

SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS CONDUCTED BY THE INSTITUTION 2020-2021

SNM TRAINING COLLEGE, Moothakunnam, Ernakulam (Dist.), Kerala, India & COUNCIL FOR TEACHER EDUCATION FOUNDATION (CTEF), KERALA In collaboration with Kerala STATE HIGHER EDUCATION COUNCIL organize 19TH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF COUNCIL FOR TEACHER EDUCATION FOUNDATION (CTEF), KERALA & INTERNATIONAL MULTIDISCIPLINARY CONFERENCE ON REMODELLING STRATEGIES AND POLICIES FOR FUTURE READY LEARNING on **10th and 12th & 13th March, 2021.**

The 19th annual convention of council for teacher Education foundation (CTEF) Kerala and an International multidisciplinary conference on “Remodelling Strategies and Policies for Future Ready Learning” which was organized by S N M Training College Moothakunnam, Kerala and CTEF, in collaboration with the Kerala State Higher Education Council (K S H E C) took place from 10th to 13th February 2021 in SNMTC Moothakunnam. The aim of this conference was to prepare the graduates to be future-ready learners. The content of discussion for the seminar was developed on the premises of future-ready learning for the modern techno-centered society and it is planned in the context of emerging needs of education for the future.



Sub themes of the conference was:

1. Transformative Pedagogical Approaches
2. Digital Readiness and Capabilities for Future Learning
3. Positive Classroom Culture for Psycho -Social well-being
4. Inclusive and Equitable Practices for Future Learners
5. Value- added Modelling in Education
6. Multidisciplinary Approaches in Education
7. Ensuring sustainable Development for future Education

8. Strengthening the Assessment of Future Ready Skills
9. Building Educational Leadership and Professionalism
10. Remodelling Teacher Preparation Framework
11. Policies, Issues and Concerns in Education
12. Research Paradigms for Future Learning

Over 100 delegates from different parts of the country attended the conference. These includes CTEF officials, higher education experts, researches, teachers of various teaching training Institutes and school teachers and the conference generated the momentum to study about future ready learning and remodeling strategies for the purpose.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, NAI TALIM AND EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING



Aim

- To give an awareness about the VENTEL Action Plan 2020 - Vocational Education Nai Talim Experiential Learning
- To provide a brief idea regarding the works done by Mahatma Gandhi National Council for Rural Education (MGNCRE), Hyderabad
- To provide an idea and the activities that come under the Ventel Action Plan Areas and to register for the same.

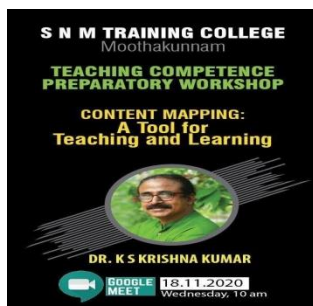
As part of the Virtual workshop, for the different VENTEL Action Plan areas a WhatsApp group was created to discuss the Activities related to the program. The virtual workshop was conducted on October 12th 2020 by Resource person, Dr. Anu Cleetus, coordinator and Nodal officer, MGNCRE, Hyderabad, Ministry of Education, Government of Kerala. An interactive session was conducted by the resource person on Vocational Education, Nai Talim and Experiential Learning

Student coordinators

1. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION ACTIVITIES - Nayana P B
2. SELF RELIANCE ACTIVITIES - Nishil Jaison
3. SWACHTHA AND HEALTH RELATED ACTIVITIES - Jayadurga A V
4. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES - Rincy P V

WORKSHOP ON CONTENT MAPPING : A TOOL FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING

18th November 2020



Aims

- To realize the importance of content mapping in teaching and learning.
- To make aware of types of mapping among B.Ed. students.
- To provide knowledge on how to use different mapping tools for teaching and learning.
- To familiarize various mapping tools useful in teaching and learning.

As part of an array of workshops organised for B.Ed. students (2019-2021) in prior to their internship programme in schools, a one day teaching competency preparatory workshop on "Content Mapping : A Tools for Teaching and Learning" was conducted by SNMTC Moothakunnam. This workshop was conducted by Dr. K. S. krishna Kumar, Associate Professor, SNMTC Moothakunnam on 18th of November, 2020. the resource person gave us an idea on the essentials needed for content mapping and also various types of content mapping such as cognitive maps, mind maps, content mapping, concept mapping etc. He also enlightened about the need to use content mapping in our teaching and learning and how it can be useful for both students as well as teachers. This workshop made the B.Ed. students realise the importance of various types of mapping, a tool for teaching and learning..

WEBINAR ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS: PLAGIARISM AND THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY



Aim:-

- To provide a comprehensive knowledge about intellectual property rights among students and teachers.
- To promote academic freedom and safeguard the creative ideas of intellectual property
- To provide a conducive environment leading to development of Insights on intellectual property
- To create awareness about issues on plagiarism in the academic community.

Commerce club and ethics club in collaboration with Internal quality assurance cell(IQAC) of SNM training college,Moothakunnam jointly organized a Webinar on Intellectual Property Rights: Plagiarism and the Academic Community on 14th January 2021 at 11.00am. by Lt.Dr.G. GeethikaAssistant Professor and Associate NCC Officer, UC College who gave a comprehensive idea on IPR in the academic field. Webinar on Intellectual Property Rights: Plagiarism and the Academic Community conducted under Commerce club and ethics club in collaboration with Internal quality assurance cell(IQAC) created awareness and provided knowledge about Intellectual Property Rights in India. The student teachers could develop a positive disposition towards IPR , plagiarism and the academic community. This session highlighted the issues that one may face with IP infringements and solutions to address them effectively.

Workshop on E-content Development EVOLVING ICT BASED LEARNING SITUATIONS on 12th & 13th November 2020

Objectives

- To realise the importance of evolving ICT based learning situations.
- To make aware of various applications like google voice typing, jam board, Kinemaster. etc.
- To provide knowledge on how to edit a video.
- To familiarize about script writing, camera angle, camera shot, frame. etc.

As a part of an array of workshops organized for B. Ed students (2019-2021), a two-day workshop on e-content development "Evolving ICT based Learning Situations" was conducted by SNMTC Moothakunnam. This Workshop was scheduled on 12th and 13th November 2020 which was handled by Dr. Laya A. B, Assistant Professor SNMTC Moothakunnam. The two-day workshop started on 12 November 2020 at 10:30 a.m. on Google meet via sharing a link in WhatsApp group of B.Ed students.(<https://meet.google.com/kum-ngjv-pqu>). The first day started with giving a brief introduction about voice typing. The session provided a detailed discussion about video making, script writing, camera angles, camera movements, camera shots, light setting, Frame setting, editing videos in Kinemaster app. The students were also introduced to the Google jamboard app which is an e-whiteboard system developed by Google. The workshop was successful in providing new techniques which could be used in this new era of online teaching. It was fruitful and informative in meeting the needs of B.Ed students during their online teaching classes. The workshop won in equipping each B. Ed students with various e-content resources. The workshop also made the students realise the evolving ICT based learning situations.

WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS DAY WEBINAR

SNM TRAINING COLLEGE
MOOTHAKUNNAM

SEBREC
in collaboration with
IQAC

Join us on
Google Meet

19.11.2020
THURSDAY
@ 11 AM

Resource Person

Ms. Divya V.S.
Assistant Professor (Ac.Joc)
College of Engineering, VM
Director, Papillon Pre School
Director, Faraday Coaching Institute

Celebrates Women's
Entrepreneurship
Day

ONE DAY WEBINAR
on
THE JOURNEY OF
ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Dr. O.S Asha
Principal

Dr. Seela K.R
IQAC Coordinator

Dr. KS Krishna Kumar
Dr. Rini V Antony
Webinar Coordinators

Aim

- To give a general insight to students of S.N.M.T.C regarding women entrepreneurs day
- To inspire upcoming generation towards Entrepreneurship
- To celebrate women Entrepreneurs day under the auspicious of SES REC and IQAC of S.N.M.T.C

In collaboration with SES REC and IQAC of S.N.M Training College Moothakunnam celebrated women entrepreneurs day on 19th November 2020. .Divya.V.S , (Assistant professor Ad-hoc, College Of Engineering TVM, Director, Papillon pre school, Faraday coaching institute) served as resource person of webinar. She shared her journey of entrepreneurship, troubles and hurdles faced throughout her journey. The story and the experience sharing of chief guest helps to inculcate a positive spirit in the mind of listeners towards entrepreneurship.

WEBINAR ON BUILDING A CARING & SUPPORTIVE LEARNING COMMUNITY: HONOURING STUDENTS DIVERSITY

Aim:

- To change the perspective of the students towards children having learning disabilities.
- Create cognizance among student teachers about how to handle children suffering from learning difficulties.
- To motivate everyone to overcome their barriers.

The equal opportunity club of 2020-2022 B.Ed batch has organised a webinar on building a caring and supportive learning community on January 5 2021 at SNM Training College. The resource person of the webinar was Iravi saras, winner of best documentary film and outstanding achievement award in world film carnival held at Singapore.Iravi Saras, detailed journey which was highly motivating and inspiring. The student teachers could develop a positive disposition towards the children suffering with learning difficulties.

Engaging Diversity in Classroom.



Aim

- To develop an idea among student teacher how to handle the diversity in a classroom
- To find out whether students are facing any problems due to their diversity
- To provide a General insight regarding how to deal the problems of students

On 16th November 2020, Dr . Suneethi A.S, Assistant professor of S.N.M Training College moothakunnam conducted a workshop on "Engaging diversity in classroom". The resource person of this workshop enlightens students mind and brain alike by asking thought-provoking questions and showing digital images. In this one hour workshop content discussed the meaning of diversity, classroom diversity, how to tackle diversity in students, if students face any problems due to this diversity and as a teacher how we can tackle students problems.This workshop widens the thinking of teacher trainees and therefore it is a grand success.

Faculty Development Programme On Assessment in Education: Dynamic Perspectives From 19th to 25th May 2021

S N M Training College, Moothakunnam executed a one week online faculty development programme from 19th to 25th May 2021 on Assessment in Education: Dynamic Perspectives which is designed to acquaint the teachers especially untrained teachers with the concepts and modern strategies of assessment used for classroom teaching.The objectives set for the FDP programme were to acquaint the teachers with the concept and associated aspects of educational assessment, to develop the ability to analyse the various types of assessment tools and its applications, to develop the ability to appreciate the role of assessment procedures to enhance the quality of education, to act as a resource center for professional development activities of teachers.The programme was planned and executed by the IQAC of S N M TC by selecting staff of S N M TC as resource persons for the seven days programme through Moodle platform www.ilearn.snmtrainingcollege.org of S N M TC, Moothakunnam.



Online workshop on 'social entrepreneurship, for higher educational institutions' 14 October 2020



Aim :

- To create awareness about social entrepreneurship.
- To understand the vision of 'Social Entrepreneurship, Swachata and Rural Engagement Cell'.(SESREC)
- To share the case studies regarding is SESREC and to discuss its action plan.

. SNM Training College Moothakunnam in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi National council of rural education Hyderabad conducted an online workshop on 14 October 2020 via Google Meet by resource person. Mr. Aditya Raj Gupta, MGNCRE Hyderabad. Students got an opportunity to understand the concept of social entrepreneurship and various personalities in that field. Novel business ideas were introduced.. The workshop could enable the students to become socially responsible.

Two day Workshop on short film and documentary preparation on 3rd February and 6th, 2021



Aim

- To guide the student teacher to make short film and documentary
- To develop the technology skills required for script writing, shooting and editing
- To provide a digital platform to reach global audience

A Two day Workshop on short film and documentary preparation conducted by SNM Training College, Moothakunnam on making short films on camera on 3rd February and 6th February under the guidance of Dr. Bisini P.S, staff Coordinator, Asst. Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam. The online session was conducted through google meet link <https://meet.google.com/mai-krvo-tye> . Resource person was Mr. Jiji C Baby, Vice Principal from DIMS College, Muringoor specialised in multimedia and then a practical session on how to make a short film and documentary such as pre- production, shooting and post production.

TRAINING PROGRAMME ON COLLEGE OFFICE MANAGEMENT

27-03-2021

Aim

- To provide training on college office management to non-teaching staff
- To improve the college office management

A training programme on college office management was organised for the non-teaching staff on 27-03-2021 at 1.30 pm by the resource person Adv. P.S. Najeeb, Accounts officer (Rtd.), Collegiate Education, Zonal Deputy Directorate, Ernakulam for non-teaching staff of SNM Training College, Moothakunnam and SNM College, Maliankara . From the training programme the participants got many ideas regarding effective college office management beneficial to the non-teaching staff for developing an effective work environment.

National Conference on NEP 2020 : TOWARDS A SELF – RELIANT INDIA

15 th & 16 th September 2020

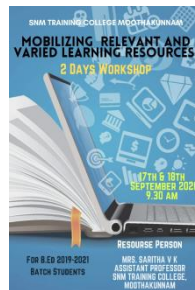
Aim

- To cognicise the academic community with the varied layer of the policy NEP 2020
- To develop among the people an analytical frame of NEP 2020 with a practtitioning mindset
- To enable to identify the prospects and concerns in regards to policy vision
- To instill sprit to reframe the mind set of people to move towards 21 st century India as envisioned in NEP 2020

The college is fortunate enough to collaborate with KERALA STATE HIGHER EDUCATION COUNCIL THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, COUNCIL FOR TEACHER EDUCATION FOUNDATION (CTEF) KERALA and COUNCIL FOR EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT (CEAM) KERALA, in organizing the National Conference in Online Mode on 15 th &16 th September 2020 . The conference was able to achieve its framed aims and objectives and cognised the academic community with the varied layer of the policy NEP 2020, developed an analytical frame of NEP 2020 among the people, identified the prospects and concerns in regards to policy vision. The concerns and doubts regarding the topic were clarified by the resource persons. The conference was successful in instilling the sprit to reframe the mind set of people to move towards 21st century India as envisioned in NEP 2020.

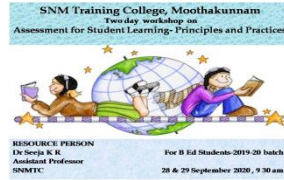
Workshop on “mobilizing relevant and varied learning resources”

17th and 18th September 2020



A workshop on “**mobilizing relevant and varied learning resources**” was conducted by Mrs.Saritha V K, Assistant Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam on 17th and 18th September 2020 The resource person shared the characteristics, principles of learning resources and limitations of learning resources through google meet. The class was informative and helpful to get an idea on selection of learning resources for upcoming teaching practices and also our future career at school.

workshop on “Assessment for student learning - principles and practices” on 28th and 29th September



A two days workshop on “**Assessment for student learning - principles and practices**” was conducted by the resource person Dr. Seeja K R, Assistant Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam on 28th and 29th September 2020 from 9.30 am to 11 a.m through the Zoom meeting. The resource person took class on assessment, dimensions of assessment and functions of assessment various tools and techniques of assessment that can be used in the coming internship at school, insight on conceptual overview of assessment and evaluation, of blue print for achievement test and practice on quiz tool for coming teaching practice, preparation of google classroom and google form.

WEBINAR on Empowering Teachers on Virtual Platforms: special emphasis on Augmented Reality’ on August 6th 2020



Aims:

Internal Quality Assurance Cell of SNM Training College, Moothakunnam, in collaboration with SNM Training College ALUMNI Association, conducted a webinar on ‘Empowering Teachers on Virtual Platforms : special emphasis on Augmented Reality’ on August 6th 2020 at 10 30 am. Via Google meet. Dr. Sajan K.S., Assistant Professor NSS Training College Ottapalam was the resource person .The main objective of the webinar was empowering our prospective teachers, teacher educators and school teachers in handling virtual platforms. In this webinar he gave special emphasis on augmented reality, video recording and editing tools, audio tools, screen recorders etc.. Around 522 participants including students, prospective teachers, school teachers, teacher educators got benefited from this webinar.

Webinar on “ Sustenance of Institutional Excellence-NAAC Perspective”

13th November 2020

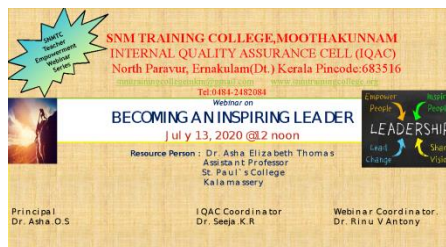


Aims

- To throw light into the aspects of Institutional Excellence
- To develop a quality consciousness and importance of accreditation for higher institutions.
- To strengthen the awareness of the role of the institution's Vision and Mission in taking initiatives for improving overall quality of the education.
- To instill commitment among each individual stakeholder to develop an attitude to excel and should work with the zeal of an entrepreneur bringing new ideas, motivation, team work, and a will to work in challenging situations.
- To draw attention to the challenges faced in accreditation process

Dr.T.S.Vijukumar V G, IQAC and NAAC Coordinator of University College, TVM, Kerala university was the resource person of the thematic session on 13th November 2020 , 10am. The teachers as well as other colleges have benefited from this excellent session. Thematic sessions by the most apt resource person made the programme valuable and effective. It strengthens the awareness of the role of quality initiatives of IQAC for sustaining Institutional Excellence. Programme helps to instill the commitment among the teaching staff to maintain a spirit to actively work for the NAAC process. It draws attention to the challenges faced by the college and IQAC in the accreditation process.

Becoming an inspiring leader on 13 July 2020



Aim.

- ✓ To empower teachers, improve productivity, promote better decision making, build better teams and train future leaders in institutions
- ✓ To have a management style that is conducive to a positive working atmosphere

A One day webinar on leadership skills has been conducted on Becoming an inspiring leader was held on 13 July 2020, as part of teacher empowerment webinar series . As part of quality initiatives IQAC of SNM Training College, Moothakunnam organized a webinar on Becoming an inspiring leader by Dr. Asha Elizabeth Thomas, Dean – Quality Assurance , Assistant Professor & Research Supervisor, St. Pauls College, Kalamassery lead the session. This webinar highlighted the leadership traits, inspirational leadership patterns to lead role as teachers .Out of 213 registrations received, 133 delegates actively participated in the webinar streamed through you tube live of College and google meet. The session was fruitful to empower ourselves as teachers .Webinar on leadership skills helped to gain insight about ways to Increase productivity nurturing as future leaders by implementing an effective leadership style.

Webinar on Teaching of Malayalam: Perspectives of the New Era organised by IQAC of SNM Training College, Moothakunnam in Collaboration with Sree Neelakanda Govt. Sanskrit College, Pattambi On 3/07/20

SNM Training College, Moothakunnam organized a Teacher Empowerment Webinar Series from 03/07/2020. in collaboration with Dept. of Malayalam, Sree Neelakanda Govt. Sanskrit College, Pattambi. The webinar was on Teaching of Malayalam: Perspectives of New Era, which was led by Dr.H K Santhosh, HOD, Dept. of Malayalam, Sree Neelakanda Government Sanskrit College, Pattambi.The webinar focussed on recent trends and themes of language teaching.B.Ed students, M.Ed students, teacher educators and research scholars from various institutions participated in the webinar. The participants wholeheartedly participated in the discussion held after the session.The webinar proved to be a beneficial one for all participants.The welcome speech was rendered by Dr. K S Krishnakumar, Webinar Co-ordinator and the vote of thanks was delivered by Smt.Heera K S, Teacher Empowerment Series Coordinator.

National Webinar on Climate Change: Role of Oceans organised by IQAC of SNM Training College, Moothakunnam in collaboration with St. Joseph's College of Education, Mysuru on 20/08/20

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell(IQAC) SNM Training College, Moothakunnam in collaboration with St. Joseph's College of Education, Jayalakshmpuram, Mysuru is organized one day webinar on CLIMATE CHANGE: ROLE OF OCEANS on 20th August 2020 at 11.00 am by Resource person Dr. Sanil kumar K V, MSc, PhD. Scientist-G (Retd.)Former Associate Director (Ocean Sciences), NPOL, DRDO, Kochi . The participants wholeheartedly participated in the discussion held after the session.The webinar proved to be a beneficial one for all participants

Webinar on Management of students with Specific Learning Disorders organized by IQAC, SNMTC in collaboration with IRLD ,School of Behavioural Sciences, Kottayam. On 16/07/20

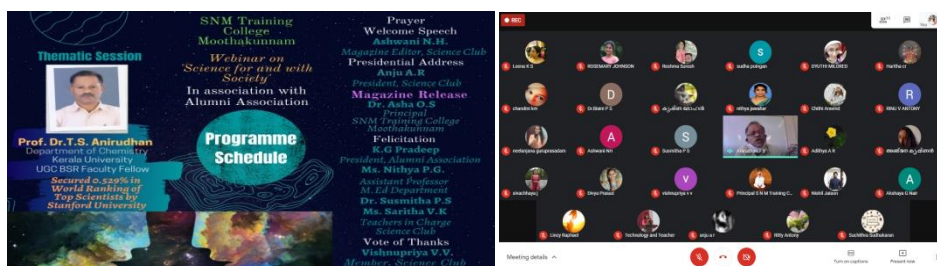


SNM Training College, Moothakunnam organized a Teacher Empowerment Webinar Series from 03/07/2020 .The Internal Quality Assurance Cell(IQAC) SNM Training College, Moothakunnam in collaboration with IRLD ,School of Behavioural Sciences, Kottayam organised Webinar on Management of students with Specific Learning Disorders organized by IQAC, SNMTC on 16/07/20. The webinar was on Management of students with Specific Learning Disorders was led by Dr. K.M. Mustafa, M.Sc., MA., MEd., M.Phil., Ph.D., B(Spl.)Ed., PGDEC, PGDSE., Faculty in special education at the School of Behavioural Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala. Honorary Director of Institute of Research in Learning Disabilities (IRLD) and Joint Director of Inter University Centre for Disability Studies (IUCDS) M.G. University. The webinar focussed on learning disability, managing learning disorders, strategies for addressing students with learning disabilities. B.Ed students, M.Ed students, teacher educators and research scholars from various institutions participated in the webinar.

One Day webinar on " Science for and with Society" organized by Science club in Collaboration with Aumni Assosciation of SNMTC as part of the celebration of World Science Day 2020 on November 11, 2020

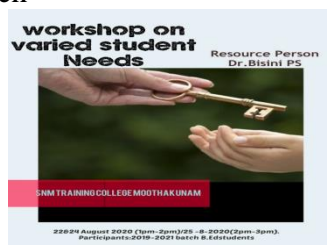


As part of the International Science Day for peace and development, the science club of SNM Training College, Moothakunnam conducted a programme in order to emphasize the relevance of celebrating Science day on November 11, 2020 at 2:00 pm in online mode by Prof. Dr.T.S. Anirudhan, UGC BSR faculty fellow, department of Chemistry, Kerala university as the resource person of the thematic session.



Workshop on varied student needs 22 August 2020 to 24th 2020

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A workshop on “**varied student needs**” was conducted by Dr. Bisini P.S, Assistant Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam from 22nd August 2020 to 24, 2020 to batch B Ed students through the Zoom meeting. The class was helpful to get an idea on vocational interest by expressing the pupil’s preferences, could identify our own likes, dislikes towards occupations, study habits and helped to get an idea on how to assess the study habits of each pupil.

workshop on “visualizing differential learning activities according to student needs and addressing inclusiveness”



A two days workshop on “**visualising differential learning activities according to student needs and addressing inclusiveness**” was conducted by the resource person Dr.Susmitha P.S, Assistant Professor, SNM Training College, Moothakunnam from 9th and 10th September to B Ed students on differentiated curriculum at school according to the needs of students. The resource person shared the view points regarding VAK learning style and advised to adopt this style in the coming classroom. One more activity has given us that to find out the ways and strategies that can be adopted according to different learning styles in the classroom as per VAK model, types of learning disabilities as dyslexia,dysgraphia and dyscalculia were discussed .The children with learning disabilities, their characteristics, and attitude to be shown towards them were understood by the participants.

Webinar on Gender Bias, Gender Equality and Women's Rights on 17-08-2020

IQAC and Women's cell of S N M Training College Moothakunnam in collaboration with the Department of Women's Studies, University of Calicut and as per the directions of University Grants Commission organized a Webinar on Gender Bias, Gender Equality and Women's Rights on 17-08-2020 at 11 am through Google meet. The Resource person of the Webinar was Dr Moly Kuruvila, Founding Director and Professor of Department of women's studies, University of Calicut. Dr Moly Kuruvila was the resource person of the Webinar and gave an effective and informative presentation about Gender Bias, Gender Equality and Women's Rights Webinar. In the theme presentation, the resource person, Dr Moly Kuruvila discussed in detail the discrimination faced by women in our society and also made a clear presentation about the need for the women to become aware of their rights and explained the role of education, family and society in diluting the gender disparities and to break the gender stereotype.The participants included faculty members, research scholars, and students of various educational institutions from all around the nation. The Webinar was very informative and useful to the participants in the pandemic period.

WEBINAR on MANAGING ADOLESCENT LEARNERS DURING COVID PANDEMIC

Aim

- To give parents and teachers an awareness about adolescent learner's problems.
- To develop skill to parents and teachers to manage adolescent learner's during covid pandemic.

The webinar was conducted on 5 th August 2020 at 10 am via google meet platform to conduct the function. The resource person of the webinar was Dr. Marykutty P J, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, Union Christian College, Aluva. The webinar coordinate was Dr. Bisini P S, Assistant Professor, S N M Training College, Moothakunnam. 278 participants registered for the webinar and attended the meeting. They were from various training colleges and schools. Parents also participated and got awareness about various problems faced by adolescent teachers.



SCRIPT WRITING AND SHORT FILM MAKING WORKSHOP

Aim

- To develop skill in script writing to B Ed students
- To develop skills for making short film to B Ed students.
- To develop skills to make teaching learning resources for their teaching.

The two day workshop for writing script and short film making was conducted by Sri. Jijo C Baby, Vice Principal, School of Media studies, De Paul Chalakkudy as the resource person. Students learnt to prepare script for making short film and drama, steps of short film and documentary making, scripts for their short film to make teaching learning resources



NATIONAL WEBINAR ON MARINE BIODIVERSITY AND CONSERVATION

Aims

- ✓ To develop awareness about marine biodiversity and its conservation
- ✓ To develop an attitude to follow practices that help to protect marine biodiversity

A National Webinar on Marine Biodiversity and Conservation as part of SNMTC Teacher Empowerment Webinar Series was conducted on 11-09-2020 at 11.00 am through Google Meet. The resource person for the webinar was Dr. P. Laxmilatha, Principal Scientist & Head, Molluscan Fisheries Division, CMFRI, Kochi. She elaborated the present status of biodiversity with special reference to marine biodiversity, the threats to marine biodiversity, the initiatives to conserve marine biodiversity and the role of the common man in protecting marine biodiversity. From this webinar, the participants got a good awareness about the current status of marine biodiversity and the immediate need to take initiatives to protect it. Participants became aware that the protection of marine biodiversity is very important for the existence of living organisms in the world including human beings and even the activities of the common man is a great threat to marine biodiversity. The webinar helped to develop an attitude among participants to follow environment-friendly practices.

International Webinar on ICT in Education During and Post Covid Times, was organised in collaboration with Dept. of English, Christ College (Autonomous), Irinjalakuda on 09/07/2020.

As part of the Teacher Empowerment Webinar series conducted by SNM Training College, Moothakunam which began on 03/07/2020, an International Webinar on ICT in Education During and Post Covid Times, was organized in collaboration with Dept. of English, Christ College (Autonomous), Irinjalakuda on 09/07/2020. The resource persons included Dr. Andi Asrifan, Faculty of Teachers Training and Education, Universitas Muhammadiyah, Sidenreng Rappang, South Sulawesi, Indonesia; Dr. Muthmainnah, Faculty of Al Asyariah Mandar University, West Sulawesi, Indonesia; Dr. K. J. Varghese, Associate Professor, Christ College (Autonomous), Irinjalakuda. The webinar focused on teaching strategies, tools and techniques, tactics for creating learning environments based on ICT platforms. Faculty and students from in and around the world including B.Ed students, M.Ed students, research scholars, and teacher educators participated in the webinar which was streamed live via Youtube. The welcome and vote of thanks were rendered by Smt. Heera K S, Programme Coordinator. The International Webinar turned out to be a fruitful one and a great success.