



# **MOUNT CARMEL COLLEGE OF TEACHER EDUCATION FOR WOMEN**

**Muttambalam P.O., Kanjikuzhy, Kottayam- 686004**

*(Affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University)*

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## **CRITERION II**

### **2.2 Honouring Student Diversity**

#### **METRIC: 2.2.3**

**Institutional provisions for catering to differential student needs; Appropriate learning exposures are provided to students**

**As an Institutional activity in accordance with Learners needs**

**Report with Seal and Signature of the Principal**



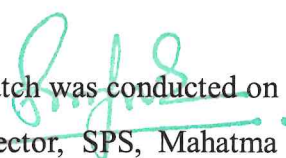
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Mount Carmel College of Teacher Education for Women organises varied programmes for catering the differential student needs. By addressing the unique needs of each student, the Institution creates a more equitable and inclusive learning environment that provides the support to students to achieve their full potential. Various Programmes/ activities conducted in the Institution for catering to differential student needs during the last completed academic year are as follows

### **ORIENTATION / TRAINING PROGRAMMES, WORKSHOPS & SEMINARS**

- **One Week Student Induction Programme:** The B.Ed and M.Ed programmes for the academic year 2022-2023 commenced on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2022 and 17<sup>th</sup> November 2022 respectively. One week Student Orientation Programme was systematically conducted for the newly admitted B.Ed and M.Ed students in the Institution. The programme help newly admitted students to understand the academic, social, and cultural aspects of the institution, helping their smooth transition into the new environment. Several topics discussed includes introduction to the institution, its vision and mission, foundress of the institution, Programme orientation, Programme outcomes and course outcomes, campus tour, add on courses and value added courses, Self study courses, functioning of committees and cells, student support services, scholarships, college anthem and prayer songs, code of conduct, rules and regulations, extension activity, interaction with alumni, clubs and associations, facilities and achievements of the institution, entry level assessment tests, mentoring and remedial teaching.
- A Self Defense Training Programme was conducted for B. Ed. and M.Ed. Students on 8th June 2022. Ms. Sheme K.P., Self Defense Trainer of Narcotic cell kottayam was the resource person
- A ‘Workshop on Yoga’ was organized and executed on 9th June 2022. Mr. Biju B. Yoga and Kalaripayattu Instructor was the Resource Person.
- ‘Retreat and Personal Counselling’ was organized for the B.Ed. and M.Ed. Students from 27th to 29th June 2022. Fr. Henciline OCD was the Retreat Preacher.
- The XIII webinar session of Carmel Forum was handled by Ms. Agatha Kurian, Alumni, on the topic ‘Gender and Sexuality: An Analysis of LGBTIQA+ Spectrum’ on 30th June 2022.
- Finalizing the Research Title for the students of M.Ed. 2021-2023 batch was conducted on 13th July 2022 by Prof. (Dr.) P. J. Jacob, Former Research Director, SPS, Mahatma Gandhi University.



  
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- The XIV webinar session of Carmel Forum was held on 21st July 2022. The Resource Person, Dr. Suneethi A. S., Assistant Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam presented the topic 'Water Resource Management in Kerala'.
- B.Ed. and M.Ed. students attended a virtual Inspirational Talk on 13th August 2022 by Professor Sandeep Shastri, Vice Chancellor of Jagran, Lake City University, on the topic 'Anxieties and Aspirations of an Emerging Young India', organized by Loreto College, Kolkata.
- B.Ed. and M.Ed. students attended a virtual Inspirational Talk on 16th August 2022 by the Honourable Member of the Rajya Sabha, Mr. Derek O'Brien on 'Expectations of and From Young Citizens', organized by Loreto College, Kolkata.
- The Session XV of the Webinar Series – Carmel Forum on 'Life Defining Secrets of Inclusion' by the Resource Person Shri. Jiny Dan T, Lecturer of Composite Regional Center, Calicut was held on 28th August 2022.
- The Session XVI of the Webinar Series – Carmel Forum was conducted on 23rd September 2022 on the topic 'Zotero: An Aid in Managing References in Academic Writing' by the Resource Person Dr. Betsy Joseph., Assistant Professor, Titus II Teacher's Training College, Thiruvalla
- An interface with the Heads of Institutions and Senior Teachers was organized by our college on 13<sup>th</sup> October 2022 to provide proper instruction before the commencement of internship programme.
- An orientation programme for the I year B.Ed students was conducted on 19th October 2022 by Resource Person Fr. Dr. Sibichen K.K. (CMI), former Associate Professor in Education, St. Joseph's Training College, Mannanam
- The XVII Session of the Webinar Series – Carmel Forum was held on 27th October 2022 which was led by Dr. Laya A. B., Assistant Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam on the topic 'Soft Skills for Smart Life'.
- One day workshop on 'Njan Marunnu, Enniloode e Samoohavum' was conducted in collaboration with the Department of Student Services (DSS), Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam. Sri M. N. Shivaprasad, Deputy Excise Commission, Kottayam, inaugurated the function. Prof. Mathew Thomas Zacharias, Faculty, Institute of Humanistic Psychology, Germany was the Resource Person of the day.
- XVIII Session of Webinar Series Carmel Forum was held on 22nd November 2022 in collaboration with Loreto College, Kolkata. The class on 'Perspectives of Research in Education' was led by Dr. T. C. Thankachan, Vice Principal, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala, Kottayam.



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- A 'Creative Writing Workshop' was conducted by Daffodills, the English Association on 8th December 2022.
- XIX session of Carmel Forum Webinar Series on the topic 'Entrepreneur Skills: A Need for Millennial Teachers' was held on 13th December 2022 and the Resource Person was Dr. Rinu V. Antony, Asst.Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam.
- A One day 'Workshop-cum-Training Programme on Yoga and Aerobics' was conducted for the I year B.Ed. students on 16th December 2022. Dr. Augustine George, Assistant Professor of Physical Education, Govt. Medical College, Kottayam was the Resource Person.
- XX session of webinar series – Carmel Forum was conducted on 20th January 2023 on 'Mentoring: A Constructive Partnership' by Dr. Sam Thomas Joy, Assistant Professor, Titus II Teacher Training College, Thiruvalla, Kottayam.
- A Workshop on Drama and Theatre Arts was conducted on 22nd January 2023 for the B.Ed. I year students by Shri. E. V. Philip, Director, Philco Academy, Kottayam
- The 'Three-Day Pathway Social Life Wellness Programme' 2022-2023 was organized for the B.Ed. and M.Ed. students from 7th to 9th February 2023. The sessions were arranged by the Minority Youth Training Centre, Kanjirapally.
- XXI Carmel Forum Webinar Series was conducted on the topic: 'Gender Sensitization for Futuristic society' on 10th February 2023. The Resource Person for the session was Dr. Marin Jose, Assistant Professor, St. Joseph's College of Teacher Education for Women, Ernakulam.
- XXII Carmel Forum Webinar Series was conducted on the topic 'A Teacher's Role for India @75' on 16th March 2023 by Dr. Celin Philip, Associate Professor (Rtd.), BCM College, Kottayam in Collaboration with Women's Cell of the Institution.
- A Domestic Workshop Awareness Class on 'Fuel Conservation' and a 'Quiz Contest' was conducted on 13th February 2023 by Petroleum Conservation Research Association (PCRA) by Shri Suresh Kumar, Faculty from PCRA.
- A seminar by Dr. Thankachan T. C. on the topic, 'Unity in Diversity' was conducted on 13th March 2023.
- A class by on 'Career guidance and counseling for the digital era - smart teachers for smart children' was conducted by Dr. Alex George on 15th March 2023.

### **CELEBRATION OF DAYS OF IMPORTANCE AND ASSOCIATED COMPETITIONS**

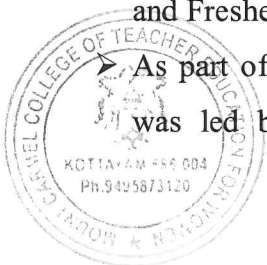
- The BIOS & Ecozone celebrated the 'World Environment Day' on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2022 with Shri. Mahadevan K.K, Rtd. Deputy Rubber Production Commissioner as the chief guest. Plant saplings were distributed to students. On the Spot Photography & Quiz Competition was organised on 3rd June 2022 Organized as part of the Environment Day Celebration.



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- 'World No Tobacco Day' was celebrated on 7th June 2022. Ms. Nimmy Kurian, M.Ed. Student handled a session on the theme.
- Yoga Day was celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2022 and a seminar on Quotidian Yoga was handled on Ms. Amala Jayan, Alumni of the college. 'Inter class Rhythmic Yoga Competition' was also conducted on 20th June 2022 in relation to International Yoga Day.
- 27th National Reading Week' celebration was conducted from 20th to 24th June 2022. Ms. Agatha Kurian, Alumni, handled a session on *New Generation Reading*. It was followed by a 'Blind Date with a Book' competition.
- The Patrons Day was celebrated on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2022.
- Independence Day Celebration was held on 15th August 2022 at 9am by Archives in collaboration with M.Ed. Department. Ms. Amala Jayan, M.Ed Student, handled a session on Minerva. Archives in collaboration with M.Ed. Department organized 'Patriotic Song Competition' on 13th August 2022 and an Exhibition related to Independence Day on 16th August 2022.
- Onam was celebrated on 2nd September 2022 with an 'Onasadhya' and various fun games were also arranged as part of the same event
- Teacher's Day Celebration was held at college auditorium on 1st September 2022
- A One-month Anti-ragging and Anti-Narcotic Observation 'Bodhapoornima: Break the Chain' was conducted in association with Higher Education Department, Government of Kerala from 2nd October 2022 to 1st November 2022. Ms. Bency Benedict of I Year B.Ed handled a session on 'Addressing Drug Challenges in Health and Humanitarian Crisis' and Ms. Rosy Dennis of I Year M.Ed. handled a session on 'Ragging: A Social Crime' on 11<sup>th</sup> October 2022.
- As part of 'Bodhapoornima: Break the Chain' several programmes and competitions were organised. Short Film, Poetry Writing Competition, Story Writing, debate, Essay Writing and E-poster making on the topic 'No to Drugs' was conducted. A Pledge against Drugs 'Kick Nasha' was taken. A rally was conducted, where students with placards chanted slogans on the issue on 'Anti Narcotic Campaign' on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2022. A flash mob was conducted in the College campus on 31st October 2022, on the theme 'No to Drugs'. A 'Human Chain' was formed on 1st November 2022. Our B.Ed. Students took part in Flash Mob in the anti-narcotic campaign at Shastri Road, Kottayam on 1st November 2022.
- Talent's day "Arambham" of the I year B.Ed. students was organized on 11th October 2022 and Fresher's Day on 18th October 2022

➤ As part of Kerala Piravi celebration a session on the 'Importance of Mother Tongue' which was led by Ms. Saino Susan Baby of I year B. Ed on 3rd November 2022. Various



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competitions like Kaikotti Kali, Naadan Pattu, Malayali manga, and Ethnic walk were conducted.

- International Science Day was celebrated on 10<sup>th</sup> November 2022'. Scientia, Physical Science association organized an e-poster designing competition on the same day.
- Children's Day Celebration' was organized by Daffodils and an Essay writing competition was conducted in association with the same on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2022.
- As part of International Day for Elimination of Violence against Women, an awareness talk on 'Sexual Harassment against Women' was conducted on 25th November 2022 by Ms. Aiswariya Joseph of I year B.Ed. Social Science. A Slogan Writing Competition was conducted on 'Raise your voice against Women Harassment' on 2nd December 2022 and a Collage Making Competition was held on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2022 based on the theme 'Sexual Harassment against Women'.
- 'Indian Constitution Day' was observed on 25th November 2022.
- The Gandhi Jayanthi Day was celebrated under the leadership of Social Science Association (Archives) on 6th October 2022.
- 'World Aids Day' was observed on 1st December 2022 by BIOS and Health Club. Ms. Amala Jayan, Alumni, conducted a awareness talk on "Purgation". The clubs conducted an E-Slogan competition and arranged a street play.
- International Human Rights Day was observed and e-slogan and story writing competition was conducted by Archives on the topic 'Human Rights Violation' on 9th December 2022.
- National Mathematical Day was celebrated by Ganithika on 21st December 2022.
- Christmas celebration was held on 22nd December 2022 and Fr. Edwin Kadavanthra gave the message. Various competitions were held in relation to it. The very same day a social visit to Abhaya Bhavan and Santhi Bhavan was organized.
- International Women's Day– XYPNIOS 2023 was celebrated on 8th March 2023 by the Women's Cell. An intercollegiate Photography and Malayalam Poem Recitation competitions and an Inter class Manuscript Magazine Competition on the topic "Women in Action" were conducted.

### EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

- Commencement of NSS programme in the institution
- As part of World Environmental Day Celebration the project *Ente Madhuramulla Thottam* and '*Kutti Karshaka Sena* was inaugurated at our Adopted School - Sr. Alphonsa U.P. School, Chennamattom, Ayarkunnam. The NSS volunteers planted 20 fruit trees and initiated the



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- An Exhibition of Teaching & Learning Aids for School Students named Carmex 2022 was organized on 6th July 2022 and 22nd February 2023.
- A Medical Camp was conducted in the college campus by Medical Centre Hospital on 29<sup>th</sup> March 2023.
- Carmel Fest inter-school competitions for students of Practice teaching schools was conducted on 22nd February 2023
- M.Ed. Students visited Kottayam Prison and its Library under the leadership of Sr. Rosy Leema P.W., UGC Librarian on 13th July 2022 to promote reading habits among the inmates.
- Social Visits to Abhaya Bhavan, Santhi Bhavan and Ashraya charitable trust
- Visit to Sneha Bhavan Special School, S.H. Njanodaya School for the deaf
- Carmel Tailoring Centre functioning in the college for the empowerment of marginalised women of the locality offers 4 months tailoring course.

### **ADD ON COURSES AND VALUE ADDED COURSES**

The institution conducts several add on courses and value added courses for addressing the diverse learning needs of the student teachers. The courses offered are

- Certificate Course in Guidance and Counselling
- Certificate Course in Computer Applications
- Diploma Course in Computer Applications
- Arts and Craft
- Tailoring and Embroidery
- Fabrication of Eco friendly products
- Understanding India
- Yoga and Fitness
- Communicative English
- Digital Skills for Prospective Teachers

### **OTHER PROGRAMMES**

- ✓ Entry Level Tests
- ✓ Community Living Camp & Educational Tour
- ✓ ICT integrated teaching and learning
- ✓ Annual Sports Meet & Arts Fest
- ✓ College Day

✓ Scholarships and Endowments

✓ Disabled Friendly Environment



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- ✓ KTET Coaching
- ✓ Campus Placement
- ✓ Participation in Intercollegiate Competitions
- ✓ Participation in Seminars/Workshops outside the Institution
- ✓ Paper presentations
- ✓ Publication of article in research journals
- ✓ Financial assistance and free ships to students
- ✓ Mentoring/ Remedial Teaching
- ✓ Projects/Surveys/Interviews/Assignments
- ✓ Reflective Journaling
- ✓ Drama and Theatre Arts
- ✓ Physical /Health/Yoga Education
- ✓ Documentary/ Short film preparation
- ✓ Preparation of Portfolio

Catering to the differential needs of students as an institutionalised activity is helpful in creating an inclusive, supportive and effective educational environment for the student learners. The various programmes conducted in the Institution ensure that all students have the opportunity to succeed academically, socially, and emotionally, preparing them for a bright future in an increasingly diverse world.



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