



# SRI MANAKULA VINAYAGAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE

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## SOCIETY OUTREACH

**Policy**

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## NOTIFICATION

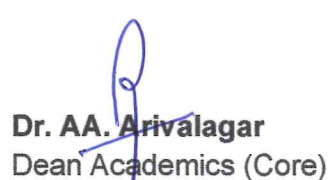
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In the pursuance of the resolution passed by the Governing Body Meeting at its meeting held on December 31, 2022 in its resolution no. GB 2022.05.09 and the decision was taken by the Management of SMVEC

It is hereby notified for information of all concerned that the Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College, Puducherry has published the Policy for Society Outreach. This will come into force with immediate effect.

  
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## **POLICY FOR SOCIETY OUTREACH OF SRI MANAKULA VINAYAGAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE, PUDUCHERRY**

### **INTRODUCTION**

Society outreach programmes aim at empowering students through service learning at the nearby communities. Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College is performing continuously all kinds of societal outreach activities to nurture the life skills of every student studying in the institution. Adhering to the principles and core concept of National educational policy 2020, the student should have in depth knowledge and understanding about the society they live, finding the sustainable solution for every problem of the community they live through creative thinking abilities. Through the sustainable development goal IV (SDG4), to ensure inclusive and equitable quality education, promote lifelong learning opportunities, human rights, gender equality, promotion of a culture of peace and non-violence, global citizenship and appreciation of cultural diversity and of culture's contribution. National Service Scheme, Electoral literacy club, Red ribbon club, swatch bhara Abhiyan, Unnat Bharat Abiyan are some of the initiatives of SMVEC to inculcate societal values in the minds of volunteers. Nila community radio 90.4 MHz, the first community radio of the nation, spreads awareness on various aspects to community such as Agriculture, health and sanitation, welfare of women and children through mass literacy campaigns. Our extension activity committee has vibrant team of staff to train and motivate students in a constructive way and to imbibe by the values of Indian traditional society.

As per the guidance of Government of Puducherry, many need based programmes are being conducted in the nearby adopted villages. There is congenial relationship with the NGOs functioning in the nearby village communities. The Management and the Head of Institution extend their fullest support for the students to actively participate in all society related activities. Our institution ensure that every student in our institution takes part in any one of the extension activities. There is advisory committee for the extension activity and the action plan will be endorsed by the members in the General Body Meeting.

### **OBJECTIVES**

- To create awareness about essential life skills for all students in order to emerge as valuable future citizens of the nation
- To support various Government departments in spreading awareness such as Health and sanitation, electoral literacy, road safety, solid waste management, climate etc.,
- To encourage volunteers to participate in mass awareness campaigns conducted by the state NSS cell.



- To build team spirit and leadership qualities among the young volunteers.
- To identify talented students to participate in all competitions conducted by university, government and NGO agencies.
- To encourage the talented students and women from nearby schools and villages to perform programmes in the Community radio.

## **EXTENSION ACTIVITY COMMITTEE**

In order to fulfill the society outreach activities, the extension activity committee is constituted by the Head of the Institution .The committee is designed to serve for the time to needs of the nearby community, both at in campus and society level. The committee aspires to inculcate qualities such as leadership, team spirit and cordial social relationship. Staff and Student members of this committee will be appointed by the Head of the Institution on consultation with the NSS program officer and Nila Community Radio Station (CRS) coordinator

## **COMPOSITION OF EXTENSION ACTIVITY COMMITTEE**

One senior faculty as Convener, NILA CRS coordinator and NSS programme officer as the member secretary, along with one faculty member from each department & Schools as the representing member.

## **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STAFF MEMBERS OF EXTENSION ACTIVITY COMMITTEE**

- Selecting the volunteers to carry out various extension activities.
- Imparting training to students to organize in campus and out campus activities.
- To disseminate the time-to-time announcement from NSS/NILA CRS and encourage participation.
- Promotion of capacity building of youth volunteers.

## **RESPONSIBILITIES OF VOLUNTEERS**

- Programme Assistants will lead the student volunteers at the micro level.
- Maintaining discipline and decorum during community participation
- Self-interest for doing social services
- Polite approach with the village people
- Voluntary and service preparedness

- Maintaining Volunteer diary

## **MAJOR ACTIVITIES**

- Mass Awareness Literacy program
- Providing food during Founder's Remembrance Day to the socio-economically disadvantaged society
- Gender sensitization programs through Women's empowerment cell
- Blood donation camps, Health camp, Road safety
- Tree plantation
- AIDS awareness program
- Cleaning campaigns
- Pandemic related services
- Education, Technology awareness programs