



Government Degree College

Kalwakurthy (V&M), Nagarkurnool (D), Telangana-509324.
Palamuru University, Mahabubnagar.



CURRICULAR ASPECTS

- The College follows Palamuru University curriculum with the combinations
- HEP(History,Economics,PoliticalScience)
,HEPA(History,Economics,PublicAdministrations (MOOCS)) with English and Telugu media respectively,
- B.Com(Computer Applications) was started to empower labs the students with knowledge of computers.
- B.Sc BZC (Botany, Zoology, and Chemistry) , B.Sc BZCA (Botany, Zoology, Computer Applications , B.Sc BZC dairy science .
- MPCs (Maths, Physics, and Computer Science), MSCs (Maths, Statistics , and Computer Science) & MPC (Maths, Physics, and Chemistry) E/T, are offered in science stream.

Hence, the College presently offers 16 UG courses. The CBCS (Choice Based Credit System) System has been introduced in the year 2016-17 as per the UGC guidelines.

- The Institution ensures effective curriculum delivery through a well planned process.
- Certificate Courses are offered to enhance the skills of the students. 4 certificate courses have been offered so far and the College proposes to offer more courses this academic year.
- The College also offers compulsory subjects which impart transferable and life skills as part of curriculum like Gender sensitization, environmental studies.
- Students from various departments undertake study projects and Student Seminars. Feedback from students and other stakeholders is collected on the structure design and review of curriculum.

Teaching-learning And Evaluation

The most important thing in teaching learning process of this institute is ability of its teachers to create enthusiasm, ignite passion and generate curiosity among the students.The teachers are deputed off and on to participate in conferences, seminars and symposia, orientation and refresher courses to boost their teaching skills and make their teaching more innovative and effective.

The admission process of the college is managed by admission committee which is responsible for designing admission forms and prospectus and counseling of the students at the entry level. The admission in professional courses is made through DOST (Degree Online Services of Telangana).To cater to the diverse needs of the students various subject combinations are offered so that the students can choose the combination of subjects according

to their liking and competence. The admission process is followed by academic calendar which facilitates students for participation in various curricular and co-curricular activities.

IQAC of the College supported by the senior faculty members monitors all the curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities in the college and ensures to provide all the necessary support to teachers and students for better teaching and learning processes.

Research, Innovations And Extension

The college management encourages its teachers to submit research proposals, and conduct research for which a research committee has been in place to facilitate the research and extension activities. The committee organizes workshops and sensitization programs to create research spirit among teachers and students.

The institution is also actively involved in extension activities to help society by its services. The college has one unit of NSS which college renders social and community services. Besides organizing blood donation camps, environmental awareness programs and helping in disaster management. The college has adopted Panjugula village conducting for NSS.

Infrastructure And Learning Resources

- The institution has a clear cut policy for improving the infrastructural facilities which would facilitate teaching learning processes.
- The college has about 10 acres. built up area The college building has 12 class rooms, with proper lighting, seating and ventilation, two technology enabled smart class rooms, a state of seminar hall with a seating capacity of 200, equipped with modern audio and visual instruments, administrative and staff rooms, admission and examination cells, library with more than 1172 books and journals and browsing centre with 20 broad band connected computers, 5 laboratories equipped with good amount of instrumentation, Botanical and Zoological laboratories, EDUSAT room, two hostels with a capacity of more than 100 boarders and one girls hostel with a capacity of more than 50 boarders and Gymnasium, canteen, girls rest/recreation roomg and many washrooms.
- The college has also provided safe drinking water facility through installation of aqua-guards at various places in the campus and in the hostels.
- Uninterrupted electricity supply is ensured in the campus and many inverters and UPS systems.
- The college has a botanical garden and many lush green lawns to beautify its campus, besides a playground spread over 5 acres of land for outdoor games and athletics.
- In IT infrastructure, the college is equipped with more than 30 Computers, of which more than 20 are internet connected and having 2 interactive boards with visualizers and LCD projectors installed in major departments.

Student Support And Progression

- All the activities of the College are designed in such a way that they work towards all round development of the students.

- Mentor-mentee system is followed where a mentor takes care of the overall development of the students. Students apply for state, central SC,ST,BC,EBC & minority scholarships as most of them hail from socially and economically backward sections.
- Students are trained to serve the society through NSS. The college has an active alumni association.
- The Grievance Redressal Cell looks after genuine complaints of the students. The College also has Women Empowerment Cell, Internal Complaints Cell.
- Students are provided training in soft Skills and communication skills by TSKC and English Department.
- Well furnished Science Labs and Computer Labs are maintained for the benefit of the students.
- The college is a part of DRC (District Resource Centre), a platform where all Government Degree Colleges in the District share the resources to conduct various curricular, co-curricular and extracurricular activities for the development of student community.
- In 2019-20 YUVATARANGAM, students are selected as in sports state level and they got first prize in cultural activities .

Governance, Leadership And Management

- The college is a government run institution hence its management and organization is decided by State Government. The principal is appointee of the State Government as are the other staff members.
- Principal is the local head of the institution who sets internal policies and programs of the college with the association of Heads/coordinators of various departments, conveners of different committees, librarian, hostel superintendents and senior member of non-teaching staff.
- The budget allocation to the college is made by the State Government which is disbursed by the principal to different departments/committees for purchasing books, equipments and other necessary expenditure.
- The financial management is assisted by the Accountant deputed for this purpose by the Finance Department of the State Government. The college has well defined policies with clear goals for improving academic quality and infrastructure. The society inputs are obtained through teacher-parents meeting and meetings with civil society and alumni association. The organizational changes for internal matters is effected by the head of the institution, however changes at higher level of the organizational hierarchy are carried out by the Higher Education Department of the State Government
- The college has a well established IQAC which is instrumental as a part of all developmental decisions of the college including infrastructural and academic development. The IQAC frames a schedule of meetings at the beginning of the session with different departments to assess their progress on monthly basis. In the scheduled meetings the departments are assessed for their academic progress, attendance records, quantum of syllabi completed, tutorials, assignments and students presentation, etc. The departments are also assessed for their infrastructural needs.

Institutional Values And Best Practices

The institution has introduced following innovative approaches during the last four years Use of ICT in the teaching learning processes through introduction of IP Boards, and smart class rooms in major departments to make the teaching more dynamic and interactive Emphasis has been laid on entrepreneurship development by establishing an entrepreneurship Development Cell. Gender sensitization programmes for creating awareness about educating a girl-child, and women development, through women development cell. Established student-college relationship using social media, like face book,web feedback and feedback forms. Monthly inspection meeting with different departments by IQAC to assess the academic progress

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Institutional Strength

The College has excellent infrastructure building with 10 acrs of blossoming green land. A Good Number of UG courses with Choice Based Credit System for all UG programmes. Wi-Fi facility in the campus with 8 Mbps internet BSNL line.

Excellent student support facilities, Hostel facilities for girls and boys and sports facilities functional Alumni Association, 02 self financed courses and skill based TSKC/TASK training programme. Functional 08 MoU's for students and training placements etc. Excellent ICT facilities for the teaching- learning process

Greater average number of Girls students than Boys.

Eco-friendly campus with rainwater harvesting unit.

Well-regulated student's progression mechanism with an excellent student-teacher relationship.

We are committed to social justice strictly following the reservation policies and helping the poor students.

Our students are efficient and hard working and they are our first and foremost strength.

Our pass percentage is far better than PU average pass percentage and other Govt. Degree Colleges in the PU as well as State.

Our College has 1 NSS units which actively participate in blood grouping program, medical camps, Special winter camps in slum areas, etc.

Our students were given opportunity to see live lessons in T-SAT Nipuna, PG Patashala which are available on YOU TUBE as well.

Our College is enriched with a dedicated faculty and highly efficient support staff which make the College run smoothly.

One of our biggest strengths is the team spirit in students as well as staff.

Our College has been sanctioned RUSA grants of Rs. 12 Crores for up gradation to **Model Degree college**.

Weakness

First graduation learners, educated in local languages, socially and financially poor background of the students. Restrictions in appointing permanent staff due to Government policies. We are financially a poor institution as we do not have any fine process of generating fund apart from the meager fees collected from the students and funding of government agencies.

As our College is located in an municipality area and about 98% of our students are from economically weak back ground. Their parents are formers or agriculture labor. Most of these students are not permitted to go for higher studies and they usually get married after or in the midst of their graduation. So even though we have bright students, we are not able to show their progress after graduation. But we are successful in counseling the students and their parents and the number of students opting for higher studies and jobs has increased remarkably in the last five years.

Men's Hostel facility is provided presently run by SC welfare society, Telangana State.

Women Hostel facility is provided presently run by SC welfare society, Telangana State

Oppurtunities

The College has one of the largest campuses (10 acres).

The mentoring system can be strengthened for addressing the problems of the students more effectively. To build global competencies in rural students to face the world challenges.

To strive hard for achieving good performance in sports, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. More activities are to be e-governance and the up graduation of existing ICT tools for teaching learning process.

We have a highly qualified staff; their services can be utilized further to make more progress

The level of academic excellence which the College has acquired makes it possible for our students to get entry into higher studies.

The College has to devise mechanisms for translating this potential into a reality.

The new learning environment requires greater proficiency in soft skills among students.

The College has the necessary technical and infrastructural resources to take this to a next higher level. The vision of the College makes it imperative to engage in socially relevant programmes such as organizing voluntary blood donation camps, AIDS awareness programmes.

The College with its resources and networking can ensure students' greater participation in these activities.

Challenges

Enhancing overall infrastructure, introduction of new courses, creating more faculty positions and additional supporting non-teaching staff without financial aid from government.

To provide job opportunities to degree holders.

From 2016-17, admissions are being done online by DOST website, by this we got students from other states also.

To provide research facilities for the development of faculty members with available resources in collaboration with nearby universities or research institutes.

As the College strength has increased rapidly, there is an urgency to provide an auditorium with the capacity of at least 600 members.

CONCLUSION:

Government Degree College Kalwakurthy champions the cause of education and strives to empower the marginally backward section of the society, through its strategic planning; the college has been able to achieve the desired results. Students make best use of the given opportunities and try to excel in all the spheres be it academic, literary, cultural or sports.

The college aims to improvise and reach out to a more number of students through its innovative practices, provide more value-based courses and have a cutting edge in the present competitive atmosphere. To achieve its dream the college hopes to have more infrastructure and resources at its disposal.