

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2022-23

KTM COLLEGE OF ADVANCED STUDIES

KARUVARAKUNDU, MALAPPURAM

(Affiliated to University of Calicut and aided by Government of Kerala)

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The KTM College of Advanced Studies, previously known as Darunnajath Arabic College Karuvarakundu, stands as a prominent institution under the administration of Karuvarakundu Darunnajath Islamic Centre (Established in 1976). This educational agency has played a crucial role in transforming the educational and social landscape of the east Malabar region, making significant contributions over the years.

Established in 1986, the college remained as a private, unaided institution till it was affiliated to the university of Calicut and became a grant-in-aid college in 1995. The college which was accorded minority status by the ministry of Minority affairs, Government of India in 2012 holds the unique privilege of being the first ever oriental college to be recognized under 2(f) &12(b) Act of the UGC in the state of Kerala. The College was converted from the oriental title category to a regular Arts and Science college and renamed as KTM College of Advanced Studies after its founder, the late KT Manumusliyar, in 2017.

Located in a serene and sylvan ambience in Karuvarakundu Gramma Panchayat which lies nestled between the majestic Koomban hills on one side and the verdant Silent Valley on the other, the College is ideally suited for academic and co-academic activities. Being the only higher education institution in this remote, rural village, whose population consists mainly of plantation laborers, small farmers and tribals, the college caters to the higher education needs of the most marginalized sections of the society. The college offers two UG programs, one PG and a doctoral program.

Admission Details of the Year 2022-23

UG & PG Admission Details 2022-23

Programme Name	Programme Code	Number of Seats Sanctioned	Number of Students Admitted
BA Afsal ul Ulama	BAA	70	63
B.Com with Islamic Finance	BCM	70	63
MA in Arabic	MAA	30	19

Total Strength of Students

The total strength of students as of March 2023 is as given below :-

Programme	Strength
BA Afsal ul Ulama	167
B.Com with Islamic Finance	155
MA Arabic	37
Ph.D	08
Total	367

Pass Percentage of Final Year Examination

The pass percentages of the two undergraduate programs and one post graduate program for the academic year 2022-23 are as follows.

Sl.No.	Programme	Percentage
1	BAA	46.34
2	BCM	73.80
3	MAA	100

Toppers

Toppers of the final year UG and PG programs during the academic year 2022-23 are as following:

Programme	Name of the Student	Percentage & Grade
BA Afsal ul Ulama	Rashida Akbar	90- A+
B.Com with Islamic Finance	Safa	81.17-A
MA Arabic	Fathimath Noora V	88.6-O

Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff

The present strength of the members of the teaching staff is 12 and that of the administrative staff is 07. In addition to the permanent members of faculty there are 03 Guest lecturers working in various departments**.**

Teaching Staff

Sl.No.	Name	Designation
1	Abdul Majeed KK	Principal
2	Ubaidu Rahiman M	HoD, Arabic
3	Dr. Muhammed Aslam NK	HoD, Arabic, Associate Prof. Arabic
4	Dr. Rasheed Ahammed P	HoD, English
5	Muhammed Musthefa K	Asst. Prof. Arabic
6	Saeeda KT	Asst. Prof. Arabic
7	Mujeeb Rahman P	Lecturer, Arabic
8	Aboobacker PU	Lecturer, Arabic
9	Dr. Muhammed Aslam EK	Assistant Professor
10	Ahammed Shafi AM	HoD,Commerce, Assistant Professor
11	Ayisha Mini PU	Lecturer, Arabic on contract
12	Dr. Abdul Rasheed PC	Assistant Professor
13	Dr. Jiyas. K	Assistant Professor
14	Dr. Riyas EK	Assistant Professor
15	Muhsina	Assistant Professor on Contract

Non-Teaching Staff

Sl.No.	Name	Designation
1	Abdul Razak KT	Head Accountant
2	Shoukathali P	Clerk
3	Hamid Abdul Fathah KK	Clerk
4	Suhail E	Typist
5	Moideen K	Librarian
6	Noufal Abdul Rahoof. M	Assistant Librarian
7	Salam	LGS
8	Buhaisa	LGS

Faculty Development Programmes

The faculty development programs attended by the faculties of KTM College of Advanced Studies are as illustrated below:

Name of teacher	Programme	Date
Mrs: Saeeda K T	UGC Sponsored refresher course in Arabic Language and Literature	18 January 2023 to 31 January 2023
Mrs: Saeeda K T	English Language Teacher Training sponsored by U S Embassy New Delhi	10 August 2022 to 15 January 2023
Dr: Muhammed Aslam E K	UGC Sponsored Faculty Induction Programme	08 February 2023 to 09 March 2023
Dr: Muhammed Aslam E K	Trainer of Trainers course for the Madrassa English Language Teacher Training program	31 July 2022 to 04 August 2022
Dr: Jiyas K	Webinar on "Research and Publication ethics"	24-Sep-22
Dr: Abdul Rasheed PC	7 Days national level online faculty development programme on outcome-based education (OBE)	10 May 2023 to 17 May 2023
Dr: Abdul Rasheed PC	FDP On Kona Kona Shiksha conducted by NISM.	20-Jan-23

Details of publications of the faculty

The details of publications by the faculty during the academic year 2019-20 are as furnished below: -

Date	Title	Publisher/journal	Faculty
2022-23	Utilization of agricultural credit of primary agricultural credit societies in Kerala an analysis from borrowers perspective	Infinity Indica Publishers Trivandrum	Dr.Riyas E K
2022-23	Utilization of agricultural credit of primary agricultural credit societies in Kerala an analysis from borrowers perspective	Infinity Indica Publishers Trivandrum	Dr.Jiyas K

Enhancement of Staff competence

- Voter's Enrolment Training class by Mr: Suhail on 05/07/2022.
- "Kerala PSC One time registration drive organized on 27/09/2023.
- Haritha Karma Sena Software training was conducted on 08/10/2022 by Harithamithra Karuvarakundu Gramapanchayath.
- A soft skill development program "Sticking QR Codes at homes" conducted on 09/10/2022 by Harithamithra Karuvarakundu Gramapanchayath.
- Anti- drug human campaign program was conducted on 01/10/2022 by sub inspector of police, Sri: Nasar CK.
- An anti-drug human chain program on 14/10/2022 by NSS Volunteers.
- Language & Communication Skill program: Malayaliyum Moolyabodhavum was conducted by NSS Unit Readers forum on 01/11/2022.
- Spelling bee competition conducted on 8/11/2022 by readers forum and language club.
- OKAZ inter collegiate Arabic fest 0rganised on 13/12/2022 by the Arabic department.
- One day workshop for confidence building on 10/01/2023 by Mrs: Rashida Muhammed (Psychologist & Family therapist)
- Ceramic painting workshop by Mrs: Sheeba KV (Art & Craft teacher) on 28/02/2023.
- One day workshop on mastering the art of public speaking was conducted by Mr: Suhail master on 17/03/2023.

The student teacher training workshop was conducted by Dr: Anas on 23/05/2023

Staff Council

The Staff Council of the College is constituted by the following members: Prof. Abdul Majeed K.K, the Principal; Dr. Muhammed Aslam N.K, the Staff Secretary; Dr. Rasheed Ahammed, Associate Professor; Ubaidu Rahiman M, Asst. Professor of English; Saeeda KT, Asst. Prof. Arabic; Dr.Abdul Rasheed PC, Asst. Prof. of Commerce; Abdul Rasak K T, Head Accountant; and Suhail E, Librarian

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

The Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) plays a crucial role in formulating policies and developing strategies to establish and maintain quality assurance within the institution. To achieve this, it brings together the efforts and input of various stakeholders, including the management, principal, staff, Parent-Teacher Association (PTA), Alumni, and most importantly, the students.

Constituted in accordance with the guidelines of the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), the IQAC of the College consists of the principal, faculty members, representatives from Non-Teaching Staff (NTS), experts, alumni, students, and members from the local community. By acting as a strong liaison between these different stakeholders, the IQAC sets the course for the college, providing it with the necessary direction and guidance to progress effectively.

During the academic 2022-23, the college conducted many Add-On Courses and certificate programme in different levels. The certificate course in “Multilingual translation” is a fourty-hour add-on course which enables the students to understand the basic translation.For those who complete successfully this certificate programme, the college also provides Diploma and advance diploma courses in the same. Both courses are forty hours. During this academic year,28 students enrolled for the certificate programme in the multilingual translation and for diploma and advance diploma courses 19 and 12 students also joined respectively. All the students who enrolled for these programs also completed the same.

Additionally, there are three other courses available to students, namely "Tricks to learn morphology " with 30 students enrolled, "Financial literacy programme" with 52 students enrolled, and "professional writing" with 30 students enrolled.

Departmental Seminars:

- A one Day Workshop on “Introduction to research -building, a foundation for academic inquiry” was conducted on 18th October 2022 for PG students by the department of Arabic.

- A two-day international seminar on Arabic: Language, Art, and Culture was successfully conducted by the college in collaboration with Hamsaa Samaa Cultural Society, Denmark on 26, 27 October 2022.
- A one-day workshop on “Journey to Discovery: Enhancing Research Capacities in Arabic Studies" organized virtually by the Department of Arabic on October 30, 2022, to delve into the nuances of research methodologies and advancements in the field of Arabic studies.
- On 8th November 2022, department of Arabic organized a highly informative online workshop titled "Navigating the Research Process: From Idea to Publication."
- A workshop on "Writing and Presenting Research Findings: Effective Communication Strategies" organized by the Department of Arabic, on the 21st of November 2022.
- A workshop on "Innovative Approaches to Research: Strategies and Tools" conducted on 5th December 2022, by the department of Arabic to equip participants with modern research methodologies and tools to enhance their research skills.
- A one-day workshop on “From Ideas to Impact: Nurturing Student Entrepreneurs" was organized by the Department of Commerce in collaboration with the Entrepreneurship Development (ED) Club on 6 December 2022.
- A one-day national seminar organized by department of Arabic, on 12 January 2023 titled ‘Arabic: trends and traditions’.
- On 16th January 2023, an insightful online guest talk on "Intellectual Property Rights: Navigating Creativity and Innovation," was organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) in collaboration with the Department of Commerce.
- A one-day workshop on “From ideas to assets; a deep dive into intellectual property rights” was conducted by the department of commerce, on 19th January 2023.

- National Seminar on Teaching and Learning Arabic as a Second Language, organized by the Department of Arabic from 31st January 2023 to 1st February 2023.
- On 3rd February 2023, the Department of Arabic organized a guest talk titled "Literature Review Essentials: Mastering the Art of Synthesizing Information."
- A National Seminar on Investment in Cryptocurrency: An Indian Perspective, organized on 10 February 2023 by the Department of Commerce.
- A Guest Talk on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) organized by the department of commerce in collaboration with IPR cell on 14th March 2023.
- A Guest Talk on "Learning to Unlearn" on 23rd March 2023 was hosted by the department of commerce virtually.

STUDENT SUPPORT PROGRAMMES

Anti-Ragging Cell

To keep the campus ragging free, there is well equipped anti-ragging cell functioning in the College. Under the chairmanship of the Principal, the Cell has department heads, IQAC Coordinator, the PTA president etc. as its members.

National service scheme (NSS)

In the academic year 2022-23, the NSS Unit successfully conducted a total of twelve programs, which are listed below

- Anti-drug campaigns
- Haritha Mithra software training
- Health survey
- Childrens day celeberation
- KPSC Registration camp
- Paliative family meet
- House foundation stone lying
- Study material Distribution

Bhoomithrasena Club

The BMC (Bhoomithra Sena Club) of KTM College of Advanced Studies observed World Environment Day on 5th June 2022 by conducting an awareness class and planting saplings in the campus. Other programs were conducted under BMC Club are:-

- Campus ceaning and beautification
- Documentary exhibition
- Beach Visit
- Thanneerkudam
- Campus c

ED Club

In the academic year 2022-23, the ED Club organized the following programs

- Embroidery Designing
- Ceramic Plate Painting training
- ZAIKA- FOOD FESTIVAL 2022-23
- Friday shop

Women Development Cell

During the academic year 2022-23 the Minority Cell organized the following programs:

- Women's Day Celebrations
- Mothers meet
- Farewell for hostel students
- Mehanti competition
- Teacher Training workshop for girls
- Yoga training
- Premarital counseling

Career Guidance and Placement Cell

During the academic year 2022-23, the Women Development Cell of the College arranged multiple programs.

- COACHING FOR ENTRANCE EXAMINATION OF HIGHER STUDIES 09.06.2022
- UGC NET/SET/KTET COACHING on 12.1.2023
- Net coaching for PG on all Saturdays from 8th October 2022
- CAREER GUIDENCE PROGRAMME on 09.6.2022
- One day orientation programme on 30.01.2023
- One day orientation programme on DWMS on 27.03.2023

Programs for the advanced learners

In 2022-23, the College conducted several programs for advanced learners. CATER offered specialized academic support with additional reading materials and challenging assignments. KTQT facilitated interactions with distinguished individuals from various fields. Under the Green Wood Tree promoted intellectual dialogues on contemporary issues, held outdoors. SALE empowered academically advanced students with mentoring, coaching, and incentives for competitive tests.

Programs for the Slow Learners

In 2022-23, the College conducted several programs to support learners. "Yes, we can" motivated slow learners to build confidence. "CATCH UP" offered tailored assistance to help them catch up with peers, using e-media and social platforms. Remedial coaching and Edu Aids were also provided to academically weak students

ARABIC DAY

KTM College of Advanced Studies, Karuvarakund celebrated International Arabic Day on 18th December 2022. Many programs and sessions were organized in consonance with the celebration of the World language day. Language cell conducted a calligraphy competition from 2.00 pm to 3.00 pm, and an Elocution from 3.00 pm to 4.00 pm.

CHILDREN'S DAY

On 14th November 2022, KTM College celebrated Children's Day with great joy and enthusiasm. Around 27 children, accompanied by their teachers and parents from the neighboring 'Poolakkunnu Anganwadi,' were invited to the college for the festivities.

The event aimed to make the day special for these young ones and create a memorable experience for them.

GANDHI JAYANTI

On 2nd October 2022, Gandhi Jayanthi was celebrated by NSS at KTM College with immense enthusiasm and the active participation of approximately 39 volunteers. The occasion was dedicated to honoring Mahatma Gandhi's principles of non-violence and truth.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

KTM College celebrated Independence Day on 15th August 2022 with innovative virtual events. The day began with a solemn online flag hoisting ceremony, where the college principal, Mr. Abdul Majeed K K, and a few faculty members gathered on the premises while adhering to safety protocols. The rest of the college community, including students, staff, and campus-residing children, joined the ceremony through a live video conference.

READING DAY

The Language and Literature Club of the college, along with the Library Department, organized a week-long celebration of Reading Day. The event included various activities like a quiz, debate, book reviews, and essay writing. Writer Rajan PA was the chief guest, and winners received trophies, fostering a love for literature and intellectual growth among participants. The program successfully promoted the joy of reading and encouraged literary exploration and expression.

REPUBLIC DAY

he Republic Day celebration at our institution was a remarkable triumph. The event began with the esteemed Principal, Prof. Abdul Majeed K K, unfurling the national flag, inspiring a profound sense of patriotism among the attendees. More than 125 enthusiastic students actively engaged in the program. Dr. Jiyas K, the NSS Program Officer, graced the occasion, and the presence of Moideen M, Noufal Abdurauf, and Shoukathali.P Office Clerks further elevated the event's importance.

TEACHERS DAY

KTM College of Advanced Studies celebrated Teachers' Day on 5th September 2022 (Sunday) with online programs in honor of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan's birth anniversary. The event, inaugurated by Principal Prof. Abdul Majeed KK and chaired by NSS Secretary Navas MM, included a keynote address by Mr. Afswah A K (Malayalam Professor). Additionally, a teaching competition was conducted via Zoom, with 95 students participating.

X MAS FESTIVAL

On 21st December 2022, the Students' Union of KTM College of Advanced Studies Karuvarakund organized a vibrant Xmas festival. The event featured a variety of cultural programs and competitions that brought together the students in a spirit of celebration. The seminar hall hosted the inaugural session, with Dr. Muhammed Aslam N K , the students' adviser, presiding over the event, and the Principal, Abdul Majeed K.K., doing the honours of inauguration. During the festival, a delightful cake was cut and distributed in each class, spreading joy and sweetness among the students. To add to the festive cheer, several boys took on the role of Santa Claus and Father Christmas, charming everyone around with their impersonations. The entire college was filled with merriment, as the students embraced the joyful atmosphere of the occasion.

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

The Yoga Club of KTM College of advanced Studies observed the International Yoga Day on 21st June 2022. The Master of Yoga Sri. G.C Muhammed Musthefa k trained and headed the members of the club and the faculties participated in the program. The Convener of the club Prof. Dr.Jiyas coordinated the entire program of the day. Many students and staff took part in the yoga held 10.15 am. After the class the trainer addressed the participants and talked about the great benefits of practicing yoga every day. As a whole, it was a wonderful and highly useful for the students and the teachers alike.

OKAZ 2022

The college conducted inter- collegiate Arabic language festival for the colleges affiliated to the University of Calicut on 13-15 December in collaboration with the department of Arabic, University of Calicut.

Tourism Club

During the academic year 2022-23, the Tourism Club conducted two tour programs- one for the staff and the other for the final year UG students.

Anti-Sexual Harassment Cell

On January 11, 2023, the Anti-Sexual Harassment Cell of KTM College of Advanced Studies organized an online awareness program for female students. The meeting was held in the wake of repeated cases of sexual harassments against the women, even from the close relatives, the Cell deemed it expedient to hold a meeting.

Farewell

The farewell party for the BA and B.com batch of 2022-23 was joyously celebrated on 22nd March 2023

PTA General Body

The PTA general body meeting for the academic year 2022-23 was held on 9th February 2023. It was attended by the parents of most of the students. The meeting was conducted in two sessions; the first session from 1.30 to 2.30pm was for class PTA; and in the second from 2.35 to 4pm for the PTA general body meeting.

Association Secretaries

Since the number of Departments in the College is two there are two very active associations in the College as shown below:

Department	Association	Secretary
Arabic	Arabic Club	Muhammed Irfan, 6th BA
B.Com with Islamic Finance	Focuscom	Muhammed Swalih 6th Sem B.Com