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SCANNING ELECTRON MICROSCOPE WITH EDX FACILITY IS AVAILABLE IN THE CIMF



SINGLE CRYSTAL X-RAY DIFFRACTOMETER FACILITY IS AVAILABLE IN THE CIMF



Equipments available in the Department of Microbiology for genetic mutation analysis, epifluorescent detection and High Performance liquid Chromatography.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Collector office, Salem

Office - 0427-2452244

Police

Salem Asst. Commissioner Office - 0427-2224000

Suramangalam Police Station - 0427-2447315

Suramangalam Women Police Station - 0427-2333552

Hospitals

Govt. Hospital, Salem - 0427-2210674

Govt. Hospital, Omalur - 04290-220241

Manipal Hospital - 0427-2346600 /
2345569

Blood Banks

Salem G.H. Blood Bank - 0427-2210964

Maruti Blood Bank - 0427-2444962

Sivaramji Blood Bank - 0427-2318003

Ambulance

Govt. Hospital (Ambulance) - 07367020595, 108

Sri Gokulam (Ambulance) - 0427-2448171

Govt. Hospital, Omalur (Ambulance) - 04290-220241

Fire Service

Salem - 0427-2449101

Railways

Reservation Enquiry - 0427-2448313,
138,139

Information Enquiry - 0427-2332565

Reservation Information Centre - 0427-2446664

Call Taxi

Fast Track Call Taxi - 0427-2888999

Red Taxi - 0427-4567890

Help Line Numbers

Child Line - 1098

Women Helpline - 1091

Railway Police Help line - 9962500500, 1512

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to optimise the use of resources and talents; to avoid duplication of courses and to effectively coordinate CBCS programmes within a department, The Head of the Department is the Chairman of Board of Studies. The Board of Studies will formulate and recommend the following aspects:

- i. Eligibility criteria for admission to CBCS Programmes.
- ii. Course structure and Curriculum Contents.
- iii. Model Question paper for each course and assessment procedure with a panel of examiners.

The Student Advisor will advise the students in choosing Elective courses and offer all possible student support services. The student will then register for the course he/she plans to take for the semester before the commencement of the classes.

COURSE REGISTRATION

Name of the Student :
 Department :
 Registration Number :
 Programme :
 Semester :
 Elective Course Option :

S.No.	Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3

Signature of the Student Adviser

Signature of the Student

Approved by Head of the Department

6. BOARD OF STUDIES

There shall be a Board of Studies consisting of 6 teachers in the department (HoD, Professors, Associate Professors, Assistant Professors), two external members (subject experts), HoD of other relevant departments if it necessary, Dean of respective faculty, one Industrial expert, one alumnus and one Ph.D Scholar from the department. In order

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Prof. S. KADHIRAVAN Controller of Examinations (FAC)	0427-2345091	-
Prof. S. KANNAN Dean (FAC) College Development Council	-	-
Prof. S. ANBAZHAGAN Director (FAC) Periyar University Centre for Online and Distance Education	0427-2345918 0427-2345258	0427-2345258
Mr. M. ABDULLA KAADHAR Finance Officer	0427-2345248	-

Condonation

Students must have 75% of attendance in each semester to appear for the examination. Students who have attendance between 65% and 74% shall apply for condonation in the prescribed form with the prescribed fee to write the examination in the same semester. Students who have attendance between 50% and 64% shall apply for condonation in prescribed form with the prescribed fee along with the medical certificate in the current semester but they can write their examinations only in the next semester. Students who have attendance below 50% are not eligible to appear for the examination. But the student can continue the programme to complete the duration. To complete the programme they shall re-do the semester(s) after completion of the programme duration to acquire required attendance for appearing missed semester examinations.

However, the candidates have to clear all the subjects prescribed for the programme within N+3 Years to acquire degree, where N denotes the duration of the programme.

3. COURSE TEACHER

A teacher offering a course will also be responsible for maintaining attendance and evaluate the performance of all the students registered for the course.

4. BREAK OF STUDY

A student intends to temporarily discontinue the programme in the middle of the semester for valid reasons and to rejoin the programme in the next academic year, for which he / she shall apply in advance with applicable re-admission fees to the Registrar, Periyar University through the Principal/HoD of the respective colleges/University Department.

5. STUDENT ADVISOR and COURSE REGISTRATION

Every student will have a member of faculty of the department as his/her student advisor. All teachers of the department shall function as Student Advisors and will have more or less equal number of students.

For a Semester :

$$\text{GRADE POINT AVERAGE [GPA]} = \frac{\sum_i C_i G_i}{\sum_i C_i}$$

GPA = Sum of the multiplication of grade points by the credits of the courses/ Sum of the

Credits of the courses in a semester

For the entire programme :

$$\text{CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE [CGPA]} = \frac{\sum_n \sum_i C_i G_{ni}}{\sum_n \sum_i C_{ni}}$$

CGPA = Sum of the multiplication of grade points by the credits of the entire Programme/ Sum of the Credits of the courses of the entire Programme

CLASSIFICATION OF FINAL RESULT

CGPA	Grade	Classification of Final Result
9.5 – 10.0	O+	First Class with 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

* The candidates who have passed in the first appearance and within the prescribed semester of the PG programme are eligible.

UNIVERSITY PROFILE

The Government of Tamil Nadu established Periyar University at Salem on 17th September 1997 as per the provisions of the Periyar University Act, 1997. The University covers the area comprising four districts namely Salem, Namakkal, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri. The University Grants Commission bestowed 2(f) and 12(B) status to Periyar University. The University was bestowed with A++ by NAAC in Dec 2021. The University bagged 59th rank among Indian Universities by MHRD NIRF 2022 and NIRF Band Innovation of 11-50. The University also achieved 10th rank in the ARIIA Ranking among the Government Universities in India.

The University is named after the Great Social Reformer E.V. Ramasamy, affectionately called "Thanthai Periyar". The University aims at developing knowledge in various fields to realise the maxim inscribed in the logo "Arival Vilayum Ulagu" (Wisdom Maketh the World). 'Holistic development of the students' is the primary objective of the esteemed Periyar University.

Periyar University imparts higher education through three modes viz., through its Departments of Study and Research, the Affiliated Colleges and Periyar University Centre for Online and Distance Education (PUCODE). The University has 27 departments and 117 affiliated colleges.

The Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) was introduced for various programmes offered by the University right from the inception. From 2009-2010 onwards the University has been offering certificate courses in order to cater to the current needs of the public. Periyar University provides student support services such as Library, National Service Scheme, Youth Red Cross, Women's Studies Centre and avenues for sports and games.

Periyar University has a Periyar University Centre for Post Graduate and Research Studies at Dharmapuri with 8 departments. Periyar University has taken significant step in promoting interdisciplinary study and research.

At present, three departments have SAP, sanctioned by the UGC and seven departments have FIST programme sanctioned by the DST. The schools, departments, institutes, chairs, centres and cells contribute their best through various academic, research and extension activities. The University is playing a paramount role in bringing multi-faceted development for the country. It is consistently organising innumerable academic activities to bring academicians and industrialists under one umbrella to discuss, deliberate and carve out time-demanding solutions to social problems.

The University has tie-ups with a number of academic, research institutes and universities across the world to stay up to date on quality benchmarks. Important days at the international and national levels are observed by the University to promote awareness on key issues that impact human life and the mother earth. Periyar University has membership in Association of Commonwealth Universities and Association of Indian Universities.

PRACTICAL / MINI PROJECT EXAMINATIONS

Evaluation of Internal Assessment

Test	: 20 Marks
Model Practical	: 20 Marks
Total	<u>: 40 Marks</u>

There is no minimum pass mark in the internal assessment for practical examinations.

GRADING SYSTEM

PASSING MINIMUM

A candidate shall be declared to have passed in each course if he/she secures not less than 50% marks in the University Examinations and not less than 50% in the aggregate, including CIA and University Examinations marks.

MARKS AND GRADES

Conversion of Marks to Grade Point and Letter Grade (Performance in a subject) as follows.

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
00 - 49	0	U	Reappear
ABSENT	0	AAA	Absent

C_i - Credits earned for course i in any semester

G_i - Grade Point obtained for course i in any semester

n - The semester in which such courses were credited.

Assessment (CIA) by the course teacher concerned as well as by an end semester examination and will be consolidated at the end of the semester.

THEORY EXAMINATIONS

Evaluation of Continuous Internal Assessment

Test	: 5 Marks (Best one out of Two Tests)
Model Examination	: 5 Marks
Seminar	: 5 Marks
Assignment	: 5 Marks
Attendance	: 5 Marks
Total	: 25 Marks

There is no minimum pass in the internal assessment.

END SEMESTER EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

Time duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART- A : 20x1 = 20

Answer all the questions

(Four Objective type questions from each unit)

PART- B : 3x5 = 15

Answer any three questions out of five questions

(One question should be taken from each unit)

(Questions must be analytical type)

PART- C : 5x8 = 40

Answer all the questions

(Either or type one pair from each unit)

The passing minimum shall be 50% (i.e. 38 marks) out of 75 marks.

UNIVERSITY VISION AND MISSION

Vision

- ◆ Periyar University aims towards excellence in teaching, research, outreach, imparting new-age skills and preserving cultural identity for future generation.

Mission

- ◆ To offer need based, society driven, industrially relevant academic programmes with a view to make future ready citizens
- ◆ To provide a vibrant learning environment, fostering innovation and creativity inspired by cutting edge research
- ◆ To aspire as a national leader in developing educated contributors, career ready learners and global citizens
- ◆ To make a significant, consistent and sustainable contribution towards social, cultural and economic life
- ◆ To adopt hassle free, distributed, committed and transparent governance.

Values

- ◆ Motivation of students to be responsible citizens making them aware of their societal role
- ◆ Inculcate scientific temper, honesty, integrity, transparency, empathy and ethical values amidst students
- ◆ Impart a desire for lifelong learning to foster patriotic sensibility, accountability and holistic well being
- ◆ Creating conducive and acceptable environment for innovation and critical thinking
- ◆ Imbibe value based education leading to inclusive growth.

Goals

- ◆ Become a global leader in teaching, research, invention and innovation

- ◆ Make significant contribution to advancement of knowledge through quality teaching and innovative research
- ◆ Produce graduates possessing creativity and reflective thoughts, strong analytical skills and a passion for learning
- ◆ Be a part in social and economic upliftment of society to infuse sense of social and national responsibility among students.

Graduates Attributes

The purpose and existence of the University are created based on the golden maxim inscribed in its logo "**Arivaal Vilayum Ulagu**" (**Wisdom Maketh the World**), and its graduate attributes are consummated with this principle. The principal outcome of the University's efforts and the core of its academic activities are the attributes of its graduates who are expected to reach their full potential whether as global citizens or as leaders in a competitive environment.

The graduates of Periyar University are expected to have the following attributes in terms of knowledge, skills, and attitude:

- ◆ In-depth and extensive knowledge, comprehension, and requisite skills at internationally-recognised levels in their discipline(s) of specialisation
- ◆ Capacity to engage independent, conceptual, and creative thinking
- ◆ Ability to communicate effectively as an independent user for different purposes in their chosen domains of activity, and to formulate and convey views on subject matters
- ◆ Competency to devise and implement strategies to fulfill the information required for complex tasks or scenarios across a range of contexts in the workplace
- ◆ Introspect strengths and weaknesses as a leader / team member, and/or independently work on contemporary, social and cultural issues and to make meaningful contributions to local, national, and global communities

Learning Outcome Based Education (OBE) Curriculum

The learning outcomes based curriculum framework for education is a framework based on the expected learning outcomes and academic standards that are expected to be attained by graduates of a programme of study and holder of a qualification.

The OBE was introduced for various programmes offered by the University from 2019-20 onwards. The overall objectives of the learning outcomes based curriculum framework are to:

- * Helps to formulate graduate attributes, qualification descriptors, programme learning outcomes and course learning outcomes that are expected to be demonstrated by the holder of a qualification;
- * Enable prospective students, parents, employers and others to understand the nature and level of learning outcomes (knowledge, skills, attitudes and values) or attributes a graduate of a programme should be capable of demonstrating on successful completion of the programme of study;
- * Maintain national standards and international comparability of learning outcomes and academic standards to ensure global competitiveness, and to facilitate student/graduate mobility; and
- * Provide higher education institutions an important point of reference for designing teaching-learning strategies, assessing student learning levels, and periodic review of programmes and academic standards.

2. EXAMINATIONS

There shall be examinations at the end of each semester: for odd semesters in October/ November; and for even semesters in April/May.

EVALUATION

The performance of a student in each course is evaluated in terms of percentage of marks with a provision for conversion to grade points. Evaluation for each course shall be done by a Continuous Internal

SWAYAM COURSE

SWAYAM course should be offered in second semester of all PG programme. SWAYAM is a programme initiated by Government of India and designed to achieve the three cardinal principles of Education Policy namely access, equity and quality. The objective of this effort is to take the best teaching learning resources to all, including the most disadvantaged. SWAYAM seeks to bridge the digital divide for students who have hitherto remained untouched by the digital revolution and have not been able to join the mainstream of the knowledge economy. The courses hosted on SWAYAM are in 4 quadrants – (1) video lecture, (2) specially prepared reading material that can be downloaded/printed (3) self-assessment tests through tests and quizzes and (4) an online discussion forum for clearing the doubts. Steps have been taken to enrich the learning experience by using audio-video and multi-media and state of the art pedagogy / technology. In order to ensure best quality content are produced and delivered, nine National Coordinators have been appointed: They are AICTE for self-paced and international courses, NPTEL for engineering, UGC for non-technical post graduation education, CEC for under graduate education, NCERT and NIOS for school education, IGNOU for out of the school students, IIMB for management studies and NITTR for Teacher Training programme. Courses delivered through SWAYAM are available free of cost to the learners, however, students wanting certifications shall be registered, shall be offered a certificate on successful completion of the course, with a little fee. At the end of each course, there will be an assessment of the student through proctored examination and the marks/grades secured in this exam could be transferred to the academic record of the students.

- ◆ Translate the acquired knowledge/skills effectively and productively with discipline-specific software to provide solutions to industry
- ◆ Formulate strategies to identify, define and solve problems and issues using established methods of enquiry to the global communities
- ◆ Evaluate reflectively and think creatively within the context of a specific discipline
- ◆ Articulate the potential for positive social change, equality of men and women, scientific spirit and contribution to the community/region of origin by dissemination/application of acquired knowledge and skills
- ◆ Aptitude to engage in self-reflection and lifelong learning

Quality Policy

“Only education, self-respect and rational qualities will uplift the downtrodden.”

- Periyar E.V. Ramasamy

Periyar University recognises the need to embed quality assurance and continuous improvement mechanisms in all major activities in the provision of quality education to its stakeholders in line with the vision, mission and the objectives of the University and is committed to provide organisational support for achieving quality at all levels to pursue global standards of excellence encompassing teaching, research, consultancy, extension, innovation, intellectual leadership, outreach, governance and administration through embedded processes of self-evaluation and continuous improvement in compliance with regulatory and statutory requirements.

The policy applies to all staff, students and other stakeholders. At the system level, all are involved and empowered to foster a culture of continuous improvement in all facets of the University. The outcomes are marked by sustained efforts towards innovation and improved delivery

mechanism. There is encouragement for individual learning styles; promotion of multidisciplinary studies and consistent teaching-learning evaluation. Research attainments are corroborated by peer reviewed publications, resulting in prototype/ knowledge products as a result of national and international collaborative research. Equity in opportunities is ensured for women, differently-abled persons and minorities. Ample use of technology in place for all the activities with transparency and accountability at all levels adhering to the highest ethical standards. Stringent internal and external quality assessments realign and reposition the priorities perpetually.

Students Amenities

- ◆ Common Internet Centre
- ◆ Wi-fi enabled campus
- ◆ Centre for Instrumentation and Maintenance Facility (CIMF)
- ◆ Photo Copy Centre
- ◆ Canara Bank, Periyar University Branch with ATM
- ◆ State Bank ATM
- ◆ Post Office
- ◆ Health Centre
- ◆ Boys and Girls Hostels
- ◆ Subsidised transport facilities
- ◆ Canteen facilities
- ◆ Health Insurance
- ◆ Yoga and Gymnasium facilities
- ◆ Synthetic Track facility
- ◆ Library facilities
- ◆ Access to e-Journals
- ◆ Vehicle parking shed
- ◆ Co-operative store
- ◆ Milk Parlour
- ◆ Mental health and nutritional counselling

COURSE NUMBERING

Every course offered by the University Departments is identified by a unique course code with 11 digits illustration: Course code - 21UPCSC1C02: Design and Analysis of Algorithms

1st&2nd Digits : Effective year of the syllabi (23)

3rd&4th Digits : University Programme (UP)

5th, 6th& 7th Digits : Department code (CSC – Computer Science)

8th Digit : Degree code, Department may offer different Degree courses

(1 – M.Sc (Computer Science), 2 – M.C.A, etc.,)

9th Digit: C for Core Course, E for Elective course

10th& 11th Digits: Serial Number of the course code (1 to n).

VALUE ADDED/ADD ON COURSE

Each department is mandated conduct one value added course in a year with minimum duration of 30 hours to their own or other department students. Each department may offer a certificate/diploma/PG diploma programme as add on course to their own department students with recent trends/advanced technology apart from the regular degree programme as per UGC guidelines and approved by concerned board of studies. The value added /add on course will be conducted during 4:45PM to 5:45PM or on Saturdays. The course fee is fixed as Rs.500/- (Rupees Five Hundred only) for each value added/add on course. The Controller of Examinations, Periyar University may issue the value added / add on course certificate to the students after successful completion of the course.

SUPPORTIVE PAPER (Non Major Elective)

Supportive course should be offered in second and third semester. Students are expected to opt Supportive Course (NME) offered by other departments.

CREDITS

Credit defines the quantum of contents/syllabus prescribed for a course and determines the number of hours of instruction required per week. Thus, normally in each of the courses, credits will be assigned on the basis of the number of lectures/tutorial/ laboratory work and other forms of learning required to complete the course contents in a 15 week schedule:

1 Credit=Minimum 1 hour lecture per week (1Credit course= Minimum 15 hours of lectures per semester)

The total minimum credits required for awarding a two year PG degree is 94, and for B.Voc., 180.

PROJECT

Each student shall be required to take up an individual student Project work at PG level and submit it at the end of the final semester. Students shall be allotted to all the faculty members for project guidance in a departmental committee meeting with the concurrence of all the members. A copy of the Project report shall be submitted to the department on or before the last date fixed by the Department/University. The Project shall be evaluated by the guide and an external examiner nominated by the University and viva-voce examination be conducted to award the marks as per norms.

ACADEMIC DEANS AND OFFICIALS

1.	Dean (FAC), College Development Council	Dr.S.Kannan Professor and Head, Department of Zoology
2.	Dean i/c, Faculty of Science	Dr.C.Selvaraj Professor and Head, Department of Mathematics
3.	Dean, Faculty of Arts	Dr.V.Sangeetha Professor and Head, Department of English
4.	Dean, Faculty of Social Science	Dr.J.Venkatachalam Professor, Department of Psychology
5.	Dean i/c, Research Affairs	Dr. A. Muthuthamy Professor, Department of Mathematics
6.	Dean, Student Affairs	Dr.V.Raj Professor and Head, Department of Chemistry
7.	Director, IOAC	Dr. G. Yoganandan Professor, Department of Management Studies
8.	Coordinator, Research and Development	Dr. P. Prakash Professor, Department of Mathematics
9.	Coordinator Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)	Dr. C. Chandrasekar Professor, Department of Computer Science

CENTRES			
S.No.	Centre	Designation	Name
1	Common Computer Centre	Director	Dr. K. Thangavel, Professor and Head Department of Computer Science
2	Institutional Animal House Facility Centre	Coordinator	Dr. C. Chandrasekar, Professor Department of Computer Science
3	Centre for Community Colleges	Chairperson	Dr. S. Kannan, Professor and Head Department of Zoology
4	Centre for Floral Studies	Director	Dr. K. Prabhakar Rajkumar, Professor Department of Commerce
5	Centre for Geoinformatics and Planetary Science	Coordinator	Thiru. C. Kathiresan, Assistant Professor Department of Education
6	Centre for Instrumentation and Maintenance Facility (CIMF)	Director	Dr. K. Selvam, Professor and Head Department of Botany
		Coordinator	Dr. A. Maruthupandian, Assistant Professor Department of Botany
		Director	Dr. S. Anbazhagan, Professor Department of Geology
		Director	Dr. K. Murgesan, Professor and Head Department of Environmental Science
		Coordinator	Dr. P. Maadeswaran, Assistant Professor Department of Energy Science and Technology

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

1. CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

The Choice Based Credit System is a flexible system of learning. The CBCS was introduced for all the programmes offered by the University from 2004-05 onwards. The distinguishing student friendly features of CBCS allow students to:

- ❖ Learn at their own pace
- ❖ Choose electives from a wide range of elective courses offered by the University departments with consultation of department faculty members.
- ❖ Adopt inter-disciplinary approach by choosing supportive papers in learning and make best use of the expertise of available faculty.

DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMMES

There are 27 departments offering programmes at various levels under the CBCS. A programme consists of number of courses. A 'Course' is a component (a paper) of a programme. Every course offered by the University departments is identified by a unique course code. A course may be designed to involve lectures / tutorials / laboratory work / seminar / project work / practical training / assignments / industrial training / viva voce, etc. or a combination of these, to meet effectively the teaching and learning needs and the credits may be assigned suitably.

SEMESTERS

An academic year consists of two semesters namely, Odd Semester (I and III Semesters): July to November; and Even Semester (II and IV Semesters): December to April. A semester normally extends over a period of 15 weeks. Each week has 30 hours instruction spread over a 5 day week. The duration of each semester shall be 90 working days for all PG programmes and 120 working days for B.Voc., programme.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
June 2024			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Saturday	Holiday	
2.	Sunday	Holiday	
3.	Monday	Tentative date for the Publication of Results for April 2024 Examinations	
4.	Tuesday		
5.	Wednesday		
6.	Thursday		
7.	Friday		
8.	Saturday	Holiday	
9.	Sunday	Holiday	
10.	Monday		
11.	Tuesday		
12.	Wednesday		
13.	Thursday		
14.	Friday		
15.	Saturday	Holiday	
16.	Sunday	Holiday	
17.	Monday	Bakrid - Holiday	
18.	Tuesday		
19.	Wednesday		
20.	Thursday		
21.	Friday		
22.	Saturday	Holiday	
23.	Sunday	Holiday	
24.	Monday		
25.	Tuesday		
26.	Wednesday	Tentative date for the Publication of Revaluation and Re-totaling Results for April 2024 Examinations	
27.	Thursday		
28.	Friday		
29.	Saturday	Holiday	
30.	Sunday	Holiday	

7	Centre for International Relations	Director	Dr. K. Murugesan, Professor and Head Department of Environmental Science
8	Centre for New and Renewable Energy Studies	Coordinator	Dr. T. Sarathy, Professor Department of Management Studies
9	Centre for Swami Vivekananda Studies	Director	Dr. P.M. Anbarasan, Professor Department of Physics
10	Counseling Centre	Coordinator	Dr. R. Ramesh, Assistant Professor Department of Physics
11	Centre for Tamil Computing	Director	Dr. M. Ramkumar, Professor Department of Geology
12	Centre for University Business Collaboration	Coordinator	Dr. A. Murugan, Professor and Head Department of Microbiology
		Director	Dr. V. Nithyanandan, Assistant Professor Department of Psychology
		Coordinator	Dr. J. Parameswari, Assistant Professor Department of Psychology
		Director	Dr. K. Thangavel, Professor and Head Department of Computer Science
		Coordinator	Dr. S. Sathish, Associate Professor Department of Computer Science
		Director	Dr. V. R. Palanivelu, Professor and Head Department of Management Studies

			Dr. M. Suryakumar, Assistant Professor Department of Management Studies
13	Civil Service Mentoring and Competitive Exams Guiding Centre (IAS/IPS/TNPSC/ UGC-NET/SET)	Coordinator	Dr. N. Kayalvizhi, Assistant Professor Department of Zoology
14	Incubation and Technology Transfer Centre	Director	Dr. P. Jayanthi, Assistant Professor Department of Environmental Science
15	Kalaingar Research Centre	Coordinator	Dr. K. Thangavel, Professor and Head Department of Computer Science
16	Remedial Coaching Centre	Coordinator	Dr. R. Subramania Bharathy, Professor Department of Management Studies
17	Women's Studies Centre (WSC)	Director	Dr. R. Subramani, Associate Professor Department of Journalism and Mass Communication
18	Student Service Centre (SSC)	Deputy Director	Dr. J. Venkatachalam, Professor Department of Psychology
		Director	Dr. S. Sneha Sri, Assistant Professor Department of English
		Director	Dr. P. Nazni, Professor Department of Nutrition and Dietetics
		Director	Dr. A. Radhika, Assistant Professor Department of Statistics
		Director	Dr. K. Venkatachalam, Director of Physical Education

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
May 2024			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Wednesday	May Day - Holiday	
2.	Thursday		
3.	Friday		
4.	Saturday	Holiday	
5.	Sunday	Holiday	
6.	Monday		
7.	Tuesday		
8.	Wednesday		
9.	Thursday		
10.	Friday		
11.	Saturday	Holiday	
12.	Sunday	Holiday	
13.	Monday		
14.	Tuesday		
15.	Wednesday		
16.	Thursday		
17.	Friday		
18.	Saturday	Holiday	
19.	Sunday	Holiday	
20.	Monday		
21.	Tuesday		
22.	Wednesday		
23.	Thursday		
24.	Friday		
25.	Saturday	Holiday	
26.	Sunday	Holiday	
27.	Monday		
28.	Tuesday		
29.	Wednesday		
30.	Thursday		
31.	Friday		

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
April 2024			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Monday		75
2.	Tuesday		76
3.	Wednesday	Despatch of Hall Ticket	77
4.	Thursday		78
5.	Friday		79
6.	Saturday	Holiday	
7.	Sunday	Holiday	
8.	Monday		80
9.	Tuesday	Ugadhi - Holiday	
10.	Wednesday	Ramzan - Holiday	
11.	Thursday		81
12.	Friday		82
13.	Saturday	Holiday	
14.	Sunday	Tamil New Year & Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Birthday - Holiday	
15.	Monday	Commencement of Model Examination for PG / Last date for receipt of Practical and Internal Marks	83
16.	Tuesday		84
17.	Wednesday		85
18.	Thursday		86
19.	Friday		87
20.	Saturday	Holiday	
21.	Sunday	Mahavir Jayanthi - Holiday	
22.	Monday		88
23.	Tuesday		89
24.	Wednesday		90
25.	Thursday	Tentative date of Commencement of Theory Examinations	
26.	Friday		
27.	Saturday	Holiday	
28.	Sunday	Holiday	
29.	Monday		
30.	Tuesday		

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
March 2024			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Friday	Despatch of Practical Schedule and Appointment of Examiners for Practical Examinations	55
2.	Saturday	Holiday	
3.	Sunday	Holiday	
4.	Monday		56
5.	Tuesday		57
6.	Wednesday		58
7.	Thursday		59
8.	Friday		60
9.	Saturday	Holiday	
10.	Sunday	Holiday	
11.	Monday	Last Date for submission of Examination Applications	61
12.	Tuesday		62
13.	Wednesday		63
14.	Thursday		64
15.	Friday		65
16.	Saturday	Holiday	
17.	Sunday	Holiday	
18.	Monday	Tentative date for Despatch of Theory Examination Time Table	66
19.	Tuesday		67
20.	Wednesday		68
21.	Thursday	Tentative date of Commencement of Practical Examinations	69
22.	Friday		70
23.	Saturday	Holiday	
24.	Sunday	Holiday	
25.	Monday		71
26.	Tuesday		72
27.	Wednesday		73
28.	Thursday		74
29.	Friday	Good Friday - Holiday	
30.	Saturday	Holiday	
31.	Sunday	Holiday	

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
February 2024			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Thursday		34
2.	Friday		35
3.	Saturday	Holiday	
4.	Sunday	Holiday	
5.	Monday		36
6.	Tuesday		37
7.	Wednesday		38
8.	Thursday		39
9.	Friday		40
10.	Saturday	Holiday	
11.	Sunday	Holiday	
12.	Monday		41
13.	Tuesday		42
14.	Wednesday		43
15.	Thursday		44
16.	Friday		45
17.	Saturday	Holiday	
18.	Sunday	Holiday	
19.	Monday		46
20.	Tuesday		47
21.	Wednesday		48
22.	Thursday		49
23.	Friday		50
24.	Saturday	Holiday	
25.	Sunday	Holiday	
26.	Monday	Commencement of Internal Test II for PG / Submission of Examination Applications through Online begins	51
27.	Tuesday		52
28.	Wednesday		53
29.	Thursday		54

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		RRC Programme Officers	Dr. J. Kalyana Sundar, Assistant Professor Department of Physics

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
January 2024			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Monday	New Year - Holiday	
2.	Tuesday		16
3.	Wednesday		17
4.	Thursday		18
5.	Friday		19
6.	Saturday	Holiday	
7.	Sunday	Holiday	
8.	Monday		20
9.	Tuesday		21
10.	Wednesday		22
11.	Thursday		23
12.	Friday		24
13.	Saturday	Holiday	
14.	Sunday	Holiday	
15.	Monday	Pongal - Holiday	
16.	Tuesday	Thiruvalluvar day – Holiday	
17.	Wednesday	Uzhavar Thirunal – Holiday	
18.	Thursday	Commencement of Internal Test I for PG	25
19.	Friday		26
20.	Saturday	Holiday	
21.	Sunday	Holiday	
22.	Monday		27
23.	Tuesday	Tentative date for the publication of Revaluation and Re - totaling results for November 2023 Examinations	28
24.	Wednesday		29
25.	Thursday		30
26.	Friday	Republic Day - Holiday	
27.	Saturday	Holiday	
28.	Sunday	Holiday	
29.	Monday		31
30.	Tuesday		32
31.	Wednesday		33

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
December 2023			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Friday		
2.	Saturday	Holiday	
3.	Sunday	Holiday	
4.	Monday	University Department Reopen for Even Semester	1
5.	Tuesday		2
6.	Wednesday		3
7.	Thursday		4
8.	Friday		5
9.	Saturday	Holiday	
10.	Sunday	Holiday	
11.	Monday		6
12.	Tuesday		7
13.	Wednesday		8
14.	Thursday		9
15.	Friday		10
16.	Saturday	Holiday	
17.	Sunday	Holiday	
18.	Monday	Tentative date for declaration of results for November 2023 examination	11
19.	Tuesday		12
20.	Wednesday		13
21.	Thursday		14
22.	Friday		15
23.	Saturday	Holiday	
24.	Sunday	Holiday	
25.	Monday	Christmas – Holiday	
26.	Tuesday		
27.	Wednesday		
28.	Thursday		
29.	Friday		
30.	Saturday	Holiday	
31.	Sunday		

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

November 2023

Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Wednesday		81
2.	Thursday		82
3.	Friday		83
4.	Saturday	Holiday	
5.	Sunday	Holiday	
6.	Monday		84
7.	Tuesday		85
8.	Wednesday		86
9.	Thursday	Last date for receipt of Practical and Internal Marks	87
10.	Friday		88
11.	Saturday	Holiday	
12.	Sunday	Deepavali - Holiday	
13.	Monday		89
14.	Tuesday		90
15.	Wednesday	Tentative date of Commencement of Theory Examinations	
16.	Thursday		
17.	Friday		
18.	Saturday	Holiday	
19.	Sunday	Holiday	
20.	Monday		
21.	Tuesday		
22.	Wednesday		
23.	Thursday		
24.	Friday		
25.	Saturday	Holiday	
26.	Sunday	Holiday	
27.	Monday		
28.	Tuesday		
29.	Wednesday		
30.	Thursday		

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

October 2023

Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Sunday	Holiday	
2.	Monday	Gandhi Jayanthi - Holiday	
3.	Tuesday		62
4.	Wednesday		63
5.	Thursday		64
6.	Friday	Tentative date for Despatch of Theory Examination Time Table	65
7.	Saturday	Holiday	
8.	Sunday	Holiday	
9.	Monday		66
10.	Tuesday		67
11.	Wednesday	Tentative date of Commencement of Practical Examinations	68
12.	Thursday		69
13.	Friday		70
14.	Saturday	Holiday	
15.	Sunday	Holiday	
16.	Monday		71
17.	Tuesday		72
18.	Wednesday		73
19.	Thursday		74
20.	Friday		75
21.	Saturday	Holiday	
22.	Sunday	Holiday	
23.	Monday	Ayutha Pooja/Saraswathi Poojai Holiday	
24.	Tuesday	Vijaya Dhasami - Holiday	
25.	Wednesday	Commencement of Model Examination for PG	76
26.	Thursday		77
27.	Friday		78
28.	Saturday	Holiday	
29.	Sunday	Holiday	
30.	Monday	Despatch of Hall Ticket	79
31.	Tuesday		80

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
September 2023			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Friday		43
2.	Saturday	Holiday	
3.	Sunday	Holiday	
4.	Monday		44
5.	Tuesday		45
6.	Wednesday	Gokulastami - Holiday	
7.	Thursday		46
8.	Friday		47
9.	Saturday		48
10.	Sunday	Holiday	
11.	Monday		49
12.	Tuesday		50
13.	Wednesday	Submission of Examination Applications through Online begins	51
14.	Thursday		52
15.	Friday		53
16.	Saturday	Holiday	
17.	Sunday	Holiday - Periyar Birthday	
18.	Monday	Vinayagar Chaturthi - Holiday	
19.	Tuesday		54
20.	Wednesday		55
21.	Thursday	Despatch of Practical Schedule and Appointment of Examiners for Practical Examinations	56
22.	Friday		57
23.	Saturday	Holiday	
24.	Sunday	Holiday	
25.	Monday	Commencement of Internal Test II for PG	58
26.	Tuesday		59
27.	Wednesday		60
28.	Thursday	Miladi Nabi - Holiday	
29.	Friday	Last Date for submission of Examination Applications through online	61
30.	Saturday	Holiday	

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

August 2023

Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Tuesday		22
2.	Wednesday		23
3.	Thursday	Adi Perugu – Local Holiday	
4.	Friday		24
5.	Saturday	Holiday	
6.	Sunday	Holiday	
7.	Monday		25
8.	Tuesday		26
9.	Wednesday	Mariyamman Festival - Local Holiday	
10.	Thursday		27
11.	Friday		28
12.	Saturday	Holiday	
13.	Sunday	Holiday	
14.	Monday		29
15.	Tuesday	Independence Day - Holiday	
16.	Wednesday	Commencement of Internal Test I for PG	30
17.	Thursday		31
18.	Friday		32
19.	Saturday		33
20.	Sunday	Holiday	
21.	Monday		34
22.	Tuesday		35
23.	Wednesday		36
24.	Thursday		37
25.	Friday		38
26.	Saturday	Holiday	
27.	Sunday	Holiday	
28.	Monday		39
29.	Tuesday		40
30.	Wednesday		41
31.	Thursday		42

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		Research Advisory	Convenor	Dr. P. Viswanathamurthi, Professor, Department of Chemistry

ACADEMIC CALENDAR			
July 2023			
Date	Day	Particulars	No. of Working Days
1.	Saturday	Holiday	
2.	Sunday	Holiday	
3.	Monday	University Departments Reopen for Odd Semester (II PG)	1
4.	Tuesday		2
5.	Wednesday		3
6.	Thursday		4
7.	Friday		5
8.	Saturday	Holiday	
9.	Sunday	Holiday	
10.	Monday		6
11.	Tuesday		7
12.	Wednesday		8
13.	Thursday		9
14.	Friday		10
15.	Saturday	Holiday	
16.	Sunday	Holiday	
17.	Monday		11
18.	Tuesday		12
19.	Wednesday		13
20.	Thursday		14
21.	Friday		15
22.	Saturday	Holiday	
23.	Sunday	Holiday	
24.	Monday		16
25.	Tuesday		17
26.	Wednesday		18
27.	Thursday		19
28.	Friday		20
29.	Saturday	Moharram - Holiday	
30.	Sunday	Holiday	
31.	Monday		21

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PROFILE

Post Graduate Centre for Post Graduate and Research Studies of this University started functioning from the academic year 2012-13 with the approval of the Govt. of Tamil Nadu and is located at Dharmapuri to cater to the students from the most backward areas. It was established with three departments initially and five more departments were added successively during 2015 and 2016. In consonance with its mission statement "Arival Vilaiyum Ulagu" it is committed to promote intellectual climate through artistic creation, critical mediation and innovative research. The centre provides a holistic integrated education to the young minds. It plays a vital role in providing wisdom and knowledge, by educating and enriching the students from rural areas. The following programmes are offered

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2.	Commerce	M.Com.	M.Phil. (FT) Ph.D (FT and PT)
3.	Computer Science	M.Sc. Computer Science	M.Phil. (FT) Ph.D (FT and PT)
4.	English	M.A.. English	M.Phil. (FT) Ph.D (FT and PT)
5.	Geology	M.Sc. Applied Geology	Ph.D (FT and PT)
6.	Management	M.B.A.	M.Phil. (FT) Ph.D (FT and PT)
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4.	Chemistry	M.Sc. Chemistry	Chemistry
5.	Commerce	M.Com.	Commerce
6.	Computer Science	i) MCA (AICTE approved) ii) M.Sc. Computer Science iii) M.Sc. Data Science iv) B.Voc (AR & VR)	Computer Science
7.	Economics	M.A. Economics	Economics
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9.	Energy Science and Technology	i) M.Sc. Energy Science ii) M.Tech. (Energy Technology) (AICTE approved)	Energy Science
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13.	Geology	M.Sc. Geology	Geology
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