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Inclusive Education

Sree Kerala Varma College firmly believes in the motto, "Pure be my life forever". We believe that this purity comes from living a blemish free life, a life committed to serving others, and treating everyone with dignity and respect. By welcoming students from all strata of the society, especially students belonging to several marginalised societies into our midst, we aim to build a society that is civilised, compassionate, and zealous about upholding humanitarian values. We believe that the students who graduate from the college take this concern for human life and values much further and deeper into the society, doing their bit to make this world a more tolerant and welcoming place to live in. Differently abled students, students from Lakshwadeep, girls, socially and economically backward students -especially girls and Dalits- constitute a majority of the student community of this college. Every student finds equal acceptance and welcome in the campus. With each passing year, we strive to make our campus more friendly and accessible to these students who are otherwise sidelined in society. While institutional as well as structural facilities have been revamped and adjusted to meet the growing requirements each year, the student community evolves into an inclusive, harmonious, well-knit family.

The atmosphere at Sree Kerala Varma College is such that each student derives within themselves the ability to care for others, to offer help, and to make life a little better for people all around. Teachers are active members of various decision-making committees, constituted by the Council to look after various curricular and extracurricular activities of the college. For this purpose, HEPSN, Differently-Abled Cell, Counselling Cell, Remedial coaching cell, Minority cell, SC ST Cell, Anti-Sexual Harassment Cell, Equal Opportunity Cell, Scholar Support Programme and similar support mechanisms are very active on the campus. They organised regular orientation classes and seminars on multidimensional areas. The organizational facilities are revamped from time to time, building new ramps, audio library, accessible toilets and so on. Students from Lakshwadweep are encouraged to stay in the college hostels, and they study on fellowships. All teachers of the college are part of at least one of these cells or committees or are coordinators of various programmes in the college like ASAP, WWS, NSS, and NCC. This ensures a transparent and democratic decision making process on all issues related to the day to-day affairs of the college.

A good majority of the students of Sree Kerala Varma College come from financially backward families. The management and the PTA of the college are acutely conscious of this fact. Hence, there have been conscious efforts to maintain the welfare culture of this institution. 'Snehanidhi', an initiative of teachers and students offer monetary and emotional support to those who face difficulties of various kinds.

The college endeavours to preserve the best traditions of liberal higher education, ensuring full freedom of expression to encounter multifarious ideological preoccupations. In both curricular and co-curricular activities, the college aims at bringing out the best talents of the students. The Perspective Plan enunciates the College's aim of being recognised as a Centre of excellence in education and research. We are one among the five colleges chosen by the Government of Kerala for development as Centres of Excellence within the next five years.