N.S.S COLLEGE NEMMAR DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

Annual report of Departmental Activities 2020-21.

Department secured a pass percentage of 89 and 100 for BSc and MSc respectively during the academic year 2019-20. One of our MSc student Gopika U got CSIR – Summer Research Fellowship during this academic year.

An international webinar on Research Innovations in Gold Nanoparticles was conducted by Department of Chemistry and IQAC on 11.07.2020 inorder to inculcate research aptitude among PG and UG students of Chemistry. Faculties and students from different Universities of Kerala and Tamilnadu participated in the programme. Dr Raju Totta, Post-doctoral fellow Hanyang University, Erica South Korea was the resource person. On the inaugural function Principal and IQAC Co-Ordinator emphasised the importance of research and application in the field of science. Head of department Dr Ambili V K offer Presidential address and entire programme was co-ordinated by Dr. Priya S. The entire programme was very interactive and speaker answered the queries raised by the audience. Dr. Anoop S. Nair, proposed vote of thanks.

The final year degree students and first year MSc students attended an international symposium on Advances in Nanomaterials engineering for sustainable future organized by Sree Keralavarma College Thrissur on 18.03.2021 instead of industrial visit as a part of their curriculum which is not possible due to COVID 19 pandemic situation

Department conducted PTS meetings for all batches through Google meet.

Department also provided technical support for making sanitizers to College union when the university examinations held at the college and distributed in classrooms, departments, etc. Department took initiative for online classes for both BSc and MSc students to complete balanced portions, which couldn't be completed due to lockdown. In the current academic year teaching learning process was continued through online mode. Live online classes through Google Meet and previously recorded video lectures uploaded in the Google Classrooms helped the students to overcome the obstacles.

Department offered a certificate course on 'Water Analysis' for the students from various departments which involved classes on chemistry behind analytical procedures and permissible levels of water quality parameters. The course also involved hands on training in water quality analysis test kits. Dr Anoop S Nair was the coordinator of the Certificate Course.

