



## UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN

HOLY CROSS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), NAGERCOIL, TAMIL NADU

AISHE Code: C- 41177

### PROGRESS REPORT

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Sr. No.	ADOPTED VILLAGES	TALUKA(Block)	DISTRICT
1	Pichakaree	Agasteeswaram (Rajakkamangalm)	Kanyakumari
2	Kattuvilai		
3	Kovil Vilai		
4	Manakkudi		
5	Annai Nagar		

### LIST OF ACTIVITIES

#### **ACTIVITY 1:**

**Title of the Activity:** Grama Sabha Meeting - Pozhikkarai

**Need of the Activity:** To get idea about the participatory development

#### **Brief Description**

The Grama Sabha Meeting of Pozhikkarai village was held on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2022 at Puthenthurai, Kannyakumari District. 24 students of II M.Sc. Mathematics of Holy Cross College, Nagercoil and 20 members from the villages of Rajakamangalam block were the participants for the meeting. The meeting started at 11:00 a.m. In the meeting the people of the village discussed issues like land patta and the loan sanctioned by the Government. The officers from the Health Department and Fishery Department also attended the meeting. An officer from the Health Department gave a talk on Dengue fever and the precautionary measures to be taken. Students of Holy Cross College gave an Awareness Programme on



Drug Abuse in the form of song and talk. People enjoyed the programme as well as benefitted out of it. The meeting came to an end at 1:00 p.m.



## ACTIVITY 2:

**Title of the Activity:** Grama Sabha Meeting – Manakkudy

**Need of the Activity:** To get idea about the participatory development

### Brief Description

The Grama Sabha Meeting of Manakudy village was held on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2022 at Keela Manakudi village, Kanniyakumari District. Students of II MA English Literature both Aided and SF attended the meeting. Dr. Punitha, Dr. Bhavani and Ms. Prabina accompanied the students to Keelamanakudi Village to observe the Grama sabha meeting. The meeting started with the awareness songs on Patriotism and Conservation of Environment by the students. The village president Mr. Cyrill presided over the meeting and he gave a brief account of action plans to be implemented in the village. The students keenly watched and listened to the grievances of the village people. The students really benefitted out of it.



### **ACTIVITY 3:**

**Title of the Activity:** Grama Sabha Meeting – Annai Nagar

**Need of the Activity:** To get idea about the participatory development

#### **Brief Description**

II M. Sc Physics students accompanied by Ms. L. Deva Vijila and Dr. Prakash Shoba attended the Gram Sabha meeting on 15.8.2022 organized by Pallam Thurai Panchayat at Mela Krishnan Puthoor. The meeting started with a formal welcome address by the panchayat president Adv. P. Antony and gave a detailed report of the welfare programmes already conducted and to be conducted in the near future. Few people who gathered in the meet gave some complaints regarding the panchayat activities. This was followed by the discussion of the same. The government officials who attended the meeting gave a clear idea about the welfare programmes organized by the government to the public. Few announcements were also made in the panchayat.

Our students gave an awareness programme regarding drug addiction. The talk given by our student was thought provoking. The students then expressed their ideas about drug



addiction through an awareness skit and a song. The programme really touched the heart of all the audience. Around 150 people were the beneficiaries of the programme.



#### **ACTIVITY 4:**

**Title of the Activity:** Talk on “Entrepreneurship” and “Health & Hygiene.”

**Need of the Activity:** To know about the importance of Rural Entrepreneurship

#### **Brief Description**

The students of English Literature (II PG & II UG) both Aided and SF had a field visit to Manakudi village on 24.09.2022 along with four faculty members respectively Dr. J. Bhavani, Ms. Praveen, Ms. Anusha Snowly and Ms. Amlin Beatrice. The Parish Priest Fr. Antonyappan addressed the students on how to be an effective member of the welfare of the Rural Development and Society. Representatives from both Aided and SF delivered a talk individually on “Entrepreneurship” and “Health & Hygiene.” The field visit had come to an end with the students taking survey based on the questions given to them. The students gained knowledge about the life and livelihood of the village which is near the seashore.



### **ACTIVITY 5:**

**Title of the Activity:** Awareness programme on 'Water Management'

**Need of the Activity:** To understand the importance of water management

#### **Brief Description**

The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Programme was conducted on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2022 at Pozhikarai Village, Kanniyakumari District. The meeting started at 10:20 a.m with 130 students and 3 staff members of Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil and 20 members from Pozhikarai Village. The students from the department of Mathematics gave awareness programmes on 'Water Management'. People enjoyed the programme and also benefited out of it. Finally, the students took survey about the facilities available there and also the issues prevailing there in the respective village. The meeting came to an end at 1:00 p.m.



Periyakadu Rd, Pozhikarai, Tamil Nadu 629501, India

Latitude  
8.107003333333333°

Longitude  
77.40142999999999°

Local 10:23:58 AM  
GMT 04:53:58 AM

Altitude 10.79 meters  
Saturday, 24.09.2022

### **ACTIVITY 6:**

**Title of the Activity:** Awareness program on ‘Organic Farming’

**Need of the Activity:** To learn to prepare pot mixture to form terrace or kitchen garden with organic material.

#### **Brief Description**

An awareness program on ‘Organic Farming’ was conducted on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2022 by II M.Sc. Botany students of Holy Cross College along with the faculty members. Students visited nearly 20 houses and took survey on houses maintaining organic farming at home. The students gave an awareness talk on ‘Climatic Change’ and also demonstrated how to prepare pot mixture to form terrace or kitchen garden with organic material.



### **ACTIVITY 7:**

**Title of the Activity:** Awareness program on ‘water resource management’

**Need of the Activity:** To create conscious about using water resources

#### **Brief Description**

On 24.09.2022, II M. Sc Chemistry students of Holy Cross College along with Mrs. L. Deva Vijila and Dry. Christabel Shaji visited Annai Nagar Village. The meeting began with an awareness program related to water resource management. The Panchayat president Adv. Antony presided over the meeting. The students created awareness among the village people through talk, song and skit. This was followed by the survey on water resource management in the village. Our students visited 31 houses and collected data. This was followed by group discussion of the data collected and the students submitted the report for the same. Nearly 20 village people participated in the awareness programme and also, they assured that they are conscious about using water resources.



### **ACTIVITY 8:**

**Title of the Activity:** Solid Waste Management

**Need of the Activity:** To create awareness about Solid Waste Management

#### **Brief Description**

II PG students of both History and Zoology along with the faculty members visited Katuvilai on 24<sup>th</sup> of September 2022. Students gave awareness programme on Solid Waste Management to the people as well as Government Primary School Students of that village.





### Next action plan:

Sr. No.	Activity to be conducted (along with reason)
1	Gram Sabha Meeting
2	Skill Development and Entrepreneurship programme
3	Talk on 'Impact of Media among the Youngsters'