans of Student Affairs whenever you change residence. Failure to report within three days will be regarded as a serious breach of discipline. In the case of those residing in the college hostel, permission to vacate the hostel must be obtained in advance from the Principal.
24. Tampering with/misuse of ID Cards or bus passes will result in withdrawal of these facilities
25. Smoking, consumption of alcohol, possession/use of drugs or drug peddling is strictly forbidden. Students found guilty of substance abuse or in possession of drugs will be suspended/dismissed from the College.
26. Protests/strikes on campus by students are banned. Students participating in them are liable to be suspended/dismissed from the College.
27. No student shall engage in any form of discrimination of another student/faculty.
28. Students are not permitted to use cell phones on campus during class hours.
29. Students are strictly prohibited from posting any derogatory content about the college, any faculty or any student on any social media site. If found guilty, strict disciplinary action will be taken including dismissal from the College.

## **ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

Registration for all Courses	Deans of Academic Affairs
Attendance Clarification	Deans of Academic Affairs & Course Teacher
Registration for Regular, Supplementary and Arrear Exams	Controller of Examinations
Results Clarification	Controller of Examinations
Distribution of Mark Sheets	Controller of Examinations

### **General**

Attestation of Certificates	Vice-Principals
Student Bonafide Certificates	Principal/Vice Principals
Scholarships	Pay & Accounts Office
Term Fees	Pay & Accounts Office
Exam Fees	Controller of Examinations
Bus Passes	Deans of Student Affairs
Leave Application	
a. Day Scholars	Head of Department
b. Hostel Residents	Hostel Warden & Head of Department



## **ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OF STELLA MARIS COLLEGE**

Every graduate of the College is encouraged to become a member of the Alumnae Association (AASMC).

### **Objectives of the Alumnae Association**

- To foster fellowship among alumnae and encourage them to maintain continued contact with their Alma Mater
- To facilitate creative involvement in the progress and activities of the College
- To encourage joint endeavours in the building of the community and society

### **Career Guidance Cell**

The Career Guidance Cell in the College is administered entirely by the alumnae of the College. It is dedicated to providing comprehensive, quality career development and employment training programmes. These programmes equip the diverse student community with knowledge and skills to successfully meet the demands and challenges of a career.

### **Objectives**

- To organise training programmes/workshops/seminars and special events to assist students with life planning
- To provide information on jobs, positions and opportunities
- To provide employment opportunities through recruitment programmes on campus and to foster partnerships both on and off campus
- To mobilise resources for needy students to apply for jobs or to start enterprises
- To enhance services through innovative technology, programme development, and continuous updating of resource

## **ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES**

Stella Maris College offers a wide range of programmes and course options to fulfill its vision and mission of imparting whole-person education in an inclusive environment. Rooted in the core values of the institution, the curriculum is designed to align with local, regional, national, and global developmental needs and a rapidly changing technological environment.

The College revises the curriculum every three years taking into consideration feedback from all stakeholders: students, alumnae, course teachers, industrial experts, members of the Academic Audit Committee and Boards of Studies. The revision made in the academic year 2019-20 integrates Outcome Based Education into the existing five-part curriculum in the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) format. The Programme Outcomes, Programme Specific and Course Learning Outcomes identified are aligned with national and global mandates for quality education: life-long learning, employability, entrepreneurship, and the ability to engage effectively with social realities.

Core and Major Elective courses contribute to the development of disciplinary knowledge. The Interdisciplinary and General Elective Courses offer students an opportunity to explore points of intersection between different disciplines and enable students to function effectively in an increasingly multidisciplinary academic world. Foundation courses in English, Tamil, Hindi, Sanskrit, and French help the students in honing their communication and interpersonal skills while introducing them to cultural and literary aspects. Student development and training programmes and mandatory Service-Learning/Social Awareness courses create compassionate citizens who will be sensitive to social and environmental justice. The institutionalisation of Service Learning as a pedagogy creates avenues for students to strengthen classroom learning through interaction with communities and reflection on their experiences.

Independent learning and research are encouraged through Independent Electives and independent research projects. Certificate courses through MOOCs, offered on online platforms such as SWAYAM, NPTEL and Coursera offer opportunities for students to obtain extra credits.

Each year of study is divided into two semesters. The duration of a semester is 90 working days. The odd and even semesters are from June to November and November to April respectively.

Most courses have an End Semester Examination. Some courses have projects, term papers, dissertations or theses, in lieu of an End Semester Examination.

## **UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES**

**B. A., B. V. A., B. Sc., B. Com., B. B. A., B. C. A., B. S. W., B. Voc.**

### **STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAMMES**

The College follows the semester pattern requiring six semesters of study for a Bachelor's degree and eight semesters for B. V. A., and the CBCS for all academic programmes.

In the CBCS, each course offered in a semester is assigned a certain number of credits, depending on the quantum of work required of the student every week. Credit is a unit of measurement for the quantum of work required of a student in a particular course. It reflects the number of instructional hours assigned to a course every week. e.g., 2 credits, 3 credits, 4 credits (2, 3, or 4 instructional hours per week respectively).

A student will earn the credits assigned to a course only when she successfully completes all the requirements of the course. A student will be awarded her degree on completion of the requirements of the curriculum: Parts I to V for the undergraduate degree and Part A and Part B for the postgraduate degree. At the undergraduate level a student must necessarily complete a minimum of 149 credits for a Bachelor's degree, 189 credits for the Bachelor's Degree in Visual

Arts and 172 credits for Bachelor's Degree in Commerce (Honours).

### **Course Codes: What They Represent**

Each course is represented by a code. The code is composed of letters and numbers:

19EC/MC/ME14 (undergraduate course)

19EL/PC/AL14 (postgraduate course)

19SW/RC/RM105 (MPhil degree course)

### **The Year**

19EC/MC/ME14: the first two numerals indicate the year in which the syllabus became effective.

### **The Department**

19EC/MC/ME14: the two letters following the year indicate the department offering the course.

EC: Economics, EL: English, SW: Social Work, HS: History, CM: Commerce, CS: Computer Science, SC: Sociology, FA: Fine Arts, BT: Botany, MT: Mathematics, PY: Psychology, etc.

### **Course Category**

19EC/MC/ME14: the next two letters indicate the course category

### **Undergraduate Programme Course Codes**

Foundation Core (FC), Major Core (MC), Major Elective (ME), Allied Core (AC), Interdisciplinary Core (IC), General Core (GC), General Elective (GE), Value Education (VE), Soft Skills (SS), Social Awareness Programme (SA) and Service-Learning (SL)

### **Postgraduate Programme Course Code**

Postgraduate Core (PC), Elective (PE), Value Education (PV), Soft Skills (PK), Internship (PN), Social Awareness Programme (PA) and Service-Learning (PL)

### **Research Programme Course Codes**

Research Core (RC), Research Optional (RO) and Research

## Specialisation (RS)

19EC/MC/ME14: the next two letters stand for the title of the course, ME: Micro Economics, AL: American Literature, RM: Research Methodology, etc.

## The Semester and the Credits Assigned to Theory Courses

The first number following those letters indicate the semester in which the course is offered and the second indicates the number of credits assigned to that particular course.

19EL/PC/AL14: 1 indicates semester one and 4 indicates the number of credits allotted to the course.

## Practical Courses

In the case of a practical course, the letter P is followed by three numerals.

19PH/MC/P132: P1 indicates Practical One; 3 indicates semester III and 2 indicates the number of credits assigned to the course.

## Research Programmes

For MPhil Courses, of the three numerals, the first indicates the semester and the next two indicate the credits assigned to that particular course:

19SW/RC/RM105: 1 indicates semester one and 05 indicates the number of credits.

Undergraduate programmes have the following components:

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|-----------------|---|
| <b>Part I</b>   | Foundation Course in Language<br>Tamil/Hindi/Sanskrit/French  |
| <b>Part II</b>  | Foundation Course in English  |
| <b>Part III</b> | (a) Major Core Courses<br>(b) Allied Core Courses<br>(c) Major Elective Courses<br>(d) Interdisciplinary Core Courses |

- Part IV**
- (a) General Elective Courses/Basic Tamil/Advanced Tamil
  - (b) Value Education
  - (c) Environmental Studies
  - (d) Soft Skills
  - (e) Extra Credits from Value-added Courses
- Part V**
- (a) Student Training Programmes  
NSS/YRC/RRC/NCC/Games
  - (b) Social Awareness Programme/Service-Learning

**Part I Language & Part II English are mandatory courses for all students.**

Part III comprises Major Core, Allied Core, Major Elective and Interdisciplinary Core Courses. Major Electives are offered by departments to students of their own department. Interdisciplinary Core courses are offered jointly by two departments. In addition to Core courses, a student is required to take courses under Part IV and Part V to obtain the minimum number of credits to graduate. Students who have not studied Tamil up to Std. X are required to take two courses in Basic Tamil of two credits each over two semesters in order to graduate. Students who have studied Tamil up to X/XII standard and have not taken Tamil in Part I are required to take two courses of two credits each in Advanced Tamil over two semesters in order to graduate.

## **ELECTIVE COURSES**

### **Major Electives**

Undergraduate students have the option of choosing between subject-related Major Elective (ME) courses – courses/project/subject-related skill development courses. Students must choose two such elective courses of five credits each and earn a total of

ten credits.

### **Interdisciplinary Core Courses**

The total credit requirement for Interdisciplinary Core courses (IC) is five credits. Students are given the opportunity to explore the links between two different disciplines through a course designed and offered jointly by two departments.

### **General Elective Courses**

The total credit requirement for General Elective (GE) courses is eight credits. The student can choose any four courses of two credits each across disciplines, but not from the parent department, subject to the following regulations:

A Science student should take a minimum of one GE course from the Arts or Commerce stream.

An arts student should take a minimum of one GE course from the Science or Commerce stream.

A Commerce student should take a minimum of one GE course from the Arts or Science stream.

A student cannot opt for more than two GEs from any one department.

Students who have taken Tamil in Part I have to take any four GE courses across disciplines.

Students who have studied Tamil up to X/XII Std. and have not taken Tamil in Part I have to take two courses in Advanced Tamil over two semesters and two from other disciplines.

Students who have not studied Tamil up to Std. X have to take two courses in Basic Tamil over two semesters and two from other disciplines.

### **Optional, Value-Added Courses**

Undergraduate students can earn extra credits by taking up the

following courses/programmes:

Independent Elective (UI)

Language Partnership Programme (LPP)

Internships (UN)

Certificate Courses (CT)

Research Projects/Papers (RP)

### **Independent Elective Courses**

A student may register for one UI course of three credits per semester. UI courses may be taken either from the parent department or from other departments. A three-hour End Semester Examination will be held for all Independent Elective courses. The marks and extra credits for those courses will be included in the marksheet. However, these marks will not be considered for the final classification.

A student who fails a UI course is not eligible for course completion for the same.

A student who fails a UI course cannot re-register for the same course.

UIs will not be offered in the first semester.

### **Registration Procedure for Elective Courses**

Students are expected to register online on the specified dates during

the current semester for courses to be taken in the following semester.

For UI courses, students are expected to register online on the specified dates during the same semester.

The courses offered under Part III for the various programmes are as follows:



**SHIFT I**  
**BACHELOR OF ARTS – B. A.**  
**Branch I (A) – History and Tourism**

**Major Core Courses**

Ancient India up to CE 700  
Introduction to Tourism  
Medieval India (CE 712-1707)  
Geography for Tourism  
Indian National Movement  
Human Rights  
Contemporary India  
History of Europe (1789-1871)  
History of Europe (1871-1945)  
History of World Civilizations  
Intellectual History  
Women's Studies  
International Relations Since 1945  
The Indian Constitution  
Art and Architecture in India  
Aspects of Indian Cinema

**Allied Core Courses**

History of Tamil Nadu upto 19<sup>th</sup> Century  
Pre-Colonial India upto 1858  
Social and Cultural Heritage of Chennai City  
History of USA upto Cold War

**Major Elective Courses**

Indian Heritage and Tourism  
and Cuisines Airport  
Customer Services  
Entrepreneurship in the Tourism Industry  
Project

**Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Tourism Marketing and Management

**Independent Elective Courses**

History of South East Asia since 1945  
China and Japan in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century

## **Branch III – Sociology**

### **Major Core Courses**

- Principles of Sociology I & II
- Sociology of Indian Society
- Development of Indian Social Thought
- Development of Social Thought
- Social Research and Social Statistics
- Sociological Theory
- Sociology of Development
- Sociology of Media
- Sociology of Crime and Victims
- Sociology of Ethnic Relations
- Urban and Rural Sociology
- Sociology of Religion
- Environmental Sociology
- Sociology of Law
- Social Movements

### **Allied Core Courses**

- Social Gerontology
- Sociology of Gender
- Social Anthropology
- Fundamentals of Social Psychology

### **Major Elective Courses**

- Non-Governmental Organisations
- Logic and Scientific Methods
- Industrial Sociology
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- Project

### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

- Socioethnozoology

### **Independent Elective Courses**

- Social Networking
- Social Entrepreneurship

## **Branch IV – Economics**

### **Major Core Courses**

Microeconomics I & II  
Indian Economic Development  
Tamil Nadu Economy  
Environmental Economics  
Behavioural Economics  
Macroeconomics I & II  
Monetary Economics  
Public Finance  
Development Economics  
Data Analytics and Economic Analysis  
Public Policy  
International Economics  
History of Economic Thought  
Data Analytics using 'R'

### **Allied Core Courses**

Statistics for Economics  
Mathematical Methods for Economics  
Introductory Econometrics  
Fundamentals of Consumer Behaviour

### **Major Elective Courses**

Marketing  
Monetary and Financial Economics  
Economic Research and Analysis  
Agricultural Economics  
Project

### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Renewable Energy and Energy Economics

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Managerial Economics  
Nobel Laureates in Economics

## **Branch XII – English**

### **Major Core Courses**

Prose

Poetry  
Drama  
Indian Literatures I & II  
Fiction  
Literary Criticism I & II  
West Asian Literature  
Literatures of East and South Asia  
British Literature: Sixteenth Century to Twenty First Century  
American Literature  
Literatures of Australia, Canada and New Zealand  
African and Caribbean Literatures

**Allied Core Courses**

Introduction to Linguistics  
Subaltern Writing  
Literature and Ideas  
Literature and Gender

**Major Elective Courses**

English Language Teaching  
Introduction to Children's Literature  
Journalistic Writing  
Travel Writing  
Project

**Interdisciplinary Core Courses**

Writing and Art for Picture Books  
Colonial Art and Literature

**Independent Elective Courses**

Novel of Courtship and Marriage  
Poetry of the Romantic Age

**BACHELOR OF VISUAL ARTS – B. V. A.**

(Four-year programme)

**Branch X – Visual Arts**

**Major Core Courses**

Fundamentals of Art History  
Drawing I Practical  
Art of Indigenous Cultures

Ancient to Medieval Art in the West  
Buddhist Architecture and Sculpture in India  
Art in Europe (1280–1790)  
Art in Europe (1780–1910)  
Hindu Architecture and Sculpture  
Figure Drawing Practical  
Design Fundamentals Practical  
Indo-Islamic Architecture  
Indian Painting  
Drawing III Practical  
Modern and Postmodern Art in the West  
Art of Asia  
Modern Art in India  
Indian Craft and Folk Art Traditions  
Modern Architecture  
Art and its Histories

### **Allied Core Courses**

Perspective Drawing Practical  
Drawing II Practical  
Basic Painting Practical  
Digital Photography Practical

### **Major Elective Courses**

Illustration Practical  
Painting I Practical  
Textile Design I Practical  
Figure Illustration Practical  
Graphic Design I Practical  
Creative Expressions Practical  
Textile Design II Practical  
Painting II Practical  
Graphic Design II Practical  
New Media Practical  
Project – Design  
Project – Art

### **Interdisciplinary Core Courses**

Colonial Art and Literature

Writing and Art for Picture Books

**Independent Elective Courses**

Fashion Concepts, Manufacture and Retail  
History of Graphic Design

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE – B. Sc.  
Branch I – Mathematics**

**Major Core Courses**

Differential Calculus  
Algebra and Trigonometry  
Integral Calculus  
Analytical Geometry  
Elements of Graph Theory  
Differential Equations  
Sequence and Series  
Discrete Mathematics  
Vector Analysis and Applications  
Algebraic Structures  
Principles of Real Analysis  
Integral Transforms  
Vector Spaces and Linear Transformations  
Principles of Complex Analysis  
Principles of Mechanics

**Allied Core Courses**

Mathematical Statistics I & II  
Physics for Mathematics I & II  
Physics Practical I & II

**Major Elective Courses**

Optimisation Techniques  
Elements of Space Science  
Numerical Methods with Programs in C  
Project

**Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Mathematics through Scientific Software

**Independent Elective Course**

Combinatorics

## **Branch III – Physics\*** **(Theory and Practical)**

### **Major Core Courses**

Properties of Matter and Sound  
Experimental Physics I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII & VIII  
Thermal Physics and Statistical Mechanics  
Mechanics  
Optics  
Electronics I & II  
Mathematical Physics  
Microprocessors and  
Microcontrollers Solid State Physics  
Electromagnetism  
Atomic and Nuclear Physics  
Quantum Mechanics and Relativity

### **Allied Core Courses**

Mathematics for Physics I & II  
Fundamentals of Chemistry I & II  
Biochemistry Practical  
General Chemistry Practical

### **Major Elective Courses**

Essentials of Nanoscience  
Laser Physics  
Communication Systems  
Spectroscopy  
Project

### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Renewable Energy and Energy Economics

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Geophysics  
Astrophysics

## **Branch IV – Chemistry\*** **(Theory and Practicals)**

### **Major Core Courses**

General Chemistry

Volumetric Analysis Practical  
Organic Chemistry I, II & III  
Analytical Chemistry  
Semi Micro Qualitative Analysis Practical I & II  
Inorganic Chemistry I & II  
Physical Chemistry I, II & III  
Organic Chemistry Practical I & II  
Biochemistry  
Biochemistry Practical  
Physical Chemistry Practical I & II  
Spectroscopy

**Allied Core Courses**

Mathematics for Chemistry I & II  
Physics for Chemistry I & II  
Physics Practical I & II

**Major Elective Courses**

Pharmaceutical Chemistry  
Polymer Chemistry  
Computers in Chemistry  
Food Chemistry  
Project

**Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Bioanalytical Techniques

**Independent Elective Courses**

Industrial Chemistry  
Drugs and Diseases

**Branch V (A) – Plant Biology and Plant Biotechnology\***  
**(Theory and Practicals)**

**Major Core Courses**

Algae, Fungi and Lichens  
Algae, Fungi and Lichens Practical  
Bryophytes, Pteridophytes and Gymnosperms  
Bryophytes, Pteridophytes and Gymnosperms Practical  
Basics of Applied Biotechnology  
Taxonomy of Angiosperms and Economic Botany  
Phytotherapy and Ethnobotany



Taxonomy of Angiosperms and Economic Botany Practical  
Anatomy and Embryology of Angiosperms  
Anatomy and Embryology of Angiosperms Practical  
Cell and Molecular Biology  
Microbiology  
Ecology and Environmental Biotechnology  
Cell and Molecular Biology, Microbiology,  
Ecology & Environmental Biotechnology Practical  
Plant Physiology  
Plant Biotechnology  
Genetics, Plant Breeding and Evolution  
Plant Physiology, Plant Biotechnology and Genetics, Plant  
Breeding and Evolution Practical

### **Allied Core Courses**

General Zoology I & II  
General Zoology I & II Practical  
Fundamentals of Biochemistry I & II  
Biochemistry Practical I & II

### **Major Elective Courses**

Fruit Preservation and Nutrition  
Project  
Horticulture  
Introduction to Bioinformatics  
Biotechniques

### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Bioanalytical Techniques

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Agriculture  
Forestry

## **Branch VI (A) – Advanced Zoology And Biotechnology\* (Theory and Practical)**

### **Major Core Courses**

Invertebrata  
Invertebrata Practical  
Chordata

Developmental Biology  
Chordata and Developmental Biology Practical  
Animal Physiology  
Evolution  
Animal Physiology and Evolution Practical  
Microbiology  
Microbiology Practical  
Cell and Molecular Biology  
Fundamentals of Biotechnology  
Genetics  
Cell and Molecular Biology, Genetics and Biotechnology Practical  
Animal Behaviour  
Ecology  
Immunology  
Animal Behaviour, Ecology and Immunology Practical

#### **Allied Core Courses**

Fundamentals of Biochemistry I & II  
Biochemistry Practical I & II  
General Botany I & II  
General Botany I & II Practical

#### **Major Elective Courses**

Applied Zoology  
Medical Laboratory Technology  
Environmental Biotechnology  
Introduction to Marine Biology  
Project

#### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Socioethnozoology

#### **Independent Elective Courses**

Introduction to Wildlife Biology  
Fundamentals of Food Science

\* Selected for the Star College Scheme of the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India, for strengthening Basic Science programmes in 2009. In 2013, DBT accorded Star Department Status to the departments of Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology.

## **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – B. Com. (General)**

### **Major Core Courses**

Financial Accounting  
Principles and Practice of Management  
Cost Accounting  
Banking and Insurance Services  
Legal Environment of Business  
Financial Markets  
Management Accounting  
Investment Planning  
Financial Management  
Marketing  
Company Law  
Human Resource Management  
Corporate Accounting  
Income Tax Law and Practice  
E-enterprise Management  
Business Communication  
Business Ethics and Social Responsibility  
International Business  
Entrepreneurial Development  
Auditing

### **Allied Core Courses**

Business Statistics  
Computer Application in Finance  
Business Economics  
Mathematics for Commerce

### **Major Elective Courses**

Business Environment  
Advertising and Media Management  
Retail Management  
Equity Investment and Stock Trading  
Supply Chain and Logistics Management

### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Tourism Marketing and Management

## **Independent Elective Courses**

Direct Selling  
Consumer Rights

## **SHIFT II** **BACHELOR OF ARTS – B. A.** **English and Communication Skills**

### **Major Core Courses**

Presentation Skills  
Introduction to Prose and Poetry  
Academic Writing  
Introduction to Drama and Fiction  
Writing for the Media  
British Literature  
Literary Criticism  
Contemporary World Literature  
English Language Teaching  
Indian Literatures I & II  
English for Advertising  
American Literature  
Technical Writing

### **Allied Core Courses**

Introduction to Subaltern Writing  
Introduction to Linguistics  
Literature and Ideas  
Literature and Gender

### **Major Elective Courses**

World Classics in Translation  
Literature of Asia  
Content and Copy-  
Editing Travel Writing  
Project

### **Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Literature and Psychology

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Novel of Courtship and Marriage  
Poetry of the Romantic Age

### **Tourism and Travel Management**

#### **Major Core Courses**

Introduction to Tourism  
Travel Agency and Tour Operators Management  
Front Office Management  
Indian Heritage and Culture  
Art and Architecture of India  
Hospitality Management  
Global Cuisines  
Public Relations for Tourism  
Emerging Trends in Tourism  
Tour Guiding and Travel Consultancy  
Event Management  
Ticketing and Fare Construction  
Global Tourism  
Medical Tourism  
Entrepreneurship in Tourism  
Tourism Cargo and Logistics

#### **Allied Core Courses**

Map Study for Tourism  
International Tourism Geography  
Human Resource Management  
Forex and Insurance

#### **Major Elective Courses**

Tourism Law  
Eco Tourism and Sustainability  
Technology in Tourism  
Airport Customer Relations  
Project

#### **Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Tourism Marketing and Management

**Independent Elective Courses**

Tourism Products of India  
Tourist Transportation

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE – B. Sc.  
Branch I – Mathematics****Major Core Courses**

Differential Calculus  
Algebra and Trigonometry  
Integral Calculus  
Analytical Geometry  
Elements of Graph Theory  
Differential Equations  
Sequence and Series  
Discrete Mathematics  
Vector Analysis and Applications  
Algebraic Structures  
Principles of Real Analysis  
Integral Transforms  
Vector Spaces and Linear Transformations  
Principles of Complex Analysis  
Principles of Mechanics

**Allied Core Courses**

Mathematical Statistics I & II  
Physics for Mathematics I & II  
Physics Practical I & II

**Major Elective Courses**

Optimisation Techniques  
Elements of Space Science  
Numerical Methods with Programs in C  
Project

**Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Mathematics through Scientific Software

**Independent Elective Courses**

Combinatorics

## **Psychology**

### **Major Core Courses**

General Psychology I & II  
Biological Psychology I & II  
Developmental Psychology I & II  
Introduction to Research Methodology  
Experimental Psychology Practical  
Abnormal Psychology I & II  
Applied Psychology  
Psychological Assessment Practical  
Counselling Psychology  
Rehabilitation Psychology

### **Allied Core Courses**

Social Psychology I & II  
Statistics in Psychology  
Health Psychology

### **Major Elective Courses**

Consumer Psychology  
Organisational Psychology  
Theories of Personality  
Foundations of Psychotherapy  
Project

### **Inter Disciplinary Core Courses**

Literature and Psychology  
Human Computer Interaction

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Psychology Classics  
Personality Enrichment

## **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – B. Com. (General)**

### **Major Core Courses**

Financial Accounting  
Principles and Practice of Management  
Cost Accounting  
Banking and Insurance Services  
Legal Environment of Business

Financial Markets  
Management Accounting  
Investment Planning  
Financial Management  
Marketing  
Company Law  
Human Resource Management  
Corporate Accounting  
Income Tax Law and Practice  
E-Enterprise Management  
Business Communication  
Business Ethics and Social Responsibility  
International Business  
Entrepreneurial Development  
Auditing

**Allied Core Courses**

Business Statistics  
Computer Application in Finance  
Business Economics  
Mathematics for Commerce

**Major Elective Courses**

Business Environment  
Indirect Taxation  
Advertising and Media Management  
Retail Management  
Equity Investment and Stock Trading  
Supply Chain and Logistics Management

**Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Social Finance and Impact Investing

**Independent Elective Courses**

Direct Selling  
Consumer Rights

**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – B. Com. (CS)**  
**Corporate Secretaryship**

**Major Core Courses**

Cost and Management Accounting



Organisation Structure and Management  
Financial Accounting  
Corporate Ethics and Governance  
Economic and Commercial Law  
Banking and Financial Services  
Introduction to Financial Management  
Essentials of Marketing  
Corporate Law  
Capital Markets  
Industrial Law  
Compliance Audit  
Income Tax  
Practices  
Corporate Accounting and Restructuring  
Drafting and Conveyancing  
Secretarial Practice  
Goods and Services Tax  
Social Security Laws  
Due Diligence and Compliance Management  
Internship

**Allied Core Courses**

Quantitative Techniques for Business  
Business Analysis and Reporting using Computers  
Information Technology and Systems Audit  
Economic Environment of Business

**Major Elective Courses**

Industrial Regulations  
Business Environment  
Business Development  
Cyber Law and Security  
Commodities Market

**Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Compensation Management

**Independent Elective Course**

International Business

## **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – B. Com. (A & F)**

### **Accounting & Finance**

#### **Major Core Courses**

Financial Reporting and Analysis  
Management Principles and Applications  
Cost Concepts and Methods  
Principles of Marketing  
Financial Management  
Tools for Managerial Decision-Making  
Business Law  
Business Ethics and Corporate Governance  
Corporate Accounting and Restructuring  
Banking and Insurance  
Corporate and Securities Law  
Financial Communication  
Individual Tax Assessment  
Computer Aided Financial Analysis  
Security Analysis and Portfolio Management  
Investment Banking and Financial Services  
Entrepreneurial Finance  
Business Taxation  
Auditing and Assurance  
Introduction to Business Analytics

#### **Allied Core Courses**

Statistics for Business Decisions  
Tools for Business Analytics  
Money, Financial Markets and International Trade  
Mathematics for Commerce

#### **Major Elective Courses**

Financial Risk Management  
Business Tax Planning and Procedures  
E-Commerce  
Organisation and People Management  
Financial Analysis and Business Valuation

#### **Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Social Finance and Impact Investing

## **Independent Elective Course**

Marketing of Financial Products

## **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – B. Com. (Honours)**

### **Major Core Courses**

Financial Accounting Concepts  
Commercial Law  
Statistics for Business  
Management and its Dimensions  
Financial Accounting  
Corporate Law  
Cost Accounting  
Banking and Financial Services  
Principles of Marketing  
Auditing and Assurance  
Cost Accounting Techniques  
Financial Management  
Corporate Governance  
Insurance and Risk Management  
Direct Taxation  
Strategic Management Concepts  
Computer Applications in Business  
Management Accounting and Control  
Corporate Accounting  
Performance Management  
Business Policy and Environment  
Research Methodology  
Strategic Management Dynamics  
Investment Analysis and Appraisal  
Indirect Taxation  
Corporate Reporting  
Business Valuation and Restructuring  
Entrepreneurship  
Project  
Internship

### **Allied Core Courses**

Business Economics  
Mathematics for Business

**Soft Skills Courses**

Financial Communication  
Board Room Etiquette  
Corporate Communication

**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE – B. Com. (B. F. E.)  
Banking, Finance and Entrepreneurship****Major Core Courses**

Financial Accounting  
Banking Functions and Services  
Cost Management  
Legal and Regulatory Aspects of Banking  
Corporate Financial Reporting  
Retail and Corporate Banking  
Management Principles and Applications  
Entrepreneurship Ecosystem  
Financial Management  
Entrepreneurial Finance  
Accounting for Decision Making  
Indian Financial System  
Business Law  
Corporate Finance  
Corporate Governance and Ethics  
Legal Aspects of Entrepreneurship  
Corporate Law  
Marketing & Advertising  
Taxation  
Corporate Accounting

**Allied Core Courses**

Monetary Economics  
Strategic Financial Planning  
Strategic Edge Analysis  
Financial Analysis using Computers

**Major Elective Courses**

Social Entrepreneurship  
Security analysis and Portfolio Management  
Customer Relationship Management

Technology in Banking and Finance  
Human Capital Management

**Interdisciplinary Core Course**

Compensation Management

**Independent Elective Course**

International Business

**BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION – B. B. A.**

**Major Core Courses**

Accounting for Managers  
Management Concepts  
Cost Accounting  
Marketing Management  
Human Resource Management  
Ethics, Governance and  
Sustainability Financial Markets and  
Services  
Retail Marketing  
Workforce Behaviour  
Introduction to Financial Management  
Service Marketing  
Business Etiquette and Presentation Skills  
Performance Management  
Business Taxation  
Business Analytics  
Leadership and Team Management  
Business Process Automation  
Total Quality Management  
Global Business Management  
Project Management

**Allied Core Courses**

Economic Applications for Managers  
Business and its Legal Environment  
Business Statistics  
Business Data Analysis

### **Major Elective Courses**

- Training and Development
- Change Management
- Product and Brand Management
- Customer Relationship Management
- Family Business Management

### **Inter Disciplinary Core Courses**

- Compensation Management
- Creation, Management and Development of Social Enterprise

### **Independent Elective Course**

- Production and Operations Management
- International Business

### **An option to acquire a professional qualification for students of Commerce Shift II**

*Stella Maris College has signed an MoU with the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), which will enable undergraduate students of the Department of Commerce to acquire the ACCA qualification in addition to their B.Com degree. The course will be delivered through industry professionals on campus. The students, on completion of their B.Com Degree, will also receive a BSc in Accounting from Oxford Brookes University, UK.*

### **ICAI-CPT**

*Coaching for the Chartered Accountancy course is offered to the students of the Department of Commerce Shift II. The classes are conducted on campus by renowned practicing Chartered Accountants of ICAI (Institute of Chartered Accountants of India).*

## **BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS – B. C. A. (Theory & Practical)**

### **Major Core Courses**

- Fundamentals of Computing
- Digital Logic Fundamentals
- Procedure Oriented Programming
- Algorithms and Data Structures
- Creative Web Designing
- Essentials of Object-Oriented Programming
- Software Engineering and Testing

Creative Web Designing Practical  
Object Oriented Programming Practical  
Operating Systems  
Fundamentals of Database Management Systems  
Operating System Concepts Implementation  
Database Management Systems Practical  
Computer Networks  
Data Science  
Functional Web Development  
Data Science Practical  
Critical Analysis on an Advanced Technology  
Security Concepts  
Cloud Computing  
Project

**Allied Core Courses**

Mathematics for Computer Science – I & II  
Entrepreneurship – New Venture Creation  
Accounting for Business

**Major Elective Courses**

Advanced Java Programming  
Visual Programming  
Game Programming  
Intelligent Systems  
Internet of Things  
Algorithm Design Techniques  
Mobile App Development for Android

**Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Human Computer Interaction

**Independent Elective Courses**

Computer Graphics  
Computer Vision

**BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK – B. S. W.**

**Major Core Courses**

Social Work Profession – History and Philosophy  
Field Work I, II, III, IV, V & VI  
Working with Individuals

Working with Groups  
Alternative Media Skills in Social Work Practice  
Working with Communities and Social Action  
Rural Camp  
Fields of Social Work  
Generalist Practice in Social Work  
Health Care and Services  
Basic Research and Statistics for Social Work  
Social Work Administration  
Basic Counselling in Social Work Practice  
Study Tour  
Gender and Development – Issues and Concerns  
Mini Research Project on Social Issues  
Block Placement

#### **Allied Core Courses**

Introduction to Sociology  
Introduction to Psychology  
Indian Economy and Development Issues  
Human Rights, Social Justice and Advocacy

#### **Major Elective Courses**

Ecology, Development and Social Work Intervention  
Social Work Intervention in Disaster Management  
Disability and Social Work Practice  
Food and Nutrition

#### **Inter Disciplinary Core Course**

Creation, Management and Development of Social  
Enterprises

#### **Independent Elective Course**

Leadership Development Training

### **BACHELOR OF VOCATION – B. Voc.**

The Bachelor of Vocation is a unique programme with multiple exit points. A student can opt to exit the programme at the end of the first year earning a Diploma or at the end of the second year earning an Advanced Diploma or after completion of three years earning a B. Voc. Degree.



A student must complete a minimum of 59 credits for Diploma, 117 credits for Advanced Diploma and 180 credits for a B. Voc. Degree.

The B. Voc. programme has the following components:

- Part I** Foundation Course in Language – Tamil/French
- Part II** Foundation Course in English
- Part III**
  - (a) Non-Major Elective (General Elective)
  - (b) Environmental Studies
  - (c) Value Education
  - (d) Extension Activity
  - (e) Soft Skills
- Part IV**
  - Skills Component
  - Core Subjects
  - (Theory & Practical, Allied, Vocational Elective Courses and Project)

## **B. Voc. – Sustainable Energy Management (SEM)**

### **Skills Component: Major Core Courses**

- Forms of Energy and Energy Crisis
- Solar Energy
- Fundamentals of Photovoltaics
- Energy Conversion Techniques
- Bioenergy
- Waste Segregation and Management
- Advanced Bioenergy
- Biofuel Crops and Biofuels
- Novel Materials for Sustainability
- Software Tools for Energy Analysis
- Solar Power Plant Designing
- Green Buildings and Passive Architecture
- Entrepreneurial Initiatives
- Green Management Urban and Rural Scenario
- Energy for Smart Cities
- Project

### **Allied Core Courses**

- Energy Economics
- Environment and Ecology

Microbial Fuel Cells

**Vocational Elective Courses**

Energy Management and Energy Audit

Conservation of Water Resources: Watershed Management

**General Elective Courses**

Electronic Documentation and Presentation

Banking Practices

Basic Tamil I & II

**Extension Activity**

**Soft Skills**

**B. Voc. – Food Processing and Quality Control (FPQC)**

**Skills Component: Major Core Courses**

Food Microbiology with Laboratory Work

Technology of Fruits and Vegetables Processing—  
Hands-on Training

Bakery and Dairy Technology

Basic Principles of Food Processing and Preservation

Dairy Processing

Food Analysis

Analytical Techniques in Food Quality Assurance

Food Laws and Food Safety

Community Nutrition and Fortification of Foods

Sensory Evaluation with Laboratory Work

Entrepreneurial Initiatives

Post-Harvest Technology

Food Safety and Management

Waste Management in Food Industry

Emerging Trends in Food Processing and Technology

Project

**Allied Core Courses**

Food Hygiene and Sanitation

Principles of Basic Nutrition

Basic Dietetics

**Vocational Elective Courses**

Flavour Chemistry and Technology

Food Packaging

**General Elective Courses**

Diseases and Management

Banking Practices

Basic Tamil I & II

**Extension Activity**

**Soft Skills**

**B. Voc. – Tourism and Hospitality (T and H)**

**Skills Component: Major Core Courses**

Introduction to Tourism

Travel Agency and Tour Operators Management

Front Office Management

Indian Heritage and Culture

Art and Architecture of India

Hospitality Management

Tourism and Cuisines

Public Relations for Tourism

Emerging Trends in Tourism

Tour Guiding and Travel Consultancy

Human Resource Management

Air Ticketing and Fare Construction

Global Tourism

Medical Tourism

Entrepreneurship in Tourism

Project/Dissertation

**Allied Core Courses**

Map Study

International Tourism Geography

Tourism Marketing

**Vocational Elective Courses**

Advertising for Tourism Business

Travel Writing

Tourism Law

Eco Tourism and Sustainability

**General Elective Courses**

Soft Skills for Employability  
Introduction to Computer Skills  
Airport Customer Relations  
Basic Tamil I & II

### **Extension Activity**

#### **Soft Skills**

### **B. Voc. – Banking, Financial Services and Insurance (BFSI)**

#### **Skills Component: Major Core Courses**

Functions and Services of Banks and Non-Banking  
Financial Corporations  
Principles and Practices of Accounting  
Legal and Regulatory Framework of Banks and NBFCs  
Retail, Corporate and SME Banking  
Financial Services I & II  
Microfinance  
Indian Securities Market  
Marketing of Financial Services  
Introduction to Financial Management  
Financial Planning  
Stock Trading Simulation  
Principles of Insurance  
Insurance Regulations  
Practices of Life Insurance  
Taxation  
Risk Management  
Health Insurance  
Human Resource Management  
Project

#### **Allied Core Courses**

Office Management and Practices  
Accounting Software

#### **Vocational Elective Courses**

Entrepreneurial Development  
Business Ethics  
Business Statistics  
Customer Relationship Management

## Extension Activity

### Soft Skills

#### COURSES OFFERED UNDER PART IV

- (a) **General Electives:** To enhance inter-disciplinary learning the College offers students General Elective Courses. A student needs to take four General Electives of two credits each across disciplines.

#### General Elective Courses for Shift I

History	History of Chennai City
	Introduction to Indian Performing Arts and Painting
	Appreciation of Indian Cinema
	Fundamentals of the Indian Constitution
	International Affairs Since 1945
Sociology	Sociology of Sports
	Sociology of Popular Culture
	Gender Studies
	Society and Media
	Society and Law
Economics	Economic Issues
	Money Matters
	Public Policy
	Women and Work
	Ecofeminism
English	Fiction and Film
	Indian Mythology
	The Graphic Novel
	Popular Culture
	English for Advertising
Fine Arts	English for Competitive Examinations
	Basic Theatre Skills
	Recycled Art Practical
	Creative Printing Practical
	Fabric Art Practical
	Collage Practical
	Jewellery from Alternate Materials Practical

Mathematics	The Fascinating World of Mathematics Celestial Wonders Automata Basic Mathematics
Physics	Basic Principles of Physics Home Electrical Installations Energy Physics Wireless Communication
Chemistry	Cosmetics and Personal Care Nutraceuticals and Health Care Food Quality and Detection of Food Adulteration Basic Nutritional Chemistry Forensic Chemistry Chemistry in Everyday Life
Botany	Herbal Therapy Fruit Preservation Fundamentals of Horticulture Waste Management Floriculture
Zoology	Pet Care Nutrition and Therapeutic Diet Genes, Diseases and Society Biology of Human Reproduction The Fascinating World of Insects
Commerce	Fundamentals of Investment Planning Customer Care and Protection Social Media Marketing Banking Practices E-Filing of Returns
Languages	Nattupurakkalai Padaippilakkiam Potti Thervu Tamil Nadaga Tamil Medaipecchu Basic Tamil I & II Hindi for Beginners Spoken Hindi

Sanskrit for Beginners  
 Stress Relieving  
 Techniques in Sanskrit Literature  
 French for Beginners  
 French for Business  
 French for Tourism  
 Spoken French

### **General Elective Courses for Shift II**

English	Fiction and Film Indian Mythology Popular Culture The Graphic Novel
Tourism and Travel Management	Travel and Tourism Travel Writing Advertising for Tourism Business Heritage Tourism Virtual Tourism
Mathematics	The Fascinating World of Mathematics Celestial Wonders Automata Basic Mathematics
Psychology	Fundamentals of Human Behaviour Basic Skills in Counselling Introduction to Social Behaviour Principles of Psychology Gender and Sexuality Psychology of Adolescence
Commerce (General)	Fundamentals of Investment Planning Customer Care and Protection Social Media Marketing Banking Practices E-Filing of Returns
Commerce (Corporate Secretaryship)	Documentation and Compliance Listing of Securities

	Right to Information Act
	Company Secretarial Correspondence
Commerce (Accounting & Finance)	Stock Market Investment
	Computerised Accounting System
	New Venture Finance
	Personal Financial Planning
Business Administration	Team Dynamics
	Corporate Etiquette
	Cross Culture Management
	Media Management
Computer Science	Computer Fundamentals
	Image Editing and Animation
	Cyber Security
	Documentation and Presentation
	Introduction to Data Analysis
Social Work	Migration Issues and Human Security
	Marriage and Family Life Education
	UN Systems for Development and Social Change
	Human Rights and Justice Issues
	Conflict and Peace Building
Languages	Basic Tamil I & II
	Advanced Tamil I & II
	Medaipecchu
	Padaippilakkiam
	Nattuppuraiyal Suttrula
	Hindi for Beginners
	Public Speaking in Hindi
	Spoken Hindi
	Creative Writing in Hindi
	Spoken Sanskrit
	Stress Management in Sanskrit Literature
	French for Beginners
	French for Business
	Spoken French



**(b) Value Education:** Students are expected to earn four credits over three years.

**Catholic Doctrine**

Christian Faith Formation I & II

**Ethics**

Values in Personal Life

Society and Peace Initiatives

Life Skills for Holistic Way of Life

**Scripture**

Scripture Study I & II

**(c) Environmental Studies:** A student is expected to earn two credits.

**(d) Soft Skills:** A student is expected to earn twelve credits from four mandatory three credit courses to enhance personal excellence, life skills and employability.

## **CREDITS EARNED UNDER PART V**

### **(a) STUDENT TRAINING PROGRAMMES (STP)**

All students are required to enroll in any one of the programmes (NSS/YRC/RRC/NCC/Games) to earn a compulsory minimum of two credits and a maximum of five credits over three years.

- Students opting for Games will earn two credits in one year (one credit per semester).
- Students opting for NCC will have to compulsorily continue in the third year. A minimum parade attendance of 60 hours in the first year and 70 hours in the second year and third year is required. They will earn one credit each in the first and second years and two credits in the third year.
- Students opting for NSS/YRC/RRC will have to be involved in activities during their first and second year for a minimum of 120 hours each year (240 hours at the end of the two years). They will earn a total of two credits (one credit at the end of each academic year).

## **National Service Scheme (NSS)**

The objectives of the NSS are:

- To create social awareness leading to effective action
- To be actively and constructively involved in the needs and problems of the community and thus become agents of social change
- To bring about an overall development of the personality of students through involvement in projects
- To train students for responsible leadership

## **Youth Red Cross (YRC)**

The principles of the YRC are:

- Health – Protection of health and life
- Service – Service to the sick and suffering
- Friendship – Promotion of national and international friendship to develop the mental and moral capacities of the youth

## **Red Ribbon Club (RRC)**

The objectives of the RRC are:

- To reduce new HIV infection among young people by raising the risk perception through life skills education and creating awareness on sex, sexuality and HIV/AIDS
- To encourage young people to help and support people living with HIV/AIDS
- To reduce stigma and discrimination against people living with HIV/AIDS
- To motivate the youth and build their capacity as peer educators and change agents by developing their skills in leadership, negotiation and team-building
- To promote volunteer non-remunerative blood donation among youth

## **National Cadet Corps (NCC)**

The National Cadet Corps offers an enriching experience to cadets, instilling in them a sense of patriotism and contributing to their overall development.

The aims of the NCC are:

- To develop character, comradeship, discipline, leadership, secular outlook, spirit of adventure, and ideals of selfless service amongst the youth of the country
- To create a human resource of organised, trained and motivated youth, to provide leadership in all walks of life and be always available for the service of the nation
- To provide a suitable environment to motivate the youth to take up a career in the Armed Forces

## **Sports and Games**

Sports and games facilities are offered to every student of Stella Maris who desires to develop her potential in sports.

Sports and games include major group games, athletics, karate, yoga, etc. A minimum of 75% attendance is required of students opting for games. They should earn the required minimum of 2 credits, one each semester.

## **(b) SOCIAL AWARENESS PROGRAMME (SAP)**

Social awareness is defined by the Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning (CASEL) as, “the ability to take the perspective of and empathize with others, including those from diverse backgrounds and cultures. [It is] the ability to understand social and ethical norms for behavior and to recognize family, school, and community resources and supports.”

The Social Awareness Programme (SAP) of the College enables students to understand and react appropriately to both the problems and needs of society and the interpersonal struggles of

the members of the communities around them. It trains and sensitises them to become aware of their environment as well as interpret the emotions of people with whom they interact. Students will improve their skills in connecting with others verbally and non-verbally, acquire higher levels of emotional intelligence, the ability to empathise with others and understand the roles they play in society.

The following are the course options offered by the College under the Social Awareness Programme.

- Care of the Differently Abled

- Child Welfare

- Civic Awareness

- Health and Wellness

- Mental Health

- Rural Realities

- Social and Economic Issues

- Urban Realities

- Welfare of the Aged

## **SERVICE-LEARNING (SL)**

Service-Learning is a course-based experiential learning pedagogy that engages students in service to the community as an integrated aspect of a course. Students participate in an organised service activity and reflect to gain further understanding of course content and a broader appreciation of the discipline. The service activity that meets identified community needs enables an enhanced sense of personal values and civic responsibility. This method is seen as an effective way to enable students to achieve required learning outcomes through service to the community. Service-Learning seeks to advance the goals of the curriculum.

The method/approach promotes mutual learning experiences for both students and members of the community.

The following are the courses offered by the College under the Service-Learning Programme.

### **Service-Learning – Undergraduate Courses**

- Art for Children
- Computer Basics
- Health and Hygiene
- Heritage Awareness
- Faunal Diversity and Conservation
- Pollutants and Adulterants
- Plants and People

### **CERTIFICATE COURSES**

The following Certificate Courses are offered by the College to give students useful, job-oriented training:

- Tour Leaders and Travel Consultants
- Social Entrepreneurship
- Film and Society
- Basic Concepts of Mind and Work
- Sculpture
- Digital Illustration
- C++
- Analytics 101
- Introduction to Scientific Language Editing ISLE
- Water Quality, Testing, Mapping and Analysis
- Herbal Therapy
- Medical Biotechnology
- Butterfly Studies
- Basics of Bird Watching
- Stock Training
- Digital Marketing
- Tally
- Mechanics of Translation

Data Science using Python  
Image Editing using GIMP  
Pediatric Palliative Care  
Community Interventions  
Rights-based Community Interventions  
Employability Skills  
Basic Sign Language  
Sign Language  
Focus on the Self  
Quantitative and Reasoning  
NPTEL (Online)  
Coursera for Campus Program

## **POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES**

**M. A., M. Sc., M. S. W., M. Com.**

### **STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAMMES**

As an autonomous College, Stella Maris follows the semester system requiring four semesters of study for a Master's Degree. A student must necessarily complete a minimum of 94 credits for an M. A. /M. Sc. /M. Com. Degree and 98 credits for an M. S. W. degree. The postgraduate programmes have the following components:

Core Courses  
Elective Courses  
Value Education  
Soft Skills  
Social Awareness Programme  
Internship

#### **Elective Courses**

The total credit requirement for the postgraduate elective (PE) courses for each student is twenty-one credits. The student is expected to choose three courses from the parent department. The

other two should be chosen from other disciplines; a student cannot opt for more than one PE from any one department.

### **Independent Electives**

A student may register for one independent Elective (PI) course of four credits per semester.

PI courses may be taken either from the parent department or from other departments. A three-hour End Semester Examination will be held for all Independent Elective Courses. The marks and extra credits for these courses will be included in the marksheet. However, these marks will not be considered for the final classification.

A student who fails a PI course is not eligible for course completion for the same.

A student who fails a PI course cannot re-register for the same course.

PI will not be offered in the first semester.

### **Registration Procedure for Elective Courses**

Registration for Elective Courses is online. Students are expected to register on the specified dates during the current semester for courses to be taken in the following semester.

### **Certificate Courses**

Postgraduate students may register for Postgraduate Certificate Courses for which they will earn extra credits.

**SHIFT I**  
**MASTER OF ARTS – M. A.**  
**Branch III – Economics**

**Core Courses**

Microeconomic Analysis I & II  
Monetary Economics  
Development Economics  
Research Methods and Analysis I & II  
Indian Economic Development  
Macroeconomics I & II  
Public Economics  
Environmental Economics  
Econometric Methods I & II  
International Trade  
Dissertation

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Mathematics for Economics  
Advanced Managerial Economics  
Agricultural Economics  
Economics of Education and Health  
Industrial Economics  
Economic Thought

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of other Departments**

Contemporary Economic Issues  
Introduction to Economics  
Economics for Business and Marketing  
Introduction to Data Analytics

**Soft Skills**

**Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

**Summer Internship**

**Independent Elective Courses**

Financial Institutions & Markets in India  
Gender Economics



## **Branch VII – English**

### **Core Courses**

Literature of the British Isles – I & II  
American Literature: Modernism and After  
Literature and Subalternity  
Gender Studies  
Literature and Mysticism  
Contemporary Critical Theory – I &  
II Postcolonial Studies  
Literature and Ecology  
Indian Literatures – I & II  
Linguistics  
Shakespeare  
Dissertation

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Detective Fiction  
Technical Writing  
English Language Teaching  
Children's Literature  
Creative Writing  
New Fiction and the Contemporary World  
Reading Films

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

English for Communication  
Literature and Spirituality  
Literature, Myth and Folklore  
Fantasy Fiction

### **Soft Skills**

### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Summer Internship**

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Literature and Science  
Popular Fiction

## **Branch X – History of Fine Arts**

### **Core Courses**

Arts and Ideas – Indian  
Arts and Ideas – Western  
Drawing Practical  
Fundamentals of Design Practical  
Design for Textiles Practical  
Publishing Design Practical  
Photography Practical  
Crafts in India  
Textile Embellishment Practical  
Communication Design I Practical  
Dissertation  
Visual Culture  
Textile Printing Practical  
Communication Design II Practical

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Painting Practical  
Media Exploration Practical  
Critical Writing  
Research Methodology  
Book Illustration Practical  
Digital Illustration Practical

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Creative Design Practical  
Paper Art Practical

### **Soft Skills**

### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Summer Internship**

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Fundamentals of Fashion Management  
Indian Miniature Painting

## **MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK – M. S. W.**

### **Core Courses**

Social Work Profession

Social Work with Individuals  
Social Work with Groups  
Field Work – I, II, III & IV  
Alternative Media Skills Workshop  
Community Organisation and Social Action  
Social Work Research and Statistics  
Management of Development Organisations  
Social Work for Peace Building and Conflict- Transformation  
Health Information and Communication Workshop  
Medical Social Work  
Mental Disorders and Psychiatric Social Work  
Development Planning and Administration  
Social Entrepreneurship  
Social Work with Children  
Family Social Work  
Dissertation  
Counselling – Theory and Practice  
Social Work with Persons with Disability  
Mental Health Care Approaches and Practice  
Community Development – Urban and Rural  
Participatory Governance and Development Tools  
Youth Development  
Gerontological Social Work

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Fundamentals of Sociology  
Fundamentals of Psychology  
Human Rights and Social Work  
Gender and Social Work Practice  
Environmental Social Work  
Social Work with Addictive Behaviour  
Disaster Management  
Corporate Social Responsibility  
Social Audit

### **Elective Course Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Indian Constitution and Human Rights

### **Internship**

Block Placement (or Block Field Work)

## **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Displacement, Migration and Refugee Issues  
Qualitative Research

## **MASTER OF SCIENCE – M. Sc. Branch I – Mathematics**

### **Core Courses**

Abstract Algebra  
Real Analysis  
Graph Theory  
Ordinary Differential Equations  
Linear Algebra  
Measure Theory and Integration  
Topology  
Partial Differential Equations  
Functional Analysis  
Probability and Stochastic Processes  
Research Methods and Tools  
Complex Analysis  
Differential Geometry  
Continuum and Fluid  
Mechanics Dissertation

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Number Theory and Cryptography  
Calculus of Variation and Integral Equations  
Analysis of Algorithms  
Fuzzy Set Theory and Applications  
Mechanics  
Mathematical Statistics

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Essentials of Discrete Mathematics  
Elements of Applicable Mathematics

### **Soft Skills**

## **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Summer Internship**

**Independent Elective Course**  
Mathematical Modeling

**SHIFT II**  
**MASTER OF ARTS – M. A.**  
**Public Relations**

**Core Courses**

Fundamentals of Public Relations  
Community Relations  
Inter-personal and Group Communication  
Marketing Management in Public Relations  
Corporate Public Relations  
Customer Relations  
Public Relations Agency Services  
Public Relations in the Service Sector  
Employee Relations  
Mass Communication  
Research Methodology for Public Relations  
Public Relations in the Government Sector  
Writing for Media  
Public Relations Campaign Management  
Dissertation

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Event Management  
Advertising in Public Relations  
Media Management  
Human Resource Perspectives in Public Relations  
Digital Public Relations  
Communication Tools for Public Relations  
Creative Public Relations

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Introduction to Public Relations  
Digital Marketing  
Public Relations Skills

**Summer Internship**

**Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

## **Independent Elective Courses**

Digital Communications  
Global Public Relations

## **International Studies**

### **Core Courses**

International History (1648–1945)  
International Relations since 1945  
International Security  
International Political Economy  
Theories of International Relations  
International Law I & II  
India's Foreign Policy  
Research Methodology  
International Organisations  
American Foreign Policy  
Human Rights  
Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies  
Government and Politics of China  
Dissertation

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

International Terrorism  
Globalisation  
Latin American: Polity, Economy and Society  
Contemporary Issues of the Middle East  
The International Order in the Asia Pacific  
Government and Politics of South Asia  
Introduction to Political Thought

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Global Environmental and Policy Issues  
Politics, Society and Cinema  
Indian Polity and Politics for Competitive Exams

### **Soft Skills**

### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Summer Internship**

## **Independent Elective Courses**

Ethnicity Culture and International Relations  
Third World Development and Challenges

## **Human Resource Management**

### **Core Courses**

Human Resource Development  
Organisational Behaviour  
Financial Concepts  
Labour Legislations  
Human Resource Management  
Organisational Management  
Research and Statistics  
Corporate Social Responsibility  
Employee Welfare and Industrial Relations  
Compensation Management and Social Security  
Strategic Human Resource Management  
Global Human Resource Practices  
Diversity Management  
Managerial Counselling  
Dissertation

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Performance Appraisal  
Occupational Health and Safety  
Entrepreneurship Development  
Women and Workspace  
Consumer Rights and Behaviour  
Micro Finance Management  
Health Service Management

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Management of Development Organisations  
Indian Constitution and Labour Welfare  
Designing Organisations for Innovations

### **Summer Internship**

### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Qualitative Research

**MASTER OF COMMERCE – M. Com.**

**Core Courses**

Accounting for Decision Making  
Global Business Environment  
Managerial Economics  
Organisational Theory and  
Behaviour Business Research  
Marketing Management  
Project Management  
Financial Markets and Institutions  
Corporate Taxation  
Advanced Corporate Accounting  
Management of Transformation  
Strategic Financial Management  
Financial Planning  
Retail Marketing  
Dissertation

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Advertising Management  
Customer Relationship Management  
Business Data Analysis  
Security Analysis and Portfolio Management  
Training and Development  
Service Marketing  
Regulatory Aspects of Business

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Entrepreneurship and Family Business  
Human Resource Management

**Soft Skills**

**Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

**Summer Internship**

**Independent Elective Course**

Retail Banking



## **MASTER OF SCIENCE – M. Sc.**

### **Branch III – Physics**

#### **Core Courses**

Mathematical Physics I & II  
Statistical Mechanics  
Electronics I & II  
Experimental Physics I, II & III  
Classical Mechanics  
Quantum Mechanics I & II  
Solid State Physics  
Electrodynamics  
Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics  
Dissertation

#### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Crystal Physics  
Reactor Physics  
Material Physics and Nanoscience  
Medical Physics and Ultrasonics  
Astrophysics  
Geophysics  
Spectroscopy

#### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Everyday Physics  
Electrical Installations  
Energy Physics

#### **Soft Skills**

#### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

#### **Summer Internship**

#### **Independent Elective Courses**

Digital Communication  
Data Communication and Computer Networks

### **Branch IV – Chemistry**

#### **Core Courses**

Organic Chemistry I & II  
Advanced Physical Chemistry

Structural Inorganic Chemistry  
Inorganic Qualitative and Quantitative Analysis Practical  
Quantum Chemistry and Group Theory  
Organic Separation and Analysis Practical  
Research Methodology  
Molecular Spectroscopy  
Coordination Chemistry  
Physical Chemistry Practical  
Analytical Instrumentation Practical  
Synthetic Organic Chemistry and Natural Products  
Organic Synthesis and Purification Practical  
Dissertation

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

Analytical Instrumentation  
Industrial Waste Management  
Polymer Materials and Applications  
Essentials of Biochemistry  
Corrosion and its Prevention  
Phytochemistry  
Nanochemistry

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Medicines and Health Care  
Cosmetics and Herbal Products  
Food Chemistry and Nutrition

**Soft Skills**

**Summer Internship**

**Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

**Independent Elective Courses**

Introduction to Forensic Chemistry  
Chemistry of Natural Products

**Biotechnology**

**Core Courses**

Biochemistry  
Microbiology  
Molecular Biology and Recombinant DNA Technology

Biochemistry and Microbiology Practical  
Molecular Biology & Recombinant DNA Technology  
Practical

Animal and Plant Biotechnology  
Research Methodology  
Animal and Plant Biotechnology Practical  
Immunotechnology  
Bioprocess and Fermentation Technology  
Environmental Biotechnology  
Immunotechnology Practical  
Bioprocess and Fermentation Technology and  
Environmental Biotechnology Practical  
Applications of Stem Cell and Tissue Engineering  
Bio-nanotechnology  
Dissertation

**Elective Courses offered to Students of Parent Department**

Food Biotechnology  
Bioinstrumentation  
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology  
IPR, Biosafety, Bioethics and Entrepreneurship  
Enzyme Technology  
Virology  
Marine Biotechnology

**Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Applications of Biotechnology  
Human Genetics  
Human Diseases and Management

**Soft Skills**

**Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

**Summer Internship**

**Independent Elective Course**

Molecular Oncology

**Bioinformatics**

**Core Courses**

Biomolecules and Biochemistry

Essentials of Bioinformatics  
Programming in C++ and Perl  
Database Management Systems  
Molecular Biology  
Molecular Biology Practical  
Genomics and Proteomics  
Research Methodology  
Python and R Programming  
Python and R Programming Practical  
Algorithms for Bioinformatics  
Molecular Modeling and Computer Aided Drug Design  
Molecular Modeling and Computer-aided Drug Design  
– Practical  
  
Advances in Bioinformatics  
Big Data Analysis  
Advances in Bioinformatics Practical  
Dissertation

**Elective Courses offered to Students of Parent Department**

Cell Biology and Genetics  
Biomathematics and Biostatistics  
Data Mining  
Immunoinformatics  
Basics of Clinical Research Management  
Cheminformatics  
Biophysics

**Elective Courses offered to Students of Other Departments**

Introduction to Bioinformatics  
Applications of Bioinformatics  
Computer Aided Drug Design

**Soft Skills**

**Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

**Summer Internship**

**Independent Elective Courses**

Pharmacogenomics  
Systems Biology

## **Information Technology**

### **Core Courses**

Programming with Python  
Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science  
Software Engineering  
Operating Systems – Concepts and Applications  
Database Management Systems  
Design and Analysis of Algorithms  
Object Oriented Programming  
Network Management and Administration  
Research Methodology  
Data Analytics  
Artificial Intelligence  
Formal Languages and Finite Automata  
Cloud Computing – Theory and Practice  
Dissertation

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

UI, UX and Design Thinking  
Cyber Security  
Software Testing  
Mobile Computing  
Advanced Technologies  
Visual Programming  
Advanced Database Systems

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Other Departments**

Documentation and Presentation  
Emerging Trends in Information Technology  
Multimedia  
E-Commerce and Content Management Systems

### **Soft Skills**

### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Summer Internship**

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Advanced Computer Graphics  
Digital Image Processing

## **Psychology**

### **Core Courses**

Cognitive Psychology  
Theories of Personality  
Psychometry  
Psychological Assessment I – Practicals  
Applied Social Psychology  
Neuropsychology  
Psychological Assessment II – Practicals  
Organizational Behaviour  
Counselling Skills and Techniques  
Research Methods and Applied Statistics  
Behaviour Modification  
Training and Development  
Psychotherapy  
Case Study  
Dissertation

### **Elective Courses Offered to Students of Parent Department**

School Psychology  
Sports Psychology  
Psychopathology  
Positive Psychology  
Marketing and Advertising  
Geriatric Psychology

### **Elective Course Offered to the Students of Other Departments**

Personal Effectiveness  
Psychology of Well-being

### **Soft Skills**

### **Social Awareness Programme / Service Learning**

### **Summer Internship**

### **Independent Elective Courses**

Psychology of Conflict and Peace  
Interpersonal Relationship and Communication

## **SOCIAL AWARENESS PROGRAMME (SAP)**

Social awareness is defined by the Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning (CASEL) as, “the ability to take the perspective of and empathize with others, including those from diverse backgrounds and cultures. [It is] the ability to understand social and ethical norms for behavior and to recognize family, school, and community resources and supports.”

The Social Awareness Programme (SAP) of the College enables students to understand and react appropriately to both the problems and needs of society and the interpersonal struggles of the members of the communities around them. It trains and sensitises them to become aware of their environment as well as interpret the emotions of people with whom they interact. Students will improve their skills in connecting with others verbally and non-verbally, acquire higher levels of emotional intelligence, the ability to empathise with others and understand the roles they play in society.

The following are the course options offered by the College under the Social Awareness Programme for the postgraduates.

- Care of the Differently Abled
- Child Welfare
- Civic Awareness
- Health and Wellness
- Learning from Communities
- Rural Realities
- Social and Economic Issues
- Urban Realities
- Welfare of the Aged

## **SERVICE-LEARNING (SL)**

Service-Learning is a course-based experiential learning pedagogy that engages students in service to the community as an integrated aspect of a course. Students participate in an organised service activity, and reflect to gain further understanding of course content and a broader appreciation of the discipline. The service activity that meets

identified community needs enables an enhanced sense of personal values and civic responsibility. This method is seen as an effective way to enable students to achieve required learning outcomes through service to the community. Service-Learning seeks to advance the goals of the curriculum.

The method/approach promotes mutual learning experiences for both students and members of the community.

The following are the courses offered by the College under the Service-Learning Programme.

### **Service-Learning – Postgraduate Courses**

Art for Children

Computer Basics

Food Adulteration and Water Pollution

### **VALUE EDUCATION**

Students are expected to earn four credits over two years.

#### **Catholic Doctrine**

Christian Living

Women and Christian Living

#### **Ethics**

Holistic Development of Personality

Women in Family and Society

## **POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (PGDCS)**

### **Core Courses**

Programming with Python

Operating Systems: Concepts and Applications

Software Engineering

Research Methodology

Data Analytics

Design Thinking

Object Oriented Programming

Cloud Computing: Theory and Practice

Database Management Systems

Critical Analysis on an Advanced Technology

Dissertation



## TESTING AND EVALUATION

Assessment of students' work at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels is based on both Continuous Assessment and Semester Examination held at the end of each semester. The weightage of marks is indicated below:

Course	Cont. Assessment	End Semester Exam
B. A./B. V. A./B. Sc./B. Com./ B. Com. (CS)/B. Com. (A & F)/ B. Com. (Honours)/B. Com. (BFE)/ B. B. A./B. C. A./B. S. W. (Theory and Practicals)	50%	50%
B. Voc.	25%	75%
M. A./M. Sc./M. S. W./M. Com. (Theory and Practicals)	50%	50%

### Continuous Assessment (CA)

- Continuous Assessment will be carried out by the course teachers.
- Students are expected to take all testing units that are administered to them, i.e., two CA tests and additional components which may include seminar/assignment/project work/any other.
- The testing units carry equal weightage. Seminar/paper presentation is a requirement at the postgraduate level.
- There is no minimum mark required for passing in the Continuous Assessment.

Retests will be given only for those students who have missed the tests because of participation in College-sponsored activities such as NCC, NSS, Sports. These tests will be held before the commencement of the End Semester Examinations. Students must apply for the retest by filling in the prescribed forms available at the Vice-Principals' Office.

## End Semester Examination

- A comprehensive examination is conducted in each course at the end of each semester.
- A student will be permitted to take the End Semester Examination provided she has a minimum attendance of **85 percent** in the course and has completed the Continuous Assessment requirements of test/assignments/seminars/project work etc.
- The minimum marks required for passing in each course is as follows:

Course	End Semester Exam	Aggregate of Cont. Assessment & End Semester Exam
B. A./B. V. A./B. Sc./B. Com./ B. Com. (CS)/B. Com. (A & F)/ B. Com. (BFE)/ B. B. A./ B. C. A./B. S. W./B. Voc. (Theory and Practicals)	40%	40%
	50%	50%
B. Com. (Honours)	(Major and Allied) 40%	(Major and Allied) 40%
	(All other courses)	(All other courses)
M. A./M. Sc./ M. S. W./M.Com. (Theory and Practicals)	50%	50%

## Duration of Programme

- A student, who, for whatever reason is not able to complete the programme within the normal period (N) or the minimum duration prescribed for the programme, may be allowed two years time beyond the normal period to clear any backlog to qualify for the degree. (Time span = N+2 years for the completion of the programme)
- In exceptional cases like major accidents or childbirth, an extension of one year beyond the maximum time span will be considered. (Time Span = N+2+1 years for the completion of the programme)

- During the extended period the student shall be considered a private candidate and **will not be eligible for ranking**.

### Marks and Grades

a) The following table gives the conversion of marks, grade points, letter grades and classification to indicate the performance of the candidate for undergraduate programmes:

RANGE OF MARKS	GRADE POINTS	LETTER GRADE	DESCRIPTION
90–100	9.0–10.0	O	Outstanding
80–89	8.0–8.9	D+	Excellent
75–79	7.5–7.9	D	Distinction
70–74	7.0–7.4	A+	Very Good
60–69	6.0–6.9	A	Good
50–59	5.0–5.9	B	Average
40–49	4.0–4.9	C	Satisfactory
0–39	0.0–3.9	U	Reappear
ABSENT	0.0	AAA	ABSENT

b) The following table gives the conversion of marks, grade points, letter grades and classification to indicate the performance of the candidate for postgraduate programmes:

RANGE OF MARKS	GRADE POINTS	LETTER GRADE	DESCRIPTION
90–100	9.0–10.0	O	Outstanding
80–89	8.0–8.9	D+	Excellent
75–79	7.5–7.9	D	Distinction
70–74	7.0–7.4	A+	Very Good
60–69	6.0–6.9	A	Good
50–59	5.0–5.9	B	Average
0–49	0.0–4.9	U	Reappear
ABSENT	0.0	AAA	ABSENT

## For a Semester

Grade Point Average **[GPA]** =  $\sum_i C_i G_i \div \sum_i C_i$

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\text{Sum of the multiplication of grade points by the credits of the course}}{\text{Sum of the credits of the courses in a semester}}$$

## For the Entire Programme

Cumulative Grade Point Average **[CGPA]**

$$= \sum_n \sum_i C_{ni} G_{ni} \div \sum_n \sum_i C_{ni}$$

$$\text{CGPA} = \frac{\text{Sum of the multiplication of grade points by the credits of the entire programme}}{\text{Sum of the credits of the courses of the entire programme}}$$

$C_i$  = Credits earned for course  $i$  in any semester.

$G_i$  = Grade Point obtained for course  $i$  in any semester.

$n$  refers to the semester in which such courses were credited.

- The class obtained by a student will be indicated in the Consolidated Marks Statement issued to her on successful completion of the programme.
- The University of Madras confers the degree on the students on successful completion of the programme of study.

## Supplementary Examinations

- For students who fail to secure the minimum for a pass in the End Semester Examination, Supplementary Examinations will be conducted along with the regular exams in November and April.
- Supplementary Exams are also conducted every year in June. An Instant Examination will be conducted for those **outgoing students of the undergraduate and postgraduate programmes** who have failed in one course in the final year and therefore unable to complete the degree.
- The eligibility of a student to write the End Semester Examination is based on:

1. Minimum attendance requirement (refer Course Requirement)
2. Minimum CA requirement (refer Continuous Assessment)
3. Payment of the prescribed examination fee for courses for which she has registered.

When a student reappears for an End Semester Examination it will be indicated on the Statement of Marks against the title of the course by a '#' sign.

All registrations for Supplementary Examinations must be done **online** through the College website **<https://stellamariscollege.edu.in/>** within **15 days** of the publication of results.

### **CLASSIFICATION OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES**

The class obtained by a student will be indicated in the Cumulative Marks Statement issued to her on successful completion of the Degree programme as follows:

<b>RANGE OF MARKS</b>	<b>GRADE POINTS</b>	<b>LETTER GRADE</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
90–100	9.0–10.0	O	Outstanding
80–89	8.0–8.9	D+	Excellent
75–79	7.5–7.9	D	Distinction
70–74	7.0–7.4	A+	Very Good
60–69	6.0–6.9	A	Good
50–59	5.0–5.9	B	Average
0–49	0.0–4.9	U	Reappear
ABSENT	0.0	AAA	ABSENT

### **GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA)**

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\text{Sum of the multiplication of grade points by the credits of the course}}{\text{Sum of the credits of the courses in a semester}}$$

## Marks and Grades for the Entire Programme

The Degree is awarded according to the following Classification:

CGPA	GRADE	CLASSIFICATION OF FINAL RESULT
9.5–10.0	O+	First Class–Exemplary*
9.0 and above but below 9.5	O	
8.5 and above but below 9.0	D++	First Class with Distinction*
8.0 and above but below 8.5	D+	
7.5 and above but below 8.0	D	
7.0 and above but below 7.5	A++	First Class
6.5 and above but below 7.0	A+	
6.0 and above but below 6.5	A	
5.5 and above but below 6.0	B+	Second Class
5.0 and above but below 5.5	B	
0.0 and above but below 5.0	U	Re-appear

\* Only candidates who have passed in the first appearance and within the prescribed semester of the programme is eligible.

## CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE (CGPA)

$$\text{CGPA} = \frac{\text{Sum of the multiplication of grade points by the credits of the entire programme}}{\text{Sum of the credits of the courses of the entire programme}}$$

## CLASSIFICATION OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES (MPhil)

Classes will be awarded separately in the following: Core, Elective, Specialisation.

## **RESEARCH PROGRAMMES**

### **M. Phil.**

The duration of the M. Phil. Degree Programme is one year, comprising two semesters from August to July. Admissions for M. Phil. Programmes are conducted after the results of the postgraduate programmes are declared by the University of Madras.

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St. Thomas Aquinas

Creator of all things,  
true source of light and wisdom,  
origin of all being,  
graciously let a ray of your light penetrate  
the darkness of my understanding.

Take from me the double darkness  
in which I have been born,  
an obscurity of sin and ignorance.

Give me a keen understanding,  
a retentive memory, and  
the ability to grasp things  
correctly and fundamentally.

Grant me the talent  
of being exact in my explanations  
and the ability to express myself  
with thoroughness and charm.

Point out the beginning,  
direct the progress,  
and help in the completion.

I ask this in your holy name.

Amen.

## COLLEGE ANTHEM

Alma Mater, our youthful hearts in chorus  
Sing of our love and loyalty today:  
Proudly we bear thy crest aloft and hail thee  
Guide of our lives and star of our way!

Stella Maris, shine on our lives forever  
Until our souls are radiant with thy light  
Star of the Sea, our eyes shall seek thy guidance  
When storms arise and day gives way to night.  
Star of the Sea, draw us ever upwards,  
Along life's way with thy beacon bright,  
Goodness and Truth, great ideals of virtue,  
Love ruling all, our courage and our might.

Alma Mater, our youthful souls are offered  
By sacrifice, by truth and charity,  
Sweet be our days in this our home beloved,  
Sweet be the memories we cherish of thee.

Alma Mater, our dear India awaits thee,  
Mother of hearts both generous and brave.  
Give to our country heroines and patriots,  
Hearts that will serve, devotion that will save.

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எம்மின இதயங்கள் இன் றுனை  
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அலைகடல் ஒளியீனே! எம்  
அறிவுறு செந்தேனே !

கடும்புயலும் காரிருளும் சேர்ந்தாலும்  
எம் விழிகள் உன் துணையே நாடும்  
ஆன்மப் பேரொளி நிறைந்திடவே  
அலைகடல் ஒளியீனே! எம்  
அறிவுறு செந்தேனே !

நன்மையும் வாய்மையும் உயர்  
எண்ணமும் திண்மையும் தந்து  
எமை முன்செலுத்தும் பேரொளியே !  
அனைத்தையும் ஆளும் அன்பே !  
அலைகடல் ஒளியீனே! எம்  
அறிவுறு செந்தேனே !

அறிவுத் தாயகமே !  
அருள் நெஞ்சமும், மாறா வீரமும்,  
ஆளும் தலைமையும் அயரா துழைத்து  
தாய்த்திரு நாட்டினைத் தரணியில் உயர்த்திடப்,  
பொற்புடை மாதரை அளித்திட,  
உணையே நோக்கும் நம்மாருயிர்ப் பாரதம்  
அலைகடல் ஒளியீனே! எம்  
அறிவுறு செந்தேனே !

தமிழாக்கம்  
கமலாட்சி பூநீனி வாசன்  
தமிழ்த்துறை

## தமிழ்த்தாய் வாழ்த்து

நீராரும் கடலுடுத்த நிலமடந்தைக் கெழிலொழுகும்  
சீராரும் வதனமெனத் திகழ்பரதக் கண்டமிதில்  
தெக்கணமும் அதிற்சிறந்த திராவிடநல் திருநாடும்  
தக்கசிறு பிறைநுதலும் தரித்தநறுந் திலகமுமே!  
அத்திலக வாசனைபோல் அனைத்துலகும் இன்பமுற  
எத்திசையும் புகழ்மணக்க இருந்தபெருந்  
தமிழணங்கே! தமிழணங்கே!  
உன் சீரிளமைத் திறம் வியந்து செயல் மறந்து  
வாழ்த்துதுமே! வாழ்த்துதுமே! வாழ்த்துதுமே!

மனோன்மணியம் பேராசிரியர் பெ. சுந்தரம் பிள்ளை

## TREE PLANTING SONG

Stay here for us, for we must leave  
Our Alma Mater dear  
Send deep your roots, grow strong and straight  
As we were nurtured here.  
The class of...must part  
From this campus, yet so dear,  
We'll leave you here, dear little tree,  
To be our souvenir.

The Cloisters' noble silent trees  
Were our professors too  
Who whispered to our listening hearts  
What we should be and do,  
So you'll remind us, little trees—  
For oft we'll think of you—  
To be as open to the light,  
To grow as good and true.

We thank you, Stella Maris dear,  
For your maternal care  
For all the goodness and the truth  
You tried with us to share,  
And by the steady light you gave  
Our homeward way to chart,  
We'll reach the port of Endless Spring  
Adieu, but ne'er to part.

## HOSTEL SONG

East and West are happily combined  
North and South leave rivalry behind  
For here no barrier can rise  
All tongues and races harmonise.

Star of the Sea shine on our hostel home  
Keep us united in the years to come  
We'll ne'er forget the student days we share  
Our youthful hearts are fair and free from care  
Though we be far from home or country dear  
Our common ideal makes us one family here  
In work or play our constant aim shall be  
Sacrifice, truth and sincere charity.

And when duty's task is done each day  
Stella Maris rings with laughter fair  
In life we learn to face each trial  
With courage and a cheerful smile.

## **THE PLEDGE**

I promise to serve my country, to the best of my ability,  
To live up to the ideals of my Alma Mater,  
To be firm in my faith and trust in God,  
To work and pray for unity, peace and progress in my country,  
To use my education and experience To help the less fortunate,  
And in my life to be pure and sincere, Seeking the highest good,  
In all things worthy of my model,  
THE STAR OF THE SEA.

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# **CALENDAR**

## **ACADEMIC YEAR 2023 - 2024**

Internal Assessment is part of the working days

Six working days with five hours each will constitute one week

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## JUNE 2023

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19 Mon                      Odd Semester Begins  
Day 1

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20 Tue  
Day 2

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21 Wed  
Day 3

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22 Thu  
Day 4

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23 Fri  
Day 5

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24 Sat

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25 Sun

*To be humble is to recognize our nothingness and to adore God, who is everything.*

***Blessed Mary of the Passion***

## JUNE / JULY 2023

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26 Mon

Day 6

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27 Tue

Day 1

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28 Wed

Day 2

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29 Thu

Bakrid

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30 Fri

Day 3

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1 Sat

Day 4

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2 Sun

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*Education is an integral part of the mission of the Church to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ to all people.*

***Pope Francis***

## JULY 2023

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3 Mon

Day 5

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4 Tue

Day 6

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5 Wed

Day 1

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6 Thu

Day 2

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7 Fri

Day 3

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8 Sat

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9 Sun

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*The beautiful thing about learning is that no one can take it away from you.*

***B. B. King***

## JULY 2023

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10 Mon  
Day 4

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11 Tue  
Day 5

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12 Wed  
Day 6

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13 Thu  
Day 1

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14 Fri  
Day 2

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15 Sat                      II UG Retreat & Workshop

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16 Sun                      II UG Retreat

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*Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.*

***Nelson Mandela***

## JULY 2023

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17 Mon

Day 3

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18 Tue

Day 4

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19 Wed

Day 5

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20 Thu

Day 6

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21 Fri

Day 1

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22 Sat

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23 Sun

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*The greatness of a man is not in how much wealth he acquires, but in his integrity and his ability to affect those around him positively.*

***Bob Marley***

## JULY 2023

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24 Mon  
Day 2

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25 Tue  
Day 3

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26 Wed  
Day 4

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27 Thu  
Day 5

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28 Fri  
Day 6

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29 Sat Muharram

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30 Sun

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*Let us seek God in all things and above all things.*

***Blessed Mary of the Passion***

## JULY / AUGUST 2023

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31 Mon

Day 1

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1 Tue

Day 2

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2 Wed

Day 3

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3 Thu

Day 4

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4 Fri

CA Test I

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5 Sat

CA Test I

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6 Sun

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*Education is the best weapon to combat poverty and exclusion.*

***Pope Francis***

## AUGUST 2023

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7 Mon

CA Test I

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8 Tue

CA Test I

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9 Wed

CA Test I

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10 Thu

Day 5

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11 Fri

Day 6

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12 Sat

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13 Sun

*The only way to do great work is to love what you do.*

***Steve Jobs***



## AUGUST 2023

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14 Mon

Day 1

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15 Tue

Independence Day

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16 Wed

Day 2

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17 Thu

Day 3

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18 Fri

Day 4

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19 Sat

I UG Retreat & Workshop

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20 Sun

I UG Retreat

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*Teachers can open the door, but you must enter it yourself.*

***Unknown***

## AUGUST 2023

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21 Mon

Day 5

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22 Tue

Day 6

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23 Wed

Day 1

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24 Thu

Day 2

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25 Fri

Day 3

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26 Sat

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27 Sun

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*The greater our love for God, the greater will be our love for our neighbor.*

***Blessed Mary of the Passion***

## AUGUST / SEPTEMBER 2023

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28 Mon

Day 4

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29 Tue

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30 Wed

Day 5

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31 Thu

I and II PG Retreat & Workshop

Day 6

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1 Fri

I and II PG Retreat

Day 1

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2 Sat

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3 Sun

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*Dream is not something that you see while sleeping. It is something that does not let you sleep.*

***A P J Abdul Kalam***

## SEPTEMBER 2023

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4 Mon

Day 2

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5 Tue

Day 3

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6 Wed

Krishna Jayanthi

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7 Thu

Day 4

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8 Fri

Day 5

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9 Sat

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10 Sun

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*Education is not only a matter of transmitting knowledge but also of forming hearts.*

***Pope Francis***

## SEPTEMBER 2023

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11 Mon

Day 6

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12 Tue

Day 1

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13 Wed

Day 2

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14 Thu

Day 3

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15 Fri

Day 4

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16 Sat

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17 Sun

Vinayagar Chathurthi

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*Values are the foundation of a person's character, and a person's character is the foundation for a successful life.*

***Unknown***

## SEPTEMBER 2023

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18 Mon

Day 5

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19 Tue

Day 6

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20 Wed

Day 1

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21 Thu

Day 2

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22 Fri

Day 3

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23 Sat

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24 Sun

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*The purpose of education is to make minds, not careers.*

***William Deresiewicz***

## SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER 2023

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25 Mon

Day 4

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26 Tue

Day 5

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27 Wed

Day 6

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28 Thu

Milad-un-Nabi

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29 Fri

Day 1

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30 Sat

Day 2

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1 Sun

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*Do not wish to be anything but what you are, and try to be that perfectly.*

***Blessed Mary of the Passion***

## OCTOBER 2023

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2	Mon	Gandhi Jayanthi
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3	Tue	
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Day 3

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4	Wed	CA Test II
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5	Thu	CA Test II
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6	Fri	CA Test II
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7	Sat	CA Test II
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8	Sun	
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*Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself.*

***John Dewey***



## OCTOBER 2023

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9 Mon

CA Test II

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10 Tue

Day 4

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11 Wed

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12 Thu

Day 6

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13 Fri

Day 1

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14 Sat

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15 Sun

*Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.*

***A P J Abdul Kalam***

## OCTOBER 2023

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16 Mon

Day 2

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17 Tue

Last Date for Other Components

Day 3

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18 Wed

Day 4

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19 Thu

Day 5

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20 Fri

Day 6

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21 Sat

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22 Sun

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*We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit.*

***Aristotle***

## OCTOBER 2023

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23 Mon

Ayutha Pooja

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24 Tue

Vijaya Dasami

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25 Wed

Day 1

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26 Thu

Day 2

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27 Fri

Day 3

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28 Sat

Revision Holidays Begin

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29 Sun

*The mind is not a vessel to be filled but a fire to be ignited.*

***Plutarch***

## OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2023

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30 Mon

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31 Tue

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1 Wed

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2 Thu

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3 Fri

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4 Sat

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5 Sun

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*Success is not final; failure is not fatal it is the courage to continue that counts.*

***Winston Churchill***

## NOVEMBER 2023

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6 Mon End Semester Exams Begin

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7 Tue

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8 Wed

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9 Thu

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10 Fri

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11 Sat

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12 Sun Deepavali

*Believe in yourself and all that you are. Know that there is something inside you that is greater than any obstacle.*

***Christian D. Larson***

## NOVEMBER 2023

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13 Mon

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14 Tue

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15 Wed

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16 Thu

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17 Fri

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18 Sat

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19 Sun

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*An important attribute of success is to be yourself. Never hide what makes you, you.*

***Indra Nooyi***

## NOVEMBER 2023

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20 Mon

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21 Tue

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22 Wed

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23 Thu

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24 Fri Even Semester Begin  
Day 1

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25 Sat  
Day 2

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26 Sun

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*If your dreams do not scare you, they are not big enough.*

***Ellen Johnson Sirleaf***

**NOVEMBER / DECEMBER 2023**

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27 Mon

Day 3

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28 Tue

Day 4

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29 Wed

Day 5

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30 Thu

Day 6

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1 Fri

Day 1

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2 Sat

Day 2

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3 Sun

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*Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement.*

***Helen Keller***



## DECEMBER 2023

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4 Mon

Day 3

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5 Tue

Day 4

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6 Wed

Day 5

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7 Thu

Day 6

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8 Fri

Day 1

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9 Sat

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10 Sun

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*Be faithful in small things because it is in them that your strength lies.*

***St. Mother Teresa***

## DECEMBER 2023

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11 Mon

Day 2

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12 Tue

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13 Wed

Day 4

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14 Thu

Day 5

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15 Fri

Day 6

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16 Sat

Day 1

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17 Sun

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*If you don't like something, change it. If you can't change it, change your attitude.*

***Maya Angelou***

## DECEMBER 2023

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18 Mon

Day 2

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19 Tue

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20 Wed

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21 Thu

Day 5

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22 Fri

Day 6

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23 Sat

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24 Sun

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*Nothing is more creative...nor destructive...than a brilliant mind with a purpose.*

***Dan Brown***

## DECEMBER 2023

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25 Mon

Christmas

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26 Tue

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27 Wed

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28 Thu

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29 Fri

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30 Sat

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31 Sun

*Either way, change will come. It could be bloody or could be beautiful. It depends on us.*

***Arundhati Roy***

## JANUARY 2024

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1 Mon New Year's Day

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2 Tue

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3 Wed  
Day 1

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4 Thu  
Day 2

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5 Fri  
Day 3

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6 Sat  
Day 4

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7 Sun =

*Freedom is not for the timid.*

***Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit***

## JANUARY 2024

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8 Mon

Day 5

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9 Tue

Day 6

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10 Wed

Day 1

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11 Thu

Day 2

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12 Fri

Day 3

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13 Sat

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14 Sun

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*If you just set out to be liked, you would be prepared to compromise on anything at any time, and you would achieve nothing.*

***Margaret Thatcher***

## JANUARY 2024

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15 Mon

Pongal

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16 Tue

Thiruvalluvar Day

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17 Wed

Uzhavar Thirunaal

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18 Thu

Day 4

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19 Fri

CA Test I

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20 Sat

CA Test I

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21 Sun

*Without an open-minded mind, you can never be a great success.*

***Martha Stewart***

## JANUARY 2024

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22 Mon

CA Test I

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23 Tue

CA Test I

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24 Wed

CA Test I

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25 Thu

Day 5

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26 Fri

Republic Day

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27 Sat

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28 Sun

*I didn't get there by wishing for it or hoping for it, but by working for it.*

***Estée Lauder***



## JANUARY / FEBRUARY 2024

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29 Mon

Day 6

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30 Tue

Day 1

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31 Wed

Day 2

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1 Thu

Day 3

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2 Fri

Day 4

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3 Sat

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4 Sun

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*You can waste your lives drawing lines. Or you can live your life crossing them.*

***Shonda Rhimes***

## FEBRUARY 2024

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5 Mon

Day 5

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6 Tue

Day 6

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7 Wed

Day 1

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8 Thu

Day 2

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9 Fri

III & IV UG Retreat & Workshop Shift I

Day 3

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10 Sat

III & IV UG Retreat Shift I

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11 Sun

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*You can't give up! If you give up, you're like everybody else.*

***Chris Evert***

## FEBRUARY 2024

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12 Mon

Day 4

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13 Tue

Day 5

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14 Wed

Day 6

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15 Thu

Day 1

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16 Fri

III & IV UG Retreat & Workshop Shift II

Day 2

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17 Sat

III & IV UG Retreat Shift II

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18 Sun

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*Step out of the history that is holding you back, Step into the new story you are willing to create.*

***Oprah Winfrey***

## FEBRUARY 2024

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19 Mon

Day 3

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20 Tue

Day 4

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21 Wed

Day 5

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22 Thu

Day 6

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23 Fri

Day 1

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24 Sat

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25 Sun

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*Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier.*

***Mother Teresa***

## FEBRUARY / MARCH 2024

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26 Mon

Day 2

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27 Tue

Day 3

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28 Wed

Day 4

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29 Thu

Day 5

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1 Fri

Day 6

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2 Sat

Day 1

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3 Sun

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*Learn from the mistakes of others. You can't live long enough to make them all yourself.*

***Eleanor Roosevelt***

## MARCH 2024

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4 Mon

Day 2

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5 Tue

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6 Wed

Day 4

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7 Thu

Day 5

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8 Fri

Day 6

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9 Sat

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10 Sun

*Above all, be the heroine of your life, not the victim.*

***Nora Ephron***

## MARCH 2024

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11 Mon

Day 1

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12 Tue

CA Test II

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13 Wed

CA Test II

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14 Thu

CA Test II

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15 Fri

CA Test II

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16 Sat

CA Test II

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17 Sun

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*It's one of the greatest gifts you can give yourself, to forgive. Forgive everybody.*

***Maya Angelou***

## MARCH 2024

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18 Mon

Day 2

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19 Tue

Day 3

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20 Wed

Day 4

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21 Thu

Day 5

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22 Fri

Last Date for Other Components

Day 6

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23 Sat

Day 1

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24 Sun

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*Change your life today. Don't gamble on the future, act now, without delay.*

***Simone de Beauvoir***



## MARCH 2024

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25 Mon

Day 2

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26 Tue

Day 3

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27 Wed

Day 4

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28 Thu

Maundy Thursday

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29 Fri

Good Friday

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30 Sat

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31 Sun

Easter Sunday

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*A surplus of effort could overcome a deficit of confidence.*

***Sonio Sotomayor***

## APRIL 2024

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1 Mon

Day 5

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2 Tue

Day 6

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3 Wed

Day 1

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4 Thu

Day 2

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5 Fri

Revision Holidays Begin

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6 Sat

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7 Sun

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*Doubt is a killer. You just have to know who you are and what you stand for.*

***Jennifer Lopez***

## APRIL 2024

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8 Mon

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9 Tue Telugu New Year

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10 Wed End Semester Exams Begin

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11 Thu

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12 Fri

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13 Sat

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14 Sun Tamil New Year

*The best thing to hold onto in life is each other.*

***Audrey Hepburn***

## APRIL 2024

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15 Mon

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16 Tue

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17 Wed

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18 Thu

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19 Fri

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20 Sat

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21 Sun

*Normal is not something to aspire to, it's something to get away from.*

***Jodie Foster***

**APRIL 2024**

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22 Mon

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23 Tue

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24 Wed

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25 Thu

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26 Fri

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27 Sat

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28 Sun

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*I am always busy, which is perhaps the chief reason why I am always well.*

***Elizabeth Cady Stanton***

## NUMBER OF TEACHING DAYS

Month	Total No. of Days
<b>SEMESTERS I, III, V, VII</b>	
June 2023	09
July	21
August	22
September	20
October	19
<b>Total</b>	<b>91</b>
<b>SEMESTERS II, IV, VI, VIII</b>	
November	06
December	18
January 2024	19
February	21
March	22
April	04
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>181</b>

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## NOTES

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# Academic Year 2023 – 2024

**JUNE 2023**

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

**JULY 2023**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
30	31					1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

**AUGUST 2023**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

**SEPTEMBER 2023**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

**OCTOBER 2023**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

**NOVEMBER 2023**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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**DECEMBER 2023**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
31					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

**JANUARY 2024**

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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**FEBRUARY 2024**

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**APRIL 2024**

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**MAY 2024**

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Number



- 01 Main Block (M Block)
- 02 Hermine Block (H Block)
- 03 Assunta Block (A Block)
- 04 Shanthi Bhavan
- 05 St. Francis Hall (F Block)
- 06 Student Centre (C Block)
- 07 Canteen (G Floor)  
Indoor Shuttle Bazaar
- 08 Open Air Theatre
- 09 Library
- 10 St. Clare Centre (C Block)
- 11 St. Joseph's Hostel
- 12 Snehalaya Hostel
- 13 Our Lady's Hostel
- 14 Assisi Hostel
- 15 Indian Overseas Block
- 16 Mother Klemens Hostel
- 17 Bonaventure Block
- 18 Convent (Sisters' Residence)
- 19 Chapel
- 20 Pushpanjali
- 21 Nava Nirmana (Nava Nirmana Block)
- 22 Sancta Sofia Block
- 23 Games Centre
- 24 Helene de Chappelle
- 25 Sr. Edith Tomory Block





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can love a rose,  
but it takes a lot  
to love a leaf.

It's ordinary to love  
the beautiful, but it is  
beautiful to  
love the ordinary”

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