

**JAWAHAR NAVODAYA VIDYALAYA,  
VADAVATHOOR, KOTTAYAM**

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**Foreword**

It is a great privilege for me to present the Annual report for the year 2011-12. The period under report has witnessed a number of significant achievements in different areas of functioning of the Vidyalaya. Navodaya Vidyalaya scheme was envisaged under the national educational policy in 1986 and the scheme had started in 1986 with 2 schools and presently the number has grown to more than 593 JNV across the country. JNV Kottayam started functioning in 1987 and we are celebrating in Silver Jubilee in 2012. It has come a long way in these 24 years and has proved successful in its goal of quality education to the talented children predominantly from rural areas. JNV, Kottayam is counted as one of the top ten JNVs of the country. The achievements in Co-curricular activities and Sports and Games are also commendable and has taken this Vidyalaya to further heights. This improved result and achievements are the by-products of various curricular and co-curricular activities we conduct in the Vidyalaya and so it shall be celebrated to reinforce the commitment and hard work of students and staff of JNV Kottayam.

## *A brief report of various Activities and Achievements of the*

### *Vidyalaya*

#### *Admission in 2011-12*

A total of 79 students were admitted in Class VI in November 2011. Under Migration policy 19 students were sent on migration in Class IX to JNV Agra and in turn 21 students from there joined this Vidyalaya. Under mini-migration 02 students joined this Vidyalaya in Science & Commerce Stream. In Class IX 12 Students were admitted through Lateral Entry Tests and in class XI, 11 students were admitted through Lateral Entry Test. IIT-JEE coaching is imparted to 52 students of different Navodaya Vidyalayas across the country organized by Dakshana Foundation. The present strength of the Vidyalaya is 603.

#### *Staff Position*

In addition to Principal and Vice Principal, PGT 08 nos., TGT 10 nos., Creative teacher 03 nos., PETs 02 no., Librarian 01 no., 07 non-teaching staffs, 03 mess workers and 05 Group D are in position. One matron for girls and two Computer faculties are appointed on contract basis. PGT Economics and Staff Nurse posts are vacant which was also filled through contract appointment for the academic session 2011-12.

#### *Academic activities*

The current academic year started on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2011. There is a Vidyalaya routine starting from 5.30 AM till 10.30 PM in the night on all working days. The Daily schedule includes morning PT, Assembly at 7.10 AM regular classes from 7:30 am to 1:40 pm, 3:00 p.m. to 04:30 p.m. remedial class, supervised classes, 04:30 p.m. to

05:30 p.m. evening games, 07:00 to 08:15 p.m. evening study, supervised study and self study till 10:30 p.m. On Sundays and holidays also Vidyalaya routine is fixed including supervised study, CCA programmes, etc. Teaching staff supervise these activities on rotation basis and there is a Master on duty to monitor & report the daily activities. Academic activities are regularly monitored by Principal and Vice Principal. There is Panel inspection every year by a team of officers and this year the Panel inspection was on 15/12/2011 and 17/11/2011 and the team consisted of Shri V V Reddy, Asst. Commissioner, NVS, RO, Hyderabad, Principal JNV Pathanamthitta and Principal JNV Trivandrum. Based on an action plan for the academic year 2011-12, an institutional plan was prepared by the Vidyalaya. All activities as per this institutional plan and perspective academic plan received from NVS, HQ was undertaken in different areas. ICT in teaching and learning is encouraged and for this purpose a smart room with computer, internet connection and LCD is available in the Vidyalaya. Computers are provided in some of the class rooms also for this purpose. A well equipped computer lab with 52 Computers and broadband connection is available for the use of students and staff. Computers are also provided in the Library for the use of staff and students. Class libraries and house libraries are available for the use of students as and when they want in addition to the school library which is kept open even on Sundays for the use of students and staff. An English Language Lab has also been set up for improving language competency of students.

Hindi Rajabhasha Promotion Programme is held in our Vidyalaya every month. In order to develop creativity and

communication skill in Hindi, cultural programme is held Housewise every month.

Regular testing and evaluation is conducted as per schedule and as per guidelines of NVS & CBSE. Vidyalaya has implemented continuous Comprehensive Evaluation prescribed by CBSE. Except for formative tests, Region wise common question papers are used for Non Board classes. Parents are apprised of the progress of their ward on parent's day which falls on every Second Saturday.

### **Academic Achievements**

In 2011 CBSE Board Exam the results of X classes were 100%. Out of 78 students who appeared for AISSE( X Class) 77 students got above 7.5 grade points and only 01 got 7.4 grade point. The Class average was 9.10. The following twenty students got 10 grade points.

- 1) Alan Cyriac Aruparayil
- 2) Sanjay S
- 3) Vishnu Saj
- 4) Jithu James
- 5) Aleeda V S
- 6) Ajay Abraham
- 7) Aiswarya Alexander
- 8) Anju Joseph
- 9) Deepak Mohan
- 10) Jayamohanan
- 11) Dann Jose
- 12) Amal Das
- 13) Krishna Priya S

14)Bhagath Raj Ponnappan

15)Sajid Kabeer

16)Blesson Sunny

17)Jewel Rani Jose

18)Meera M Panicker

19)Binnu Liza George

20)Thomas George

CBSE Board Exam the results of XII class were 100%. Out of 72 students who appeared for AISSCE ( XII Class) 58 students got Distinctions 14 got first class and the class average was 81.69%. The School topper in Science stream was Master Jithin V Sam secured 474 Marks(94.80%) and Master Sanal G Das secured 456 marks(91.2%) in the Commerce stream.

***Outstanding Achievement of the Vidyalaya:***

Master Vishnu S got merit certificates from CBSE AISSCE 2011 in Class XII Biology.

**Co-Curricular Activities:**

Master Dawn Jose, Master Blesson Sunny and Kumari Meera Panicker were awarded certificates of excellence for their commendable performance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Statistics Olympiad held on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2011 across the nation as a part of 5<sup>th</sup> Statistics Day Celebration held on 29<sup>th</sup> June 2011 at AIMSCS, Hyderabad.

Selected students are getting trained in classical dance, instrumental music, Band and traditional Art forms.

The following students got 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> position in the competitions conducted by Jawahar Balabhavan.

- 1) Kumari Sulthana Mariam, class VII secured 1<sup>st</sup> in Malayalam speech and 2<sup>nd</sup> in English speech
- 2) Kumari Elisubha, class VIII got 2<sup>nd</sup> position in speech competition
- 3) Master Alan Abraham Varghese of Class VII secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in Elocution in English.
- 4) Master Deswin of Class VII and Master Parthiv of Class VII secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Elocution in English.
- 5) Master Deswin of Class VIII secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Elocution in Malayalam.
- 6) Vidyalaya choir won 1<sup>st</sup> position in group song (Junior and Senior).
- 7) Master Abhijith and Master Vijay Vivek of Class VII secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in Folk song.
- 8) Master Amaldas of Class XI got 2<sup>nd</sup> position in pencil drawing.
- 9) Our Vidyalaya secured rolling trophy for overall points for competitions conducted in connection with Tourism week celebration and Onam celebration held at Balabhavan, Kottayam
- 10) Kumari Meera Panicker of Class XI selected for state balasree zonal level selection at Delhi.

Kumari Keerthana of Class X secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in painting competition conducted by Motor Vehicle Department.

Master Jithu James of class XI secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position in speech competition conducted by SEED in the revenue district level.

Master Jithu James of Class XI got 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Elocution competition conducted by Rubber Board in connection with the Vigilance awareness week.

Kumari Anjana Rose and Kumari Varsha Varghese of Class X got 2<sup>nd</sup> position in Philately quiz competition conducted by Postal Department.

Kumari Meera M Panicker and Master Jithu James of Class XI got 1<sup>st</sup> prize in Quiz competition conducted by Motor Vehicle Department in connection with Road Safety Week.

Master Abhishek Suresh and Kumari Feba Sajan of Class X got 2<sup>nd</sup> prize in Quiz competition conducted by Motor Vehicle Department in connection with Road Safety Week.

Kumari Meera M Panicker, class XI secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in Balarama Talents Search Examination

Master Athul S of Class XI and Master Akash C.M. of Class XI got 1<sup>st</sup> position in Balarama Digest Competition.

Master Akash C M of our Vidyalaya secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position for State Level Hindi versification competition in connection with Hindi Week Celebration conducted by JNV, Wynad.

Kumari Meera M Panicker, class XI selected for state Balasree Award and now participating for the zonal selection camp at Delhi.

Kumari Mahima of Class XI is selected for the winter science camp organized by the Dept. of Science and Technology, Govt. of India in association with NIT, Calicut.

### **Games and Sports**

Facilities for training in various Games and athletics are available in the Vidyalaya. A 200m track, two basketball courts, a 12 Station Multi Gym etc., deserve special mention. Selected students participated Games and Athletic meets organized by NVS at Cluster level, Regional level and National level.

### ***Achievements in National Meet & SGFI 2011-12***

Master Alwin Joseph Tomy, Class XI participated in NVS Football National Meet and won 3rd place.

Kumari Vrinda Vidyadharan, Class X participated in SGFI athletic meet.

The following students represented Kottayam handball team in the state level handball competition held at Thiruvananthapuram and won 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

- 1) Jayakrishnan S
- 2) Febin Sabu
- 3) Nikhil Scaria

### **Youth Parliament**

To create an awareness among the students about the proceedings of the Parliament, work shop for teachers for the conduct of 15<sup>th</sup> National Youth Parliament Competitions in this Vidyalaya on 17th & 18th April 2011.

### **NCC and Girl Guides**

Half troop each of NCC boys and Girls are functioning in the Vidyalaya under ANO and second Officer Mr. T D Satheesh Babu.

As part of the NCC training in 2011-12, the subjects included Drill, Weapon training, First Aid, Hygiene and sanitation, Map reading Social and community services, Adventure activities etc. for 100 hours(50 parades having 2 hours each).



Vidyalaya NCC JW and JD cadets Participated in the March-past on Independence Day 2011 and Republic Day 2012 and won First and Second position for boys and girls respectively. They are winning these rolling trophies on both occasions consecutively for the last 7 years.

### **Achievements of JW cadets.**

Sgt. Golda T Johny secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in the Inter Bn. Best cadet competition.

27 Cadets of our Vidyalaya attended Annual Training Camp. 07 cadets attended Inter Bn. Camp. 02 cadets attended Inter Group Camp.

Cpl. Alan Sunny got selected for All India National Integration Camp held at Moovattupuzha.

Cadets of our Vidyalaya secured Overall trophy in Cultural competition conducted by 16 Kerala Bn.

### **House System**

Boarding and lodging facilities are provided to the students. For student's participation in House management & Mess management, school and House appointments are made and are given badges in an investiture ceremony.

The students are divided into four Houses and in turn are again divided into senior boys/ girls & junior houses. There are a total of 10 houses and they are under the supervision of Housemasters and Associated Housemasters. The Vidyalaya Mess is run by a committee comprising of House Masters, Student's Representatives, Vice Principal as mess in-charge and Principal as Chairman.

Inter House competition in CCA and sports and games are organized regularly as per plan in CCA calendar. In addition to that important festivals and days are also celebrated in the Vidyalaya which include Republic day, Independence day, Gandhi Jayanthi, Onam, Holi, Deepavali, Christmas, Teachers day, Childrens day, Hindi fortnight, Vigilance Awareness Week, Communal Harmony Week, Traffic Awareness Week etc..

In connection with the observance of Road Safety week, a demonstration class was organized by Motor Vehicle Department.

### **Health Care**

Vidyalaya is taking Health care of students on regular basis and records are maintained. Dr. Priya, DLO, Kottayam, the Part time Medical Officer visit the Vidyalaya once in a week and urgent cases are taken to District Hospital Kottayam on all other days.

### **Educational Trips and Study Tours**

Class XI students were taken for a tour to Wynad, Veegaland and another connected tourist Places from 15<sup>th</sup> January 2012 to 17<sup>th</sup> January 2012.

VII classes were taken to Trivandrum and adjoining places of interest on 24/01/2012.

### **ECO CLUB ACTIVITIES**

Eco club – a Nature friendly club in our Vidyalaya conducted several activities in the year 2011-12. The club was efficiently managed by Smt. Nirmala N.O., PGT(Biology), Smt. M.K. Leelamma,

TGT(Science), Shri Satheesh Babu, TGT(Malayalam) and Shri P.P. Unnikrishnan, Librarian.

- 1) Paddy cultivation is a new innovative project jointly undertaken by by “Krishi Bhavan” Vijayapuram panchayath and the Eco club of JNV, Kottayam. Under this project about 2.5 acres of barren land is prepared for dry land paddy cultivation by the students of this Vidyalaya. This project was inaugurated by Hon’ble Revenue Minister Shri Thiruvanchoor Radhakrishnan by sowing paddy seeds.
- 2) Observed anti drugs day and conducted a poster design competition in connection with the Anti drugs day.
- 3) To create awareness among students, a lecture class on mosquito eradication by Dr. Johny, Resource Officer, DMO was organized in this Vidyalaya.
- 4) Vidyalaya observed Hiroshima Day, 6<sup>th</sup> August 2011 and conducted street plays by eco club members and presented it in neighbouring schools.
- 5) Observed Nagasaki day on 9<sup>th</sup> August 2011.
- 6) Planting and maintaining kitchen garden, vegetable garden, medicinal plants garden and fruits garden in the campus was undertaken by students.
- 7) An orientation class was arranged in the Vidyalaya for the members of eco-club to give an awareness about the usage of fertilizers that are used for agriculture.
- 8) As a part of Nature study, a SEASON WATCH PROGRAMME is being organized in the Vidyalaya throughout the year in

which the students observe and note the changes taking place in a plant.

### **Career Guidance Programmes and counselling**

A Career Guidance and Counselling Committee is constituted in the Vidyalaya under the Chairmanship of the Principal.

Regular Career guidance sessions are organized in the Vidyalaya by our staff members as well as experts and various professionals in different fields. A Career guidance corner is also functioning in the library where information are provided to the students with the help of Internet.

Orientation classes were conducted for students of Classes VI, VII and VIII by Shri Raveendra Panicker, Personal and Family Counsellor.

A career guidance seminar for students of Class XI and XII was handled by Shri Shibu John, Institute of Taxation.

Career guidance class for students of Class XII Science and Commerce stream organized by “Career Launcher”.

Motivation class was taken by Mr. Navodaya Murali, Alumni of Navodaya Vidyalaya, Hyderabad.

A workshop on personality development and value education was organized by Smt. Radha Sabhavathy, SAB’s Workshop on Personality Development.

### **Training Programme**

For professional growth of Principal and teachers opportunities are given by the NVS in the form of in service courses.

Staff members who were deputed from this Vidyalaya for training in 2011-12 are

- 1) Dr. Ushakumari M.C., Principal - 2 days workshop on Rajbhasha Hindi at JNV, Calicut from 8th December 2011 to 9th December 2011
- 2) Mr. K. Ramani, Vice Principal – Orientation Course on Value Education at RIMSE, Mysore from 10/10/2011 to 19/10/2011.
- 3) Ms. Sujatha Pai G, PGT(English) – Workshop for Development of English Lab for PGTs at JNV, Alleppy from 17/10/2011 to 19/10/2011.
- 4) Smt. Renuka G Nair, PGT(Hist) – Training for Youth Parliament Programme for PGTs at JNV, Kottayam from 17/04/2011 to 18/04/2011.
- 5) Smt. Jiji G, PGT(Hindi) – Workshop for Development of Hindi Language Lab at JNV, Calicut from 17/10/2011 to 19/10/2011.
- 6) Mr. Mohanan Pillai, TGT(Maths) – Workshop for Development of Maths Lab at JNV, Kannur from 17/10/2011 to 19/10/2011.
- 7) Mr. V.S. Pillai, TGT(Eng) – Workshop on Communication skill for TGT(English) at JNV, South Canara from 17/10/2011 to 21/10/2011.
- 8) Mr. Satheesh Babu T.D., TGT(Malayalam) – workshop on Safety and Security for House Masters for Boys Houses at NLI, Guntur from 29/11/2011 to 02/12/2011.
- 9) Smt. A.K. Sreeja, TGT(SS) – Orientation Course for TGT(SS) at JNV, Uduppi from 01/08/2011 to 10/08/2011.

### **Pace Setting Activities**

- 1) Inter school quiz competition organized by Science Club of JNV, Kottayam in connection with International year of Chemistry. Six school participated in the competition. Kumari Feba Sajan of Class X and Master Vishnu of Class IX of JNV, Kottayam secured 1<sup>st</sup> position.
- 2) Inter School competitions organized in connection with Hindi Fortnight Celebration.

- 3) Break through Science Society and JNV, Kottayam jointly arranged a Science Exhibition in remembrance of life and contribution of Madam Curie in the field of Chemistry.
- 4) Conducted a poster competition for seniors in connection with Anti Drugs Day to make an awareness among the youth about the ill effects of drugs.
- 5) Conducted Cartoon competitions for Juniors and poster competitions for Seniors in connection with Vigilance Awareness Week and the same was displayed for the public.
- 6) Sharing of Library Books through a mobile library to nearby Vidyalayas.
- 7) Charity wing of the Vidyalaya is rendering remarkable service to the society. Donated two wheel chairs and one stretcher to Kottayam Medical College cancer ward, collected clothes from students and distributed to 'Navjeevan', charitable organization, Kottayam. Today we have to donated 3 wheel chairs to District Hospital, Kottayam.

### **Parent Teacher council**

An active parent teacher council is functioning in the Vidyalaya consisting of 15 parent members, 5 teachers and Principal as Chairman of the Committee. The General Body was convened on 05/02/2012 constituted the new PTC for a tenure of one year. Regular PTC meetings are convened on Parents days and decision are taken collectively on various aspects for the betterment of students and the institution. PTC has made arrangement for running the tuck-shop in the Vidyalaya. Purchased solar water heater for the use of students in the dining hall. Now, PTC has purchased a new vehicle

for the Vidyalaya spending Rs.5,40,000/- which is going to be inaugurated by our Vidyalaya Chairperson today.

### **Alumni Association**

A committee was constituted under the Chairmanship of Mr. Sunil Abraham, Mr. Robin Abraham as Secretary and Mr. Babichan as Treasurer and a member from each batch. They organised a day long programme in the Vidyalaya. In the last meeting they had proposed to raise Fund for building a Memorial Museum for the Vidyalaya.

### **Infrastructure facilities**

This is one area the Vidyalaya lags behind compared to other JNVs. The Vidyalaya is in the old CBRI pattern construction, it badly requires overall maintenance and renovation. JNV, Kottayam has been identified as one of the 12 JNVs that require special sanction under M&R. Accordingly estimate of Rs. 36 lakhs has been sanctioned for renovation of old buildings. Some of the works are completed under this. Estimates for repair of SP sheds, balance boundary wall, pipelines, service lines, roads, etc., are also got prepared and submitted to Samiti for sanction. These are pending for sanction from NVS, Head Quarter.

25 KVA Genset sanctioned to this Vidyalaya by the Samiti and installation work is under progress..

Two Class rooms are constructed by the Dakshana Foundation for IIT/JEE coaching for Dakshana Scholars. One dormitory was also renovated for accommodation of Dakshana scholars.

Maintenance and repair work to a sum of Rs. 4.5 lakh was done at Vidyalaya level.

**Conclusion:**

It is my bounden duty to express my gratitude to officials of NVS for their valuable and strategic guidance. I would also like to place on record my gratitude for all the co-operation extended by Chairman VMC & VAC Smt. Mini Antony, members of VAC & VMC and other Vidyalaya level committees, Dy. Director Education Kottayam, Principals of neighbouring Vidyalayas and PTC. I place on record my sincere appreciation for the staff and students for their commitment and hard work.

We are guided by vision of Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti and our mission is to achieve academic excellence and holistic development of every child in this Vidyalaya with a sensitive social conscience. We are striving to improve our achievements further and our dream target is 100% pass with 100% distinction. This requires concerted & committed efforts from all.

Every individual associated with this institution, be it parent, staff, student or public are equally important and their constructive participation and deep commitment is essential in achieving the institutional goal. The institutional goal is to establish quality and stabilize quality performance of children in all areas. Any lapse from any one corner can / will divert the attention of whole system and topple the process of favourable functioning. With mutual understanding, respect and trust among staff, students and parents, we together can scale further heights. With these words of hope, I am concluding this report.

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