

Madurai Sivakasi Nadars Pioneer Meenakshi Women's College
(Accredited with B grade by NAAC)
Affiliated to Alagappa University, Karaikudi
Poovanthi - 630 611

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Distinctive Characteristic of the College

- **Addressing the needs of the society :**

The college is located in a rural area where most of the families are giving education to their daughters who are first generation learners. Most of the students of the institution are from conventional and traditional society, who is entering into the challenge of modern day life. Hence they prefer to send their daughters to women's college in the neighbourhood for their overall development. In this context, they prefer our institution which provides quality, holistic education in order to transform them in to empowered women.

- **Students of our search to serve :**

A large quantity of students admitted in our institution come from rural background and others are from urban and semi urban areas. They are from private schools, government schools and corporate schools; from English medium or Tamil medium of instruction; from well educated and not-so-educated and uneducated families. At present nearly 80% of the students admitted are first generation college goers. The hostel facility provided by our institution shows no discrimination with regard to caste, creed and religion. Admission to the hostel is given on first come first serve basis irrespective of their selected academic programme. All the facilities including management scholarship are distributed to the needy students without any favour.

- **Institution tradition and value orientation :**

The college is run on the core values of fairness and integrity, love and service, equality and peace in all academic and administrative affairs. These values are evidently reflected in the culture of the college through quest for excellence, admiration for life and student centric approach. In order to develop our students as envisioned in the mission statement, the curriculum is delivered to develop their rational, spiritual and employable skills. Based on the changing needs of society and necessity of current situation, the add-on courses are given. In addition to the curriculum, many opportunities are given to the students to realise, optimise and utilise their knowledge.

- **Vision for the future**

The institution takes constant effort to update the latest trends in higher education and teaching methodology. Beyond the professional competence, these enrichment programmes ensure that the teacher is a continuous learner who motivates students to become lifelong learner.
