

Loyola College, Olaipadi, Vettavalam 606 754, Annual Report 2011-12

Respected President of today's function, Most Rev Dr P Soundraraju, SDB, Bishop of Vellore, Rev Fr Ignatius Amalraj SJ, Superior of Loyola Jesuit Community, Rev Dr L Michael Doss SJ, Secretary of the College, Rev Fr Arul Ravi SJ, Vice principal, Rev Fr Royce SJ, Campus treasurer and Bro Poondi Rajan, distinguished members of the teaching and non-teaching fraternity, dear beloved students, esteemed parents and our dear guests,

I feel proud and privileged to present the 3rd Annual Report of Loyola College, the great temple of learning. I am doubly happy that our beloved Bishop is presiding over this College Day function. He showered his blessings on 15th July 2009 during the inauguration when he presided over the concelebrated mass in this very same mega stage.

The Catholic Bishops Conference of India (CBCI), held during 1-8 Feb 2012 in Bangaluru, reiterated the Church's commitment to the development of India. It is evidently known in history that the Church in India has been playing a major role especially in education, health and social service. Of late she has been engaging herself in many more important sectors which directly affect the lives of the marginalized people of India. Loyola College, as part of the Church's Mission, run by the Jesuits, shares this mission of the Church.

At the threshold of 12th Five Year Plan!

India has gone through eleven FYPs since Independence and the eleventh plan is at the verge of completion. The twelfth FYP is going to be inaugurated on 01 April 2012 (tomorrow). A critical look at the plans, their implementation and the consequent target achievement as shown by different studies is far below satisfactory. Whom are we planning for?

The Planning Commission's Approach Paper (PCAP) to the twelfth plan came into severe criticism on its inadequacies from various quarters. Even after the year-long consultations with the Civil Society groups and others, the Approach Paper, it is said does not reflect the sentiments of the majority. The crucial point is that global capital seems to have influenced the planners more than the concerns of the poor.

P.V. Rajagopal, President, Ekta Parishad observes, "A broader analysis of the document comes out from a simple summation of some key words and how many times these were used...The words and their usage: Dignity 0, Hunger 0, Equity 0, Human Rights 0, Dalits/SC 2, Tribal/Adivasi 8, Farmers 38, Public Private Partnership (PPP) 45, Market 67, Growth 279".

C.P. Chandrasekhar observes changing priorities. He says, "In planning, pursuit of profit was not seen as being in the social interest in the post independence years, but now profit is the sole motive". He sees the point that the astute planner today should collaborate with global players to ensure that India emerges as a second rung leader. "The basic problem with the Approach Paper is that its theoretical paradigm is wrong", says Prabhat Patnaik. The exclusive

focus on growth of ‘things’ in a world where social relations are changing to the detriment of the poor, the working people has the effect of accentuating their misery. Therefore, authentic development or nation building must be inclusive, especially the poor and the working class.

I would like to quote what Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru said on the role of education in nation building.

**“No subject is of greater importance than that of education.
It is the men and women in a country that make and build a nation
And it is education that is supposed to build those men and women”.**

The great poet and Nobel laureate Rabindrnath Tagore said that the highest education is that which does not merely gives us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence. Such noble and cherished values of education today seem to have nearly disappeared and new values which make humans as merely objects have clearly set in which is dangerous.

Higher Education in India

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Table 1: Number, Nature and Category of Institutions (As on August 2011)

Type of Institution	Number
Central Universities	43
State Universities	289
State Private Universities	94
Deemed to be Universities	130
Institutes of National Importance *Other Institutes	50**
Institutions established under State Legislative Act	5
Total	611
Total Colleges	31,324
Grand Total	31,935

**Other Institutes includes IISER (5), NIFT, Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Petroleum Technology and JIPMER

Table 2: GER by SEX and Sector, 2007-08

Sector	Males	Females	All
Rural	13.7	8.3	11.1
Urban	26.9	30.5	30.0
All	19.0	15.2	17.2

Table 3: Enrollment and GER (18-22 Years)

	NSS 61st round (2004-05)		NSS 64th round (2007-08)	
	Enrolment (000)	GER %	Enrolment (000)	GER%
(a) General and Reserved Categories				
ST	767	8.44	652	7.67
SC	1,898.5	8.72	2,485.5	11.54
OBC	5,027.4	11.48	6,599.6	14.72
Others	7,787.2	22.52	8,886.6	26.64
Total	15,480.1	14.19	18,623.7	17.21
(b) General and Minorities				
Muslims	1,308.8	8.5	1,521.4	9.51
Non-Muslims	14,170.9	15.1	17,102.4	18.54
Total	15,479.7	14.19	18,623.8	17.21

- Source: NSS 61st and 64th Rounds

Higher Education in 12th Plan

Commenting on the Draft Approach to the 12th Five Year Plan, the Hindu, in its Publication Education plus (Oct 24, 2011) titled **Higher Education: Expansion with Excellence** wrote that Higher Education prepares needed workforce to be productive in the modern economy. In the 10th FYP, the outlay was only Rs 9,500 crore, whereas in the 11th Plan it was raised to Rs 84,943 crore. The 12th Plan envisages a “Faster, Sustainable and More Inclusive Growth” which recognizes the need to step up the investment and increase the efficiency of its utilization.

The Centre plans to raise the Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) to 30% by 2020 which means, an additional enrolment of over 26 million. This requires one million faculties in colleges and universities. It’s not just adding number; rather it is essential to train the teachers who are the active agents of social change. Strategies for the future could include schemes for attracting NRIs, attracting youth postgraduates and doctoral students to teaching, greater utilization of scientists and technologists working with research laboratories or industries and upgrading the academic staff colleges.

At the beginning of the 11th Plan, Government institutions accounted for 51%, aided institutions 26%, and private institutions 23% of enrolment of students and the total number was around 17 million. In technical and professional courses, Government institutions accounted for only 16% of enrolment. This prompted the Centre to start 15 new Central Universities, eight new IITs, seven new IIMs and 10 new NITs.

During the 12th Plan, the Centre plans to setting up highly specialized technical institutions and focused interventions on disadvantaged communities, minorities, women and educationally backward regions. The draft paper says, the shift of focus will be on quality, apart from access and inclusive aspects of higher education; in other words, excellence along with expansion which is the need of knowledge economy.

The Centre also plans some important interventions by way of reforms to solve some of the endemic problems. A proper accreditation structure, quick redress of disputes through educational tribunals and prevention of malpractice are being worked out. During the 12th Plan, assessment and accreditation of institutions will be made mandatory. The focus of the 12th FYP will be towards achieving higher access through expansion, up-gradation and creation of new institutions primarily to meet the objective of regional equity

Strong and Deficient India

India has achieved much to its credit in terms of marvelous development in IT Sector and in GDP growth at large. However, a recent study undertaken in six Indian States brings out the shocking reality that 42% of Indian children are under weight. The Prime Minister of India calls this finding a national shame! 50% of the children are born with a weight below 2.5 kg. Children born with a weight above 2.5 kg is 34%. The survey found that awareness among mothers about nutrition is low –“92% mothers had never heard the word malnutrition” (The Hindu Jan 11, 2012).

An International study of 74 emerging economies of the world covered 2.3 crore 15-year old students in 2009 found Tamil Nadu students among poorest at Mathematics, Science and Reading. In Tamil Nadu, 6,73,968 students of 158 government, government-aided and private schools were surveyed by Paris-based Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development for the study. As for Maths, 55.6 per cent of TN students “underperformed” even as per lowest assessment levels. In science, TN placed 72nd followed by Kyrgyzstan at 73rd place and Himachal Pradesh right at the bottom. (Indian Express, Chennai 23 Dec 2011).

Pratham’s seventh Annual Survey of Education Report 2011 was released on 16th Jan 2012 which tells a familiar tale-rising enrolment but declining attendance, over-reliance on private tuitions and decline in reading and mathematical ability in the age group between six and 14. Use of computers is on the rise in upper primary schools Almost a third (30.8%) of such schools had computers. But the proportion was very high in Kerala (78.4%0, Tamil Nadu (51.1%), Gujarat (31%) and Maharashtra (30.6%) (The Hindu Jan 18, 2012).

India Vision 2020

Our former President Dr APJ Abdul Kalam, at an interface with students of PSG College of Arts and Science in Coimbatore on 20th Feb 2012, indicated that the youth of India was ready to contribute to the development of the country. He elaborated the features that would earn India the stature of a developed country by 2020. It means that there was no rural-urban divide, there was access for all to energy and water, all service sectors worked in harmony, education was not denied to any eligible candidate, people received best of health care, governance was transparent and corruption-free, and crime against women and children ceased to exist. He pointed also some areas of challenge that youth can focus to make India a developed nation. They are agriculture and food processing, education and health care, communications, infrastructure and electricity.

With this backdrop I would like to present the report of the activities of Loyola College for the academic year 2011-12.

Change of Guard

I would like to register my deep appreciation and gratitude to Rev Fr M Devasagayam SJ, the Campus Treasurer and Lecturer in Mathematics who got his transfer. And we extend a warm welcome to Rev Fr Dominic Royce SJ who has assumed charge as Campus Treasurer during this academic year. We also warmly welcome Rev Fr Arul Ravi SJ, the Vice Principal and lecturer in Mathematics.

I do not think that it is premature to mention that our dear Brother Poondi Rajan is going for his theological study which is due after serving this college for three years since its inception! All of us are witnesses to his total involvement in all the activities of the college. He took special efforts to teach and train the students and prepare them to face life confidently. He arranged industrial exposure visits to II and III UG Students of BBA and B Com, besides several other academic programmes. May I invite the gathering here to give a big hand to Br Poondi Rajan for his dedicated service to this institution over these three years.

Obituary

With deep sorrow, the Jesuit Management and the College Community register the sudden demise of Monfort De Selva L, I B Com student on 29th January 2012 (Sunday) in his home town Gingi in an accident.

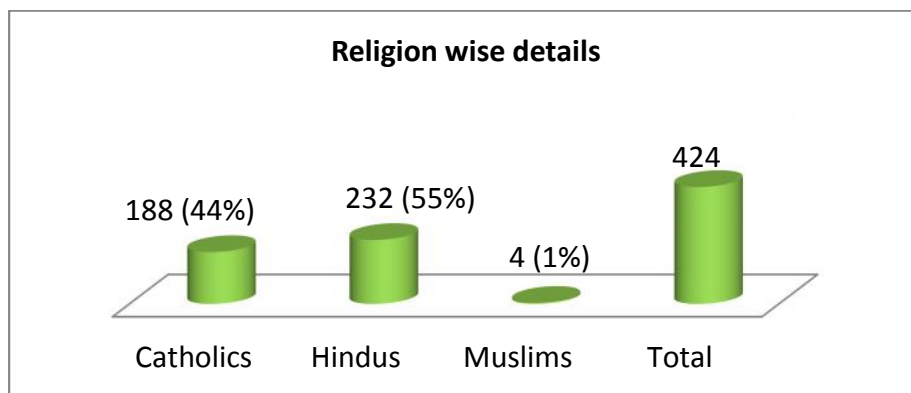
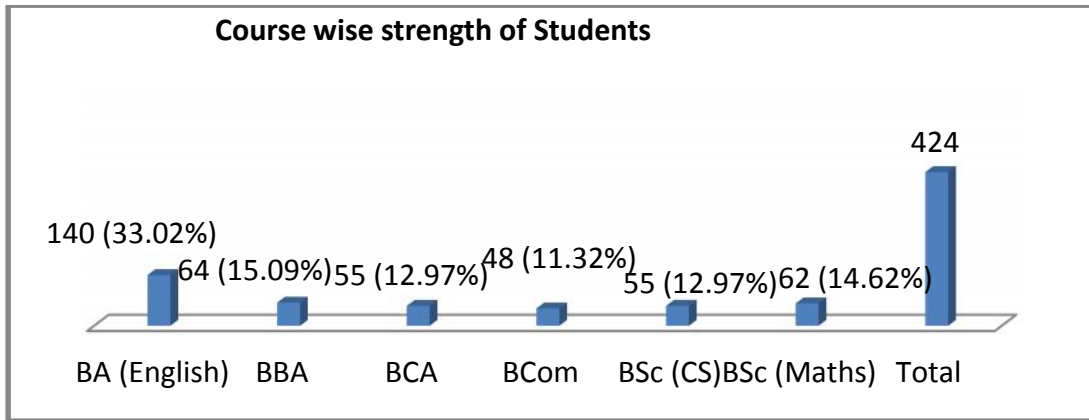
Inspection Commission

As per the University requirement, an Inspection Commission visited our college on 9th May 2011 and sent the report to the University strongly recommending the continuation of the courses in Arts and Science offered by this college.

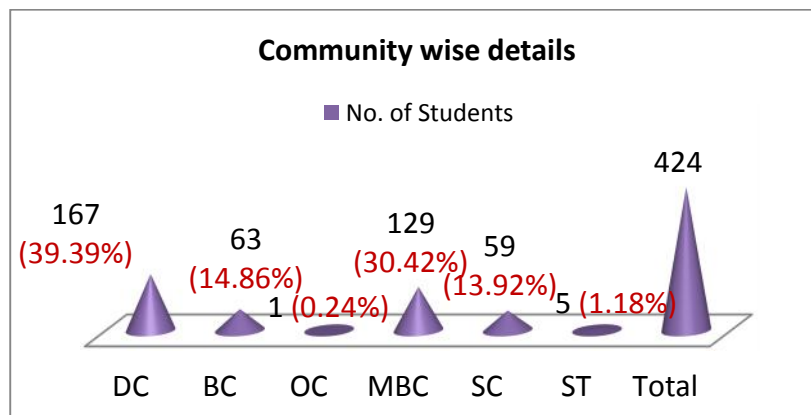
Admission Details 2011-12

The admission for this academic year commenced on 27th May 2011. The total number of Admissions made during this academic year so far is 424 and they hail from over 105 neighboring villages (total 169).

The total strength and the department wise strength of students have gone up. At our request, a 10% increase in BCA and B Sc (CS) Courses has been permitted by the University. English, BCA and B Sc (CS) Courses have full strength and they are in great demand. Unlike city colleges, Commerce has fewer takers in the rural.



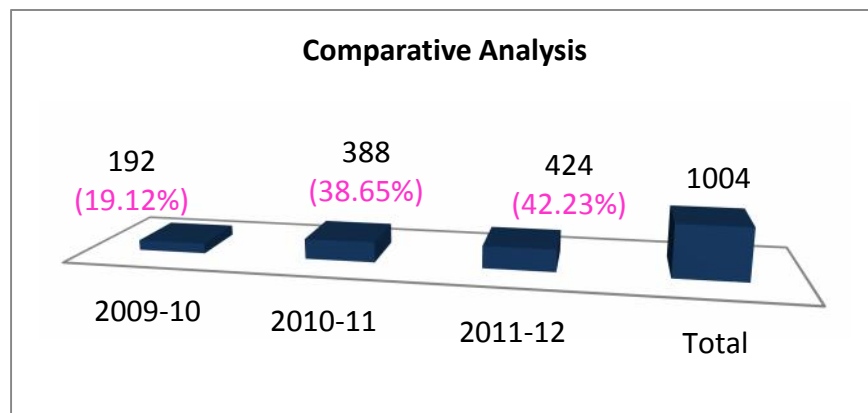
As seen in the diagram, Catholics constitute 44% along with one percent of Muslims. Hindus account for 55% of the total intake of students this year. I expected more students from Muslim Community!



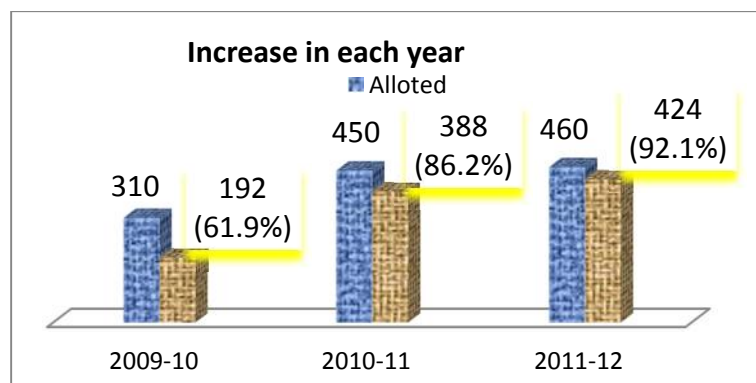
As per the diagram, 39.39% of the students are Dalit Catholics and 13.92% are non Catholic Dalits. Hence the total number of students from Dalit Community constitutes 53.31%. The MBC and the BC Community jointly account for 45.28%. Five students belong to ST Community and one student belongs to OC Community.

A Comparative Analysis

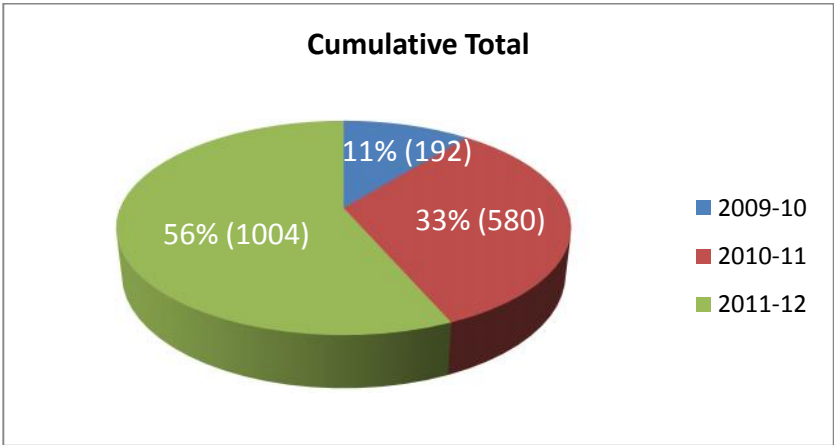
Course	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
BA (English)	69	139	140
BBA	21	46	64
BCA	45	44	55
B Com	25	46	48
B Sc (CS)	32	46	55
B Sc (Maths)	-	67	62
Total	192	388	424



The growth in student's number appears to be phenomenal over the three years. It should be noted that during this year we have not started any new courses. The increase in each year and the cumulative total is depicted in the diagrams.

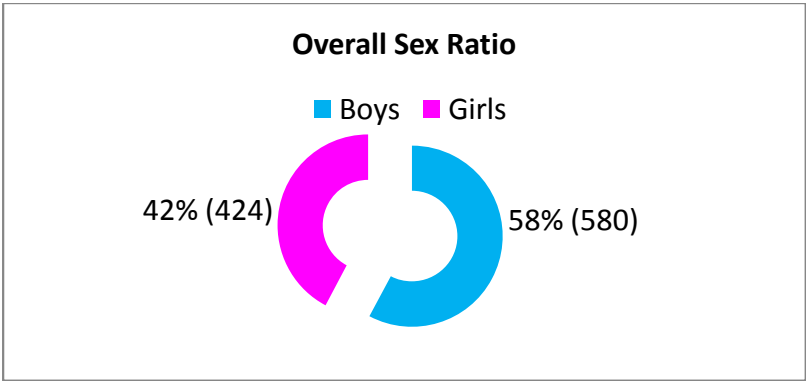
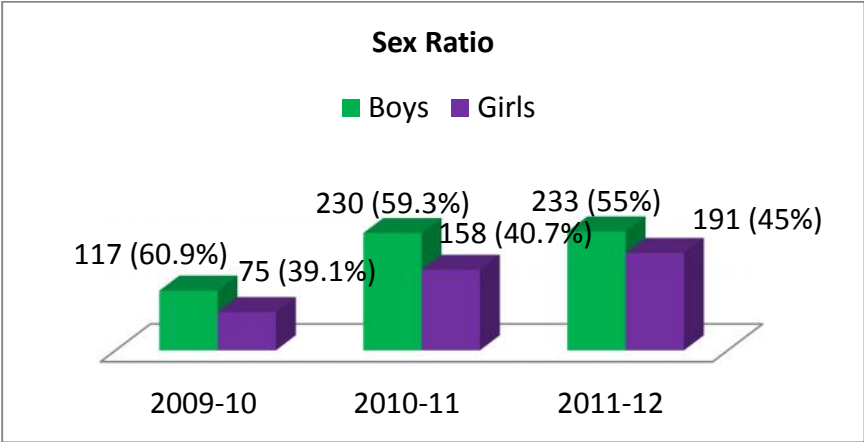


With regard to increase in the number of candidates, the allowed and the admitted strength of students are placed in juxtaposition. You can notice the increase of students' in take each year; however, we have not made 100% admission which means nearly 8% of seats are still vacant. This is mainly in Commerce which has 48 students as against the allowed strength of 70.



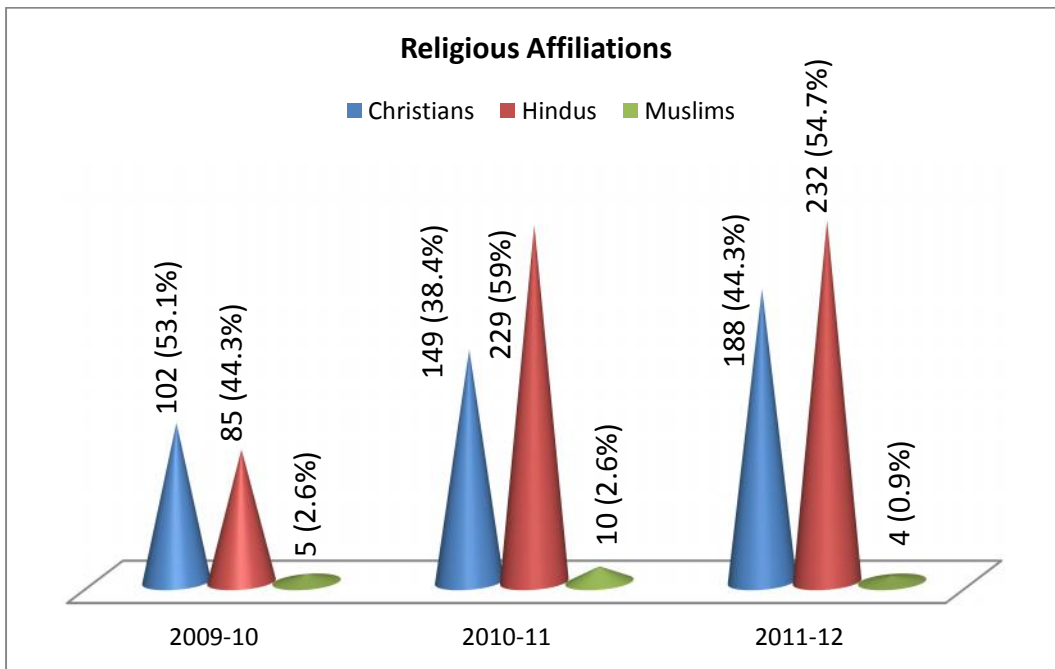
Sex Ratio

From the figure on Sex Ratio, one could easily infer the definite increase in the percentage of female students, from 39.1% in the first year to 45% in the third year and a gradual decline of male students, from 60.9% in the first year to 55% in the third year, a 6% shift. However, the overall sex ratio of boys and girls stands at 58 and 42 respectively. Perhaps, rural parents of girl students might have realized the importance of educating their daughters and may feel safer to send them to Loyola College.



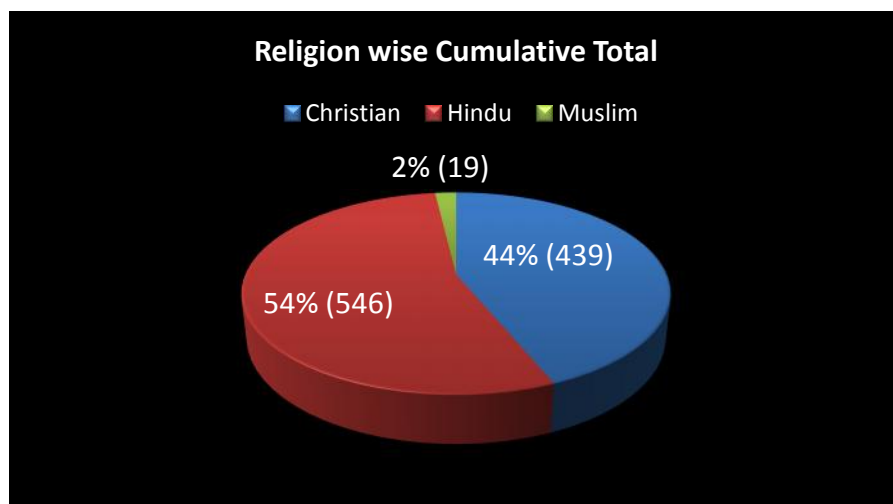
Religious Affiliations

Our students belong to three major communities as found in the Indian social milieu. In absolute number, there is definite increase with regard to Christians; however the percentage has come down from 53.1% to 44.3% over the years. Correspondingly, the number of Hindu students has registered an increase both in number and in percentage from 44.3% in the first year to 54.7% in the third year. The swing is around 10%. The percentage of students from Muslim Community remained constant in the first two years (2.6%) and has declined in the third year with only four students joining this year (<1%)! In sum, there are 44% Christians, 54% Hindus and 02% Muslim students studying in Loyola College this year.



Cumulative Total

While 54% of the students are Hindus, 44% are Christians and 02% belong to Muslim Community.



In sum, the admission this year in Loyola College shows a positive trend in terms of enhanced intake and widening the beneficiary area. We have students coming from 22 new villages in the neighborhoods. There is much demand for English and Computer Science Courses. As far as English is concerned, besides its significance in the job market, many students seem to opt because it's less costly and easily affordable.

Surprisingly, the demand for Mathematics was less compared to last year. One factor could be that students with a mere pass could pursue Engineering studies. Further, in many government schools teachers for Mathematics are absent and students manage to get a pass. Consequently, they are scared to take Mathematics in the Under Graduate level. Commerce also is not sought after by many rural students. This trend is similar for all the three years. Perhaps students may not have much idea about its scope. However, for Business Administration Course, the demand appears to be growing.

Our students hail from 170 neighboring villages, which are mostly from rural villages, and many even from interior remote hamlets. Perhaps, less than 5% may be from towns if we call Tiruvannamalai and Villupuram as towns.

Our students commute by bicycles, mopeds/bikes, public transports and around 25% of them come by the college bus. Most of the students belong to low income group. Many parents of our students are migrant and landless labors. Some are also marginal farmers, possessing a piece of land and laboring in them all through the years. Parents of very few of our students are salaried persons; some work in the army, others work as teachers and yet some others work at the lower cadres.

Best Practices of the Academic Year 2011-12

- Inclusive Education with 42% girl students, and predominantly from dalit (54.5%) and most backward communities (30.4%);
- Tie up with Jesuit Missions for English language coaching;
- Life orientation and counseling provided for students;
- Resources of other Jesuit Institutions being used for the benefit of our students;
- Purified water supply, hygienic canteen and variety of food in affordable price;
- Access to fully equipped library with multiple copies of text and reference books and journals related to major and allied subjects available;
- Free Internet/intranet facilities to both staff as well as students;
- Digital library connect students with worldwide learning resources free of cost;
- Provision of full-fledged computer lab with latest configured systems and offering computer training for non-computer students;
- Common rooms for boys and girls to refresh and rest;
- Utility oriented Certificate Courses designed and offered besides regular degree;
- Orientation and periodical Faculty Empowerment Training organized for the staff;
- Monthly staff meetings to review and plan academic and non-academic matters;
- Special coaching to low achievers after the class hours;
- Department associations arrange special talks inviting experts from reputed Institutes;
- Application of latest technologies in teaching and learning; Staff and students use electronic technology for seminars and classroom teaching learning process;
- Teachers created individual blogs for teaching learning purpose and students' use;
- Students assess their staff at the end of the academic year;
- Topics on various subjects are made available in the digital lab for students' use;
- Creating opportunity for students to interact with students of other Colleges.
- Teacher-students relationship is informal, cordial, friendly and understanding;
- Principal addresses students and staff jointly every semester to share information, and provide feedback on students' performance in academic and non-academic matters;
- Incentive awards presented during college day for 100% attendance;
- Celebration of Indian festivals, inter departmental cultural contests, etc.
- Staff nominate students to prepare regular morning prayers;

Examination Results: Sem I (2011-12 batch)

Departments	Papers	Pass %	Maximum mark	Minimum mark	Mean
I BA (English)	1. Tamil	96	84	29	62
	2. General English	93	77	43	56
	3. Indian Writing in English	64	74	22	48
	4. Fiction	57	72	18	46
	5. Literary Forms (Allied)	27	64	15	44
	6. Environmental Studies	100	89	47	63
	7. Soft Skills	94	79	47	62
I BBA	1. Tamil	85	74	32	54
	2. General English	89	74	33	57
	3. Principles of Management	81	76	26	54
	4. Business Mathematics and Statistics I	94	87	27	61
	5. Business Ethics (Allied)	98	83	44	62
	6. Environmental Studies	98	81	32	61
	7. Soft Skills	95	69	39	59
I BCA	1. Tamil	100	76	50	60
	2. General English	87	79	23	54
	3. Mathematical Foundation I	100	100	52	69
	4. Digital logic and Computer Design	66	83	19	50
	5. Environmental Studies	100	77	49	63
	6. Soft Skills	92	76	38	60
I B Com	1. Tamil	94	83	34	65
	2. General English	74	79	29	52
	3. Principles of Accountancy	69	82	23	49
	4. Business Communication	92	87	29	59
	5. Principles of Marketing	83	91	25	54
	6. Environmental Studies	100	96	49	66
	7. Soft Skills	96	74	43	60
I B Sc (CS)	1. Tamil	98	78	29	61
	2. General English	79	72	25	52
	3. Mathematical Foundation I	92	87	31	64
	4. Digital Logic and Computer Design	60	68	21	48
	5. Environmental Studies	100	84	52	63
	6. Soft Skills	89	80	48	64
I B Sc (Maths)	1. Tamil	98	85	32	64
	2. General English	68	69	24	50
	3. Algebra	63	88	19	50
	4. Trigonometry	78	100	24	62
	5. Numerical Methods I	100	99	45	69
	6. Environmental Studies	100	82	50	65
	7. Soft Skills	98	73	42	62

Sem I Results (2011-12 Batch)

The I UG students, in general have performed rather well in the first semester exams. All the students appeared have passed in five subjects. In most of the subjects, 80% students have registered pass. Three students have scored centum in two subjects (Mathematical Foundation I and Trigonometry). For Environmental Studies, the highest mark scored is 96, Tamil 85, Soft Skills 80. In General English, 79 is the highest mark scored by a Commerce student. However, it is observed that subjects like English and Mathematics continue to be problematic and we take note of this phenomenon. Nevertheless, our staff members are gaining a lot of experience and their performance and that of the students have significantly improved.

Department Average Pass Percentage (Nov / Dec 2011 Sem Exams)

Departments	I UG Sem I	II UG Sem III	III UG Sem V
BA English	90	83	78
BBA	91	95	99
BCA	91	88	93
B Com	87	82	88
B Sc (CS)	86	89	97
B Sc (Maths)	87	86	--



Exam Results: Semester II (2010-11 batches)

Departments	Papers	Pass %	Maximum mark	Minimum mark	Mean mark
II BA (English)	1. Tamil II	100	89	46	69
	2. English II	80	75	18	49
	3. Prose	78	81	21	48
	4. Drama	82	67	24	47
	5. History of English Literature	67	69	17	42
	6. Value Education	100	43	20	30
	7. Soft Skills (out of 50)	99	77	43	56
II BBA	1. Tamil II	100	82	51	67
	2. English II	66	72	20	45
	3. Business Communication	100	78	45	58
	4. Business Maths& Statistics	69	76	16	52
	5. Fundamentals of Computer	66	92	19	50
	6. Value Education	100	41	22	30
	7. Soft Skills (out of 50)	100	82	48	62
II BCA	1. Tamil II	93	84	40	63
	2. English II	88	69	31	53
	3. Programming in C	77	83	19	50
	4. Programming in C Lab	100	100	76	92
	5. Mathematical Foundations II	28	65	16	35
	6. Value Education (out of 50)	98	43	20	30
	7. Soft Skills	88	68	39	50
II B Com	1. Tamil II	100	84	44	67
	2. English II	91	62	25	46
	3. Financial Accounting	84	88	23	51
	4. Business Organization	82	79	23	51
	5. Business Statistics	57	84	22	46
	6. Value Education (out of 50)	100	40	20	29
	7. Soft Skills	98	65	43	55
II B Sc (CS)	1. Tamil II	100	85	47	67
	2. English II	69	63	23	44
	3. Programming in C	69	76	18	48
	4. Programming in C Lab	100	100	72	86
	5. Mathematics II	24	64	15	30
	6. Value Education (out of 50)	98	41	20	31
	7. Soft Skills	89	74	33	53
II B Sc (Maths)	1. Tamil II	98	90	36	71
	2. English II	77	72	24	48
	3. Calculus	67	94	18	52
	4. Analytical Geometry	28	74	19	37
	5. Mathematical Statistics II	71	80	18	52
	6. Value Education (out of 50)	100	40	22	29
	7. Soft Skills	98	79	43	61

Examination Results: Semester III (2010-11 batches)

Departments	Papers	Pass %	Maxi mark	Mini mark	Mean
II BA (English)	1. Tamil	99	84	36	65
	2. General English	82	69	31	52
	3. Poetry	68	73	10	48
	4. Shakespeare	73	76	25	48
	5. History of English Literature	78	69	23	51
	6. Skills for Employment	91	79	30	56
	7. NME (NSEN35)	79	63	27	45
	8. Soft Skills	95	79	44	66
II BBA	1. Production Management	98	88	37	64
	2. Financial Accounting	86	90	20	76
	3. Strategic Management	97	77	37	61
	4. Managerial Economics	86	81	25	56
	5. Allied Office Management	100	86	47	67
	6. Customer Relationship Mgnt (SBS-I)	100	86	43	56
II BCA	1. Object Oriented Programming Using C++	91	92	23	55
	2. Data Structure and Algorithms (SBS I)	95	93	21	59
	3. Computer Architecture	79	76	23	51
	4. Financial Accounting I	75	72	25	53
	5. Enterprise Resource Planning (SBS I)	98	84	32	57
	6. Practical II - C++ And Data Structure Lab	100	46	31	38
	7. Introduction to Information Technology	76	85	22	52
II B Com	1. Corporate Accounting	76	94	18	52
	2. Business Law	95	77	16	56
	3. Modern Banking	83	73	24	53
	4. Business Economics - I	83	77	21	54
	5. Business Stat. and Operation Research - I	59	86	18	48
	6. Development of Small Business	98	74	39	56
II B Sc (CS)	1. Tamil	100	83	54	66
	2. English III	74	71	40	53
	3. Object Oriented Programming Using C++	86	91	25	54
	4. Statistical Methods and their Applications I	77	92	21	57
	5. Data Structure and Algorithms (SBS I)	93	75	20	55
	6. Practical II – C++ and Data Structure Lab	100	50	36	41
	7. Soft Skills for Positive Traits	95	72	46	63
	8. Introduction to Information Technology	85	88	27	56
II B Sc (Maths)	1. Tamil III	100	85	49	68
	2. English III	89	69	35	56
	3. Differential Equations	40	76	18	42
	4. Fundamentals of Applied Mathematics	80	90	21	57
	5. Numerical Methods I	100	96	50	78
	6. Soft Skills for Positive Traits	94	85	44	67
	7. NME 1: Basic Mathematics	98	98	45	74

Exam Results: Semester IV (2009-10 batches)

Departments	Papers	Pass %	Maximum mark	Minimum mark	Mean mark
III BA (English)	1. Tamil IV	100	88	48	67
	2. English IV	99	83	27	61
	3. American Literature	93	75	30	54
	4. History of English Literature	94	66	25	52
	5. Social History of England	63	78	16	45
III BBA	1. Materials Management	89	83	22	54
	2. Management Accounting	83	69	38	53
	3. Business Environment	100	83	46	58
	4. Operation Research	89	90	46	58
	5. Reward Management	100	61	46	58
	6. Total Quality Management	100	81	51	63
III BCA	1. Computer Networks	96	81	23	61
	2. Operating System	91	80	31	57
	3. Visual Programming	93	84	25	58
	4. Visual Programming Lab	100	50	40	47
	5. Financial Accounting II	96	71	32	51
	6. E-Commerce	84	80	26	52
III B Com	1. Advance Corporate Accounting	100	83	45	61
	2. Company Law	96	77	47	59
	3. Banking Law and Practice	87	76	24	59
	4. Business Economics II	87	77	32	57
	5. Business Statistics and OR I	37	59	19	38
	6. Industrial Organization	100	79	47	64
III B Sc (CS)	1. Tamil IV	100	87	52	61
	2. English IV	97	74	28	40
	3. Java Programming	97	88	26	50
	4. Java Programming Lab	100	45	35	70
	5. Statistical Methods & Their Applications	58	72	21	54
	6. Micro Processors	81	78	24	56

Examination Results: Semester V (2009-10 batches)

Departments	Papers	Pass %	Maximum mark	Minimum mark	Mean
III BA (English)	1. American Literature	93	82	28	59
	2. Phonetics	96	73	39	55
	3. 20 th Century Literature	93	76	32	56
	4. Literary Criticism	87	77	28	51
	5. Journalism	100	75	48	59
	6. English for Competitive Exam	87	73	31	55
III BBA	1. Business Law	95	82	26	67
	2. Marketing Management	100	85	47	60
	3. Human Resource Management	100	81	51	71
	4. Entrepreneurial Development	100	78	47	64
	5. E-Business (SBS II)	100	70	51	57
III BCA	1. Database Management System	84	87	25	56
	2. COBOL Programming	78	77	21	56
	3. RDBMS (Oracle Lab)	100	100	64	86
	4. COBOL Programming Lab	100	100	65	84
	5. Data Mining	100	90	49	62
	6. Multimedia	93	83	28	61
III B Com	1. Cost Accounting - I	92	88	31	61
	2. Practical Auditing	75	77	37	55
	3. Business Management	88	74	37	56
	4. Entrepreneurial Development	92	80	34	59
	5. Income Tax Law	88	93	23	65
	6. Merchant Banking	92	78	34	59
III B Sc (CS)	1. Database Management Systems	97	83	42	64
	2. Operating System	90	83	39	62
	3. Computer Graphics	100	91	49	63
	4. Software Engineering	97	78	32	59
	5. RDBMS (Oracle Lab)	100	97	89	94
	6. Operating System (Linux/Unix) Lab	100	99	90	94

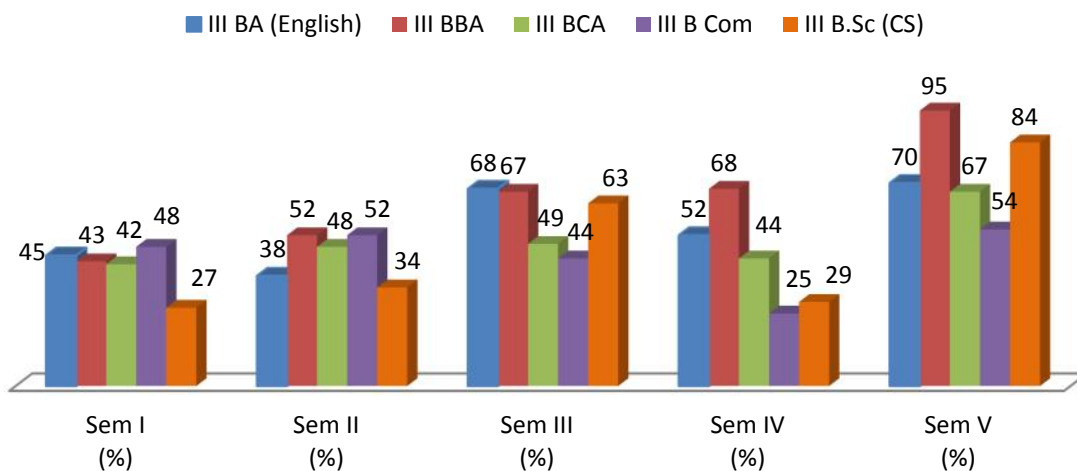
Comparative Analysis of overall passes percentage (2009-10 batches)

Department	Sem I (%)	Sem II (%)	Sem III (%)	Sem IV (%)	Sem V (%)
III BA (English)	45	38	68	52	70
III BBA	43	52	67	68	95
III BCA	42	48	49	44	67
III B Com	48	52	44	25	54
III B Sc (Computer Science)	27	34	63	29	84

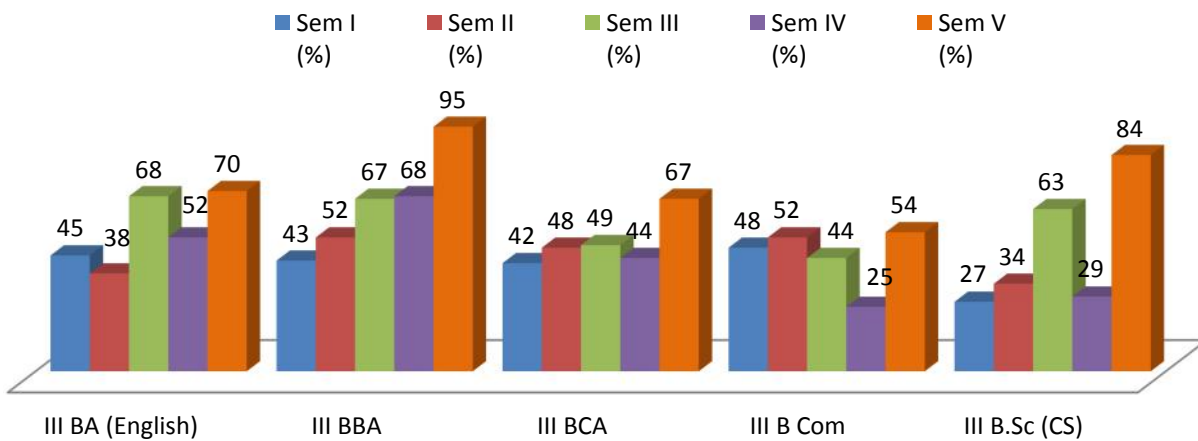
Comparative Analysis of Overall passes percentage (2010-11 batches)

Department	Sem I (%)	Sem II (%)	Sem III (%)
II BA (English)	30	38	42
II BBA	38	34	53
II BCA	33	25	55
II B Com	36	39	30
II B Sc (Computer Science)	17	24	42
II B Sc (Mathematics)	46	18	32

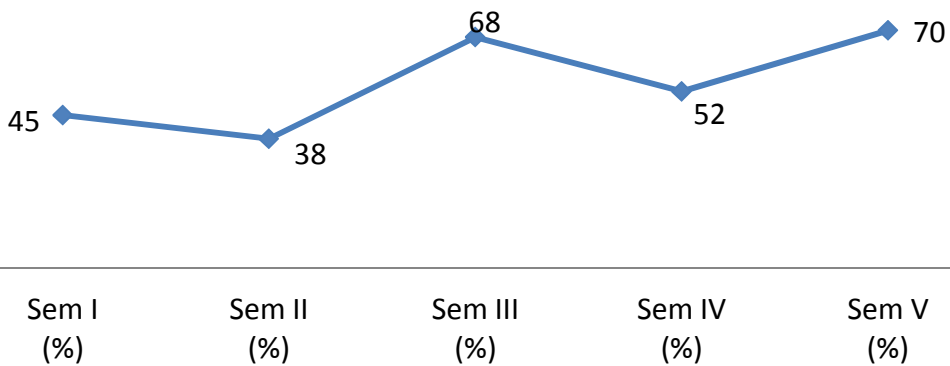
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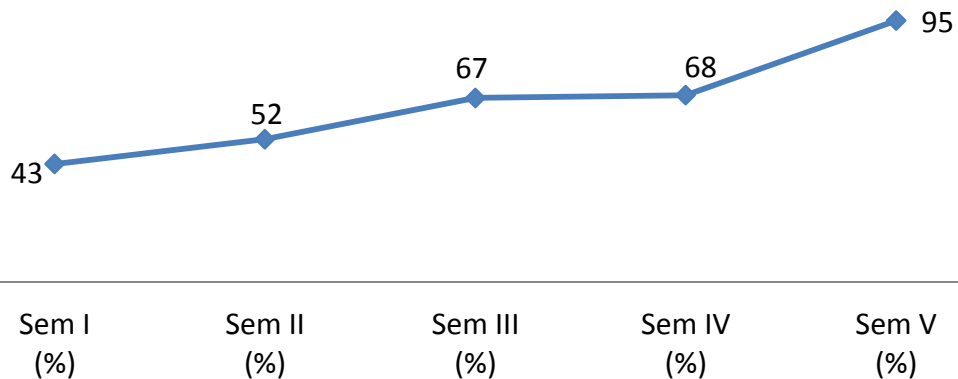
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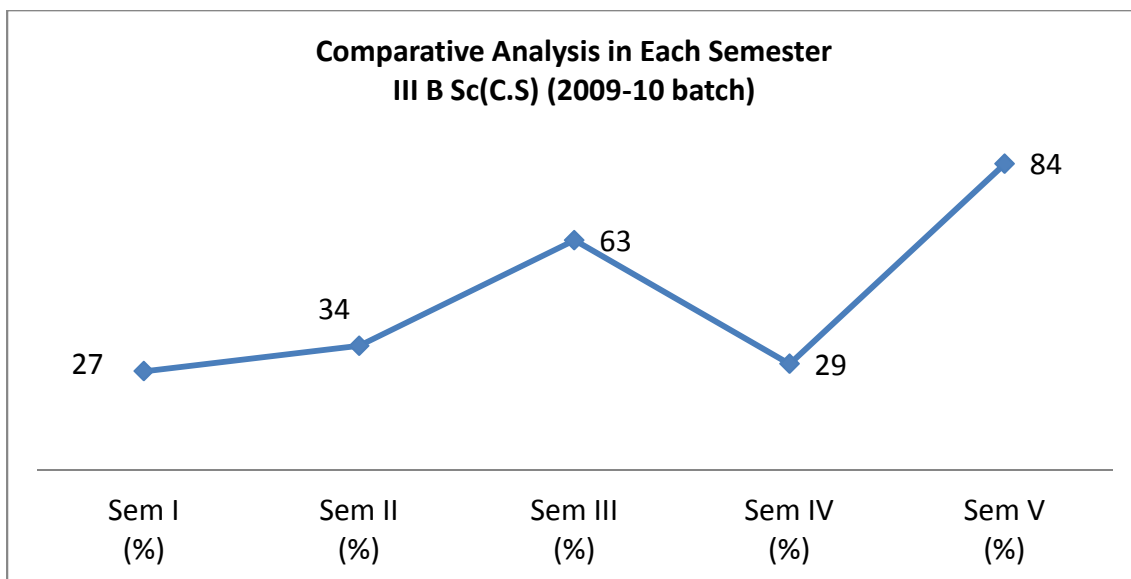
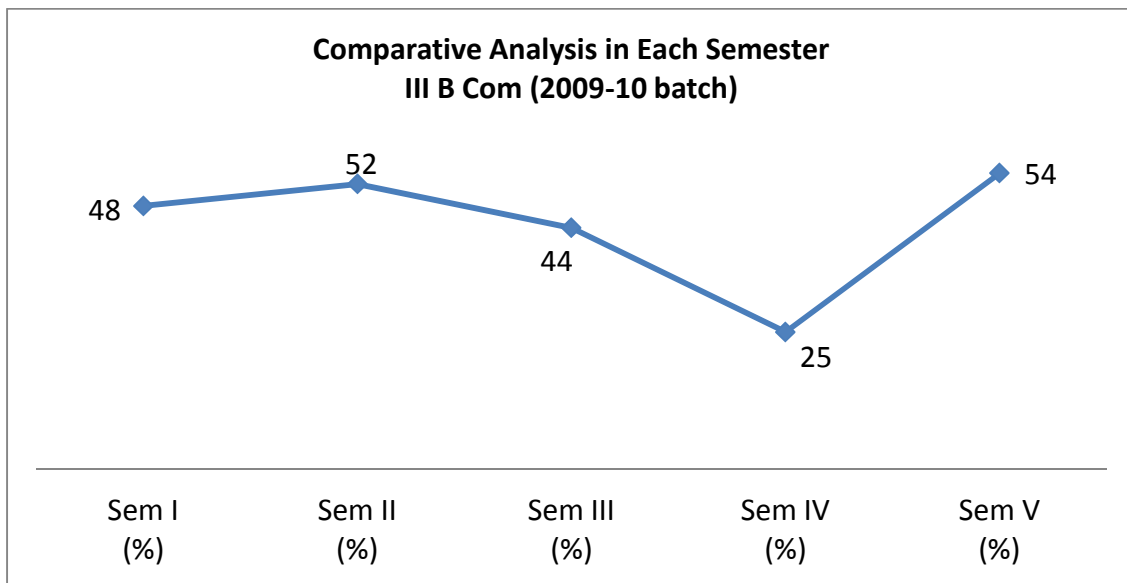
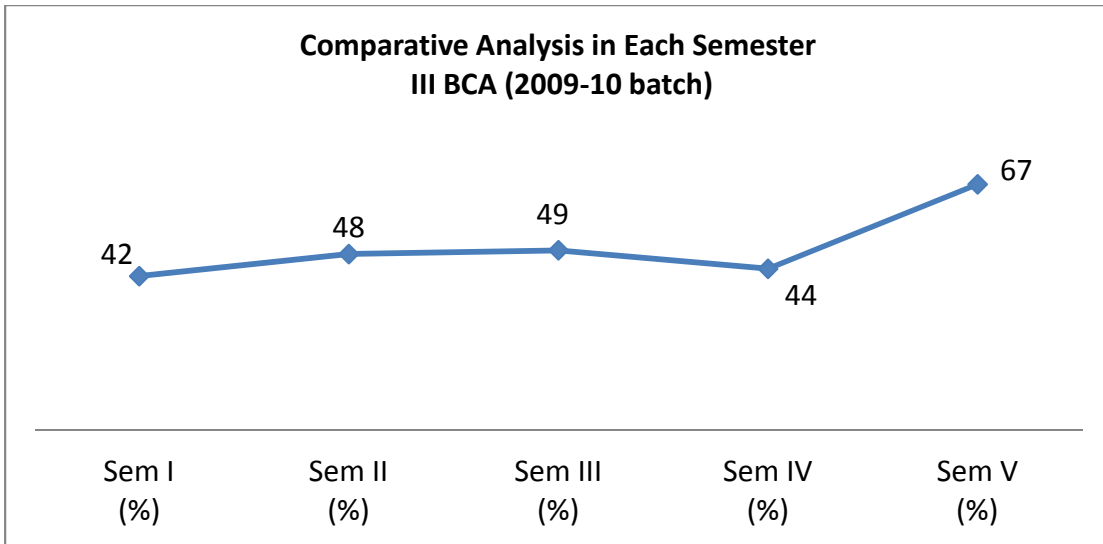


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III BA English (2009-10 batch)**

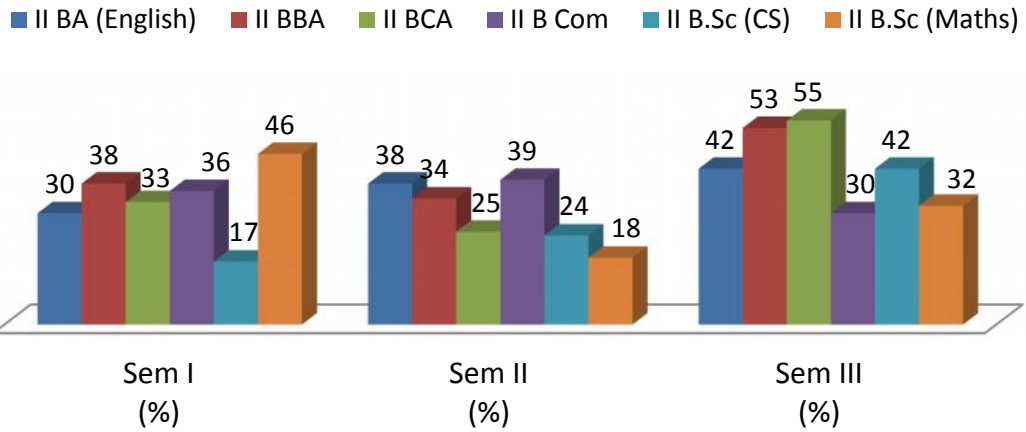


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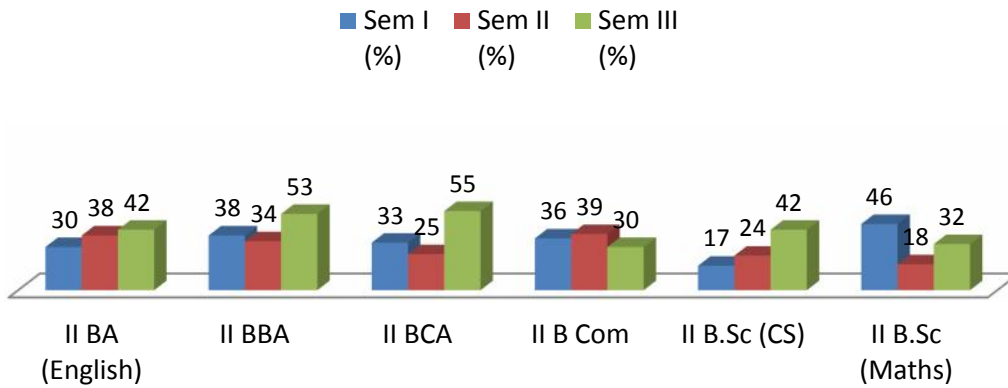




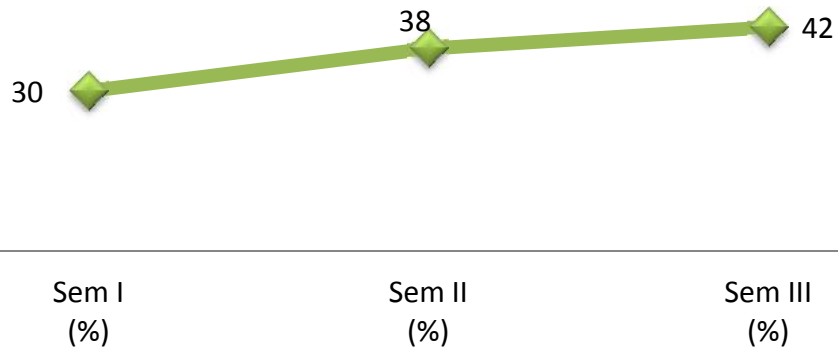
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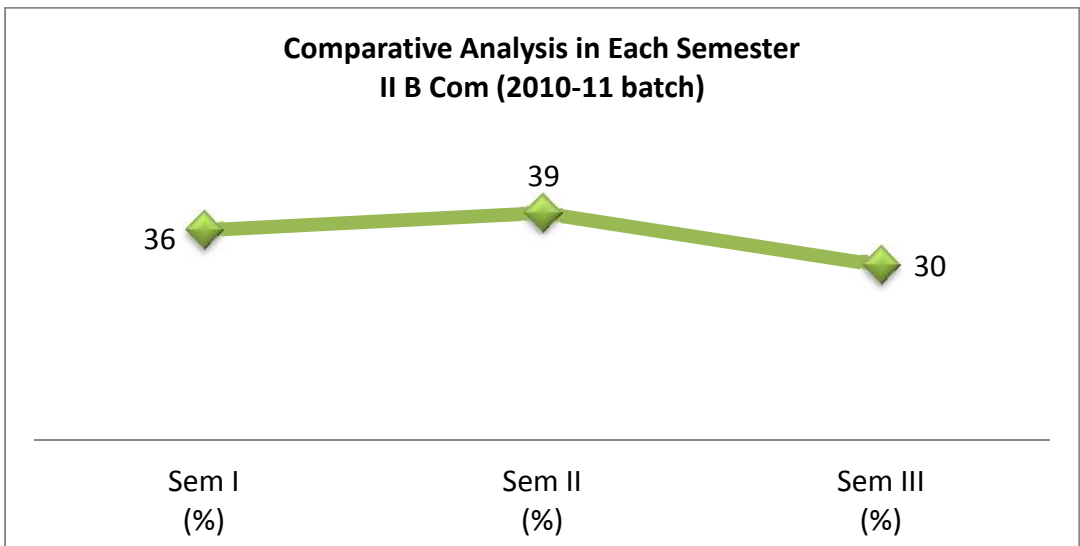
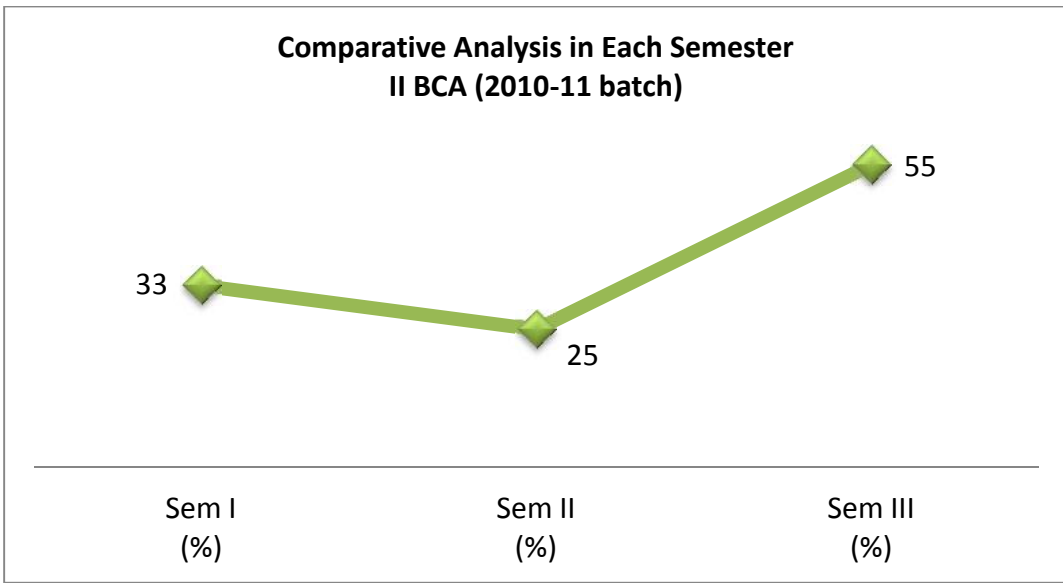
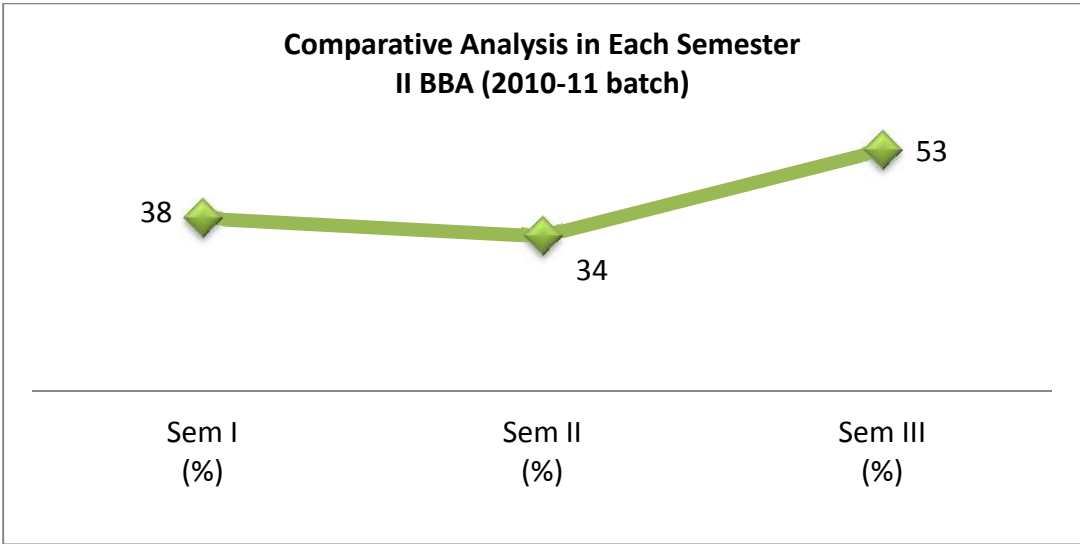


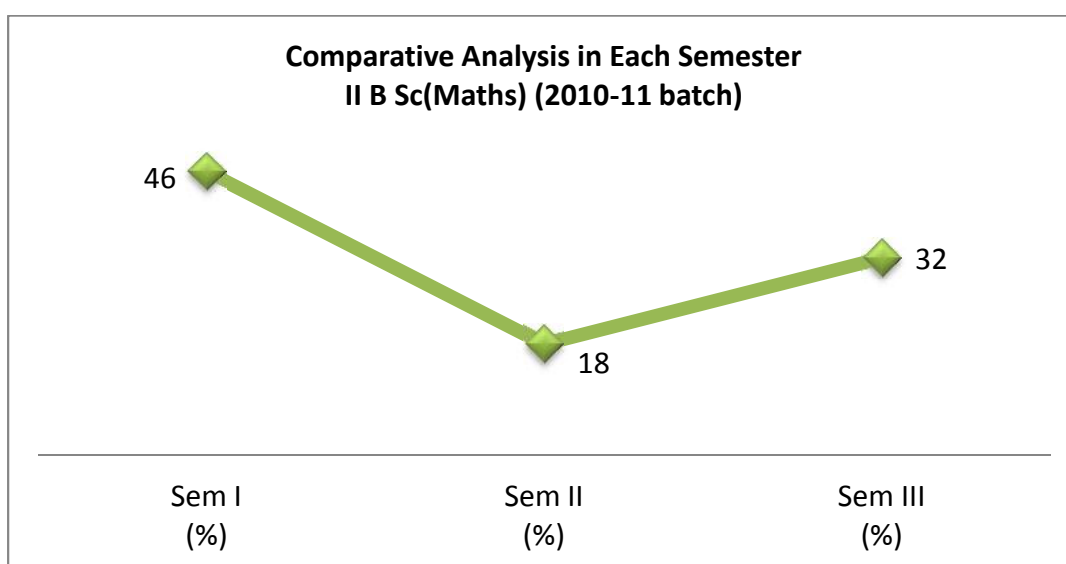
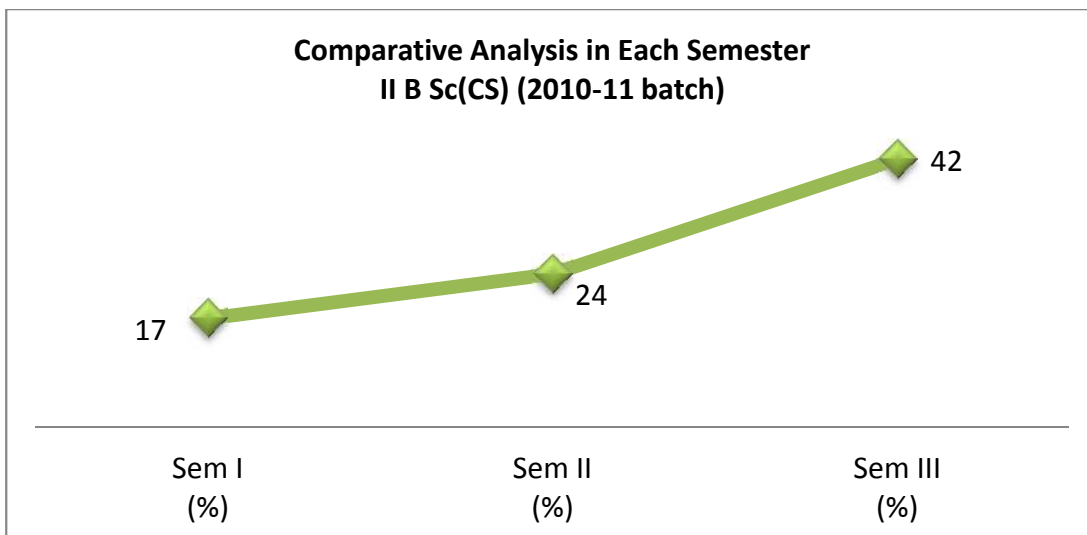
Comparative Analysis of Overall Pass Percentage (2010-11 batches) - Dept.wise each semester



**Comparative Analysis in Each Semester
II BA English (2010-11 batch)**







Paper Presentations and Participation in Seminars and Workshops

Prof Deepa Prem A K.

- ❖ Participated in the National Conference in B. S. Abdur Rahman University, Vandalur, Chennai, on 11-12 Feb 2011.
- ❖ Presented paper in the State Seminar on **Teaching English Language and Literature in an Age of Information Technology**, Sacred Heart College, Tirupattur on 22-23 Sep 2011.
- ❖ Participated in the Workshop on **Leading To Excellence** in St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirapalli on 13 Oct 2011
- ❖ Presented paper in the State Level Conference on **Achieving Academic Excellence through Internal Quality Assurance Cell**, Dr. N.G.P. Arts and Science College, Coimbatore, 9-10 Dec 2011.
- ❖ Acted as Judge for a **Debate on English vs Tenglish** in Kamban Arts and Science College for Women, Tiruvannamalai 22 Feb 2012.

Prof Bastin Arockia Raj

- ❖ Participated and presented a paper on **E-Governance Initiatives in India** in the National seminar on E-Services and its Emerging Issues in the Global Business Environment held at Cauvery College for Women, Tiruchirapalli on 12-13 Sep. 2011
- ❖ Participated and presented a paper on the **Role of E - Banking Services in the Banking Sector** in the **State Level** seminar on Money and Banking held at National College (Autonomous), Tiruchirapalli on 30th Sep. 2011
- ❖ Participated and presented a paper on **Financial Services in Capital Market: A Study on Small Investors Preference towards Mutual Funds in India** in the International I Seminar on Financial Markets: Issues and Challenges held at Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirapalli on 7-8 Jan. 2012.

Prof. Selvam

- ❖ Presented a seminar on **Presentation Skills** for III BCA Students of S.Vellaichamy Nadar College, Nagamalai, Madurai on 3rd Feb 2012.
- ❖ Presented a seminar on **Presentation Skills** for B.Ed Students, S.Vellaichamy Nadar College, Nagamalai, Madurai - 625019, on 17th Mar 2012.

Prof. Roseline Mary

- ❖ Participated in the Workshop on **Leading To Excellence** at St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirappalli on 13th Oct 2011

Prof A Sheela

- ❖ தெய்வாணை அம்மாள் மகளிர் தன்னாட்சிக் கல்லூரி, விழுப்புரம், தமிழாய்வுத்துறை 28,29,12.2011 அன்று நடத்திய தேசிய கருத்தரங்கில் ஆய்வுக் கட்டுரை வாசித்து சான்றிதழைப் பெற்றார்.

Prof Anthony Raja

- ❖ தெய்வாணை அம்மாள் மகளிர் தன்னாட்சிக் கல்லூரி, விழுப்புரம், தமிழாய்வுத்துறை 28,29,12.2011 அன்று நடத்திய தேசிய கருத்தரங்கில் ஆய்வுக் கட்டுரை வாசித்து சான்றிதழைப் பெற்றார்.
- ❖ திருவண்ணாமலை மாவட்டம், செய்யாறு இந்தோ அமெரிக்கன் கல்லூரி, 28.12.2012 அன்று நடத்திய ஒரு நாள் தேசியக் கருத்தரங்கில் “மணிமேகலையில் மானுட விழுமியங்கள்” என்னும் தலைப்பில் கு.அந்தோணி ராஜா அவர்கள் ஆய்வுக் கட்டுரை வாசித்து சான்றிதழைப் பெற்றார்.
- ❖ மார்ச் 25,2012 அன்று சண்முகா கலை மற்றும் அறிவியல் கல்லூரியில் திருவண்ணாமலை தமிழ்ச் சங்கம் நடத்திய ஒரு நாள் தேசிய கருத்தரங்கத்தில் மு.வ அவர்களின் தங்கைக்கு—எண்ணங்களின் பதிவு என்ற தலைப்பில் ஆய்வுக் கட்டுரை வாசித்து சான்றிதழைப் பெற்றார்.

Prof G. Sekar

- ❖ நாமக்கல் மாவட்டம்-பாப்பிநாயக்கன்பட்டி, செல்வம் கலை மற்றும் அறிவியல் கல்லூரியில் தமிழ்த்துறை நடத்திய ஒரு நாள் தேசிய கருத்தரங்கில் “தமிழ் வளர்ச்சிக்கு சமயங்களின் பங்கு” என்ற தலைப்பில் 31.12.2011 அன்று ஆய்வுக் கட்டுரை வாசித்து சான்றிதழைப் பெற்றார்.

Prof A. Arockia Doss

- ❖ கோ.புதூர், மதுரை மாவட்டத்தில் கிறிஸ்தவ ஆய்வு மையம் தூய வளனார் தன்னாட்சிக் கல்லூரி நடத்திய ஒரு நாள் கருத்தரங்கில் பங்கேற்றார்.
பல்வேறு கருத்தரங்குகளில் பங்கேற்ற, ஆய்வு கட்டுரைகள் வாசித்தளித்த அனைத்து பேராசிரியர்களையும் அன்புடன் பாராட்டுகின்றேன்.

Association Activities

தமிழ்த்துறை

04.08.2011 அன்று தமிழ்த்துறையில் வீரமாமுனிவர் தமிழ் இலக்கிய மன்றத் தொடக்க விழாவானது அருள் முனைவர். எம். எலியாஸ் சே.ச. கல்லூரி முதல்வர் அவர்கள் தலைமையில் நடைபெற்றது. அவ்விழாவில் அருள் முனைவர். சி.மணி வளன், சே.ச. (முன்னாள் துணை முதல்வர், தூய வளனார் தன்னாட்சிக் கல்லூரி, திருச்சிராப்பள்ளி-02, நிறுவனர்-இயக்குநர், கிறிஸ்தவ ஆய்வு மையம்) அவர்கள் இக்கால இளைஞர்களுக்கு இலக்கியத்தின் அவசியம் என்ன என்ற தலைப்பில் சிறப்புரையாற்றி விழாவினை சிறப்பித்தார். பேரா. அ. ஆரோக்கியதாஸ் அவர்கள் சிறப்பு விருந்தினரை அறிமுகம் செய்து வைத்தார். பேரா. கு. அந்தோணி ராஜா அவர்கள் வரவேற்புரையாற்ற தமிழ்த்துறைத் தலைவர் பேரா. அ. ஷீலா அவர்கள் நன்றியுரை கூற விழா இனிதே நிறைவடைந்தது. இதில் அனைத்துத் துறை பேராசிரியர்களும், மாணவர்களும் பங்கேற்றனர்.

திராவிட முன்னேற்றக் கழகம், திருவண்ணாமலை மாவட்டம், முரசொலி அறக்கட்டளை சார்பில் பேரறிஞர் அண்ணா அவர்களின் பிறந்தநாளை முன்னிட்டு மாவட்ட அளவில் 17.07.2011 அன்று பாரதிதாசன் பாடல் ஒப்புவித்தல் போட்டியில் 10 மாணவ மாணவியர் பங்கேற்றனர். பிரியங்கா காந்தி என்ற மாணவி ஆறுதல் பரிசாக ரூ.1500ஐ பெற்றார்.

நாமக்கல் மாவட்டம் பரமத்தி வேலூரில் கவியரசர் கலைத் தமிழ்ச்சங்கம் 06.09.11 அன்று மாநில அளவில் நடத்திய கவிதை, கட்டுரை, ஓவியப் போட்டிகளில் 17 மாணவ மாணவியர் பங்கேற்றனர்.

08.09.2011 அன்று டாக்டர் ஆர்.கே. சண்முகம் கலை மற்றும் அறிவியல் கல்லூரி, இந்திலி, கள்ளக்குறிச்சியில் நடைபெற்ற தேசிய கருத்தரங்கில் “தமிழ் இலக்கியங்களில் நகைச்சுவை” என்ற தலைப்பில் C. இயேசுராஜ் III BA Eng. என்ற மாணவர் முதல் பரிசையும், கேடயம் மற்றும் சான்றிதழ்களையும் வென்றார். A. பாஸ்கர் பிரவின் III BBA பங்கேற்புச் சான்றிதழையும் பாராட்டையுடன் பெற்று கல்லூரிக்குப் பெருமை சேர்த்தார்கள்.

இளங்கலை மூன்றாமாண்டு மாணவர்களுக்கு IAS, IPS, IFS போன்ற உயர் கல்விகளுக்கான போட்டித் தேர்வுகளை எவ்வாறு சந்திப்பது குறித்து, கருத்தரங்கம் 03.02.2012 அன்று அருள்முனைவர். எம். எலியாஸ், சே.ச. கல்லூரி முதல்வர் அவர்கள் தலைமை ஏற்க, சிறப்பு விருந்தினர் திரு. கே.சுப்பிரமணியன் IFS (ஓய்வு) அவர்கள் சிறப்புரை வழங்கினார். அருள்முனைவர். L. மைக்கேல் தாஸ் சே.ச. செயலர் தந்தை மற்றும் துணைமுதல்வர் தந்தை S.அருள் ரவி சே.ச. அவர்களும் வாழ்த்துரை வழங்கி சிறப்பித்தார்கள்.

வீரமாமுனிவர் தமிழ் இலக்கிய மன்றம் சார்பாக 21.09.11 அன்று “சமரசமும் சமூக மேம்பாடும்” என்ற தலைப்பில் பேச்சுப் போட்டியும், “மனித நேயத்தில் இளையோர்” என்னும் தலைப்பில் கவிதைப் போட்டியும் நடைபெற்றது. இதில் அனைத்துத் துறை மாணவர்களும் ஆர்வமுடன் பங்கேற்றனர். வெற்றி பெற்ற மாணவர்கள்:

❖ **பேச்சுப் போட்டி**

1. J. ஆன்டோ ரத்னா ரோஸ் I BA Eng.
2. S. ஏஞ்சலா II BA Eng.
3. A. பிராங்க்ளின் அனன்சியா II BSc (M)

❖ **கவிதைப் போட்டி**

1. C. இயேசுராஜ் I BSc (M)
2. R. வாசுதேவன் III BCA
3. F. ஏசு பிரதாப் I BSc (M)

Department of English

The inauguration of the Association solemnly commenced on 26Aug 2011 for the academic year 2011-12. A seminar on **Writing for Media** was also integrated with the inauguration programme. The program began with lighting the lamp by the dignitaries. Prof. Deepa Prem welcomed everyone and introduced the guest. Prof. Nithya honored the chief guest. Dr. S.P. Dhanavel, Head, Department of English, Annamali University was the Chairperson of the day. Rev.Fr. Arul Ravi, the Vice Principal, gave the felicitation address. Prof. Vincent thanked everyone.

A Seminar on Journalism on the topic **Social Responsibilities of the Press** was conducted on 13July 2011. The chief guests were A.D. Balasubramani, Hindu Reporter and S. M. Meganatha Sivasankaran, Reporter of *Dhinamathi*. Prof. Vincent welcomed all. The chief guests talked about Journalism and the responsibilities of Journalists towards the society. The programme ended successfully.

The Department had an immense joy in conducting a one day Seminar on **HE & SHE** that is, *History of English Literature* and *Social History of England* on 13 Oct 2011. The programme started with prayer song. Prof. Inbaraj welcomed all and introduced the chief guests Dr. V. Peruvazuthi, and Prof. Nirmal Kumar, Assistant Professors, Department of English, Govt. Arts College, Thiruvannamalai. Prof. Joseph Stalin honored them with shawl and mementos. Dr. V. Peruvazuthi talked on the topic of Social History of England to the first years and Pro. Nirmal Kumar, explained in detail the History of English Literature to the second and third year students. Prof. Vincent thanked everyone.

The final programme of the English Association was the year wise intra departmental competitions on **essay writing** for IIIUG, **elocution** for IIUG and **poetry recitation** for IUG students. Rev. Fr. Anand, Parish Priest of Odyathur was the chief guest. Rev.Fr. Royce welcomed the chief guest and introduced him. The competitions were conducted to bring out the talents of the students.

The activities of the Association were planned and conducted with great care by Prof. Vincent, the President of the Association and Sathish, the student Secretary successfully during this academic year.

Department of Business Administration

The Inauguration of the association solemnly commenced on 27th August, for the academic year 2011-12. A seminar on **Presentation Skill** was integrated with inauguration of the Association which began with a prayer song. The dignitaries Fr. Principal, Fr. Vice Principal, Bro. Poondi Rajan Head, Prof. Surendar, President of the Association and student Secretary lit the lamp. Fr. Principal honored the chief guest with a shawl and memento. Prof. Peter gave the welcome address. Prof. Surendar introduced the chief guest. Fr. Principal gave the felicitation address. Mr. L. Ramanathan, Financial Analyst, Bangalore was the resource person and he spoke on Presentation Skill.

Mr. John Harinath, Saksoft, Chennai conducted a seminar on interview skills on 27th Jan 2012. He was welcomed by Francis Praveen III BBA. Mr John emphasized that job interview is a two-way communication process. Not only they are a tool for employers to evaluate you, but also they are an opportunity for you to assess the job of the Organization, and to see if you “fit”. Vote of thanks was delivered by Baskar Praveen III BBA.

On 24th February, the department organized an industrial visit to **Allison Transmission**, Sriperumpthur. Bro. Poondi Rajan, Prof. Emalda, Prof. John Peter and Prof. Mercy Megala and Prof. Udhayaraj accompanied the students. The visit was intended to expose the participants to the real work environment where they would see themselves in the near future. The exposure was an opportunity to firsthand experience in an industrial unit as well as interaction with the HR manager.

The Department of BBA believes that exposing the management students to actual business practices would enable them to test their text book knowledge with industrial practices and develop the required analytical skills. It also familiarizes the students with environment in which a business unit operates to perform various activities and processes to accomplish the task and achieve business objectives. The interaction of students with industry manager and other personnel help them understand the management styles and the problems at operational level.

On 25th February, the third year students and all the staff members had an outing. When travel becomes a part of the educational experience, the opportunities for teachable moments abound. The lessons learned are likely to last for a lifetime.

The Association Day was organized on 12th March 2012 in the form of Shopping Mall. Prof. A. Surendar welcomed the chief guest and judges. The following programmes were conducted as part of the Association Day.

- **Creative Chart**-Which can bring creative thoughts among the students. It was held on 7th March and the judgment was given by Fr. Arul Ravi (Vice – Principal).
- **Shopping Mall** - To unfold students canvassing and luring power to sell their products.

- **Opening encyclopedia** - To make the students know about the companies. Prof. Deepa Prem and Prof. Inbaraj were the judges for the event.
- **Team building** – To analyze student' strengths and weakness when they are in a team. Fr. Arul Ravi, Vice Principal was the judge for the event.

The Association Day was a grand success and it ended with the vote of thanks, proposed by Prof. Alagu Lakshmi.

Department of Commerce

The inauguration of the association solemnly commenced on 05/08/2011 for the academic year 2011-12. A seminar on **Corporate Social Responsibilities** was integrated with the inauguration of the Association.

The programme began with prayer song. The dignitaries Fr Principal, Fr. Vice Principal, Bro.Poondi Rajan, Prof. Emalda and student Secretary lit the lamp. Fr Principal honored the chief guest with a shawl and memento. Prof. Peter welcomed and Prof Bastin Arockiaraj introduced the guest. Fr.Principal gave the felicitation address. Rev Dr John Bosco SJ, Deputy Principal, St. Joseph's College, Trichy was the resource person of the day.

A seminar on Emerging Trends in Entrepreneurial Development was conducted on 29 Sept 2011 and the resource person was Dr A Kanmani Joan of Arch. She talked about creating new entrepreneurs among the students. The programme ended successfully.

On 27th January 2012, Mr. John Harinath conducted a seminar on interview skills. Francis Praveen (III BBA) welcomed the gathering. Some students were selected to conduct panel interview. He emphasized that job interviews is a two-way communication process. Not only are they a tool for employers to evaluate you, but also an opportunity for you to assess the job in the organization and to see if you "fit

On 24th Feb An industrial visit to **Allison Transmission**, Sriperumputhur was organized on 24 Feb jointly with the Dept of BBA for the IIUG students. Bro.Poondi Rajan, Profs.Emalda, John Peter, and Udhayaraj accompanied the students. The visit was intended to expose the students to real work environment where they would see themselves in the near future. The exposure was an opportunity to firsthand experience in an industrial unit as well as interacts with the HR managers. Bro. Poondi Rajan organized the industrial visit successfully.

On 25th February the third year students and all the staff members had an outing to Thanjore and Tiruchirapalli and visited places of tourist importance. When travel becomes a part of the educational experience, the opportunities for teachable moments abound. The lessons learned are likely to last a lifetime. The Association Day was organized on 12th March 2012 in the form of Shopping Mall jointly with the Dept of BBA which was a grant success.

Department of Computer Science & Applications

(PIXLOVE)

The Department of Computer Science and Applications inaugurated the association PIXLOVE 2011 on 28th July 2011 in a grand manner. The program started with a prayer song to invoke God's presence and blessings.

The Chief Guest was Mr. Sambhunath Sahu, Take Solutions, Chennai. Rev. Dr. M. Elias SJ, Principal, Mr. Kodeeswaran, Prof. Selvam, Head of the Department and Prof. Rex Augustine Raj, the Association President lit the lamp and honored the function. Prof. Selvam, Head of the Department, welcomed the gathering.



The Chief Guest was honored with a shawl and memento. Rev Dr. M. Elias, the Principal and Rev. Fr. Arul Ravi, the Vice Principal gave the felicitation address. The Chief Guest Mr. Sambhunath Sahu addressed the students before starting the seminar.



The Resource Person spoke on the topic **DOT NET and Its Applications** for the second and the final year students which helped them to have an idea about the latest technology in the IT Field. They were impressed and motivated to get acquainted with technology for their project. The Seminar was interactive and the students really learnt much from the seminar. Many students came forward to answer questions and raise questions to clarify their doubts.

The First year students were engaged by Mr. Kodeeswaran, Change Bond, Chennai. He explained the basics of computer and network and gave an introduction to the programming languages. Since the first years were new, they were quite shy to interact in the beginning and gradually they got into it and became a part of the program by interacting with the resource persons.

In the feedback session all the students came out articulating their experiences and learning. The final year students felt the session very useful. The PowerPoint presentation was excellent and easy to understand. The Association President proposed the vote of thanks. The session ended with refreshment.

Department of Mathematics

The Department of Mathematics had the inauguration of its Association on 20th July 2011 in Xavier Hall. Prof. Rajaretnam, Department of Mathematics, St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirapalli inaugurated the Association and conducted one day Seminar on **Fuzzy Sets and Their Applications**. He motivated the students and created enormous interest in Mathematics. The sessions were interactive and he explained the concepts in simple forms with appropriate examples. The students realized how we apply Mathematics in real life. Rev. Dr. M. Elias S.J., our Principal felicitated and motivated the students to develop their interest and knowledge in Mathematics.

On 27th Sep 2011 Prof. Murugan, Department of Mathematics, Shanmuga College of Arts and Science conducted a one day seminar on **Conics**. The sessions were more informative and interactive. He guided the students to study their subjects with understanding and briefly explained how to prepare for writing semester examinations.

Interdepartmental events were organized during 20-24 Feb 2012 for the students of other departments. Fr Principal inaugurated the events in the auditorium. Fr Vice Principal facilitated. The events conducted were: Who am I, Try me, Puzzles, Paper Presentations, Quiz and Article Submission. The students from all the other departments displayed enthusiastic and energetic participation. With the support from the Management and co-operation staff from all departments, the events were conducted successfully.

A one day seminar on Mathematics for Computer Applications was organized by the Dept on 27 Feb. Prof. Ruban Raj, Head, Department of Mathematics, St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirappalli was the resource person. Students from computer Science and Computer Application participated in this seminar. He explained the concepts with interesting activities and lucid examples. Students learnt a lot from this seminar.

Staff Orientation and Faculty Empowerment Training

The newly recruited staff had one week orientation with the staff of Loyola College, Chennai during 06-10 June 2011 and one day orientation was conducted for all the staff members in our College on 13 June 2011. The staff was also given training in the art of presentation, interview techniques, group discussion, NLP etc.

Faculty empowerment training has become an increasingly important component of any educational institution. Staff development activities have been designed to improve teacher effectiveness at all levels of the educational continuum (e.g. undergraduate, postgraduate and research level) .It refers to “that broad range of activities the institutions use to *renew* or *assist* faculty in their many roles.” It helps to improve an individual's knowledge and skills in the areas of teaching, research and administration. The goal of faculty development is to help faculty members to acquire the skills relevant to their institutional setting and faculty position, and to sustain their vitality both now and in the future.

Keeping these strategies in mind a two- day Faculty Empowerment Training was conducted for the staff members in Sacred Heart College, Shembaganur, Kodaikanal on 2nd and 3rd of March 2012. Prof. Jeyakar Chellaraj, former Principal of Bishop Heber College, Trichy was the Chief Resource Person for the program. He was ably assisted by Dr. Isaiah Samuel Raj, Department of Chemistry, Bishop Heber College, Trichy.

The session started with a short prayer service at 10.30 am. The Resource Persons were welcomed by Fr. Principal. The introductory Session was handled by Prof. Jeyakar. The objective of the first session was finding ways to take firm steps in teaching. He advised the Staff to start anything with the end in mind. Followed by the introductory session, an activity was conducted using a rope. The objective was to take initiatives and thereby be teacher leaders. The morning session was over with his motivating words to invest part of the monthly income in buying books. He asked the Staff to cultivate a strong reading habit.

The afternoon session began with an activity which taught the importance of involvement and sharing in any job atmosphere. It was followed by a session on relationships. He defined relationships as differences coming together and hence it demands a very good understanding and adjusting minds for the continuance of a cordial environment.

The forenoon session of the second day started at 9.00 with a prayer service. It was on anger and the vision therapy to deal with anger. He pointed out that anger is not an original feeling, but a cover up feeling. He explained the concept using Victor Frank's theory.

- Delay, delay still feelings become normal.
- Think pray.
- Replace natural response with rational response.
- Forgive.

The afternoon session was an activity called Win as much as you can. The objective was to create feeling of oneness and togetherness among staff members so that they could all win at the end and the same could be developed in the students. Before winding up, Prof Stalin thanked the resource persons for helping the staff to be prepared for the profession.

Fr. Principal appreciated the Resource Persons for their availability and the enthusiasm with which they conducted the two-day training. Expressing hope that the Staff would have benefitted a lot from the training, Fr. Principal appreciated them for investing their time for equipping themselves to be better teachers. The staff being charged with enthusiasm and renewed spirit, the training came to the end at 4.30 pm.

Staff Meetings

It's a regular feature in Loyola College to conduct monthly Staff meetings as we are at the beginning stage and most of the staff members are quite new to this teaching profession. During this academic year, we had eight such meetings in which we review the academic progress of the students, class preparation of the staff and discuss matters of importance. The performance of the students in the semester exams are analyzed and appropriate steps to improve suggested. Fr Secretary and Fr Principal had a meeting with the non-teaching staff on 2nd Feb 2012 in which they were listened to their roles and functions and how they perform them. The staff also articulated their expectations which would enhance their involvement.

Celebrations on Important Days

The College has the good practice of celebrating days of National importance. Students, teaching and non teaching staff participated with great enthusiasm. **Independence Day** was celebrated on 15th August and the Chief Guest was Rev Fr Arul Prabahar, Correspondent of RCM School and Parish Priest of Avoor. Students and staff participated in the celebration.

Teacher's Day was celebrated on 6 Sep 2011 with great enthusiasm to honor the teachers for their dedicated service. The day remains remarkable with all the program of the day staged by teachers themselves. The day made everyone realize the unique qualities of teachers through the various cultural expressions. Students displayed their gratitude and reverence to staff members by giving flower bouquets. Fr Principal in his felicitation address appreciated the teachers for their tireless and valuable efforts they put forward to mould the students into full fledged socially conscious citizens.

Ayutha pooja and Pongal was celebrated with enthusiasm by the students and the staff. **Republic Day** was celebrated on 26th Jan 2012. Thiru A Janarthanan, President of Vettavalam Town Panchayat was the chief guest.

International Women's Day was celebrated in usual spirits on 8th March 2012. The program was held in the Auditorium at 12.30 pm which was chaired by Mrs. Nirmal Kotravai, an active Feminist from Chennai. Prof A. Sheela welcomed the gathering. The day was a resounding success with various cultural activities. The aim of the celebration was to enhance the awareness on women's issues. Franklin Anuncia, II B Sc Maths impressed the audience with her sharp views on the status of women. Prof Emalda Rani, Dept of Commerce spoke on the positive attitude and responsibilities of women folk. The chief guest, in her address highlighted the present scenario of women's achievements and the ways to overcome the struggles faced by women round the globe. The program helped girl students realize their self esteem and feel proud to be women. The boys also were helped to be sensitive to women's issues. Prof Jeromia Anthvanet proposed the vote of thanks.

Library Service

*Library Here is where people,
One frequently finds,
Lower their voices
And raise their minds.*

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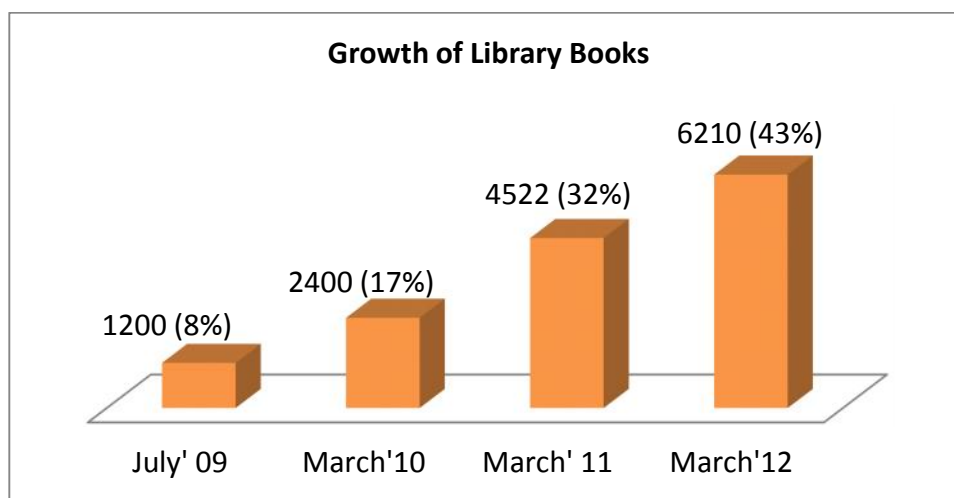
Our College Library supports the mission of the college by making available a wide variety of information resources relevant to curriculum support and personal enrichment. We respond to the changing academic, occupational, technological and cultural needs of a diverse student population and those with special needs.

In a self-learning-centered environment, we enable users to identify information needs, find resources to meet those needs, evaluate the information retrieved, and use it responsibly. The library provides a safe and user friendly environment where all visitors are encouraged to become independent and lifelong learners. Customer service is a strong priority. We stress the importance of library as place and work to provide a comfortable atmosphere in which each user is treated with dignity.

Library Collections

Loyola College Library is well equipped with *Library Automation (Rovan Software Solutions) including barcode*. Our library has more than 6,200 volumes of books science, commerce, humanities and management. The college has subscribed to 23 journals and periodicals as well. The library is also getting multiple copies of four English and four Tamil daily newspapers. Many students spend their leisure time usefully in reading newspapers, periodicals and books. And the library maintains a separate reference collection consisting of *encyclopedia, dictionaries, handbooks, books on General knowledge, and possessing around 200 CD/DVDs*. Our library provides other services like browsing, photocopying, spiral binding and question bank.

The library offers computerized catalogue search services like *OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue)* for the users. Any user desiring to know more about library resources and service can use OPAC service. Students use the library for various purposes. On an average, every day, nearly one third of the student population makes the best use of the services available in the library.



I sincerely thank Fr. Arul Ravi SJ, *Library Director*, Mr. Roy Anthony Fernandez, *the Librarian* for their interest and involvement in equipping the library and enhanced its professional customer usage.

Digital Library

The Digital Library (DL) is functioning with 80 High End Configured computers for students and 15 computers for staff with 2 Mbps speed of Leased line internet connection. Each student can access 30 minutes of free usage per day. It has got the following facilities.

- The DL provides 3000 GB of data through our own intranet website in different format such as Video, Audio and Documents.

- It provides 934 video lectures, 662 Audios and 1517 Documents related to various subjects of study and General Knowledge.
- It is unique that every student has separate head phones to listen audio lectures and see videos. There is provision to view and download the data.
- Different interactive tutorials help the students to learn spoken English, C and C++ programming, languages and different soft skills by interacting with computer.
- Students can also submit their assignments to the staff through intranet website.
- Students can even publish their innovative presentations such as video tutorials, art, poems in student-corner page.

I would like to thank and appreciate Prof Selvam L for his efforts to make the DL user friendly.

Campus Ministry

The dawn of the new academic year 2011-2012 was adorned with a prayer service on 15th June 2011 for receiving in abundance God's Blessings on the College community. And as the First year students stepped into the classes for the first time, a special Prayer Service was organized on 29th June 2011, for showers of God's gracious blessings on everyone in the campus.

The Loyola Family celebrated the Mass of the Holy Spirit on 8th July 2011. **Rev Mgr P Antony**, former Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Pondicherry-Cuddalore, presided over the Eucharistic Celebration concelebrated by Rev Fr E Thomas and the Jesuit Community.

The Feast of St Ignatius of Loyola was celebrated in a meaningful manner for the College community on 29th July 2011. **Fr Ignatius Viyagappa SJ** delivered a relevant message to the students in particular, on the charism of our Holy Founder. And on 30th July 2011, the spirit of the celebration of St Ignatius of Loyola was crowned with the concelebrated Eucharist presided by **Fr James Vincent**, Parish Priest and Vicar Forane of Vettavalam. Priests, Brothers, Sisters and the Religious prayed together with the Jesuits at Loyola on this joyful day.

The orientation programmes for 583 boy students was organized on 30th September 2011 and for girl students on 1st October 2011 in collaboration with the Theologians from Arul Kadal, Chennai. The total strength of 583 boys was grouped into 13 smaller units; and 425 girls into 12 units. The themes focused on the five sessions of each day were as follows: self-esteem, goal-setting, affective maturity, time management, living a meaningful life, men and women for others and social analysis. The orientation programmes for our students certainly sowed the seeds of values into their minds and hearts paving the way for shaping their lives in the campus and in society.

The Management, Staff and Students of our College celebrated Christmas on 23rd December 2011 with fervor and joy. **Fr Albert Felix**, Director of SAMSSS, Vikravandi, delivered the Christmas message recalling God's love for each and every human person and our call by responding to the needy poor of our times.

On 22nd February 2012, a special Holy Mass was celebrated on the Ash Wednesday. **Fr M Elias SJ** the Principal was the main celebrant and **Fr Dominic Royce SJ** gave the Lenten message on the spirit and practices of the season that should transform us into better persons of becoming men and women for others. Thank you Fr Michael Doss for your active involvement as Campus Minister to add spiritual dimension in the life of the students.

Fine Arts

Loyola College offers holistic formation to the students. The first year students were accorded a warm welcome and Rev.Fr.T.Ratchagar, Principal and Secretary of St. Joseph's Arts & Science College, Cuddalore, was the chief guest for fresher's welcome which was held on 15 July. On the occasion of Teacher's Day, the Fine Arts was active with Gilbert Raj S (III B.Com) delivering a speech. There was dance, skit and poetry. Our students participated in inter collegiate contest on 29th September at Marudhar Kesari Jain College for women and own prizes for pencil sketch and skit.

Fr. Klaus Vathroder, SJ, Director, Jesuit Mission Office, Germany made a friendly visit to our college and a programme was organized to welcome him. A short profile of the college was presented along with cultural by the students. LOYOFEST '11 was organized during 12 - 13 Jan 2012. The festival was so framed, that it aimed at the maximum outcome of the talents of the students. The LoyoFest was a confluence of variety of talents and creative ideas. Various competitions were held which could be categorized as off stage and on stage events.

The Chief Guest for the inauguration was Mr. K. Sabari, Tamil Ilakkiya Mandram, Tiruvannamalai. Thiru. V. Sekar, Cine Director was the guest for the valedictory function. In his address, the chief guest appreciated the stunning performance of the students and boosted them to make use of the opportunities provided to them. He hails from Naivanatham, a neighboring village. The winners of various events were honored with certificates. The Dept. of English was the overall champion and they were honored with the rolling shield. The festival concluded with vote of thanks proposed by Prof. Febila Mercy, Coordinator of Fine Arts.

Sports and Games

Students actively participated in various sports and games that took place during the academic year **2011-12**. The first competition was Cross Country and Chess on 28 July 2011 at Shanmuga College of Arts and Science, Thiruvannamalai. In Chess **J. Gowthaman** II B.Sc Computer Science played very well and reached up to fourth round.

.Our students who are better skilled in Volley Ball participated in inter collegiate tournament on 2 Sept 2011 at Cuddalore. Our College Ball Badminton team participated inter collegiate tournament on 8 Oct 2011 which was held at Arts and Science College, Thirukovilur. The team performed very well and reached up to semi-final. Congratulations dear students

J Ashok Kumar, III B. Sc (CS) was selected for the Divisional Ball Badminton Team which played on 20 Oct 2011 in King Nandivarman College, Theller. He was then selected to the

University Team which participated in the All India tournament which was held in Mangalore University Campus, Mangalore.

Annual Sports Meet is one of the mega sports events in our college. The **3rd Annual Sports Meet** was held on 20 Aug 2011 in a grand manner. **Dr A Aumldoss**, Director of Physical Education and Sports, Thiruvalluvar University was the chief guest. There were nine major games and sixteen track and field events conducted department wise both for boys and girls separately. The overall Championship was won by the Department of English. The individual Championship for boys was won by **A Francis Praveen III BBA**, and for girls **A Shameem I BBA**. The chief guest distributed certificates and medals to the winners. With the encouragement of the Management and fine co-operation of Staff, the 3rd Annual Sports Meet concluded successfully. I would like to thank Mr Robert Sekar for all his contribution to sports and games in Loyola College.

Loyola Outreach

Loyola Outreach Programme (LOP) is a new venture and part of the Jesuit mission in the neighborhood of Loyola College. It is founded on the principle of serving the local population and makes the college visible in the locality. Through Loyola Outreach our college renders greater service to the rural poor students. Our vision is to promote education and spread human values among the school going children. The official inauguration along with orientation for the student volunteers was held on 19 Feb 2012. Right now the students are engaged in conducting evening coaching to the school going children.

We are able to reach out to 19 neighborhood villages and run 22 evening study centers consisting of 1,222 school going children under this mega venture. We execute this program successfully with the help of Fr. Principal and by the guidance of Fr. Arul Ravi SJ., Director of LOP, Bro Poondi Rajan, Ms Catherina, German Volunteer and the enthused program co-coordinator Mr.Sandheep who visit the centers frequently and facilitate effective functioning..

At present 66 student animators from various departments are engaged to run this programme effectively. Every week end a meeting is organized for the student animator representatives to sharing their experience. They come up with their feedback and valuable opinion for the improvement of LOP.

We plan to organize special programmes in all study centers to create awareness among children and people through displaying documentary films and conducting sports and cultural meet. A profile of children is being prepared to follow the progress students make and give motivation. In a nutshell the LOP is getting its rhythm through the involvement of Mr. Sandheep, Coordinator and our dedicated students. Our sincere thanks are due to our dear students who have dedicated themselves for this valuable programme.

Coaching to Xth Std Students

This is a unique activity undertaken at the request of the Collector of Tiruvannamalai district. Over 90 students are involved in coaching the Xth Std Students in five government schools who would be appearing for the public exams scheduled in the beginning of April 2012. Based on the Question Bank supplied, the students are to be helped to study English, Mathematics, Science and Social Science. Many of our staff members are also involved in monitoring this activity. Our staff and the students display much interest in doing this yeomen service to their younger brethren. I sincerely thank the students who have sacrificed their precious time and the staff who monitored this activity with great dedication.

Mentoring System

Loyola College is strategically located and surrounded by rural people who are socially and educationally backward. Students who seek admission mostly come from government schools having invariably low marks in the plus two examinations. Majority of the students are first generation learners and most of their parents are illiterates. Obviously our students come with very little exposure to the highly competitive world, especially the job market which demand appropriate skill sets. Moreover, many students are confronted with poverty and drunkenness at home.

Therefore, students hailing from such a critical background need essentially more encouragement and guidance. They need to be accompanied by trusted and supportive Mentors; hence we introduced Mentor System in this academic year. As beginners we need to rationalize this activity. However, with our limited experience, the staff members (mentors) feel that this system does a lot to the students, that they become more responsible and self confident.

Eco Club

Under the guidance of Rev. Dr. M. Elias, the Principal, Eco club was inaugurated by Mr. Rajaram, founder Director of *Amaithi* Trust, Thiruvannamalai on 31st January 2011. Prof. Roseline Mary S, the Programme Officer, organized tree planting programme in the college campus. The Eco Club functions with the following objectives.

- ✓ To give environmental awareness to the students
- ✓ To make college campus and the surrounding clean and green
- ✓ To motivate the students to plant samplings in their surrounding

Work Done

- ✓ The students have planted over 250 samplings in the college campus
- ✓ To keep the campus clean and green, Eco Club members have cleaned particular places in our college campus.
- ✓ 50 Eco club members attended three day environmental awareness camp organized by the Anglade Institute of natural history at Sacred Heart College, Shenbaganur, Kodaikanal 624 104 during 1-3 September 2011.

- ✓ Eco Club members have encouraged and motivated others for environmental development

I appreciate Prof . Roseline Mary for her active involvement and the efforts taken to motivate the students through the many good activities of the Club.

Youth Red Cross

The Loyola College Unit of Youth Red Cross (YRC) was inaugurated on Mar18, 2011 followed by an orientation programme on January 27, 2012. The Unit was inaugurated by Thiru. P. Inthirarajan, Chairperson, Indian Red Cross, Thiruvannamalai district.

The Programme Officer of YRC is Prof. Anthony Raja. L. Udhaya Eugene II BCA is the Student Secretary and S. Roselin Divya of II BA Eng is the Joint Secretary of this Unit which has the strength of 327 student members. The objective of the society is to respect fellow being and to grow in all spears of life in the society. The prime purpose of YRC is to make everyone to express concern towards society and work for its welfare.

Prof. K. Antony Raja, the Programme Officer attended a one day Seminar on academic activities, organized in the Vellore YRC Club on Aug. 2, 2011. YRC organized an environmental awareness programme followed by campus cleaning on 18th and 20th Jan 2012. YRC also conducted competitions such as elocution and essay writing for the students on the occasion of Votes Day on 24.01.2012. Ten of our students participated in elocution and 19 students participated in essay writing.

C. Mary Pricilla (I B. Sc C S), S. Angela (III BA Eng) and A. Franklin Anuncia (II B Sc Maths) are the winners in the elocution contest. In the essay writing E. Seetha (III BA Eng) V. Punitha Vinnarasi (III BA Eng) R. Vasuthevan (III BCA) won prizes. The winners were awarded with prizes and certificates by the district Collector of Thiruvannamalai on 25th of Jan 2012.

I sincerely thank Prof Antony Raja for his commitment and earnestness as Programme Coordinator of YRC who regularly keep in touch with the district level YRC and participate in their activities.

National Service Scheme (NSS)

The Unit of NSS in our College is yet to take off even though students show much interest. In spite of repeated requests the Thiruvalluvar University has not yet sanctioned any Unit to our College. I have not given up hope. However, the Students of NSS Unit engaged themselves in tree planting and cleaning the campus. They had also participated in anti plastic rally jointly organized by Amaithi Trust and Vettavalam Town Panchayat at Vettavalam on 03 Feb 2012. The Panchayat President appreciated the students of Loyola College and generously offered refreshments. On behalf of the Panchayat, he presented an appreciation letter to the college. I thank Prof Rex Augustin Raj for giving life to the NSS in our College.

Red Ribbon Club 2011-12 (RRC)

A **Blood Donation Camp** was organized by the District Red Ribbon Club on 1st July 2011. 12 student participants of RRC from our college received certificates from the district Collector of Thiruvannamalai.

The RRC organized an orientation programme on **Celebrating Life and Peer Education orientation Training Programme** on 4th Oct 2011. Mr. K. Rajendran, Manager of Red Ribbon Club, Thiruvannamalai District was the Chief Guest of the day. Our Club is functioning with 173 student members. An Interactive Training Session on AIDS Awareness was conducted on 8th Feb 2012. Mr. Alexandar, HIV+ve and Mr. Kannan, ICTC Counselor, Government Hospital Thiruvannamalai were the speakers. Students clarified their doubts regarding AIDS and its remedial measures eagerly.

Tree Saplings were planted by RRC Students in our college campus on 28th Feb 2012. A Quiz Programme on the objectives of RRC was organized on 9th March 2012. 45 Students of RRC with two staff members visited **ICTC Center** functioning in the Government Hospital Thiruvannamalai on 23rd Mar 2012. I thank Prof. Peter for his good work.

All India Catholic University Federation (AICUF).

“We were born in an unjust society and we are determined not to leave it as we have found it”. The inauguration of AICUF solemnly commenced on 20th July 2011 for the academic year of 2011-12. Rev.Fr. Arul Ravi, SJ, shared his experience and explained the motto of AICUF to the students to involve them in the movement. The state level AICUF meeting was conducted during 22- 24 July 2011 in Trichy. A. Gilbert raj III B.Com represented our unit and was selected as a state level Dalit Co-ordinator.

Group of students from **Velicham Foundation** visited our college AICUF students on 02 Aug 2011 and had an interaction with them about the treatment of Dalits in the society. The AICUF movement was extremely joyful to host an awareness programme on the issue of **Kudamkulam Nuclear Power Reactors** on 24 Feb 2012.

To inspire AICUF students, a movie on **Dr. Ambedkar** was screened in the Xavier hall on 22 Feb. On 27th Jan 2012, John Romeo of **IMCS** (International Movement of Catholic Students) was the Chairperson who explained how to analyse and appreciate. Two of our AICUF students D. Thanagaraj II B.Sc Maths and A. Ronald Antony I B.Sc Computer Science participated in the state level AICUF meeting, which was held on 25th February 2012, in Trichy.

Blood Donation

Blood donation is an act of charity and sacrifice that our students generously donated over 125 units of blood this year to save life of people who badly needed blood. Lions Club of Vettavalam had organized this event coupled with blood group identification, general medical checkup for students and tree planting. The collector of Tiruvannamalai Mr Ansul Misra visited the college, addressed the students and appreciated their generosity and social consciousness.

Fire Alarm

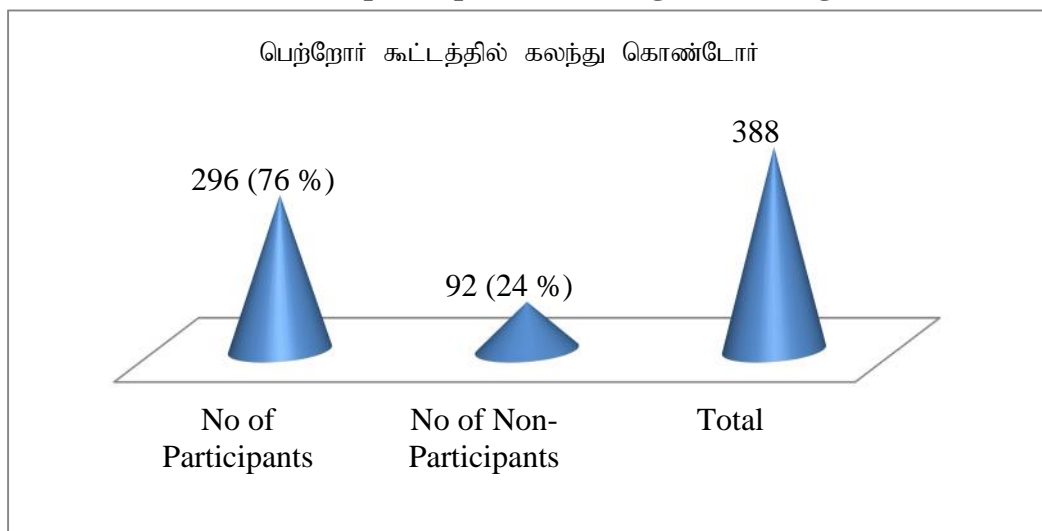
The Fire and Rescue Station of Vettavalam had a demo for students in the college on 18th Jan 2012 on rescue operations engaging the students. More than 15 personnel from the Station were involved in the demo. The students were given tips on first aid in any emergency.

Parents' Meeting 2010-2011

Introduction

As part of regular feature, Loyola College organized meeting of parents separately for the first and second year students on 28th and 29th March 2011 respectively. It was a golden opportunity to interact with the parents in a more conducive environment when the management informs the parents all that are being done to offer quality education and the parents in turn share their impression about the college and the education of their children. They were also supplied with a questionnaire to collect relevant data. The summary of the codified data collected from the parents of first year students (II UG students' data have been collected last year) is being presented in the following pages.

Diagram No: 1
Details of participants attending the meeting



In Diagrams 1 and 2, the details of parents who attended the meeting are presented. Of the total 388 first years under graduate students, parents of 296 students (76%) attended the meeting. The Department wise details of parents who attended the meeting are presented in Diagram No. 2

Diagram No: 2 Department wise Details of Participants

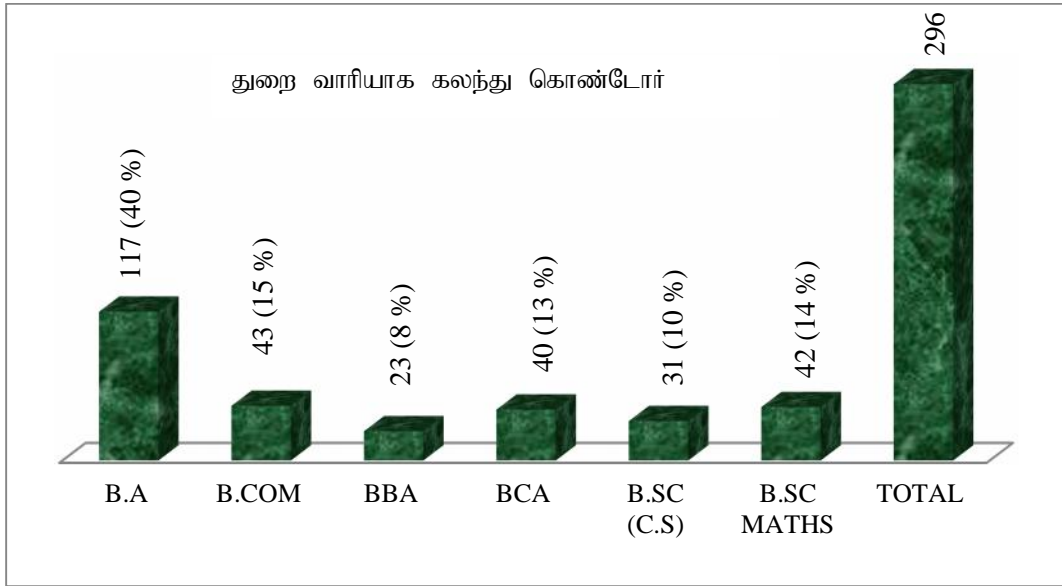
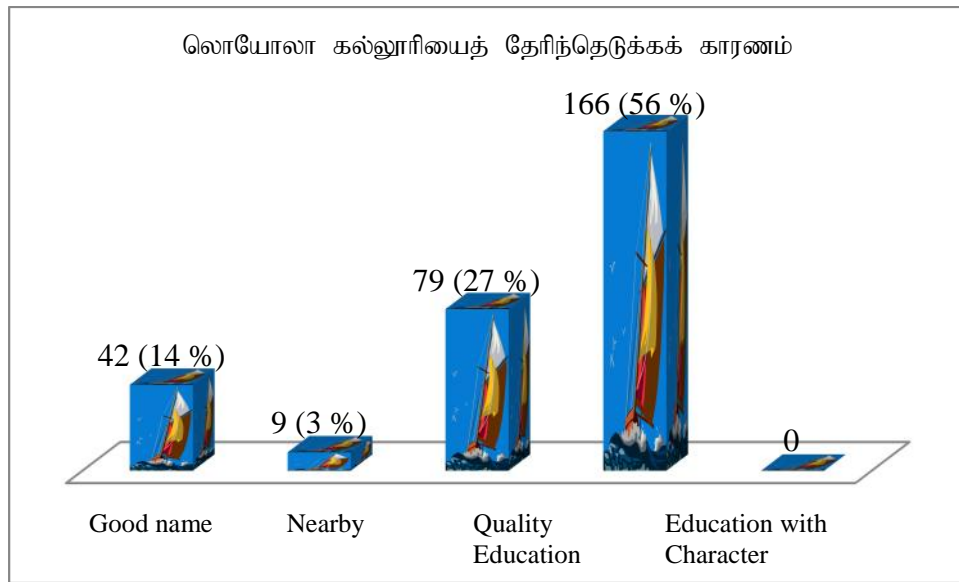


Diagram No: 3 Reasons for selecting Loyola College



When the parents were asked for the reasons which prompted them to select this College to admit their wards, 56% said that they selected this college because it offers, education coupled both with good character as well as discipline. 27% parents said that they get quality education and 14% mentioned that this College has got good name in society. Only 3% of the parents said that the college is located closer to their villages.

To an enquiry whether their children liked to study in Loyola College, an overwhelming 98% of the parents opined that their sons and daughters liked very much to study in this College.

Diagram No: 4 Whether your sons/daughters like to study here

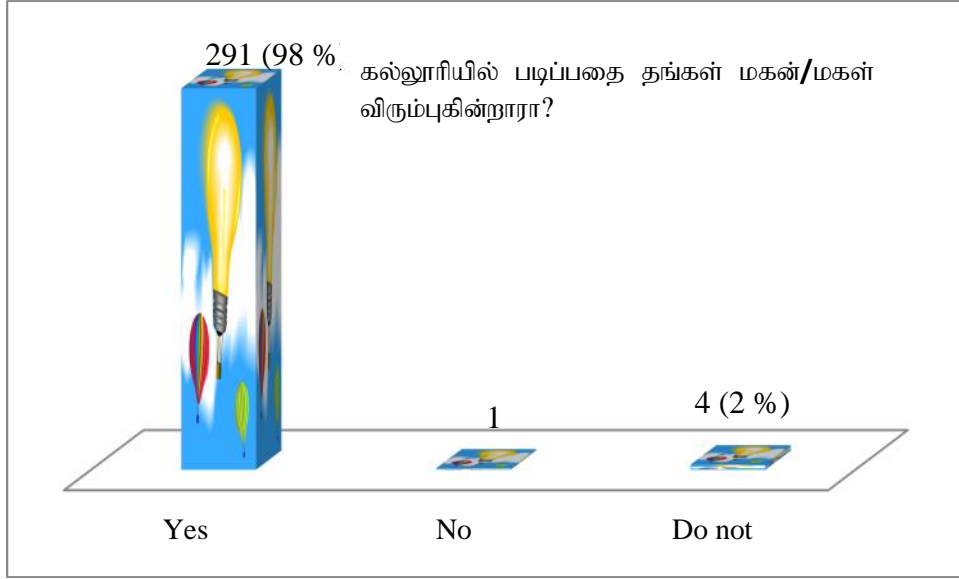
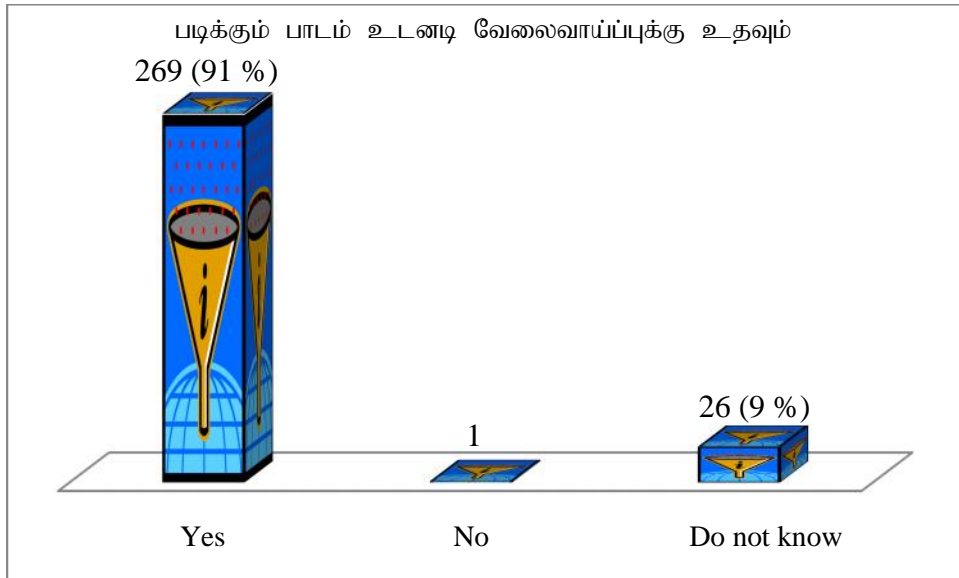
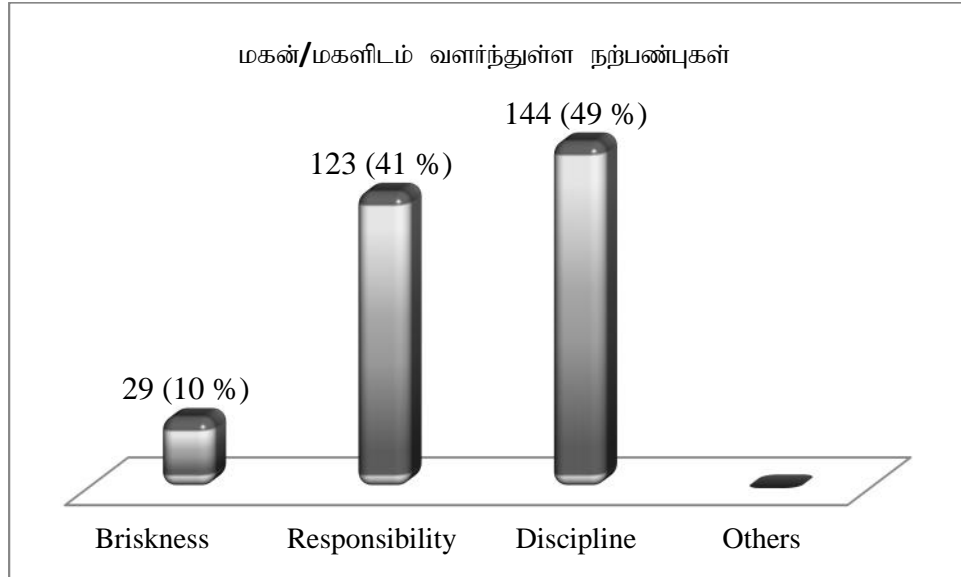


Diagram No: 5 Whether the courses offered here fetch job immediately



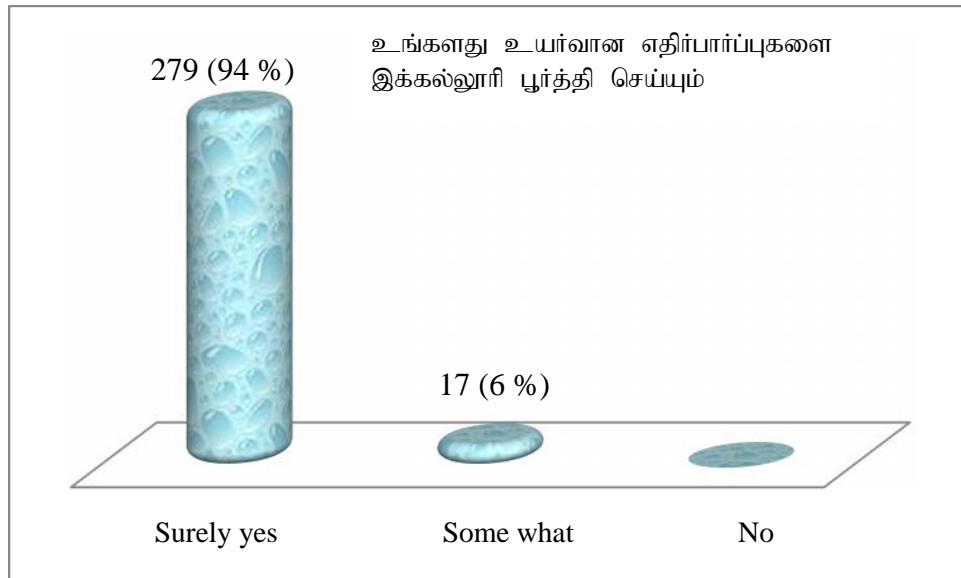
The parents were asked whether the courses offered in this College offers sufficient scope for immediate job. 91% of the parents answered in the positive and only 9% have expressed their doubts. The parents were also asked whether they liked the subjects selected by their children. All the parents without exception expressed that they liked the subjects selected by their children.

Diagram No: 6 Qualities Developed in the students



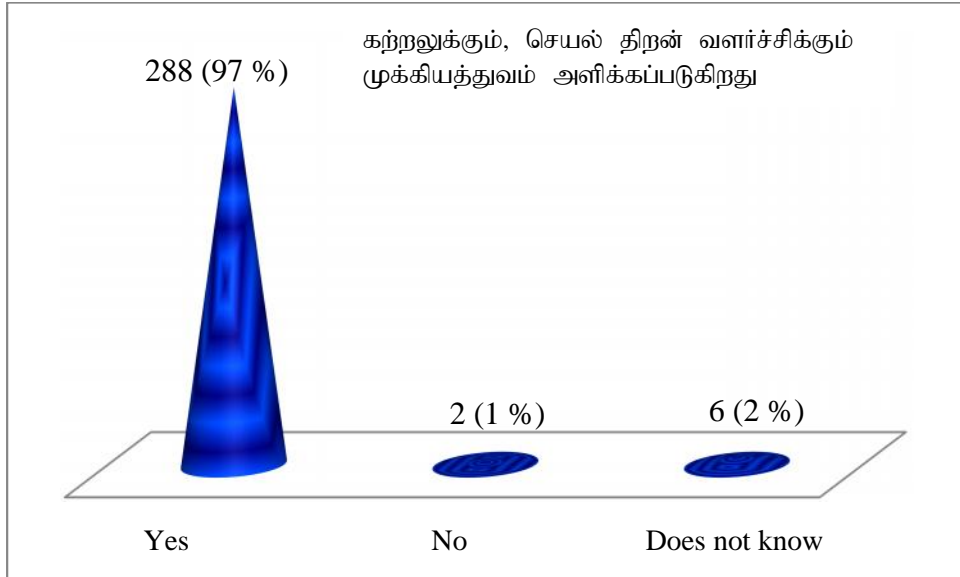
Regarding the growth of certain new qualities in their children, 49% of the parents opined that they could see good discipline and good character growing in them. 41% have expressed that they are able to see their children growing in responsibility. And 10% said that their children have become more brisk.

Diagram No: 7 Fulfilling Expectations



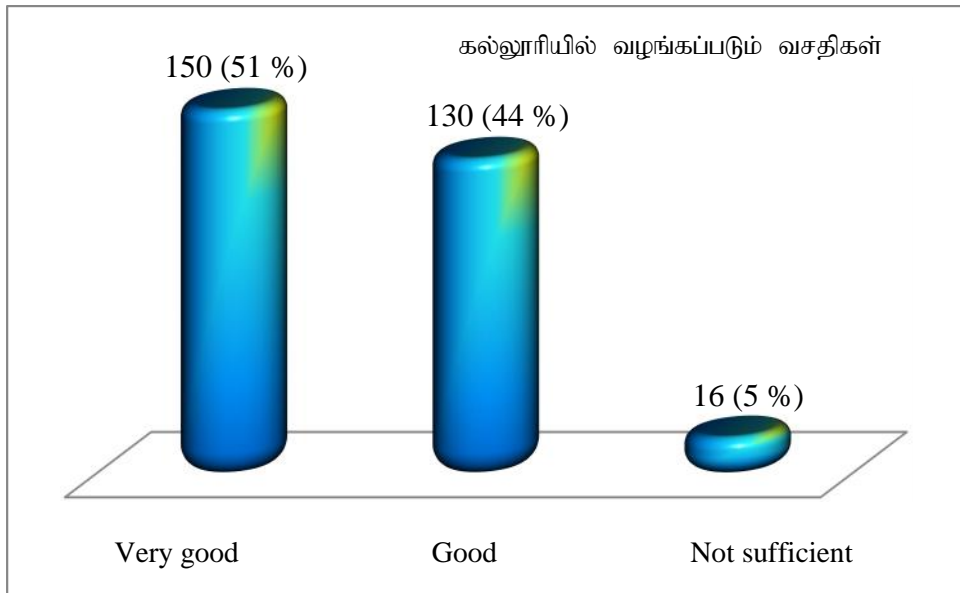
The parents were asked whether they think that this College would fulfill their high expectations about their children. 94% of the parents expressed that they are definite that this College would fulfill their expectations about their children. It is quite encouraging to note that the parents, though from the rural, are well informed and are wise enough to council their children in the choice of subjects they wish to study in the college.

Diagram No: 8 Importance to both studies as well as functional skills



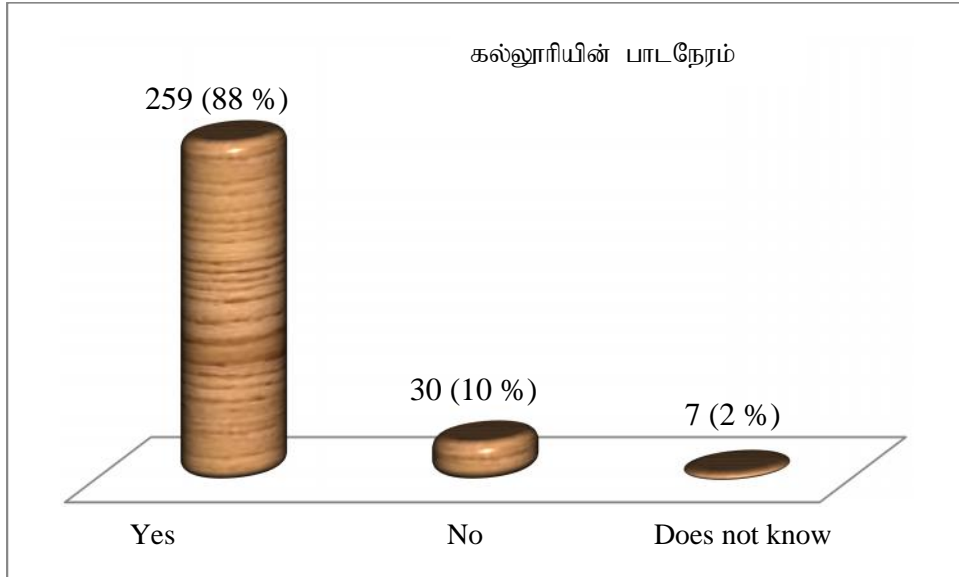
With regard to the importance given for studies as well as developing the functional skills of students, 97% of the parents said that Loyola College is giving importance both to subject study as well as developing functional skills. It may be commented that the parents keep track of the programs offered in the college.

Diagram No: 9 Facilities available in the College



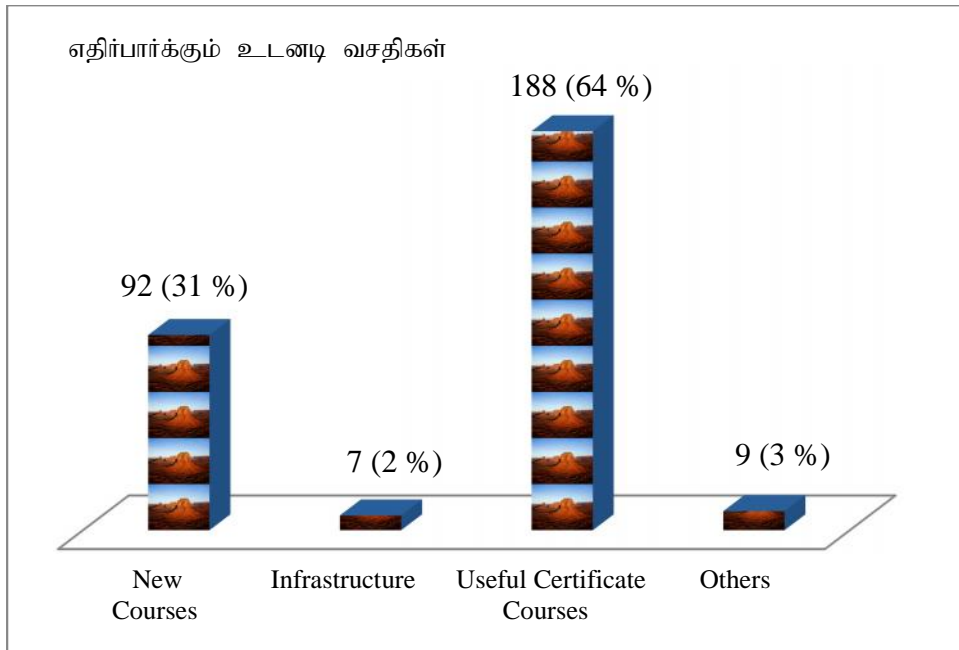
To the query on parents' opinion on the facilities provided in the College, 51% of the parents said that the facilities are very good and 44% have opined that the facilities provided by the College are good. However, 5% felt that the facilities are not adequate.

Diagram No: 10 College Timing



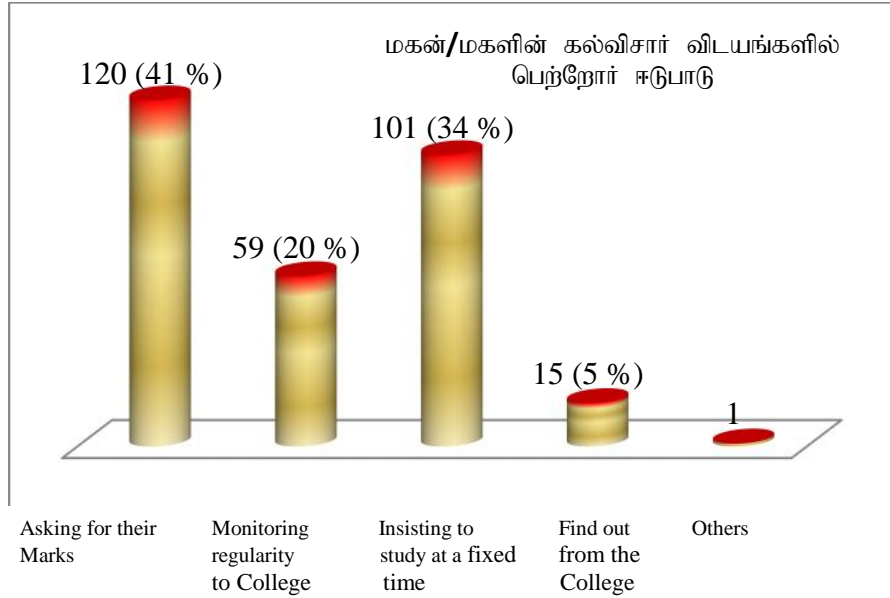
The parents were asked whether the College timing (8.30 am-01.40 pm) followed at present is helpful. 88% of the parents responded positively and 10% gave negative reply.

Diagram No: 11 Facilities Expected



The parents of the students expressed their expectations on the facilities to be provided in the College. A majority of the parents (64%) opined that they expected the College to offer useful certificate courses and 31% said that they expect new courses to be started. A meager percentage opined that they expected the College to enhance the infrastructure facilities.

Diagram No: 12 Involvement of parents in their children's study



How are the parents showing their involvement in the study of their children? 41% of the parents said that they get to know the semester marks and 34% said that they insist upon regular study habits at a particular time. Another 20% of the parents said that they monitor that their sons/daughters regularly attend the College. Only 5% said that they visit the College and meet the concerned persons.

How much do the students share the College events with their parents? Most of the parents (90%) agreed that their children share the College events with them and six percent said that they rarely share. However, four percent of the parents denied that their sons/daughters do not share any College events with them.

Diagram No: 13 Students sharing College events

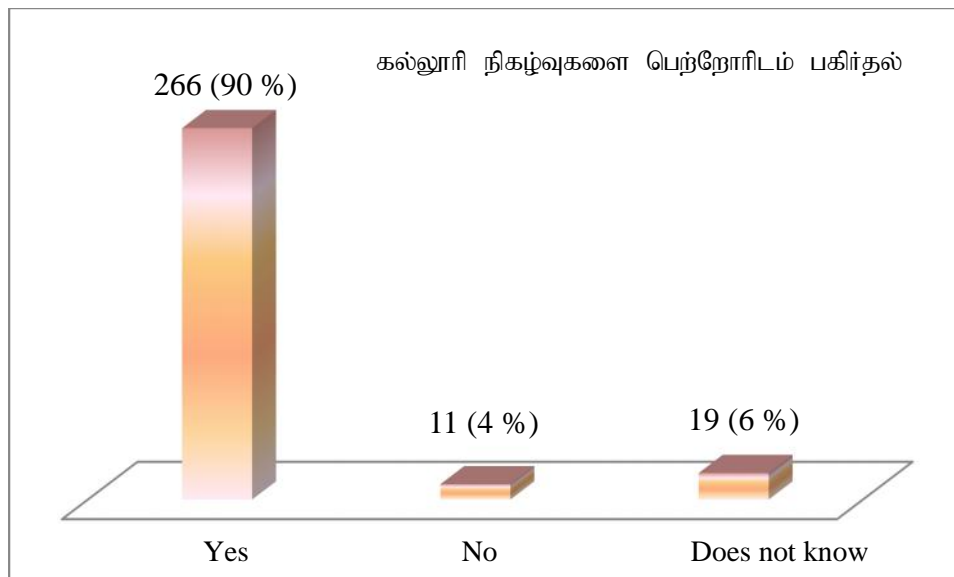
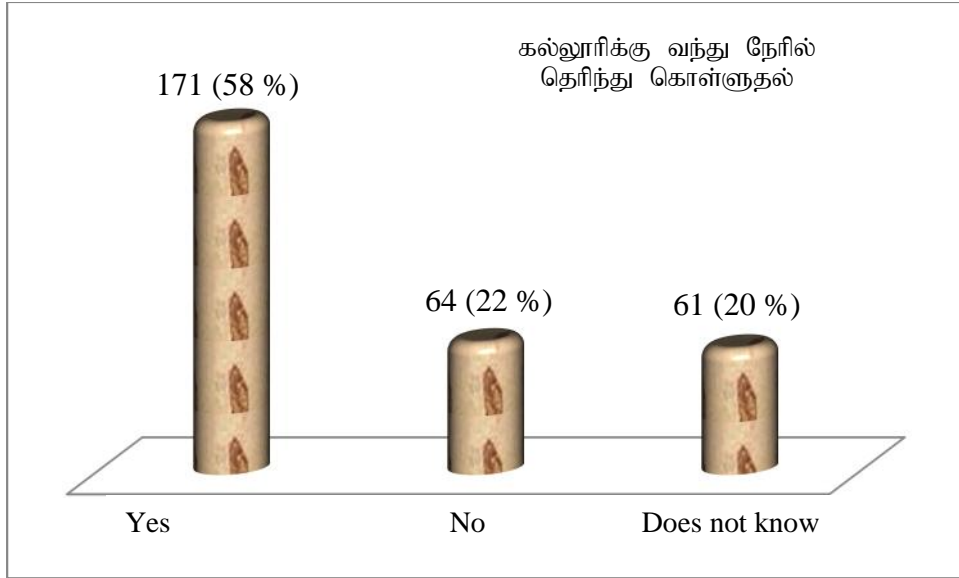


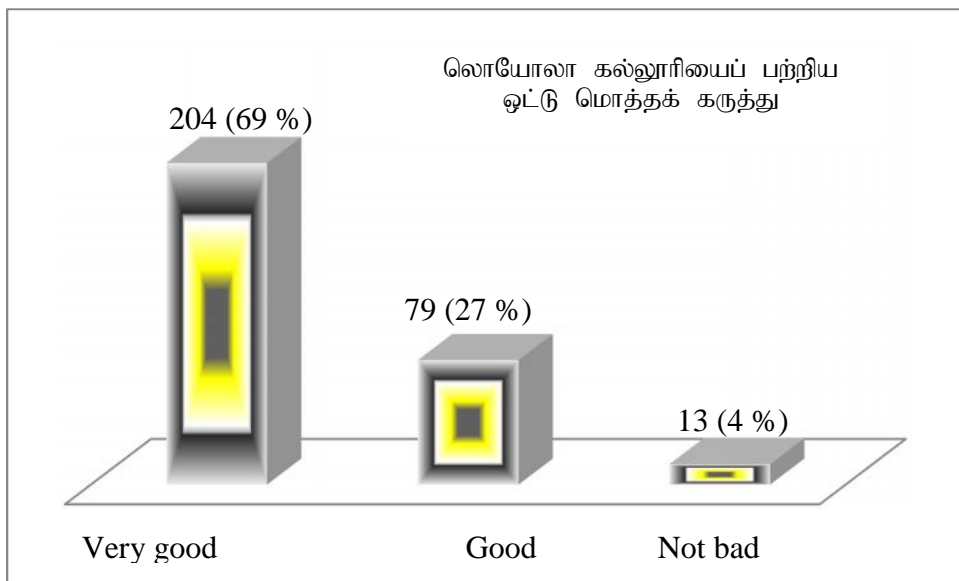
Diagram No: 14 Efforts taken to visit the College



The parents were asked whether they take effort to visit the college to know about their children's studies. A majority of the parents (58%) opined positively and 22% negatively. And 20% of the parents said that they had the desire but did not do.

When asked about the parents' overall opinion about the College, 69% expressed very high and 27% high. A few (4%) said that it is not bad. It is obvious that the students study in this college hail from 125 neighborhood villages without much publicity and certainly the parents are the heralds of this college. In the previous year (2009-10) the students came from 56 villages.

Diagram No: 15 General opinions about the College



Summary

Parents' Meeting is an annual feature in Loyola College and the college accords special attention not only to interact with the parents but also collect basic relevant data with the objective of enhancing the effectiveness of its educational service. The data thus generated from the parents of first UG students (2010-11) highlight that parents are much concerned about their children's education. They display sufficient clarity on the choice of subjects and are well informed of the diverse activities designed and offered at the college. The parents could articulate what is best for their children and definitely monitor their progress.

To understand these phenomenon two obvious reasons could be attributed. One reason is that most parents pay for the education of their children with much difficulty and pain. Secondly, parents are well aware of the trends in the society and they want very much their children to be placed comfortably well in the future. In fine, one could conclude that despite rural background and marginal economic condition the parents never lacked their sense of practical wisdom and accordingly guide the destiny of their children. Educational institutions are called upon to respond adequately and lead the youth to realize their dreams and the national goals.

Scholarships

This year we have mobilized scholarships from different sources such as government, private management etc which is presented in the table. In addition to this the dioceses of Vellore and Pondy-Cuddalore are financially helping many students for their studies. Students also avail various other scholarships.

Details of Scholarships

SC/ST. Govt. Scholarship	Rs. 13, 69, 807/-
Management Scholarship	Rs. 59, 532/-
Bro. Robert Scholarship	Rs. 2, 45, 967/-
Total	Rs. 16, 75, 306/-

Endowment/Merit Scholarships

The College encourages the institution of endowment merit scholarships by interested people to encourage the students in their pursuit of learning and to help deserving students at the intent of the founders of such scholarships. The following are such scholarships instituted in our college to benefit 13 students who would be receiving cash awards.

1. **Dr M Mary John Endowment Scholarship** to benefit poor girl students in III UG;
2. **Mr RS Periyasamy and Vijayalakshmi Merit Scholarship** to benefit III UG meritorious students in BCA and B Sc Computer Science;
3. **Rev Dr M Elias SJ, Founder Principal Merit Scholarship** to benefit III UG meritorious students in BBA and B Com;
4. **FRAMIT Endowment Fund 2011** to benefit III UG Arts Students (Orphan/semi orphan from dalit/BC Community);
5. **Mr Rolf Schuler Merit Scholarship** to benefit III UG meritorious Students in BBA, BCA and B Sc Computer Science;

Wedding Bell

Prof Selvam L, Head, Dept of Computer Science and Prof Roseline Mary, Head Dept of Mathematics had their wedding on 05th Feb 2012 at St Mary's Cathedral, Madurai.

Activity Diary 2011-12

May	09	Visit by University Inspection Commission
	23	Last day of the Semester Exams April / May 2011
	27	Admission for 2011-12 commences
June	06-10	Orientation for the New Staff at Loyola College, Chennai
	13	Orientation for all Faculty Members
	14	Staff Meeting
	15	Reopening of the College after summer vacation for Senior Students, Prayer Service
	17	Meeting of Students Empowerment Cell
	27	Classes for first UG Students begin, Prayer Service
July	08	Mass of the Holy Spirit
	11	Staff Meeting
	13	Seminar on Social Responsibility of the Press, Dept of English
	15	Welcome Fresher
	16	Training for Teachers
	18	Soft Skills for III UG Students (Basics for Spoken English)
	20	Inauguration of Mathematics Association Seminar on Ecology and Environment
	23	Training for Teachers
	26	Soft Skills for III UG Students (Basic for English Grammar)
July	28	Inauguration of Computer Applications and Computer Science Association
	29	Celebration of Feast of St. Ignatius of Loyola with students. Fr. Ignatius Viyagappa SJ, Chief Guest Medical Checkup, Blood Group Identification, Blood Donation
	30	Celebration of Feast of St. Ignatius of Loyola with Guests and staff. Chief Celebrant: Fr. James Vincent, VF of Vettavalam
Aug	03	Soft Skills for III UG (Group Discussion)

Activity Diary 2011-12

Aug	04	Nero Linguistic Programme for Staff Inauguration of <i>Veeramamuniver</i> Tamil Literary Association
	05	Inauguration of Commerce Association & Seminar on Corporate Social Responsibilities
	10-13	CIA I Tests
	15	Independence Day Celebration. Chief Guest: Fr. Arul Prabhahar, Parish Priest, Avoor
	20	College Sports Day
	24	Staff Meeting
	25	Inauguration of BBA Association
	26	Inauguration of English Association & Seminar on Writing for Media
Sep	06	Teachers Day Celebration
	14	Soft Skills for III UG (Presentation Skills)
	19	Cleanliness Day - Eco Club, Students engaged in cleaning the <i>Shola</i> & Planted Saplings
	21	Soft Skills for III UG (Self-discovery, SWOT Analysis)
	27	Seminar on Conics by Dept of Mathematics
	29	Seminar on 'Emerging Trends in Entrepreneurial Development' by Dept of Commerce
	30	One day Orientation for Boys
Oct	01	One day Orientation for Girls
	03	Elocution contest organized by Dept of Tamil Staff Meeting
	04	Celebrating Life: Orientation for Students Organized by RRC
	07	Seminar Dept of Computer Science
	12	Exposure to I UG Students on Environment
	14	Seminar on History of English Literature, organized by Dept of English
	24	CIA II Model Exams commence
	27	Semester Practical commence
Nov	08	CIA Publications
	09	Staff Meeting
	21	University Semester Exams for II & III UG commence
Dec	12	Semester Exam for I UG commence
	15	Staff Meeting
	12-23	Regular Classes for II & III UG
	23	Christmas Celebration
	24	University Semester Exam gets over
Jan	02	Classes resume after Christmas Vacation
	12-13	LOYOFEST' 11
	13	Pongal Celebration
	18	Fire and Rescue Demo

Activity Diary 2011-12

Jan	24	Staff Meeting
	26	Republic Day function
	27	Workshop on Interview Techniques for III UG BBA & B Com
Feb	03	Anti Plastic Awareness Rally by NSS Students at Vettavalam
		Tips to appear for UPSC: ntw;wpf;F வழிகாட்டி - IAS, IPS, IFS
	08	Interactive Session organized by RRC
	10	CIA I Tests commence
	16	Soft Skills for III UG (Interview Skills)
	17	Fr. Klaus SJ, Director, Jesuit Missions, Germany meets students
	18	Mock Interview for III UG Students
	19	Official Inauguration of Outreach Programme
	20	'SIGMA' Inter Departmental Contest, organized by Dept. of Mathematics
	22	Ash Wednesday -Holy Mass
	24	Industrial Visit by Second year BBA& B Com students (Visited Allison Transmission)
		Massive Tree planting in the Campus by students of Eco Club
		One-day outing for III UG Students of BBA & B Com
	27	Seminar on Mathematics for Computer Applications
		Tree Planting by NSS students
	28	Tree planting by students of RRC
Mar	02-03	Staff Empowerment Training
	05	Tree planting by students of YRC
	08	International Women's Day
	09	Quiz Contest organized by RRC
	12	Shopping Mall by Dept of BBA and B Com
	13	Maths for Competitive Exams for IIIUG, by Dept of Mathematics
	20	Basics of Accounts for IIIUG, by Dept of Commerce
	31	College Day
		Parents Meet (IUG)

Visitors to Loyola College 2011-12

July	08	Rev. Fr. Antony Samy, former VG, Pondy – Cuddalore Arch Diocese
	11	Rev. Fr. A. Victor, SJ, Mission Superior
	13	Mr. A. Soosai, Dy. Collector (Retd), Vellore
	15	Rev. Dr. T. Ratchagar, Secretary and Principal, St. Joseph College, Cuddalore
	20	Dr. T. Rajarethnam, Dept of Mathematics, SJC, Tiruchirapalli
		Rev. Fr. Rayappa A. Kasi, Diocese of Vellore
	25	Rev. Sr. Anuncia CTC, Counselor, Tiruchirapalli
	25	Ln P. Ilangovan, District Chair Person, Lions Club, Vettavalam

Visitors to Loyola College 2011-12

July	29	Rev. Dr. Ignatius Viyagappa SJ, Satya Nilayam, Chennai
	29	Mr. Ansul Misra IAS, Collector of Tiruvannamalai district
Aug	04	Prof. John Joseph, NLP Trainer, Chennai
	05	Ms. Katharena, Volunteer, Jesuit Missions Germany
	05	Rev. Dr. John Bosco SJ, Dy. Principal, SJC, Tiruchirapalli
	13	Dr. V. Peruvazuthi, Head, Dept of English, Govt. Arts College, Tiruvannamalai
	20	Dr. A. Amuldoss, Physical Director, Thiruvalluvar University, Vellore
	25	Mr. Ramanathan, Financial Analyst, Goldman Sachs Pvt. Ltd. Bangaluru
Nov	04	Fr. Maria Joe SJ, Executive Assist & Treasure, Chennai Mission
Dec	15	Fr. Rex Angelo SJ, Andhra Loyola College, Vijayawada, A.P.
Jan	04	Erich and Thea Weier, Engineer and Teacher, Erlangen, Germany
	11	Juliane Koebler, Martin Kess and Janine Iser, Hamburg, Germany
	12	Mr. Sabari, Orator, Tiruvannamalai
	13	Mr. Sekar. V, Cine Director, Chennai
	26	Mr. Janarthanam, President, Vettavalam Town Panchayat
	27	Mr. John Harinath, Senior Consultants, Saksoft Chennai
Feb	01	Mr. Rajaram, Founder President, <i>Amaithi</i> Trust, Tiruvannamalai
	03	Mr. K. Subramanian, IFS (Retd), Vellore
	09	Mr. Alexander & Mr. Kannan, Counselors, G. H, Tiruvannamalai Thomas Korf, Carolin Behneke and Allan Boyle, Hamburg, Germany
	17	Fr. Klaus Vathroder, SJ, Jesuit Missions Procurator, Germany
	18	Panel of Interviewers (10) from Chennai and Bangaluru
	19	Mr. Selvanathan, SSA, Salem
	27	Dr. S. Ruban Raj, Head, Dept of Mathematics, St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirapalli
Mar	05	Rev Dr Sebasti L Raj SJ, Provincial Jesuit Madurai Province Rev Fr Victor A SJ, Superior, Chennai Mission
	08	Ms Nirmala Kotravai, Feminist, Chennai
	31	Most Rev Dr Soundrarajau Ph D, DD., Catholic Bishop of Vellore

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In the presence of this august gathering let me register my deep gratitude and sincere thanks primarily to God Almighty for His never failing continuous presence and abundant grace which lead us in the right direction during this year. It gives me immense pleasure to thank Rev Dr Sebasti L Raj SJ, Provincial of Jesuit Madurai Province who shows a special interest in our college. During his recent visit, he unambiguously declared that he has a liking for this college which realistically and truly implements the thrust of the Society. The Jesuit Chennai Mission needs special mention here for without their ardent active support, Loyola College would not have been visible as it appears today.

Rev Fr A Vicror SJ (Mission Superior) and Rev Fr Maria Joe SJ (Executive Assistant) magnanimously take care of the needs of this college and I would like to credit them with our deepest gratitude for providing us with strong and the best infrastructure. The Jesuit Community of Loyola College is the local owners of whatever happens in this campus. It is with their total support and full cooperation, I as a member of this community, am able to carry out these activities during this year. Therefore I am grateful to Fr Ignatius Amalraj our Superior, Fr Michael Doss, the Secretary, Fr Arul Ravi, the Vice Principal, Fr Domini Royce, the Campus Treasurer and Bro Poondi Rajan, the Benjamin of our group!

I cannot afford to bypass the active support we have been receiving from the Diocese of Vellore, at the official and at the personal level. It is evidenced by the presence of His Grace Most Rev Dr P Soundraraju, SDB, as the Chief Guest and the President of today's function.

In the neighborhood, we are very much supported by the Priests of this Vicariate, starting with Fr James Vincent, who is currently on a visit to Australia. Fr Arul Prabahar of Avoor Parish pays frequent visits and participates in various events. Fr Arockiaraj, the Parish Priest i/c of Vettavalam also shows his interest through his frequent courtesy visits. I express my deep gratitude to them all. I owe my sincere thanks to you, our dear Parents, who are important stakeholders and without your patronage and support we would not be able to run this college.

List of Meritorious Students (Appendix I)

I UG

Semester I (2011-12)

Sl. No	Depts.	Name	Subject	Mark
1	B Sc (Maths)	Yuvana J	Tamil	85
2	BCA	Motcha Raj A	English	79
3	B Com	Abel A		
4	B Com	Ruksar Banu K	Environmental Studies	96
5	B Sc (CS)	Suguna S	Soft Skills for Linguistic Communication	80
6	B Com	Ruksar Banu K	Soft Skills for Linguistic Communication and Positive Traits	78

II UG

Semester II (2010-11)

Sl. No	Depts.	Name	Subject	Mark
1	B Sc (Maths)	Jayanthi R	Tamil	90
2	BA English	Kulandai Yesu A	English	75
3	BBA	Vigneshwaran P		72
4	BA English	Rajesh S	Value Education	43
5		Sophiamary L		
6	BCA	Julfikarali S		
7	B Sc (Maths)	Ranjinadevi E	Soft Skills for Interpersonal Communication	79
8	BBA	Charles Joseph Nirmal P	Soft Skills for Interpersonal Communication and Essential Job Skills	82

Semester III (2010-11)

Sl. No	Depts.	Name	Subject	Mark
1	B Sc (Maths)	Siriyapushpam M	Tamil	85
2		Vimala B		
3	B Sc (CS)	Varalakshmi A	English	71
4	B Sc (Maths)	Franklin Anuncia A	Soft Skills for Positive Traits	85

III UG

Semester IV (2009-10)

Sl. No	Depts.	Name	Dept. No	Subject	Mark
1	BA English	Rani D	09 UEN 019	Tamil	88
2		Revathi L	09 UEN 027	English	83

Meritorious Students in Part III (Major / Allied)

Depts.	Year	Semester	Topper
BA English	I UG	I	Bertina A
	II UG	II	Prabhakaran N
		III	Gnanasoundari D
	III UG	IV	Prabhakaran N
		V	Rani D
BBA	I UG	I	Shameem A
			Jayasilambarasan A
	II UG	II	Vigneshwaran P
		III	Vigneshwaran P
	III UG	IV	Vasanthan G
V		Dennis Jagadish M	
BCA	I UG	I	Tamilarasi J
	II UG	II	Vanathuchinnapparaj B
		III	Vanathuchinnapparaj B
	III UG	IV	Vanitha M
		V	Vanitha M
B Com	I UG	I	Ruksar Banu K
	II UG	II	Periyanayagi P
		III	Jenetsophia J
	III UG	IV	Vasantha Kumar P
		V	Samson S
B Sc (CS)	I UG	I	Renuga E
	II UG	II	Nithiya P
		III	Tamilarasan B
	III UG	IV	Julian A
		V	Julian A Savithiri S
B Sc (Maths)	I UG	I	Tonyricherdson S
	II UG	II	Alice J
		III	Vimala B

Those who Scored Centum

Sl. No	Name	Subject	Department
1	Motcha Raj A	Mathematical Foundation I	I BCA
2	Tonyricherdson S	Trigonometry	I B Sc (Maths)
3	Anto Valani S		

Excellent Students (Appendix II)

Best Library Users during 2011-12

1. Joseph Benson A III BA English
2. Sivasankari T II BA English

Honoring University Player:

For being selected in the Thiruvalluvar University Ball Badminton Team to play on behalf of the University (2011-12).

1. Ashokkumar J III B Sc (CS)

Best Outgoing Student for 2011-12

1. Baskarpraveen A III BBA

Endowment / Merit Scholarships 2011-12 (Appendix III)

- I. Dr. M. Mary John - Endowment Scholarship go to
 1. Jayanthi V III BA English
 2. Leema Rose D III BA English
- II. Mr. R. S. Periyasamy and Vijayalakshmi - Merit Scholarship go to
 1. Vanitha M III BCA
 2. Julian A III B Sc (CS)
- III. Rev. Dr. M. Elias SJ, Founder Principal - Merit Scholarship go to
 1. Denis Jagadish M III BBA
 2. Samson S III B Com
- IV. FRAMIT - Endowment Fund 2011 go to
 1. Yobu K III BA English
 2. Magimai Santhosh Kulothish R III BBA
 3. Seetha S III BCA
 4. Williams M III B Sc (CS)
- V. Mr. Rolf Schuler Merit Scholarship go to
 1. Francis Pravin S III BBA
 2. Vasudevan R III BCA
 3. Savithiri S III B Sc (CS)
