

# ST. MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), THRISSUR

(Affiliated to the University of Calicut, Re-accredited by the NAAC with A+ Grade)

# PROSPECTUS ADMISSIONS 2025-26

(Nationally Re-accredited (4th Cycle) at 'A+' Grade CGPA of 3.41 on a 4 Point Scale)

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#### THE ESSENCE OF THE COLLEGE

St. Mary's College (Autonomous), the pioneer First Grade College for women in the District, affiliated to the University of Calicut, and is situated in the heart of Thrissur. It was established in 1946 and is administered by the CMC Educational Society under Nirmala Province of the Congregation of the Mother of Carmel (CMC) in the Roman Catholic Church. The College offers 15 Under Graduate and 12 Post Graduate courses. Department of Mathematics is a recognized research center under University of Calicut. National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), has re-accredited the College with A+ (3.41 – IV th Cycle) in 2021. Our aim is to educate and empower women belonging to all communities and training them to serve the society. The college stands for academic excellence, skill development and character formation rooted on faith and service.

#### **Vision**

Our Vision is the holistic development of young women through academic excellence, intellectual, moral and spiritual growth to equip them for service to society and mold them as responsible citizens.

## **Mission**

We envisage to realize our vision by:

Imparting affordable, inclusive and quality education

Nurturing research aptitude and inquisitiveness

Enhancing intellectual, emotional and spiritual quotient

Instilling social commitment and ensuring sustainable development

Promoting gender equity and women empowerment

Fostering and updating skills for employability

#### Motto

SCIENTIA ET DISCIPLINA (KNOWLEDGE AND DISCIPLINE) The motto stands for the twin aspects of intellectual growth and personality development through a holistic approach.

#### PROGRAMMES OFFERED

#### **UG PROGRAMMES**

# FOUR YEAR UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMMES (FYUGP) - AIDED

(With an option to exit and gain a Bachelor's degree after three years)

SI.	Programmes	Eligibility	Sanctioned
No			Strength
1.	B.A. (Hons.) History	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	60
2.	B.A. (Hons.) Economics	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	60
3.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics	Pass in +2 Examination with Mathematics as an optional subject	48
4.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Botany	Pass in +2 Examination with Biology as an optional subject	36
5.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry	Pass in +2 Examination with Chemistry as an optional subject	48
6.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Microbiology	Pass in +2 Examination with Biology as an optional subject	36

# FOUR YEAR UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMMES (FYUGP) - SELF FINANCING

(With an option to exit and gain a Bachelor's degree after three years)

SI.			Sanctioned
No			Strength
1.	B.A. (Hons.) English Language and Literature	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	36
2.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology	Pass in +2 Examination with Biology as an optional subject	36
3	BSW (Hons.)	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	36
4.	BCA (Hons.)  AICTE approved	Pass in Plus Two/equivalent examination with Computer Science/Mathematics/Statistics/ Accountancy/Informatics Practices as one of the optional subjects.	36
5.	B. Com (Hons.) with Finance	Pass in +2 or equivalent Examination recognized by this University with other subjects under Part III optional subjects provided they have secured 45% of the aggregate marks	60
6.	BBA (Hons.) Finance  AICTE approved	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	50

	B.Voc. PROGRAMMES (Self-financing)			
SI.	SI. Programmes Eligibility			
No			Strength	
1.	<b>B.Voc Software Development</b>	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	50	
2.	B.Voc Multimedia	Pass in +2 Examination (Any stream)	50	
3.	B.Voc Applied Biotechnology	Pass in +2 Examination with Biology as an optional	30	
		subject		

## **PG PROGRAMMES**

		AIDED PROGRAMMES	
SI.	Programmes	Eligibility	Sanctioned
No	T	7	Strength
1.	M.A. History	Any UG Degree (10+2+3 or more years pattern including Professional degrees), of Calicut University or a recognized degree, with at least 50% aggregate marks or equivalent Overall CGPA. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible to relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST/PwD candidates need only to get a pass.	20
2.	M.Sc. Mathematics	B.Sc. Degree in Mathematics of Calicut University or an equivalent degree, with at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA in Main (Core) and at least 50% marks or equivalent CGPA in Part III (Core and Complementary put together). In the case of those students having a B.Sc degree or B.Sc Honours degree (without complementary/subsidiary papers) equivalent to the B.Sc. Mathematics Degree of the Calicut University, they only need to secure at least 50% marks in the main (core) and electives put together (if there is/are any elective paper/papers). OBC/OEC candidates are eligible for a relaxation of up to 5%. SC/ST/PwD candidates need only to get a pass.	20
3.	M.Sc. Biology	B.Sc. degree of Calicut university or an equivalent degree, with any one of the Biology main subjects (B.Sc. Zoology, B.Sc. Botany, B.Sc. Biotechnology, B.Sc. Microbiology, B.Sc. Marine Biology, B.Sc. Fisheries science) and having chemistry/biochemistry as one of the subsidiaries/complementaries, with minimum 50% marks or equivalent CGPA in Core (Part III excluding subsidiaries). OBC/OEC candidates are eligible to relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST/PwD candidates need to get only a pass.	10

4.	M.Com	J I I I	20
		(earlier BBS) degree of University of Calicut or	
		recognized B.Com, BBA, BBM or BBS degree of	
		any other University or Institutes in any states, with	
		minimum of 45% aggregate marks or equivalent	
		overall CGPA is eligible for admission to the	
		M.Com programme. OBC/OEC candidates are	
		eligible for relaxation up to 5%.SC/ST candidates	
		need to get a pass". In case of B.Com(Honours) and	
		B.Com(Professional) and BBA(Honours), the	
		minimum eligibility for admission is a minimum of	
		50% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA,	
		for all categories of students.	

	SELF FINANCING PROGRAMMES				
SI. No	Programmes	Eligibility	Sanctioned Strength		
1.	M.A. Economics	BA Degree with Economics/Foreign Trade/Development Economics /Economics with Islamic Finance (Core/Main), of Calicut University or an equivalent degree, with at least 50% aggregate marks or equivalent Overall CGPA. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible for relaxation up to 5% and SC/ST candidates need only to get a pass OR B. Sc Degree with Statistics/Mathematics/ Computer Science (Core/Main), of Calicut University or an equivalent degree, with at least 70 % aggregate marks or equivalent Overall CGPA. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible for relaxation up to 5% and SC/ST candidates need only to get a pass.	15		
2.	M.Sc. Microbiology	B.Sc Microbiology degree of Calicut university or an equivalent degree from other universities/institutes (with Microbiology Core/Main), with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA OR B.Voc Applied Microbiology and Forensic Science degree of this university or an equivalent degree from other universities/institutes (with more than 40 credits for microbiology component), with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible to relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST candidates need only to get a pass.	12		
3.	M.Sc. General Biotechnology	Single/Double/Triple Main (Core/Main) Degree (10+2+3) in Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Genetics, Plant Sciences, B.Voc Applied Biotechnology of Calicut University or any other equivalent degree, with at least 55% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA (50% for OBC/OEC candidates and 40% for SC/ST /PwD candidates), OR at least 55% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA (50% for OBC/OEC	12		

	T	candidates and 40% for SC/ST candidates) in B.Sc	
		Life Science/ B.Sc Medical Laboratory Technology/	
		B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture / B.V.Sc/ B.Pharm/	
		B.Sc Bio-Informatics/ B.Sc Agricultural	
		Biotechnology degree recognised by Calicut	
		University.	
4.	M.Sc. Computer Science	The candidate should have secured at least 55%	12
4.	W.Sc. Computer Science	aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA in	12
		BSc. (Computer Science or Information Technology	
		or Electronics or Physics or Mathematics or	
		Statistics or Chemistry) or BCA/ B.Voc in Software	
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		Technology/ B.Voc in Software Development/	
		BVoc Data Science, BVoc Mathematics and AI/ BVoc IT, of Calicut University or an equivalent	
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		degree, OR at least 55% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA in B.Tech/BE (Computer	
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		Science or Information Technology or Electronics	
		or Electronics and Telecommunication or	
		Electronics and Communication) recognized by this	
		University. OBC/OEC candidates are eligible to	
		relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST/PwD candidates need	
		only to get a pass.	
5.	M.Sc. Psychology	A pass in BA/ BA (Honours)/ B.Sc degree with	12
	\ \	Psychology core (main) from University of Calicut	
	\ \	or a recognised degree with Psychology core (main),	
		in regular mode.	
6.	M.Sc. Botany	Bachelor degree in Botany or Plant Science, of	12
		University of Calicut or an equivalent degree, with	
		a minimum of 50% marks or equivalent CGPA in	
		the Core (Main) subject. OBC/OEC candidates are	
		eligible for relaxation up to 5%. SC/ST/PwD	
		candidates need only to get a pass.	
7.	M.Sc. Chemistry	B.Sc. Degree with Chemistry/Industrial	12
		Chemistry/Polymer Chemistry (Core/Main), with	
		Mathematics as one of its	
		subsidiaries/complementaries, of Calicut University	
		or an equivalent degree, with at least 50% aggregate	
		marks or equivalent Overall CGPA. OBC/OEC	
		candidates are eligible to relaxation up to 5%.	
		SC/ST/PwD candidates need only to get a pass.	

	M.Voc. PROGRAMME (Self-financing)			
SI.	SI. Programmes Eligibility		Sanctioned	
No			Strength	
1.	M.Voc. Applied Biotechnology	Single/Double/Triple Main (Core/Main) Degree (10+2+3) in Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Genetics, Plant Sciences, B.Voc Applied Biotechnology of Calicut University or any other equivalent degree, with at least 55% aggregate marks or equivalent overall CGPA (50% for OBC/OEC candidates and 40% for SC/ST	12	

candidates), OR at least 55% aggregate marks or	
equivalent overall CGPA (50% for OBC/OEC	
candidates and 40% for SC/ST/PwD candidates) in	
B.Sc Life Science/ B.Sc Medical Laboratory	
Technology/ B.Sc. Agriculture/ Horticulture /	
B.V.Sc/ B.Pharm/ B.Sc Bio-Informatics/ B.Sc	
Agricultural Biotechnology degree recognised by	
this University.	

#### Ph.D. PROGRAMMES

Ph.D. in Mathematics

#### **Admission Rules**

#### **Eligibility of Admission**

- All candidates seeking admission to the UG programmes irrespective of the Quota (General Merit/Reservation/Sports/Persons with Disabilities/Community/ Management/Inmates of Juvenile Justice Home/Kashmir Students/Students from Andaman & Nicobar Islands /Trans-gender quota) should compulsorily register through College Website: smctsr.ac.in
- The candidates who have not registered through online will not be permitted to take admission to any category of seats at any stage of the admission process.
- The ethnic natives of Lakshadweep seeking admissions need not register through college website. The colleges shall admit them and thereafter generate UG ID/PG ID from the college.
- Candidates should go through the prospectus for Admission Process available in the website carefully before entering the registration page.

#### **Community Quota**

- \*The candidates seeking admission to the community quota should specify whether they are intending so while submitting the personal details at the time of online registration.
- The seats for community quota are filled upon merit basis from among the students of the
- community.
- The list of applied students will also be published in the college login and website.

- The college will prepare and publish a rank list of the candidates reporting on the date earmarked for admission to community quota.
- \*The college will admit the candidates, based on their merit from this rank list.

#### **Management Quota**

- \*Candidates seeking admission to the Management Quota should register through College Website.
- \*Candidates should submit the application final print out at the college at the time of admission. The candidates without college admission registration are not eligible for admissions to management seats.
- \*In addition to this the candidates should contact the college and submit separate Management quota applications to apply for management quota seats. Management quota form application link http://smctsr.ac.in/

#### **Mandatory Reservation**

- 1. Claims for Mandatory Reservations must be made by the candidate in the relevant column of the online application in college website. However, the supporting documents shall be submitted at the time of admission in the colleges concerned.
- 2. Claim for Communal reservation under 'Socially and Educationally Backward Classes' (SEBC) Reservation of seats to the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes will be in accordance with the provisions contained in G.O.(P)208/66/Edn. Dated 02.05.1966, as amended from time to time.
- 3. Candidates belonging to Ezhava, Muslim, Other backward Hindus, Latin Catholic other than Anglo Indians and Other backward Christian communities, claiming reservation under SEBC Quota should invariably produce both 'Community' and 'non creamy layer Certificates' obtained from the Village Officer concerned. The attested copies of the above certificates should be produced at the time of admission. Candidates whose annual family income is above the amount stipulated by the Government for this purpose from time to time are not eligible for reservation. The seats unavailed by SEBC category candidates will be allotted under open quota.
- ❖ Candidates claiming reservation under Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes Quota should obtain caste/community certificate from the Tahsildars/Village officer. The seats un-availed by the SC candidates will go to ST candidates and vice versa.

#### **Distribution of seats**

#### **Aided Programmes**

Sl. No.	Quota	Seat Distribution
		(%)
1.	Open Quota	50 %
2.	Community Quota	10%
3.	Scheduled Caste Quota	15%
4.	Scheduled Tribe Quota	5%
5.	Management Quota	20%

Seats under community quota shall be reserved for students of the community to which the college belongs and such seats shall be filled on the basis of merit. The seats under management quota shall be filled by the management from among the candidates of their choice subject to the eligibility and merit.

#### Self-Financing Programmes

In the case of Self Financing programmes conducted in College 50% of the total seats shall be filled by the management from among the candidates of their choice provided they satisfy the eligibility conditions and merit. The remaining seats (50%) shall be distributed and filled as follows:

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Sl. No.	Distribution of 50% Seats earmarked	Seat Distribution
	under merit	(%)
1.	Open Quota	65%
2.	Scheduled Caste Quota	8%
3.	Scheduled Tribe Quota	2%
4.	Ezhava/ Thiyya /Billava	9%
5.	Muslim	8%
6.	Latin Catholics other than Anglo Indians	2%
7.	Other Backward Hindus	1%
8.	Other Backward Christans	5%
9.	*Economically Weaker Sections(EWS)	10%

#### ADMISSION PROCEDURES

- ❖ The selected candidate and her parent are to sign a declaration of compliance with rules and code of conduct stipulated by the college before payment of fees.
- ❖ Students and parents should sign a declaration to curb and menace of ragging in the institution.

All the candidates who get allotment should report for admission as per the date earmarked in the schedule at the college after remitting the University mandatory fee.

The candidates should produce the following documents in original before the Principal/Head of the college/Institution at the time of admission for verification.

- 1. The print outs of the application
- 2. Age proof
- 3. Qualifying Certificate.
- 4. Mark List(s) of the qualifying examination.
- 5. Transfer Certificate received from the Institution last studied.
- 6. Conduct Certificate
- 7. S.S.L.C
- 8. Those candidates who have passed examinations other than HSE/VHSE except CBSE/CISCE should produce Equivalency/Recognition Certificate.
- 9. Non Creamy Layer Certificate / Nativity Certificate /Community Certificate/EWS Certificate as directed by the admitting authorities
- 10. Candidates who claim bonus/weightage marks shall produce relevant certificates. Community to which the candidate belongs.
- 11. Candidates coming for admission should bring 2 copies of passport size photo and retain sufficient number of attested copies of mark list and other documents to ensure proper processing of admission procedures

For weightage of marks: Original certificates should be produced at the time of interview eg.

- NCC
- NSS
- State Arts Festival
- Illiteracy Eradication
- 12. Certificates concerning widows and children of Jawans and Ex-Servicemen and Border Security Force Personnel Killed or disabled in an action.

For reservation: Attach copies of the following

- Physical Disability
- Sports/Games
- Certificates belonging to SC/ST/OEC/OBC should produce their community certificate

For equivalency Certificate: Candidates from other State/University should produce equivalency certificate from that University

The Prospectuses issued in previous years are not valid for the admission to the Degree programmes in 2025-2026 Academic year. Candidates shall read the prospectus carefully and familiarize themselves with all the relevant information relating to the admission process. In addition to this all registrants are advised to visit the official website of the ST MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) THRISSUR <a href="mailto:smctsr.ac.in">smctsr.ac.in</a> for Hand book on admissions, notification, rules and announcements. This prospectus is subject to modification/addition/deletion as may be deemed necessary by the University.















