



**EKNM GOVERNMENT COLLEGE ELERITHATTU**  
(Established in 1981, Affiliated to Kannur University)

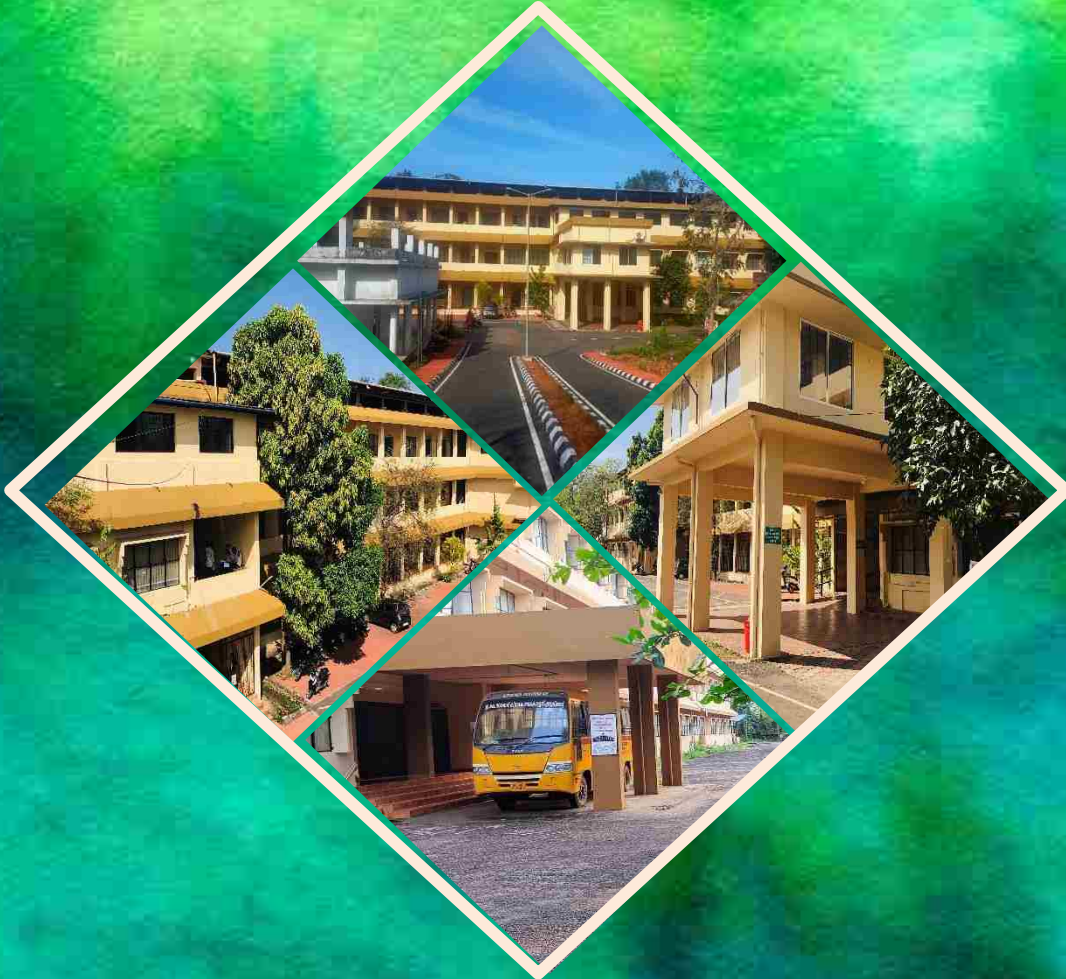
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## DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE FOR

1.3.1. Institution integrates crosscutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment and Sustainability in transacting the curriculum.

**SENSITIZATION ON CROSS CUTTING ISSUES**



### **1.3.1. B.1- Interaction with Daya Bai – Social Activist**

The institution addresses and integrates crosscutting issues in the curriculum by conducting various programmes in the campus to enrich the students' experience. In this context, the Women's Cell of the college organized an interactive session with popular social activist Daya Bai. The theme of the interaction was problems faced by the marginalized sections of the society with special focus on tribal women. During the interaction, Mrs. Daya Bai clarified the queries and concerns raised by the student community and encouraged them to stand for the cause of underprivileged and marginalized groups in the society.



**Photograph 1:- Daya Bai Addressing the gathering at college auditorium**



**Photograph 2:- Daya Bai with college staff**





**Photograph 3:- Daya Bai with students**

### **1.3.1. B.2- Interaction with Isha Kishore – Transgender Activist**

The institution conducted an interactive session with Ms. Isha Kishore, a popular Transgender activist on 08/03/2023. Isha Kishore shared her experiences as a transgender person and illustrated the difficulties faced by the transgender community like physical, mental and verbal abuses, isolation, marginalization, poor quality of life etc. Isha Kishore urged our students to fight for upholding the rights of transgenders and queer community and to act as responsible citizens to treat them equally.



**Photograph 3:- Isha Kishore addressing the gathering at college auditorium**



**Photograph 4:- Isha Kishore students and staff of the college**



**Photograph 5:- Nithya Siby of I MA Economics interaction with Isha Kishore**



### **1.3.1. B.3- Tree Plantation by NSS**

By engaging in tree planting activities, students develop a deeper understanding of environmental stewardship, cultivating a lifelong commitment to preserving and protecting nature. Students can learn about the lifecycle of trees, the importance of biodiversity and the interdependence of eco systems. Planting local varieties of tree sapling in the college campus is one among the major activities in this respect. The activity support to preserve, enrich and sustain the green eco system in the campus and it is evident in and around the campus The activity adds the greenery of the campus and at the same time conserves water and the ecosystem in general.



**Photograph 6:- Tree Plantation by NSS**



**Photograph 7:- Tree Plantation by NSS**



### 1.3.1. B.4- Water Harvesting System in the college

The college is frequently facing the problem of water scarcity and to address this, rainwater harvesting system has been integrated with Boys' hostel and Library cum Seminar complex. The system is intended to increase the ground water level by allowing the rain water to seep down in the earth during rainy season. Apart from this, water literacy campaigns are being organized every year for the general public residing near the campus.



Photograph 8:- Water Harvesting System at Boys Hostel



### **1.3.1. B.5- Organic Farming by NSS**

In order to foster farming culture resulting in the production of pesticide free vegetables and fruits, organic farming practices are initiated by the NSS units of the college in collaboration with the Krishi Bhavan, West Eleri Grama Panchayath. Organic farming helps the sustainability of agriculture by directly contributing to increased soil health and indirectly the health of flora and fauna. As the students are actively participating in the process of farming, they develop an in-depth knowledge in agricultural practices.



**Photograph 9:- Organic Farming – Roof Top of Science Block**



**Photograph 10:- Organic Farming – Manuring of Plants**





**Photograph 11:- Organic Farming – Vegetable Harvesting**



**Photograph 12:- Poly House Farming on the roof top of canteen**



### **1.3.1. B.6- Visit to National Institute of Speech and Hearing**

To understand the problems faced by the differently abled persons having difficulties like speech and hearing impairments, locomotor disabilities, psychological disorders etc., the college conducts visits to different institutions addressing these issues. As part of these activities, a visit has been organized to the National Institute of Speech and Hearing (NISH), Thiruvananthapuram in the month of October 2019. The exposure to such a national level institution was an eye opener to the students.



**Photograph 13:- Visit to NISH, Thiruvananthapuram by Students of BA Economics.**



**Photograph 14:- Visit to NISH, Thiruvananthapuram by Students of BA Economics.**



### **1.3.1. B.7- Palliative care initiatives by NSS**

To inculcate human values among the students, various programmes have been conducted by the college on a regular basis. Seminar sessions on human values, conducting visits to old age homes, orphanages, participating in the palliative care activities, conducting blood donation camps, raising funds for poor and needy people in the society, etc. are some of the initiatives in this respect.



**Photograph 15:- Home Visit-Palliative care and Support**



**Photograph 16:- Home Visit-Palliative care and Support**