

Visakha Government Degree College for Women (A), Visakhapatnam

Annual Report 2023-24

This report highlights achievements, developments, and facilities that have contributed to the holistic growth and academic excellence of the institution.

Academic year 2023-24 has been a testament to the unwavering dedication of the faculty, the resilience of the students, and the unwavering support received from the government and community.

This year particularly is the transition period as the college has implemented significant reforms in line with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 as per the guidelines of APSCHE and CCE. One of the key changes is the consolidation of three major systems into a single major system. For the Academic year 2023-24, this institution offered 14 single major UG Programmes and 12 PG Programmes. The UG programmes includes 7 science programmes, 3 arts, 1 commerce and 3 BBA programmes with an enrollment rate of 85%.

Another significant milestone driven by the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 is creation of ABC ids for all the students to revolutionize the way students accumulate, transfer, and utilize academic credits across various institutions. Now 100% of our students have ABC ids and Digilocker accounts.

Academic Achievements:

- The remarkable achievement of being awarded an A+ grade by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) signifying the exceptional quality of education, research, and infrastructure offered by the institution. It places the college among the elite institutions in the country, and reflects the tireless efforts of the entire college community.
- APSCHE -Rasaavada facilitated the institution for this outstanding achievement and congratulated all the stakeholders who contributed to the achievement/success
- Acknowledging the above mentioned achievements former Principal and present Regional Joint Director Dr S Shobha Rani has been felicitated by CCE as Best Principal
- CCE -In recognition to the tireless/consistent efforts of the college community, CCE announced Best IQAC Coordinator awards to Smt.D. Aruna Padma, and Best Internship Coordinator to Dr A Hymavathi, Lecturer in Chemistry
- Two proposals have been submitted for minor research projects with project titles Rapid environmental impact assessment studies for industrial areas of Nellimarla, Vijayanagaram District, Andhra Pradesh, India using the network method approach & Design and Fabrication of molybdenum oxide thin film memristors for next generation non- volatile memory devices.
- College-wide pass percentage of 85.21 in the final year examinations
- Kum G Anjali of MPCPS stood as University Topper in Affiliated UG Results,
- Kum Navya from B.Com Computer Applications has been awarded the prestigious Best CSP for her exceptional work in Community Service Project

- Kum. Ventkata Lakshmi from Final year BBC Got selected for PG studies in reputed institute Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya , Bilaspur Chhattisgarh.
- The institute has a proactive NCC unit where students undergo training with unity and discipline as key motto. Many of our cadets have participated in various national camps. The best cadet awardee , **Sergeant U. Sandhya Kumari** represented AP & T directorate in republic parade held at new delhi in the year 2024. **Junior under officer Ch. Lakshmi pallavi** got selected for all india thal sainik camp held at new delhi. **Sergeant S. Kiranmayi and Lance corporal Gayatri behara** participated in Ek bharath Sresht Bharath camp held at punjab.
- Our commitment to fostering research continues to flourish. We saw 14 research papers published in reputed journals, 4 book publications by our faculty members, along with presentations at national and international conferences. 9 of our faculty are designated as research guides. Two proposals have been submitted for minor research projects.

Result Analysis: Undergraduate Courses

Sl.No	Group	App	Pass	Fail	Pass %
1	HEP	58	49	9	84.48
2	PEP	25	21	4	84.00
3	SWEP	30	20	10	66.67
4	JEP	18	17	1	94.44
5	B.Com (GEN)	93	83	10	89.25
6	B.Com(CA)	60	49	11	81.67
7	MPC	80	66	14	82.50
8	MPCS	55	48	7	87.27
9	MBC	24	18	6	75.00
10	BBC	25	24	1	96.00
11	BHC	26	23	3	88.46
12	DCSC	37	36	1	97.30
13	MEIOT	23	16	7	69.57
14	BZC	41	38	3	92.68
Total		595	508	73	85.38

Postgraduate Courses

Group	Appeared	Passed	Persentage
M.A. English	3	3	100
M.A. Telugu	4	3	75
M.A Economics	9	8	89
M.A. Social Work	8	6	75
M.Com	20	18	90
M.Sc. Psychology	1	1	100
M.Sc Microbiology	31	28	90
M.Sc Mathematics	6	4	67
M.Sc Physics	9	7	78
M.Sc Oraganic	25	20	80
M.Sc Botany	11	9	82
M.Sc Computer Science	29	25	86
TOTAL	156	132	85

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS:

College team participated in Andhra University Inter collegiate tournaments in a events like kho-kho, Kabaddi Volleyball, Table Tennis, Chess, Basket ball, Yoga, Netball & Bald Badminton and got 3 Gold, 2 Silver & & Bronze. 6 Students participated at National University Games tournaments in Bucketball, kho-kho, chess. Yoga, Volleyball, Kabaddi and Karate & cricket.

Our students achieved Gold & silver medals in state level wrestling championships & 2 girls Participated in National level competitions.

Training and awareness programs conducted;

TOT programs were organized on single major subjects in Economics, Zoology, history and political science to enrich the faculty on recent developments in their relevant specializations.

Awareness programs on IPR , research methodology and entrepreneurship were conducted to promote research culture among the faculty.

Training program on English as a medium of instruction was organized for faculty of Govt. Degree colleges of zone 1 to enhance proficiency in english language.

This institution has faculty forum which has been instrumental in enhancing the skills of the faculty and updating them with new knowledge areas, in this academic year it has organized workshops on Online Marketing,Recent Advances in Science and Technology, Advanced Excel, Functions of RBI, Chemistry in our daily life, Fundamental Rights Mathematical Modellings and Medicinal Plants.

Co-Curricular Activities:

- We take pride in continuing to be a hub for holistic development. Our students actively participated in various co-curricular activities like debates, sports competitions, and cultural events.

Facilities and Infrastructure:

- This year, we witnessed significant improvements in our infrastructure.
- Digital Media center has been established with advanced equipment for enabling the faculty to record the classes and create LMS content effectively.
- This institution being the Nodal Resource center for 8 Government Degree Colleges in the district, facilitating other college faculty in Utilizing above-mentioned Digital Media centre in creating LMS Content.
- Digital Infrastructure has been enhanced with purchase of 60 computers installed in 3 Computer Labs to develop IT Skills among our students
- Union Bank of India for donating Nappy vending machine.
- Vasavi Club has Donated 8 new desktop computers worth 2 lakh, three kent purifiers and Green Library. The serenity of Lush green camp has been enhanced with the Statue of Ma Saraswathi donated by Vasavi club. and donated from vadasi club.
- To cater to the growing needs of our students, we have established a dedicated Placement cell & Career guidance cell through which several training programs were offered to enhance the employability skills of our students. We have provided guidance on career opportunities in the disciplines of Arts and Commerce to 246 students and 130 of them are successfully placed in reputed organizations through campus placements and nearly 120 students joined higher education institutions for further studies.
- We are committed to creating an inclusive environment and have made significant strides in enhancing accessibility features for students with disabilities. The institution has organized community extension and outreach programs through NSS, NCC, consumer clubs, Red Ribbon club such as Puneeth Sagar Abhiyan, Health checkup and Awareness camps, training program on youth rights and legal aid, awareness program on fire extinguisher and safety tips, Role of youth in elections etc
- Need based certificate courses on Material Sciences, GST, Yoga, Karate, Nanotechnology, Mushroom cultivation, Statistics, computerized accounting, Environmental Protection were introduced and monitored
- College Central Library is wifi enabled.& has taken membership from INFLIBNET N-LIST and DELNET to access e-resources like e-books and e-journals and we have purchased 390 books for the academic year 2023 -24
- Our Proactive Women empowerment cell has organized successful rally on awareness against child marriages and gender discrimination, awareness program on cyber security & usage of Disha App.

MOU's and Collaborations:

We have MOUs with CISCO, Consumer Protection Council, Visakhapatnam, Institute of Accountants, GITAM University, Nirmaan Organization, Magic Bus Foundation, Suraj Krishna Greenaries, Talluri Pharma Labs, Healthcare sector skill Council, Logistics Sector Skill Council, SGAG DC, Central Sanskrit University, Data Pro computers Private Limited.

We have collaborated with these institutions for Research, Faculty Exchange, Student exchange and internships

Looking Ahead:

As we move forward, we are committed to providing our students with an even more enriching learning experience. We plan to:

- Introduce new courses in BSc Biotechnology, B.Com computer Applications to keep pace with the evolving job market.
- Strengthen our industry collaborations to provide students with valuable internship and placement opportunities.
- Implement innovative teaching methods to further enhance the learning process.
- Make them Socially aware and responsible citizens of the community

Our institution has been bestowed with Autonomous status from the academic year 2024-2025. This status motivates us to work even more relentlessly towards excellence in holistic development of our students

This year's success would not have been possible without the tireless efforts of our dedicated faculty members, the unwavering support of the non-teaching staff, and the active participation of our students.

In conclusion, Visakha Government Degree College for Women continues to be a beacon of empowerment for young women. We are confident that our students will emerge as future leaders, equipped with knowledge, skills, and the confidence to create a positive impact on the world.