# SREE NARAYANA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, KOLLAM

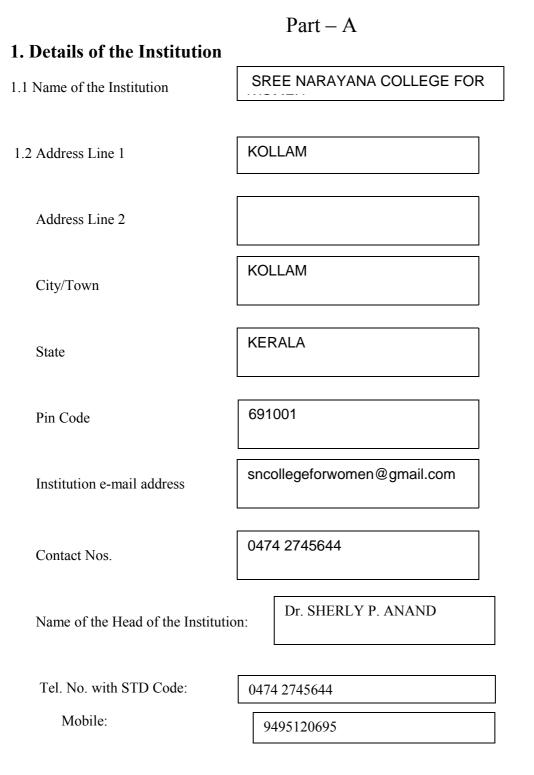


# **Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR)**

## 2011-2012

## The Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) of the IQAC

All NAAC accredited institutions will submit an annual self-reviewed progress report to NAAC, through its IQAC. The report is to detail the tangible results achieved in key areas, specifically identified by the institutional IQAC at the beginning of the academic year. The AQAR will detail the results of the perspective plan worked out by the IQAC. (*Note: The AQAR period would be the Academic Year. For example, July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013*)



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## 1.5 Accreditation Details

SI No. Cuolo	Crada	CGPA	Year of	Validity	
Sl. No.	o. Cycle Grade	CUFA	Accreditation	Period	
1	1 <sup>st</sup> Cycle	B+	78	2003	2008
2	2 <sup>nd</sup> Cycle				
3	3 <sup>rd</sup> Cycle				
4	4 <sup>th</sup> Cycle				

1.6 Date of Establishment of IQAC :

DD/MM/YYYY

07/01/2004

1.7 AQAR for the year (for example 2010-11)

2011-2012

1.8 Details of the previous year's AQAR submitted to NAAC after the latest Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC (*(for example AQAR 2010-11submitted to NAAC on 12-10-2011)* 

- i. AQAR 2008-09 submitted to NAAC on 21-11-2011
- ii. AQAR 2009-10 submitted to NAAC on 21-11-2011
- iii. AQAR 2010-11 submitted to NAAC on 19-07-2014

1.9 Institutional Status
University State Central Deemed Private
Affiliated College Yes No
Constituent College Yes No
Autonomous college of UGC Yes No
Regulatory Agency approved Institution Yes No
(eg. AICTE, BCI, MCI, PCI, NCI)
Type of Institution Co-education Men Women $$
Urban 📈 Rural Tribal
Financial StatusGrant-in-aid $\checkmark$ UGC 2(f) $\checkmark$ UGC 12B
Grant-in-aid + Self Financing Totally Self-financing
1.10 Type of Faculty/Programme
Arts 🗸 Science 🗸 Commerce 🗸 Law PEI (Phys Edu)
TEI (Edu) Engineering Health Science Management
Others (Specify)
1.11 Name of the Affiliating University <i>(for the Colleges)</i> UNIVERSITY OF KERALA
1.12 Special status conferred by Central/ State Government UGC/CSIR/DST/DBT/ICMR etc

### Autonomy by State/Central Govt. / University

University with Potential for Excellence	UGC-CPE
DST Star Scheme	UGC-CE
UGC-Special Assistance Programme	DST-FIST
UGC-Innovative PG programmes	Any other ( <i>Specify</i> )
UGC-COP Programmes	

## **<u>2. IQAC Composition and Activities</u>**

2.1 No. of Teachers	7
2.2 No. of Administrative/Technical staff	2
2.3 No. of students	1
2.4 No. of Management representatives	1
2.5 No. of Alumni	1
2. 6 No. of any other stakeholder and	1
community representatives	
2.7 No. of Employers/ Industrialists	0
2.8 No. of other External Experts	0
2.9 Total No. of members	13
2.10 No. of IQAC meetings held	8

2.11 No. of meetings	with various stakeholders: No. 5 Faculty 2
Non-Teachin	ng Staff Students Alumni Others
	ved any funding from UGC during the year? Yes $\checkmark$ No $\checkmark$
If yes, men	tion the amount
2.13 Seminars and Co	onferences (only quality related)
(i) No. of Semin	ars/Conferences/ Workshops/Symposia organized by the IQAC
Total Nos.	3 International National State 1 Institution Level 2
(ii) Themes	1. Adolescent Mental Health by NRHM
	2. Seminar on an environmental issue "Water Dreams"
	3. Adolescent Reproductive Health by NRHM

2.14 Significant Activities and contributions made by IQAC

- 1. Created a research culture in the campus.
- 2. Strengthened the placement cell.
- 3. Individual attention to each student through better parent teacher interaction and personal counselling of the needy.
- 4. Organised programmes that promotes community services and awareness programmes.
- 5. Organizing UGC/other agencies sponsored National seminars and Conferences.
- 6. Equipped both UG and PG students in technology.
- 7. Upgraded the computer center by installing more computers.
- 8. Provided financial assistance to students from very poor backgrounds.
- 9. Staff empowerment programme for non-teaching staff
- 10. The IQAC has also undertaken an exercise on mapping of some of important administrative and teaching related processes. On completion of this exercise, it is planned to streamline the important administrative and academic-administrative processes.

#### 2.15 Plan of Action by IQAC/Outcome

The plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the year towards quality enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the year \*

Plan of Action	Achievements
Internet connectivity to all	Internet connectivity was provided in all
departments. To invite eminent personalities	departments
to interact with faculty and	Eminent scientists and personalities
students.	visited the institution and delivered talks
To pay individual attention to	benefitting both faculty and students
all students. To run remedial Classes for	Individual attention to each student
SC/ST/OBC and other	through better parent teacher interaction
minority students in a very	and personal counselling of the needy
effective manner. To upgrade the student	Remedial coaching classes were
computer ratio by installing	effectively handled benefitting
more number of computers.	SC/ST/OBC students.
Conduct more National and	The computer centre was upgraded by
International seminars. Upgrade library facilities	installing 15 computers under MPLAD
Sexual harassment cell	fund.
comprising of teachers,	A skill enhancement women resource
nonteaching-staff and Parents.	centre by KSITM was introduced and 9
C C	computers were installed in the IT
To improve laboratory	mission lab.
facilities in all science	Library was upgraded by adding 537
departments.	texts books, 34 reference books and two
	journals.
	An 11 member sexual harassment cell
	was constituted, Principal being the
	chairperson.
	An amount of 25 lakhs were spent for the
	purchase of equipments to different
	science departments

\* Academic Calendar of the year attached as as Annexure I.

2.15 Whether the AQAR was placed in statutory body

No

Yes

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Management

Syndicate

Any other body

Provide the details of the action taken

AQAR report was placed in the College council for approval. It was subsequently approved by the college council.

## Part - B

## Criterion – I

## **<u>1. Curricular Aspects</u>**

1.1 Details about Academic Programmes
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Level of the Programme	Number of existing Programmes	Number of programmes added during the year	Number of self-financing programmes	Number of value added / Career Oriented programmes
PhD	1	Nil	Nil	Nil
PG	3	Nil	Nil	Nil
UG	14	Nil	Nil	Nil
PG Diploma	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Advanced Diploma	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Diploma	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Certificate	2	Nil	Nil	Nil
Others	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total				

Interdisciplinary	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Innovative	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

1.2 (i) Flexibility of the Curriculum: CBCS/Core/Elective option / Open options (ii) Pattern of programmes:

Pattern	Number of programmes				
Semester	FDP in 14 UG courses and 3PG courses				
Trimester	Nil				
Annual	Nil				

1.3 Feedback from stakeholders*	Alumni	-	Parents	$\checkmark$	Employers		Students	$\checkmark$	
(On all aspects)									
Mode of feedback :	Online	Μ	Ianual	$\checkmark$	Co-operating	g scho	ols (for PE	EI)	
*Please provide an analysis of the feedback in the Annexure									

See Annexure I and II

1.4 Whether there is any revision/update of regulation or syllabi, if yes, mention their salient aspects.

Syllabus of UG program was totally revised due to introduction of CBCSS first degree program and certain corrections were added this year.

1.5 Any new Department/Centre introduced during the year. If yes, give details.

Nil

## **Criterion – II**

## 2. Teaching, Learning and Evaluation

2.1 Total No. of
permanent faculty

Total	Asst. Professors	Associate Professors	Professors	Others
87	37	39	0	1

2.2 No. of permanent faculty with Ph.D.

36

2.3 No. of Faculty Positions Recruited (R) and Vacant (V) during the year	Asst.		Associate Professors		Professors		Others		Total	
	Professors									
during the year	R	V	R	V	R	V	R	V	R	V
	R         V         R         V           1         10         -         -	-	-	-	-		1	10		
2.4 No. of Guest and Visiting facu	ılty and	Tempo	orary fac	ulty	-	-		1	2	

2.5 Faculty participation in conferences and symposia:

No. of Faculty	International level	National level	State level
Attended	6	32	19
Presented papers	4	13	4
Resource Persons	0	1	0

2.6 Innovative processes adopted by the institution in Teaching and Learning:

As part of the technology upgradation students were encouraged to do their presentations using LCD projectors. No. of ICT enabled class rooms were increased.

- 2.7 Total No. of actual teaching days during this academic year
- 2.8 Examination/ Evaluation Reforms initiated by the Institution (for example: Open Book Examination, Bar Coding, Double Valuation, Photocopy, Online Multiple Choice Questions)

For the annual scheme unit wise test papers are conducted and one half yearly examination and one model examination by the end of the academic year. The newly started CBCSS provide two internal exams for each semester.

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- 2.9No. of faculty members involved in curriculum<br/>restructuring/revision/syllabus development7716as member of Board of Study/Faculty/Curriculum Development workshop
- 2.10 Average percentage of attendance of students

94	

2.11 Course/Programme wise distribution of pass percentage:

Title of the Programme	Total no. of students		Ι	Division		
1.08.000	appeared	Distinction %	I %	II %	III %	Pass %
B.A	403	2.48	16.63	30.77	36.72	86.6
B. Sc.	277	5.41	56.68	22.38	6.5	90.97
B.Com	56	0	21.42	32.14	19.64	73.2
M.Sc.	26	7.69	50	15.38	0	73.07

2.12 How does IQAC Contribute/Monitor/Evaluate the Teaching & Learning processes:

Substantial effort has been put by IQAC to ensure an environment of excellence in all aspects of teaching and learning and also focused on to improve the quality of education and evaluation. A research culture was developed in the institution

1. The college has developed a comprehensive evaluation programme to collect data from teachers at the end of each semester. Based on that all Heads of Departments will collect a teaching plan from the staff members of the respective Department, a copy of which was submitted to the Principal also.

2. At the end of the academic year/semester the principal will audit the report submitted by the Head of the Department and Teacher. This helps to evaluate and improve the quality of teaching.

Faculty / Staff Development Programmes	Number of faculty benefitted
Refresher courses	4
UGC – Faculty Improvement Programme	4
HRD programmes	0
Orientation programmes	4
Faculty exchange programme	0
Staff training conducted by the university	2
Staff training conducted by other institutions	0
Summer / Winter schools, Workshops, etc.	8
Others	3

#### 2.13 Initiatives undertaken towards faculty development

#### 2.14 Details of Administrative and Technical staff

Category	Number of Permanent Employees	Number of Vacant Positions	Number of permanent positions filled during the Year	Number of positions filled temporarily
Administrative Staff	39	1	Nil	Nil
Technical Staff	1	Nil	Nil	Nil

## **Criterion – III**

## 3. Research, Consultancy and Extension

#### 3.1 Initiatives of the IQAC in Sensitizing/Promoting Research Climate in the institution

- A number of faculty members submitted proposals for minor research projects and a new JRF fellow has joined the research centre.
- Several faculty members published their work in reputed journals.
- The research department of chemistry purchased and installed new equipment Electrochemical Workstation worth Rupees Seven Lakhs.
- An exhibition on the life and works of Madam Cuire hosted by the department of chemistry with a view to motivate the students to peruse a research career.

#### 3.2 Details regarding major projects

	Completed	Ongoing	Sanctioned	Submitted
Number	Nil	4	Nil	Nil
Outlay in Rs. Lakhs		41.30825		

#### 3.3 Details regarding minor projects

		Completed	Ongoing	Sanctioned	Submitted
Nun	nber		3		
Outl	lay in Rs. Lakhs		3.76		

#### 3.4 Details on research publications

	International	National	Others
Peer Review Journals	3	1	7
Non-Peer Review Journals			
e-Journals	4		
Conference proceedings	6	3	2

#### 3.5 Details on Impact factor of publications:

Range $\checkmark$ Average $\checkmark$ h-index $\checkmark$ Nos. in SCOPUS

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3.6 Research funds sanctioned and received from various funding agencies, industry and other organisations

Nature of the Project	Duration Year	Name of the funding Agency	Total grant sanctioned	Received
Major projects				
Minor Projects	1.5	UGC	200000	150000
Interdisciplinary Projects	Nil			
Industry sponsored	Nil			
Projects sponsored by the University/ College	Nil			
Students research projects (other than compulsory by the University)	Nil			

Any other(Specify)		Nil				
Total						
3.7 No. of books published	i) With	ISBN No.		Chapter	s in Edited Boo	ks 1
3.8 No. of University Depa	,	out ISBN No.				
	UGC-SA	P	CAS		DST-FIST	
	DPE				DBT Scheme	e/funds
3.9 For colleges	Autonomy	y	СРЕ		DBT Star Sch	heme
	INSPIRE		CE		Any Other (s	pecify)
3.10 Revenue generated th	rough cons	sultancy	N	ïl		

3.11 No. of conferences organized by the Institution

1.5 Lakhs

Total

	Level	Level Internationa National			University	College	
		1					
	Number			1		2	
	Sponsoring			PTA		PTA	
	agencies						
3.12 No. of faculty served as experts, chairpersons or resource persons       1         3.13 No. of collaborations       International       National       Any other         3.14 No. of linkages created during this year							
3.15 Total budget for research for current year in lakhs:							
From funding agency 1.5 Lakhs From Management of University/College							

3.16 No. of patents received this year

Type of Patent		Number
National	Applied	Nil
	Granted	Nil
International	Applied	Nil
	Granted	Nil
Commercialised	Applied	Nil

Nil

3.17 No. of research awards/ recognitions received by faculty and research fellows Of the institute in the year

Total	Internationa 1	National	State	University	Dist	College
2			2			

3.18 No. of faculty from the Institution who are Ph. D. Guides and students registered under them

3.19 No. of Ph.D. awa	arded by faculty from	n the Institution
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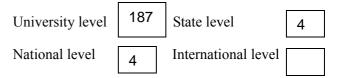
3.20 No. of Research scholars receiving the Fellowships (Newly enrolled + existing ones)

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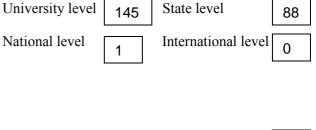
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3.21 No. of students Participated in NSS events:



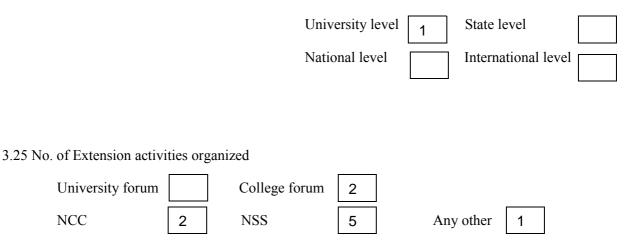
3.22 No. of students participated in NCC events:

3.23 No. of Awards won in NSS:



3.24 No. of Awards won in NCC:

NCC



3.26 Major Activities during the year in the sphere of extension activities and Institutional Social Responsibility

Under extension activities, two projects were under taken. Teachers and students built a house for a student from a very poor background (homeless) under the scheme "sahapadikkoru veedu" which was the goal fixed last year.

A free medical camp was organised for the detection of cancer under auspicious of RCC Thiruvananthapuram. Many people from the locality were benefited by the camp. In collaboration with Energy Management Centre of the state, the college organised programmes on Energy conservation.

Amritha Varshini is a program extended to patients in hospitals intended to give solace and mental peace to the patients suffering from various diseases through a music therapy conducted by the department of music.

## Criterion – IV 4. Infrastructure and Learning Resources

4.1 Details of increase in infrastructure facilities:

Facilities	Existing	Newly created	Source of Fund	Total
Campus area	5 acre			5 acre
Class rooms	42			42
Laboratories	16 lab+1 research lab			17
Seminar Halls	1			1
No. of important equipments purchased ( $\geq 1$ -0 lakh) during the current year.		CCD Camera	UGC	1
Value of the equipment purchased during the year (Rs. in Lakhs)		299694		
Others	auditorium		РТА	1

### 4.2 Computerization of administration and library

Computerisation of Library: Bar coding of library collection is completed.

#### 4.3 Library services:

	Exis	sting	Newly	added	Тс	tal
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
Text Books	54595	8154275	537	93420	55132	8247695
Reference Books	1879	1775785	34	50262	1913	1826047
e-Books	97000	5000	Thro	ough	97000	5000
(INFLIBNET)			INFLI	BNET		
Journals	40	58900	2	1000	42	59900
e-Journals	6000	5000	Through		6000	5000
(INFLIBNET)			INFLIBNET			
Digital Database	5	5000	Through		5	5000
(INFLIBNET)			INFLI	BNET		
CD & Video	30	23000	5	2000	35	25000
Others (specify)	55	31200	3	1000	58	32200
Periodicals						
Newspapers	10	13700	1	2550	11	16250

4.4 Technology up gradation (overall)

	Total Computers	Computer Labs	Internet	Browsing Centres	Computer Centres	Office	Depart- ments	Others
Existing	25	0	YES	1	10 Nos	3Nos.	4	5
Added	34	2	YES	2	23	10	16	2
Total	59	2	YES	3	33	13	20	7

4.5 Computer, Internet access, training to teachers and students and any other programme for technology upgradation (Networking, e-Governance etc.)

A skill enhancement women resource centre by KSITM was introduced in the college providing a certificate course on computer . Organised seminars and training programmes for enhancing computer skills of non-

teaching staff.

- 4.6 Amount spent on maintenance in lakhs :
  - i) ICT
  - ii) Campus Infrastructure and facilities
  - iii) Equipments
  - iv) Others

Total:

1,00,000
5,00,000
10,00,000

50,000

350,000

## Criterion – V 5. Student Support and Progression

5.1 Contribution of IQAC in enhancing awareness about Student Support Services

IQAC takes special care in imparting quality education by reinforcing the culture of excellence. The college organizes the workshops, seminars for all the students studying in different courses. A seminar series vision 2012 was organized with a view to provide awareness about their subject areas and to develop presentation skills for students. This was funded by the parent teachers association.

A career guidance cell is functioning in the college which helps students in choosing a career of their choice.

IQAC encourages students to participate national and international competitions through Physical Education Department. IQAC encourages its students to publish materials like college magazine, wall magazines. The students are motivated to express their talent through articles, paintings, graffiti. Their creativity is given a free flight.

**Organizing Campus Placement**: The College organizes the campus placement programme to help students to seek the job when they are in the last phase of their program. Reputed institutes participate in this programme and many students find placement with this endeavor.

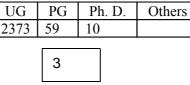
**Grievance redressal mechanism:** Student grievances are collected in the form of feedback with the help of class tutors. Issues are also discussed by the chairperson of the student union and it is considered by the grievance redressal cell working in the college. It is further brought to the notice of the college council which discusses the possible solutions of the issue.

5.2 Efforts made by the institution for tracking the progression

Formative evaluation is used continuously to track the student progression Regular monitoring system. Faculty involvement through counselling system.

5.3	(a)	Total	Number	of	students
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(b) No. of students outside the state



(c) No. of international students



 No
 %
 Women

 100
 100
 100

 Last Year							This Year					
General	SC	ST	OBC	Physically Challenged	Total	General	SC	ST	OBC	Physically Challenged	Това	ge 19
654	362	11	1510	1	2530	623	338	13	1425	5	2432	l

Men

5.4 Details of student support mechanism for coaching for competitive examinations (If any)

The college provides coaching for students belonging to SC ST & OBC for competing in examinations for entry in different service sectors. The program was funded by UGC funded by UGC.

5.5 No. of students qualified in these examinations

NET	19	SET/SLET	18	GATE	CAT	
IAS/IPS etc		State PSC		UPSC	Others	1

5.6 Details of student counselling and career guidance

Career and counselling cell is functioning in a very effective way. A number of programs are organised by the cell in which the main beneficiaries are students. Personality development classes for all students and orientation programs for first semester students are organised by the cell. Each department identifies students who need counselling and recommends to the cell. This service is rendered by a paid counsellor. Carrier guidance cell makes students aware of opportunities available for a good carrier. Carrier orientation programmes are also conducted under this cell.

5.7 Details of campus placement

No. of students benefitted

24	

	On campus								
Number of Organizations Visited	Number of Students Participated	Number of Students Placed	Number of Students Placed						
1	170	27	Nil						

#### 5.8 Details of gender sensitization programmes

The college frequently organizes Gender sensitization programmes, by conducting seminars and workshops etc. The Women Study Cell functioning in the college is keen to host such programmes.

#### 5.9 Students Activities

5.9.1 No. of students participated in Sports, Games and other events

58

State/ University level

National level

25

International level

1

	No. of students participate	ed in cult	ural events			
	State/ University level	3	National level		International level	
5.9.2	No. of medals /awards wo	on by stuc	dents in Sports, (	Games and	other events	
Sports	: State/ University level	43	National level	9	International level	
Cultura	l: State/ University level	3	National level		International level	

## 5.10 Scholarships and Financial Support

	Number of students	Amount
Financial support from institution		
Financial support from government	125	1183999
Financial support from other sources	4	10000
Number of students who received International/ National recognitions		

5.11 Student organised / initiatives

Fairs : State/ University level	National level		International level
Exhibition: State/ University level	National level		International level
5.12 No. of social initiatives unde	rtaken by the students	4	
5.13 Major grievances of students (	if any) redressed:		

## Criterion – VI\_

### 6. Governance, Leadership and Management

#### 6.1 State the Vision and Mission of the institution

#### Vision and mission

To develop a passion for learning and academic excellence. To mould the minds of the young women by creating a desire to live a complete life in the modern society as respectable and worthy citizens.

To build a solid foundation for future learning of the students. To empower our students to recognize and optimize their full potential.

6.2 Does the Institution has a management Information System

Student data base is kept for reference.

Database of faculty members and supporting staff is also maintained

Various student support programs are also managed through the information system

6.3 Quality improvement strategies adopted by the institution for each of the following:

6.3.1 Curriculum Development

As per the existing university regulations we have minimum flexibility for curriculum development.

However certificate courses run by Department of Home science & Music are exceptions

#### 6.3.2 Teaching and Learning

ICT enabled teaching methods impart effectiveness and more coverage of topics

Teacher's study materials Soft copy-PPT slides/PDF presentation etc are made available to students or shared with students

6.3.3 Examination and Evaluation

Each semester two internal exams and one end semester exam is conducted. A direct grading system is followed.

#### 6.3.4 Research and Development

INFLIBNET facility available in the library enable the students and faculty to access e-Journals and other e-Resources promoting research activity in the campus.

A research environment is created in the institution by organizing UCG Sponsored National Conferences frequently.

Teachers are encouraged to apply for Minor & Major Research Projects Proposals for National Conferences & seminars are sent to different sponsoring agencies regularly.

6.3.5 Library, ICT and physical infrastructure / instrumentation

#### Library

We have a fully computerized library with INFLIBNET facility, 55132 text books, 1913 reference books 42 journals and ebooks

#### **ICT Infrastructure**

LCD projectors ,Smart Board, computers, printers, Internet connectivity **Sports** 

The institute has several sports facilities like Gym. Hall, Play grounds, carom boards, chess boards, badminton kits, cricket kit, TT kit, volleyball, football, etc. are available

#### 6.3.6 Human Resource Management

- Time and Attendance
- Performance Appraisal

#### 6.3.7 Faculty and Staff recruitment

Timely recruitment of faculty and staff is done by the management

#### 6.3.8 Industry Interaction / Collaboration

Many student projects are undertaken in collaboration with industries like KMML and IRE.

#### 6.3.9 Admission of Students

A candidate should possess the eligibility of 10+2 qualification from Board of state government or CBSE/ ISC or similar board examination recognized as equivalent there to for admission to first degree program. Admission is based on merit list prepared as per the existing regulations of the university. An admission committee is constituted in the college for supervising the admission procedure as per university norms.

6.4 Welfare schemes for	Teaching	PF, Gratuity provided by government
	Non teaching	PF, Gratuity provided by government
	Students	Scholarship schemes for students
6.5 Total corpus fund generated		
6.6 Whether annual financial audit l	nas been done	Yes 🗸 No

6.7 Whether Academic and Administrative Audit (AAA) has been done?

Audit Type	Ex	ternal	Internal			
	Yes/No	Agency	Yes/No	Authority		
Academic						
Administrative	Yes					

6.8 Does the University/ Autonomous College declares results within 30 days?

	For UG Programmes	Yes		No			
	For PG Programmes	Yes		No			
6.9 W	hat efforts are made by the University/ Autor	nomous	Colleg	e for l	Examir	nation R	eforms?

6.10 What efforts are made by the University to promote autonomy in the affiliated/constituent colleges?

Many of our faculty members are involved in university curriculum development as they are members of Board of Studies.

6.11 Activities and support from the Alumni Association

Alumni Association functions in a very effective manner extending support to all our activities. Association finds funds to help the needy students by supplying books and uniforms. The association has instituted cash awards for students who are toppers in different programmes. They promote poor students by implementation of different projects.

6.12 Activities and support from the Parent – Teacher Association

Open house meetings of parents and students are conducted every semester. PTA shoulder many financial responsibilities for the prosperity of students. Parent feedback collected on all aspects and plans for improvement is formulated from the feedback.

6.13 Development programmes for support staff

Computer Literacy program arranged for the support staff under different schemes.

6.14 Initiatives taken by the institution to make the campus eco-friendly

NSS and NCC always raise slogans to keep our Campus eco-friendly. It is a plastic free campus also. The institution is keen to maintain the cleanliness of our Campus. . We are always maintaining its heritage by protecting trees in the campus. A medicinal plant garden is maintained by department of botany is an addition to this drive. Rain water harvesting is another step forward to an environmental friendly campus.

## Criterion – VII\_

## 7. Innovations and Best Practices

The institution is always in forefront for innovations and best practices. The department of music is conducting a unique program for helping the patients under the title Amritha Varshini. The environment friendly campus is another best practise with an effective waste disposal system. Morning assembly once in a week is another best practise we uphold.

7.2 Provide the Action Taken Report (ATR) based on the plan of action decided upon at the beginning of the year

Annexure III attached

7.3 Give two Best Practices of the institution (please see the format in the NAAC Self-study Manuals)

Annexure V attached.

#### 7.4 Contribution to environmental awareness / protection

NSS along with the Environmental club of the College organizes environmental awareness programs frequently.

7.5 Whether environmental audit was conducted?

Yes No

7.6 Any other relevant information the institution wishes to add. (for example SWOT Analysis)

#### 8. Plans of institution for next year

#### PLAN OF ACTIONS BY IQAC FOR NEXT YEAR

IQAC has planned many programs for the forthcoming academic year. They include:

- ICT enabled classroom for all departments
- To conduct more seminars and workshops.
- Inviting eminent professors and scientists to our institution.
- Remedial Classes for SC/ST/OBC and other minority students.
- To apply for more PG programs
- Centralized laboratory facility for Science students.
- Conduct more National and International seminars
- To enhance Infrastructural Research facilities.
- Upgrade library facilities.
- Encourage faculty members to engage in more research activities

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### Annexure- I Academic Calendar

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### NARAYANA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, KOLLAM Academic Calendar 2011-12

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## SREE NARAYANA COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, KOLLAM Academic Calender 2011-12

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#### Annexure- II

#### Student's feedback

A student feedback mainly focuses on some aspects of their teachers especially the punctuality, topic coverage, sincerity, communication skill, lecturing methodology, lecturer attributes, method of assessment, overall assessment etc

The student feedback exercise is entirely confidential and anonymous. Student response data is grouped together for the entire class for the purpose of data analysis. It is therefore impossible to associate comments and responses provided with any individual student. Lecturers receive a report which summarises all the information collated as percentage values.

Students play a crucial part in the evaluation, development and enhancement of the quality of this learning experience. Feedback from students allows our institution to evaluate how their teachers performance is evaluated by our students. Student feedback is a rich and valuable source of information for both formative and summative purposes Feedback can be very powerful if done well. The power of formative feedback lies in both cognitive and motivational factors at the same time. Usually responds of the students through feedback is collected twice annually. The IQAC committee in our college designed a tested feedback module in the form of questionnaires to be filled up by the student and analysed the results and prepared this report.

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From the results of students' evaluations it appeared that most teachers in our college were sincere, regular and punctual. It was also noted that 75 % of the students felt that the lecture method was very good and organised. Also we are happy to report that majority of teachers are approachable to students. Students felt that the teachers were, in fact, well equipped with knowledge.

The feedback helped our teachers and institution to provide students with the opportunity to comment on the quality of their learning experiences. Also to assess the success of academic provision in relation to the expectations of students this feedback was very useful. It provided feedback to lecturers in order to improve delivery and/or content of the study-unit.

#### Annexure-III

#### **Feedback from Parents**

For many students, college life is a wonderful time living an ideal existence. It is, in some way, an escape from the real world. In spite of the stress that many students experience over various issues, real financial worries, occasional social drama, and worries about career decisions once they graduate, college life has some benefits also. What is very important to note here is that discipline and learning which was initially and exclusively the responsibility of the parents, must now be shared between parents and teachers. The student begins to learn a lot of things. It is however a very important process because it is the only means by which a child can acquire formal education and training and gain financial independence in future.

The Parent teachers association in our college is a body comprising of parents and teachers of an institution of learning who meet at least twice in a year to discuss matters on the educational, moral and spiritual health of the students in our institution.

PTA is basically made up of two arms; the Executive and the General body. The general body meets once a year, while the executive meets as often as the need arises. Class wise PTA meetings are convened in every semester providing a platform for a close interaction between teachers and parents. These meetings are usually convened soon after the first internals so that the student can perform better. Usually when we organise the General PTA, a feedback form is circulated among the parents for their valuable comments and suggestions.

Parents feedback gives us correct details on performance of teachers, general facilities available in the campus such as Library, Canteen, Office, laboratories etc. Parent's feedback also comments on student politics, their sense of well-being as well as other factors influencing students' life while in college. We hope parents will share these ideas in the feedback form which will help us to improve the academic as well as the other facilities available in the campus.

According to the results of this study, nine factors in our institution emerged as important influences on education and well-being of our students.

1. Infrastructure and facilities were inadequate according to 40 % of parents.

2. Teaching and teachers performance was rated excellent by 80%, good by 15% and satisfactory by 5%.

3. Canteen facility was unsatisfactory for 30 % of parents.

4. Office was functioning in a smooth manner according to 46% but, about 50% expressed their concern about the time wasted in the office for getting some documents back.

5. Library facility was excellent according to 91% of parents.

6. The condition of the laboratories in our college was very good as to about 55% of parents although they suggested better infrastructure for the laboratories.

7. The general atmosphere in the college was excellent to 87% and very good to 7% only 3% were dissatisfied with it.

8. Student politics was also much less in this college according to parents.

9. The parents were very much happy and encouraging about the discipline and security in our college. It actually rated as high as 95%. Most of the parents, 64% often visited the college more than once a year. It happens as the teachers try to keep in touch with parents very often. Student attendance was also reported to parents more often by teachers itself. So they (78%) were very conscious of their wards attendance. An interesting fact we could obtain from parents feedback is that about 94% of parents did not support their ward being involved in student's politics.

This evaluation helped us to assess the functioning of the college, academic as well as cocurricular aspects. The institution wholeheartedly welcomed the valuable suggestions put forwarded by the parents to improve ourselves.

### ANNEXURE-IV

# Action Taken Report (ATR) based on the plan of action decided upon at the beginningof the year

POINT	ACTION TAKEN
	This was achieved .
Internet connectivity to all departments	
To invite eminent personalities to interact with faculty and students	College level workshops were organised to equip faculty. In this connection many eminent personalities visited and motivated our students
To upgrade the student computer ratio by installing more number of computers	This was achieved. Our students were much benefitted by availability of more computers.
To upgrade laboratory facilities	We have purchased major equipments such as electrochemical work station, CCD Camera etc, for improving facilities in science departments.
To strengthen library facilities	INFLIBNET connectivity enabled. More than 1000books and many e-resources were added.
To constitute a Sexual harassment cell comprising of teachers, nonteaching-staff and Parents.	College constituted the cell and is functioning effectively

#### ANNEXURE-V

### **Best Practice**

#### 1. Title: Pata sala

#### 2. Goal

To give musical training to those who have talented in music in the society.

#### 3. The Context

There are lot of people, especially economically backward women talented in music who never get the opportunity to study and perform music.

#### 4. The Practice

Music is the food of love. So music cannot be separated from women who are the makers of food and fountains of love. So we thought about giving music lessons to outside the campus. Thus we are engaged in giving music classes to the economically and socially marginalized women of our society. Yearly music programme are conducted in the college auditorium for entire students of the college and the members of this pata sale.

#### 5. Evidence

Candidates of patasala presents a yearly music programmes in which each and everyone of the members participate.

#### 6. Contact Details

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## **Best Practice II**

#### **1. Title:** Amritha Varshini

#### 2. Goal

To give solace and mental peace to the patients suffering from various diseases through music therapy.

#### 3. The Context

Since the patient and his family is forced to face the huge expenses of the treatment, the music gives him relaxation and comfort.

#### 4. The Practice

Realising the value of music therapy we have decided to visit the patients at palliative care centre, District Hospital, Kollam, to give them solace, comfort and love through music. This monthly music programme is now just like life blood to many patients. The power of music over men and nature is a universally accepted truth and music therapy will be the most effective medicine of the coming years in curing both physical and mental illness.

#### 5. Problems encountered and resources required

Lack of awareness of the hospital authorities and transportation of the students.