



THE MADURA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

An Autonomous Institution affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University
Re-accredited (3rd cycle) with 'A' grade by NAAC
Vidya Nagar, T.P.K. Road, Madurai – 625 011

DECLARATION

This is to certify that the college has followed the following conditions given in the UGC Autonomous guidelines for the year 2019-20.

- 1) IQAC cell is established in the college for regular monitoring of the college under intimation to UGC. The Cell is having an external Peer Team comprising of academicians of repute and report of the peer team is enclosed. The report is also put on public domain on the website of the College. The external peer review is conducted on 07-12-2020
- 2) The college has uploaded in its website information regarding the courses offered, the fees for the courses, the details of the faculty along with qualification and unique ID, the admission procedure, the details of relevant infrastructures, research activities of the college along with the details of Ph.D. students enrolled, if any, with the date of enrolment, topic and supervisor.
- 3) The college has also put on its website the creation of various Committees/Cells as mandated in the various UGC Regulations notified from time to time. The college has conducted the meetings of the statutory bodies regularly and uploaded the minutes of the meetings in the college website.
- 4) All the Regulations notified by the UGC is/shall be followed in letter and spirit by all the Autonomous Colleges and an undertaking to this effect shall be uploaded on the College website.
- 5) The number of contractual faculty in the college is not more than 10% of the total number of sanctioned faculty positions in the college.

Dated:



Signature of the Principal

with college seal
PRINCIPAL

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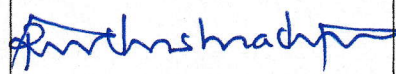
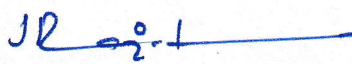
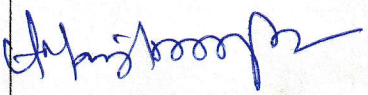

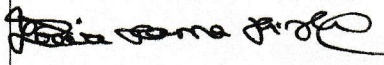
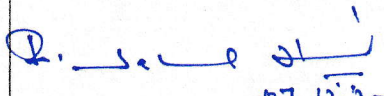
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EXTERNAL PEER TEAM MEETING

DATE: 07-12-2020

TIME: 11:00 AM

VENUE: Chamber of the Principal

Chair Person	Dr. J. Suresh Principal	
External Members	Dr. R. Rajeswara Palanichamy, Principal (i/c) NMS. S. Vellaichamy Nadar College Madurai – 625 019	
	Dr. R. V. Krishnakumar, Associate Professor of Physics Member-IQAC Thiagarajar College Madurai – 625 009	
Internal Members	Er. J. Rajendran NAAC Administrative Co-ordinator	
	Dr. A. Mayilmurugan Principal Nominee	
	Dr. A. Xavier IQAC Administrative Co-ordinator	
	Prof. S. Sivaramakrishnan NAAC Executive Co-ordinator	
	Dr. I. Sahul Hamid IQAC Executive Co-ordinator	 07.12.20

EXTERNAL PEER TEAM REPORT

The External peer review is conducted on 07-12-2020 at 11:00 AM to monitor, the extent to which autonomy granted by the UGC has been effectively utilized by The Madura College (Autonomous), Madurai – 625 011.

On reviewing the activities of the academic year 2019-20, the peer team has observed the following.

S. No	Criterion	Observations / Suggestions
I.	Curricular Aspects	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Common Board of Studies was conducted on 18-03-2020 and the syllabus revision was carried out for all UG programmes.2. Outcome Based Curricula framework has been planned to be implemented from 2020-21 onwards for all UG programmes.3. Two new programmes such as M.Com, M.Sc., Statistics, were introduced during the academic year 2019-20.4. CBCS system is followed for all programmes.5. A total of 11 value added programmes and 430 students have benefitted from the courses.6. Structured curricula feedback was collected from stakeholders and analyzed. <p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. More value added/add-on courses may be offered and students may be motivated to take up such values added courses in large nos.2. Students' participation in field projects and internship may be encouraged.3. Papers focusing on employability and Industry 4.0 may be introduced in larger numbers.4. OBE implementation may be planned for PG programmes also.
II.	Teaching, Learning and Evaluation	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. 102 Teachers have used ICT Tools for transacting the curriculum.2. Student mentoring system is functional with mentor-mentee ratio 1:17.3. A total of 103 teachers are Ph.D. holders.4. 7 Teachers have received awards / recognition from recognized bodies.5. Student Induction Programme under the aegis of UGC Quality mandate for new entrants has been organized.6. The college has a regular practice of conducting remedial classes for slow learners.7. The pass percentage in all courses is satisfactory.8. The examination section is fully automated.9. It is commendable that results of examinations are published within a period of two weeks from the last date of examination.

		<p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. More Teachers may be encouraged to practise the use of ICT tools for their regular teaching work in more numbers. 2. More teachers may be encouraged to apply for awards / recognition at National / International level in large number.
III.	Research, Innovations, Extension	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A total of 4 (Major / Minor) research projects funded by various funding agencies such as DST-SERB / ICSSR / Ministry of Environment, Forest Climate Change. A total of Rs.3,96,000 has been received during the year 2019-20. 2. A total of 15 workshops / seminars on Industry - Academia Innovative Practices have been conducted during the year 2019-20. 3. A total of 15 Ph.Ds were produced. 4. Publication – Books / edited volumes – 35. 5. Publication – Articles in reputed journals – 69. 6. A total of Rs. 2750 has been generated through consultancy. 7. A total of 111 students have taken up internship in the industry. 8. Implementation of extension activity is satisfactory. <p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Staff members may be encouraged to apply for research projects in larger numbers. 2. Teachers may be encouraged to publish their work in UGC-CARE list of journals. 3. Collaborative research is encouraged. 4. It is encouraged to generate revenue through consultancy / corporate training.
IV.	Infrastructure and Learning Resources	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The college has good physical infrastructure with adequate classrooms, laboratory space and sports infrastructure. 2. A total of 6 classrooms and 1 e-chamber were added during the year 2019-20. 3. The library is automated with Autolib software. 4. The college regularly subscribes for INFLIBNET N-LIST programme. 5. A total of 314 text books and 23 reference books were added during the year 2019-20 for a total amount of Rs. 70,207 6. A total of Rs. 2,27,52,792 was spent for maintenance of Physical facilities during the year 2019-20.

		<p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Library infrastructure may be enhanced. 2. Teachers may be encouraged to develop e-content. 3. A Studio for e-content creation may be established.
V.	Student Support and Progression	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students received scholarship amounting to Rs.23,52,383 and an additional financial support from the institution amounting to Rs. 1,40,350. 2. Ten programmes on career guidance for competitive examinations were offered. 3. Three Soft skills development programmes on “Interview Skill”, “Communicative Skill” and “Training for Competitive Examinations” were conducted. 4. The functioning of the Student Council is satisfactory. 5. A total of 15 students were placed in the industry through on-campus drive during the year 2019-20. 6. A total of 7 students were placed in off campus drive during the year 2019-20. 7. Alumni engagement in welfare of the institution is satisfactory. <p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Coaching classes for competitive examinations may be strengthened 2. Programmes focusing on motivation of students to higher education may be organized.
VI.	Governance, Leadership and Management	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Institution has a strategic plan for all core areas of operation. 2. A total of 8 programmes Professional Development / Administrative training programmes were organized by the college for Teaching / Administrative staffs during the year. 3. A total of 16 staff have attended orientation programme / Refresher course / Short Term Course for faculty development programmes during the year. 4. The college participated in the NIRF ranking 2020 and was placed in the band 151-200. 5. A total of 12 Quality initiatives were undertaken by IQAC during the year 2019-20. 6. The college has implemented e-governance in most areas of administration. 7. The functioning of IQAC is satisfactory. <p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The college must strive for a rank within the top 100 ranks among colleges in NIRF ranking. 2. e-governance initiatives in all aspects of administration may be taken up. 3. The college may consider providing financial support for

VII.	Institutional Values and Best Practices	<p><u>Observations:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. A total of 6 gender equity promotion programmes were organized by the college during the year 2019-20.2. The college undertook 11 programmes for the benefit of local community.3. The college conducted 10 programmes on universal values and ethics.4. The best practices of the institution is,<ol style="list-style-type: none">i. Student Induction Programmeii. Promotion of Values and Ethics <p><u>Suggestions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Facilities for the differently abled may be enhanced.2. Eco-friendly initiatives aimed at sustainability may be mooted.
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