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GENDER CHAMPION CLUB

ONE DAY SEMINAR OF POCSO AND POSH ACT

Activity Name	One Day Seminar of Pocso and Posh Act
Date of Activity	26.07.2025
Mode of Conduct	Offline
Time	9.30 Am -4.00 Pm
Venue	St. Antonys R.C Aided Primary School-Vadakku Poganur, Trichy.
Participants	Students : 12 Faculty : 05
Description	The Gender Champion Club of Auxilium College of Arts and Science for Women, Regunathapuram, participated in a one-day seminar on POCSO and POSH Acts, organized by the Our Lady of Snow Province, Trichy, and coordinated by Sr. Johncy, Human Rights Coordinator, at St. Antony's R.C. Aided Primary School, Vadakku poganur, on 26th July 2025. The faculty members Mrs. D. Keerthi (Club Coordinator), Ms. S. Shanthi, Ms. T. Sangeetha, Ms. Joshpin Nirmala, and Ms. Princiya accompanied twelve enthusiastic students to the event. The Chief Guest, Adv. Ms. Srividhya, District Child Protection Officer, Trichy, delivered insightful sessions on two significant legislations - The POCSO Act (Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012) and The POSH Act (Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act, 2013). In the morning session, she explained the POCSO Act, emphasizing its role in protecting children below 18 years from various forms of sexual abuse and exploitation. She also highlighted the importance of mandatory reporting and the establishment of special courts for speedy trials. The afternoon session focused on the POSH Act, which aims to safeguard women from workplace harassment. The speaker discussed the constitution of Internal Complaints Committees (ICCs), procedures for complaint redressal, and the employer's responsibility in ensuring a safe and dignified work environment. The seminar enhanced participants' awareness of laws protecting children and women, deepened their understanding of rights and responsibilities, and provided strategies for prevention and redressal of abuse and harassment. It also created a platform for dialogue and empowerment, promoting a culture of safety and respect. Overall, the one-day seminar was an enriching and enlightening experience for both students and faculty members, equipping them with the knowledge and confidence to advocate for a safer society.

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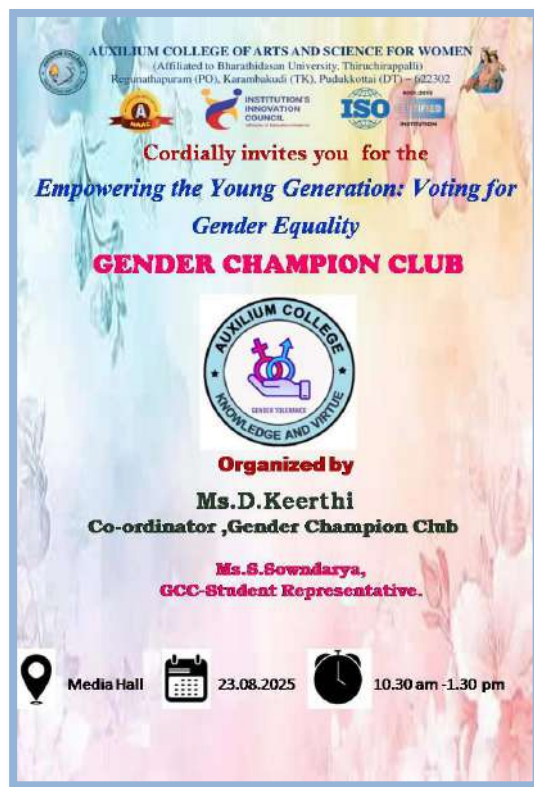
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EMPOWERING THE YOUNG GENERATION: VOTING FOR GENDER EQUALITY

Activity Name	Empowering the Young Generation: Voting for Gender Equality
Date of Activity	23.08.2025
Mode of Conduct	Offline
Time	10.30 am -1.30 pm
Venue	Media Hall
Participants	Students : 50 Faculty: 02
Description	The Gender Champion Club of Auxilium College of Arts and Science for Women, Regunathapuram, organized a Drawing Competition titled “Empowering the Young Generation: Voting for Gender Equality” on 23rd August 2025 at the college Multipurpose Hall. The event aimed to promote awareness among young women about the importance of gender equality and their role in democratic participation through voting. The event began with a Welcome Address by Ms. Keerthi, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, and Gender Champion Club Coordinator. She warmly welcomed the dignitaries and invited Dr.M.Sebasti Jeya Pushpam, Principal of Auxilium College of Arts and Science, to felicitate the Chief Guests. The program was graced by the presence of Ms. M. Stella, Taluk Supply Officer, Karambakudi, and Ms. B. Jamuna, Revenue Inspector, Taluk Office, Karambakudi. Their presence added great significance to the event. A total of 24 students participated enthusiastically, showcasing their artistic skills and creativity through meaningful and thought-provoking drawings. The competition served as a platform for young artists to express powerful messages on gender equality, women’s empowerment, and civic responsibility. The Chief Guests addressed the gathering, emphasizing the importance of gender equality and the crucial role of young voters in shaping a just and equitable society. They appreciated the participants’ creativity, passion, and awareness, encouraging them to continue being voices for equality and empowerment. Following the competition, the students’ artworks were displayed in the Multipurpose Hall, allowing all attendees to view and reflect on the messages conveyed. The top three winners were announced and recognized for their outstanding artistic expressions. The event concluded with a Vote of Thanks delivered by Ms. S. Shanthi, Head, Department of Tamil, who expressed heartfelt gratitude to the Chief Guests, the Principal, faculty members, and students for their participation and contribution to the program’s success. Outcome The event effectively fostered creativity, awareness, and civic responsibility among students, encouraging them to reflect on gender equality and the importance of their participation in the democratic process. It successfully aligned with the objectives of the Gender Champion Club—to nurture equality, leadership, and social consciousness among young women.

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16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM 2025: END DIGITAL VIOLENCE AGAINST ALL WOMEN AND GIRLS – JOIN THE UNITE CAMPAIGN TO STOP DIGITAL ABUSE

Activity Name	16 Days of Activism 2025: End Digital Violence against all Women and Girls – Join the UNiTE Campaign to Stop Digital Abuse
Date of Activity	25.11.2025 to 10.12.2025
Mode of Conduct	Online
Time	2.30 pm - 4.30 pm
Participants	Faculty :1
Description	Ms. D. Keerthi, Assistant Professor and Gender Champion Club Co-ordinator of Auxilium College of Arts and Science for Women, Regunathapuram, actively participated in the Online Programme titled “16 Days of Activism 2025: End Digital Violence against all Women and Girls – Join the UNiTE Campaign to Stop Digital Abuse” conducted from 25th November 2025 to 10th December 2025. The programme was jointly organized by the Department of Women’s Studies, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli, in collaboration with the University Grants Commission (UGC), New Delhi, Centre for Women’s Studies, Alagappa University, Karaikudi, Women’s Studies Centre, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Tiruchirappalli, and MIT College of Arts and Science, Musiri. The initiative was conducted as part of the global UNiTE Campaign aimed at creating awareness and collective action against digital violence and abuse faced by women and girls in online spaces. The primary objective of the programme was to educate participants about the increasing challenges of cyber violence, online harassment, digital abuse, cyberbullying, and gender-based discrimination in digital platforms. The sessions also emphasized the importance of creating safe, respectful, and inclusive online environments while promoting digital responsibility, gender equality, and women empowerment. As the Gender Champion Club Co-ordinator, Ms. D. Keerthi played a vital role in coordinating and motivating the participation of students and faculty members from Auxilium College. Through her dedicated efforts and continuous encouragement, nearly 80 students and faculty members from the institution actively participated in the various online sessions conducted by different universities and collaborating institutions during the 16-day programme. The workshop covered several important themes related to: ➤ Digital violence and cyber abuse against women and girls ➤ Cyber safety and responsible digital citizenship ➤ Prevention of online harassment and cyberbullying ➤ Women’s digital rights and legal awareness ➤ Gender equality and women empowerment ➤ Ethical and responsible use of social media platforms ➤ Building safe and supportive online communities The sessions were highly informative, interactive, and socially relevant. Experts, academicians, and resource persons shared practical insights, legal awareness, and preventive strategies to address digital violence effectively. Participants actively engaged in discussions, raised thoughtful questions, clarified their doubts, and shared

feedback during each session, making the programme vibrant and participatory. The workshop created a strong awareness among students and faculty members regarding the importance of digital ethics, online safety, and mutual respect in virtual spaces. It also encouraged participants to become socially responsible digital citizens and advocates for safer online environments for women and girls.

Ms. D. Keerthi effectively coordinated the participation process and ensured active engagement throughout the programme. Her sincere efforts significantly contributed to spreading awareness about digital abuse and promoting collective responsibility in addressing cyber violence against women.

The programme provided valuable knowledge, practical understanding, and awareness regarding women's safety and empowerment in the digital era. It inspired participants to support initiatives that uphold gender justice, equality, digital safety, and responsible online behaviour within society.

At the end of the programme, Ms. D. Keerthi successfully completed the workshop and received an e-certificate in recognition of her active participation and coordination efforts.

Conclusion

The "16 Days of Activism 2025" programme proved to be highly meaningful and impactful in creating awareness about digital violence and the importance of safeguarding women and girls in online spaces. The initiative strengthened participants' understanding of digital rights, cyber safety, and social responsibility while encouraging collective action toward building a safer and more inclusive digital society.

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Dr C Kubendran Sociology, BDU (Presenting)

Cyber-Crimes Against Women in India
 On the eve of
 International Day for Elimination of Violence Against all Women -2023
 on
 End Digital Violence against all women and girls -
 Join the UniteCampaign to stop Digital Abuse
 organized by
 Department of Women's Studies, BDU Balagappa University
 Holycross College (A) Tiruchy
 MIT Arts and Science College (Musiri)
 with
 UGC New Delhi
 Dr. C. Kubendran
 Bharathidasan University Tiruchappalli

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Narmatha (Presenting)

IMPACT ON MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Trauma
 Violence can lead to PTSD, anxiety, and depression.

Social Isolation
 Victims may withdraw from social activities.

Low Self-Esteem
 Violence can damage self-worth and confidence.

Substance Abuse
 Some may turn to alcohol or drugs to cope.

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FIVE - DAY WORKSHOP ON “RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN SOCIAL SCIENCES

Activity Name	Five-Day Workshop on “Research Methodology in Social Sciences
Date of Activity	13.04.2026 to 17.04.2026
Mode of Conduct	Online
Time	2.30 pm - 4.30 pm
Participants	Faculty :1
Description	Ms. D. Keerthi, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, Auxilium College of Arts and Science for Women, Regunathapuram, and Coordinator of the Gender Champion Club, actively participated in the Five-Day Workshop on “Research Methodology in Social Sciences conducted from 13th April 2026 to 17th April 2026 through online mode. The workshop was jointly organized by the Centre for Women’s Studies, The Gandhigram Rural Institute, and the Department of Women’s Studies, Bharathidasan University with the objective of strengthening participants’ understanding of research methodologies, academic writing, data analysis, and research ethics in the field of social sciences. The programme aimed to provide participants with a comprehensive understanding of various research approaches, methods, and tools essential for conducting quality research in interdisciplinary and social science domains. The sessions focused on developing research aptitude, analytical thinking, and methodological skills required for academic and professional research activities. Throughout the five-day programme, Ms. D. Keerthi actively attended all the sessions and participated enthusiastically in the discussions and interactive learning activities. The workshop covered important topics such as: ➤ Fundamentals of Research Methodology ➤ Qualitative and Quantitative Research Approaches ➤ Research Design and Data Collection Techniques ➤ Review of Literature and Report Writing ➤ Research Ethics and Academic Integrity ➤ Data Interpretation and Analysis ➤ Contemporary Issues and Trends in Social Science Research The resource persons and experts provided valuable insights into systematic research practices and guided participants on conducting meaningful and evidence-based studies. The sessions also emphasized the importance of ethical research practices, critical thinking, and academic excellence in higher education and research. The workshop significantly enhanced Ms. D. Keerthi’s understanding of research methodology and strengthened her academic and professional competencies. The knowledge gained through the programme will support her future research activities, scholarly publications, and interdisciplinary academic contributions. Her active participation reflected the institution’s commitment to encouraging faculty members to engage in continuous professional development, research-oriented learning, and academic enrichment programmes. At the conclusion of the workshop, Ms. D. Keerthi successfully completed the programme and was awarded a certificate of participation and completion by the organizing institutions in recognition of her active involvement and commitment to academic advancement. Conclusion The Five-Day Workshop on “Research Methodology in Social Sciences” proved to be highly informative and academically enriching. The programme provided valuable exposure to research concepts, methodologies, and ethical practices, thereby contributing significantly to the professional growth and research capabilities of the participant. It also reinforced the importance of continuous learning and research excellence in higher education.

