

## **Women Development Cell**

### **Annual Report 2021-22**

To remove the confusion and misconception about the Covid-19 vaccine, and create the attentiveness on vaccination, an awareness programme was organized on 17/09/2021 through online platform via Google meet. Dr.K.Indumanthi Assistant surgeon/Paediatrician, Government Hospital –Velur, Namakkal was an invited speaker to this programme. She stressed the importance of the Covid-19 vaccine and her speech on the need for vaccination eradicated the misconception of vaccines among the students. 82 students took part in this programme.

To raise a sense of women's safety, health and hygiene an awareness program was conducted on 14/12/2021. Dr.S.Parvathi, Assistant Professor of Economics, Convener, Women Development Cell, Dr.P.Thamizhchelvi, Assistant professor and Head, Dept of History, Member, women development cell and Mrs.B.Kavitha Assistant professor of Commerce, Member, women development cell sensitized 460 girl students about the Women safety, Health and Hygiene.

WDC in association with JSS Namakkal under the guidance of the Ministry of Culture conducted the Patriotic song & Lullabies (ThalattuPattu ) – Songs lyric writing and Rangoli competitions, to create consciousness among the students on Indian culture and to imbibe patriotism. 11 students took active participation in Rangoli, three in patriotic song lyric writing and one student in Lullabies lyric writing competitions.

On 24 January 2022, the girl child day was celebrated in association with NSS, to create awareness about the rights of the girl child and gender-based discrimination that girls face in our society and to bring change in the attitude towards the girl child. The programme was organized via online mode. Dr.S.Parvathi, Assistant professor and convener of women development cell was the resource person of this programme. 91 students were sensitized about the rights of girl child.

To raise awareness about the status, rights and dignity of the women, International women's day was celebrated on behalf of the Women Development Cell on 08.03.2022 at the college auditorium. Mrs N. Sasireka, B.E., Assistant Commissioner, Department of Commercial Tax, Namakkal was the chief guest; she inspired our students with motivational and enlightened speech. Many competitions were conducted for students as well as teachers as part of the celebration. 491 girl students from aided wing took part in the programme.

To enhance the legal awareness among the girl students a programme was organized on 26/05/2022 as a part of gender sensitization programme. Ms K.Vijayalakshmi BA., BL., Advocate, Bhavani Court, was the guest speaker at this event. 360 girl students were sensitized on their legal rights through this programme.