



THE COCHIN COLLEGE

Koovapadam, Kochi-2

Affiliated To Mahatma Gandhi University

Re-accredited by NAAC With B+ Grade



Fourth Cycle
NAAC Accreditation 2024

Criterion 6 Governance, Leadership and Management

6.1 - Institutional Vision and Leadership

Metric No. 6.1.1

The institutional governance and leadership are in accordance with the vision and mission of the Institution and it is visible in various institutional practices such as NEP implementation, sustained institutional growth, decentralization, participation in the institutional governance and in their short term and long term Institutional Perspective Plan.

Vision, Mission and Core Values

Submitted to



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Declaration on Principal

This is to declare that the following is the Perspective Plan for the college for 2024-2029.

Mrudula Menon V.





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Vision, Mission and Core Values

1 Motto: Lead Kindly Light

The motto "Lead Kindly Light" is a prayer for guidance in times of darkness and uncertainty. Originating from the hymn written by John Henry Newman, it symbolizes the aspiration for moral and spiritual enlightenment. It reflects the College's dedication to being a beacon of wisdom, virtue, and integrity, guiding its students through the challenges of life with compassion and understanding. The phrase also encapsulates the institution's commitment to fostering an environment where knowledge leads not only to personal success but also to the greater good of society. As students embark on their educational journey, the light of knowledge, integrity, and wisdom leads them towards a brighter and more meaningful future.

2 Vision:

The College envisions the intellectual development, moral uprightness, social commitment, cultural refinement, spiritual enlightenment, and emotional maturity of the younger generation. To make its vision fruitful, The Cochin College is willing to incorporate all innovations and research in the field of higher education, especially the advantages of information technology.

3 Mission:

The College has been established to provide opportunities for higher education to economically and socially backward communities. We hope to translate our vision into a concrete reality through the various programs launched by the college, with the following as thrust areas:

- Education based on the essential principles of humanism
- Adequate training for higher education
- Identification of opportunities for the disadvantaged
- Ensuring gender justice and integrity of creation
- Formation of responsible leadership
- Strengthening the institution of family and society





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4 About The Cochin College:

The Cochin College was founded on July 15, 1967, in response to an increasing demand for higher education in Western Kochi. The college symbolizes the hopes and aspirations of the public of Western Kochi and is a milestone in the crowded history of this commercial town. Slowly and steadily, the institution grew into a post-graduate college in 1995 from its humble beginnings as a junior college in 1967. The college was accredited with a B Grade (2.85) by NAAC, UGC in January 2021.

The college is sponsored by the Cochin Education Society, which was founded as a result of the joint efforts of the Indian Chamber of Commerce and the former Mattancherry Municipal Council. This college is affiliated with Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, and offers various courses in both Science and Humanities at the degree level, such as Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Botany, Commerce, Economics, English Literature. The self-financing courses offered at the degree level include Commerce (with Computer Applications and Taxation), Mathematics, Computer Applications, and Business Administration. At the P.G. level, the College offers M.Com with specialization in Financial Management, M.Sc. Physics with Electronics, and M.A. English. The self-financing courses offered at the P.G. level include M.Sc. Chemistry, M.Sc. Mathematics, and M.Sc. Zoology.

College Management:

- **President:** Sri. Ulhas V. Saraf
- **Secretary:** Sri. Deepak Shetty
- **Manager:** Sri. Thomas J. Vayalat

Board Members:

- Sri. M. L. Parekh
- Adv. P.P. Jacob
- Sri. Kishore Kumar Shamji
- Sri. Raj Kumar Gupta
- Sri. Bharat Khona
- Sri. Arun D. Mookken



Adv. M. Anilkumar (Hon. Mayor, Corporation of Kochi)



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- Sri. Joe V. Job (Vice President, Indian Chamber of Commerce & Industry)

