



PROFILE OF COLLEGE

Kongunadu Arts and Science College started with pre-university course in the year 1973-74, has grown tremendously in academic stature and is now offering 25 UG and 13 PG courses. The college has also blossomed into a full-fledged Research institute offering M.Phil and Ph.D programmes in 13 disciplines. At present around 4082 students are studying and among the total students woman population is around 45%. Our college has the distinction of having over 154 PhDs among the total number of 215 teaching faculty. The college has been Re-accredited with "A+" Grade by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in the 4th Cycle. Recognizing the quality of Teaching imparted in the college, the University Grants Commission (UGC) awarded the status of "College with Potential for Excellence" (CPE) in the year 2011. Satisfied with the successful implementation of the proposals under the CPE scheme, the UGC has awarded the status of "College of Excellence" to our college. Autonomy was granted to the college in the year 2004 and it has been extended by the UGC up to 2031-2032. In the year 2019, Our College has been approved with a financial allocation of Rs. 30,00,000 (Rupees Thirty Lakhs) as Mentor Institution by UGC under the scheme of "Paramarsh" for mentoring NAAC Accreditation Aspirant Institutions to promote Quality Assurance in Higher Education. The Department of Biotechnology (DBT) under STAR COLLEGE SCHEME has granted financial assistance of Rs. 84.00 lakhs for strengthening Under Graduate (UG) Science Education of the Department of Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Computer Science (Aided). The Department of Science and Technology (DST), Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India has granted financial assistance to a tune of Rupees 80.00 lakhs to this college under FIST programme. The college has positioned at 29th rank in NIRF ranking 2023 and categorized as Participated Institution in ARIIA-2023. The KASC-IIC4.0 bagged the 3 Star status in the IIC Ranking 2023. The college is a Partner Institute with the Amrita DST Technology Enabling Centre (TEC). The institution is also recognized as a Nodal center for Virtual Labs by the Amrita Vlabs for the department of Biotechnology and School of Computer Science. In the last two years a total number of 16 patents were published and 5 patents were granted. Research and Development cell of the college monitors the ongoing research activities by conducting periodic mentoring meetings. The cell brings out a bi-annual journal in the name of "Kongunadu Research Journal" in which standard research articles are being published. The following bodies functioning in the college are actively engaged in promoting research and extension activities are Dr. M. Aruchami Research Foundation, ISCA-Indian Science Congress Association- Coimbatore Chapter, Institution Innovation Council (IIC), KASC i-Hub, KASC Tech hub, Eco Club, Bird club, NCC, NSS, YRC, RRC, Women Empowerment Cell. The Library and Information centre in the college has a collection of 88,000 volumes of Books, 167 Periodicals, 10,00,000 e-books (N-List / INFILIBNET), more than 6500 e-journals, 32 computers, 2 Laptops and one Mini theatre. The Library is fully computerized, bar coded and functioning from 8.00 a.m to 8.00 p.m without any break including Saturdays and vacation. Digital Library Online public access catalogue, e-gate register are the special features, Lecture capturing System, Video Conference facilities are the latest update in the Library. KASC NDLI club is functioning effectively with more than 5000 students as members in this club. Around 65 activities were organized and received the recognition award from NDLI, Kharagpur, Kolkata. The College has a dedicated Placement Cell which continuously monitors the recruitment needs of Companies and networks with them for arranging campus placements. During 2022-2023, 1076 students were placed in various companies.

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