

**VINAYAKA MISSION'S RESEARCH FOUNDATION
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SCHOOL OF ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES, SALEM



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School of Allied Health Sciences, Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation (DU) was established in 2004 by Founder Chairman Dr.A.Shanmugasundaram. With the blessings of the Founder chairman and under the guidance & support of the Chancellor, Dr. A.S. Ganesan, SAHS has been performing excellent academic work for 20 consecutive years in Salem (VIMS Hospital Campus), Puducherry (AVMC Campus) and Chennai (AVIT Campus).

We have offered 14 undergraduate courses, 13 postgraduate courses, and 3 diploma courses with qualified professors, which lead to better placement and a brighter future for students. We at AHS are committed to helping our students excel academically and develop life skills that are most needed in this fast-changing world.

In order to complement the educational services offered to students, we are providing the best infrastructure, digital technology based libraries, industry-specific certificate courses for better placement, seminars, conferences, workshops to develop department skills, as well as laboratory facilities to strengthen sector-specific skills and prepare for the future. In addition, we also provide scholarships to needy students as well as a medical insurance plan for parents and students.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:

SAHS had an extraordinarily successful year due to the numerous awards it has received for both excellence in academic services and service to the community by various National/International/Government bodies.

- District Eco-SDG champion for Sustainable Development Goals
- Top Institution for campus life
- Design and Development of Curriculum, Imparting Education Leading to UG & PG
- Diamond band in India for Research Excellence
- Diamond band in India for Employability and Startup Eco System Excellence
- Institutions with Innovative Infrastructure & Learning Environment
- Highest standard of excellence EMT training and practice
- Sharamdaan for Swachh Bharath
- Inventive Learning & Assessment Models....etc

The admission started during April, 2023 and a total of 582 students were admitted. The Academic Year 2023-2024 was inaugurated on 25th August 2023. Our students' fair well in the university examinations.

S.No	Programme	Pass Percentage
1	UG	97
2	PG	98

Student Graduate:

Totally 220 students received their degree. In that, 18 students received gold medal, 13 students received silver medals & 12 students received bronze medals in different category.

MoU'S:

This academic year MoU's with the following organizations have been made for the students clinical training/Internship/Research/Patent/Placement, etc.

National Collaborations:

- Swamy Eye clinic and surgicentre, Salem
- Dr. Agarwal's Institute of Optometry
- Dr. Agarwal's Healthcare Ltd
- Shri Ragavendhra Neurocare Pvt Ltd, Neurofoundation, Salem
- Society Of Indian Radiographers
- Skills Development Network, Indian Trust, Bangaluru
- Aarthi Scans Private Limited
- Turnip Innovations Pvt Ltd
- Phoenix Screening Services, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore
- HoneyBee Population Health Care
- Maxivision Eye Hospitals Pvt. Ltd.
- Geetha Eye Hospitals
- Government Vilupuram Medical College
- Quench Techno Valley
- Carl Zeiss India Pvt Ltd. Bangalore.

MAJOR INSTITUTIONAL HAPPENINGS AND ACTIVITIES:

Campus Interviews & Placements:

- Rajagiri, AsterRV, Apollo, Sri Chandrasekara, Manipal, Sri Jayam ortho, Agarwal, Aarthi Scans, Janaraksha, Suraksha, Dr. Sundarrajan, Bio Line conducted campus

interview and 250 students participated and 94 students shortlisted for placement and Internship.

Placement Training Programmes:

- With motto of better placement of SAHS student, we had organized **3 career guidance programme** through various national industries and speakers.

Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/FDP-Organized:

LIST OF GUEST LECTURES ORGANISED

S.No	Date	Name of the Event	Name of the Resource Person	Virtual/Physical /Hybrid	Total no of participants
1.	10/10/2023	World Anatomy Day- Guest Lecture - Role of Anatomy in Allied Health Professions	Dr.Gomathi Priyadharshini, Professor, Department of Anatomy, Vivekanandha Dental College of Women, Tiruchengode	Physical	485
2.	7/8/2023	Guest Lecture - Future 3.0 programme	Mrs.Nagalakshmi Vignesh kumar, Chapter Chair, Mrs. Puvelan, Innovative chair, Mrs. Prathipa Suresh, Health chair, Mr. Vignesh Kumar, Thalir chair, Mr. Praveen, Rural Initiative Chair, Mr. Suresh, Chair, CII – Yi, Salem	Physical	100
3.	8.7.2023	Guest Lecture - Role of statistics in Allied Health sciences professionals	Dr.Shalini, Assistant Professor, PG & Center for Research Department of Statistics, Sowdeswari College of Arts & Sciences, Salem	Physical	80

SEMINARS,WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES ORGANISED

S.No	Date	Name of the Event	National/International	Virtual/Physical /Hybrid	Total no of participants
1.	17.6.2023	Workshop - Strategies to Boost Student Progression	Institutional	Physical	86
2	21.6.2023	Hands on Training Programme - Lab set up & Radiation safety	Institutional	Physical	50

		procedures.			
3	1.7.2023	Faculty Refresher Programme - Curriculum Designing & Development and Po Co Mapping	Institutional	Physical	92
4	10.7.2023	Workshop - Business Model Canvas	Institutional	Physical	64
5	15.7.2023	National Conclave - Modalities of Echocardiography, Cardiac Intervention & Cardiopulmonary Bypass Techniques	National	Physical	700
6.	20.7.2023	Workshop - Innovation & Startup eco system	Institutional	Physical	88
7	22.7.2023	National Conclave - Neurophilia 2k23	National	Physical	150
8	26.7.2023	Hands on Training - Seditionists	Institutional	Physical	250
9	31.7.2023	Workshop - VC funding opportunities	Institutional	Physical	86
10	4/8/2023	Workshop - Lean startup Minimum viable/business	Institutional	Physical	92
11	5/8/2023	Workshop - IPR	Institutional	Physical	83
12	7.8.2023	Orientation Session - Importance of NAAC Accreditation and its criteria	Institutional	Physical	40
13	10/8/2023	Workshop - Startup Ideas for energy conservation tools	Institutional	Physical	66
14	11/8/2023	Workshop - Business Idea	Institutional	Physical	67
15	16/08/2023	Workshop - Value Proposition Fit & Business Fit	Institutional	Physical	88
16	19/8/2023	Workshop - How to plan startups and legal & ethical steps	Institutional	Physical	120
17	28/8/2023	Student Induction Programme	Institutional	Physical	500
18	30/10/2023 to 3/11/2023	Soft Skill Development Training Programme	Institutional	Physical	485

19	24.11.2023	Orientation Session - Osmosis - e learning Platform	Institutional	Physical	488
20	2.12.2023	National Conference - Integrating Science & Practice Enhancing: Neuro & Trauma Radiography (ISPE-NTR-2023	National	Physical	610
21	10.1.2024	FDP - Innovation & Entrepreneurship	Institutional	Physical	13
22	3/02/2024 & 04/02/2024	Hands on Training - The role of Forensic Toxicology in Crime Scène Investigation & Security Management & Incident Investigation – AMICUS CURIAE 2024	Institutional	Physical	130
23	9.3.2024	Training Session - Teaching Excellence	Institutional	Physical	48
24	22.4.2024	International Conference - Wellthcon –Thriving Together for a Healthier Tomorrow	International	Virtual	150
25	12.4.2024	Upskill Programme - Recent Advances in AT & OTT Equipments	Institutional	Physical	180
26	10.5.2024.	Workshop - Perfusionist: Connected to Life	Institutional	Physical	200
27	30.5.2024 & 31.5.2024	FDP - Effective teaching methods & concepts	Institutional	Physical	48

Extracurricular activity:

- **Sports day** was organized in April 2024 with full vigor and involvement of students, faculties and non teaching faculties.
- SAHS students were participated in intercollegiate meet and won a prize in various events.

Women's Team:


✓ Overall Championship Women Category- Runner

1. 27 gold Medals
2. 5 Silver Medals
3. 29 Bronze Medals


- ✓ Volley Ball -Women's Winner
- ✓ Chess Competition – Women's Winners
- ✓ Carrom Competitions- Women's – Winner
- ✓ Badminton-Women's Winner
- ✓ Athletic – Second Place and Third Place
- ✓ Long Jump – Second Place and Third Place

Men's Team:

- Carrom -Winner
- Chess Competition-Winner
- Totally 10 Gold Medals and 24 Bronze Medals
- [DETAILS OF SPORT ACTIVITIES](#)

S.NO	DATE	NAME OF THE EVENT	TOTAL NO OF PARTICIPANTS	PHOTOS
1	7.6.2023 To 15.6.2023	SPORTS DAY CELEBRATION	1200	
2	28/8/2023	Hockey Tournament	176	

3	7/10/2023	State Level – Women Kabbadi	7 Teams	
4	23.4.2024	Sports Day Inauguration	1220	

5	3.5.2024	Sports Day Closing Ceremony	1275	
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FACULTY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- This year SAHS faculties attended 30 conference/Seminar/Webinar/Workshop programmes.
- Prof.Dr.B.Sendilkumar , Director, SAHS, VMRF(DU) invited as a resource person of more than 10 various National / International organization.
- Prof Dr.B.Sendilkumar Director, recognized as a membership & fellowship member in various National/International bodies.
- In this year, 04 SAHS faculties published 04 research papers in reputed journals & 2 faculties published 2 book chapters.
- Faculties SAHS submitted/filed/Granted/Copyright totally 7 patents in different field.

INSTITUTION INNOVATION CELL & EDC CELL ACTIVITIES&ACHIEVEMENTS:

- SAHS is the first institution registered in TN- EDC.
- IIC (3 Program) & EDC unit(6 Program) of SAHS organized 09 events related on it.

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Industrial visits:

- RIT students were visited the SKANRAY TECHNOLOGIES,Mysore.
- Neuroscience students were visited the “NIMHANS”Neuropathology Museum at Bangalore .
- Forensic Science Technology students visited Regional Forensic Lab, Goa
- Forensic Science Technology students attended Autopsy visit and Training at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences.

- Forensic Science Technology students visited various police stations at different location in Tamilnadu.

Departmental Day Celebrations:

- World Perfusion Appreciation Week
- World Heart Day
- Physician Assistant Day
- World Anaesthesia day
- World Glaucoma Week
- World Optometry Day
- World Kidney Day
- World Radiography Day
- World Cancer Day
- World Anatomy Day
- World Breast Cancer Day

National /Religious Day Celebrations

- Aadi festival
- Onam Celebration
- Teachers Day Celebration
- NavarathiriKolu
- Vinayagar Chatturthi
- Diwali Celebration
- International Men's Day
- Christmas Celebration
- New Year Celebration
- Pongal Celebration
- Republic Day Celebration
- International Women's Day
- Independence Day

ISR/ NSS /RRC ACTIVITIES:

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES AND OUTREACH PROGRAMMES

S.No	Name Of The Activity	Organising Unit/ Agency/ Collaborating Agency	Number of students participated in such activities	Number of teachers participated in such activities
1.	Dhagam Thanipom	NSS Unit	100	2
2.	Cleanup Drive	EVS	120	4
3.	World Bicycle Day	NSS And Railway Protection Force, Rotary Club Of Salem	50	5
4	World Environmental Day	EVS Club	150	3
5	International Yoga Day	NSS And Indian Yoga Association	300	5
6	International Yoga Day	NSS Unit, SAHS Youth Club And Young Indian Club	300	4
7	No Drug Gala 2023 - International Day Against Drug Abuse And Illicit Trafficking	Department of Forensic Science Technology And NSS	150	6
8	Cataract Awareness Month	Department of Optometry	80	5
9	World Brain Day	Department of Neuroscience Technology	20	2
10	Eye Screening	Department of Optometry	30	4
11	Founders Day - Blood Camp	RRC	100	4
12	Founders Day – Saplings Distribution	EVS Club	10	4
13	World Population Day	Department of Public Health	51	4
14	World Day For International Justice	Department of Forensic Science Technology	50	4
15	World Hepatitis Day	NSS, Young Indian Club And Department of Physician Assistant	80	4
16	My Soil, My Country - Meri Mati Mera Desh	NSS	25	3

17	Avoid Plastics - Use Of Paper Bag	NSS	25	3
18	World Nature Conservation Day	EVS	200	3
19	National Bone And Joint Day	Department of Physician Assistant And Young Indian Club	1420	3
20	Partition Horror Remembrance Day Exhibition	National Service Scheme	898	4
21	Independence Day	National Service Scheme	250	10
22	World Photography Day	Department Of Forensic Science Technology	35	4
23	Sadbhavana Diwas	NSS	180	3
24	Eye Screening	Department of Optometry	320	2
25	Awareness Programme on HIV/AIDS & Drugs & Red Run	RRC Unit	80	5
26	No Drug	NSS	450	4
27	Energy Conservation	EVS Club	450	3
28	Sexual Harassment	Gender Sensitization Cell	450	3
29	Anti- Ragging	Anti Ragging Committee	450	4
30	Poshan Maah-Millet Mela	NSS	50	3
31	World Literacy Day	NSS	250	2
32	Awareness Link - World Lymphoma Day	NSS Unit	1200	118
33	Pledge Day - Social Justice Day	NSS Unit	150	2
34	Awareness Link - World Ozone Day	EVS Club	1400	118
35	Eye Screening Programme , Eye Donation Pledge Event,Awareness Lecture Session , Mass Awareness Rally,Eye Donation Willingness From Collection	Optometry	1200	5
36	Awareness Link - Alzheimer's Day	YI CLUB	1200	118
37	Cleanliness Drive - Swachhta Hi Seva	National Service Scheme & SAHS YI	50	3

38	Cardiac Camp	Cardiac Technology	15	3
39	Awareness Talk - Big Butterfly Month	EVS Club	250	3
40	Awareness Campaign - Meri Mati Mera Desh	NSS And SAHS Youth Club	25	3
41	Tree Plantation Drive	NSS Unit	200	3
42	Awareness Programme -World Breast Cancer Awareness Programme	RIT&RT&NM	100	5
43	Passport & Aadhar Updation Programme - World Post Day	NSS Unit	150	3
44	Awareness Programme - National Wildlife Week	EVS	150	2
45	Eye Screening Programme	Optometry	200	2
46	Sapling Plantation	NSS Unit	50	2
47	Awareness Campaign - Meri Mati Mera Desh	NSS	25	2
48	Parambarium Food Festival	NSS And Youth Club And Food Safety Department And ICDS	200	3
49	Awareness Rally Program - World Sight Day	Department Of Optometry	120	5
50	World Osteoporosis Day - Online Quiz	Department Of Physician Assistant And Young Indian Club	1700	118
51	Awareness Programme - National Dialysis Technician Recognition Week	RDT	40	2
52	Vermi Compost Distribution Programme	EVS	20	2
53	National Unity Day - Pledge	NSS	70	50
54	National Vigilance Awareness Week - Awareness Campaign	NSS And Department Of Forensic Science Technology	80	5
55	Awareness Painting - World Liver Day And Green Consumer Day	EVS	10	2
56	Awareness Talk - National Epilepsy Day	NSS	300	2

57	Awareness Talk - National Wild Life Week	EVS	120	2
58	International Day For Tolerance - Awareness Talk	NSS	140	2
59	National Constitution Day - Awareness Talk	NSS	200	2
60	National Pollution Control Day And National Recycling Day - Awareness Talk	EVS	60	4
61	International Day for The Elimination of Violence Against Women - Awareness Programme	GSC And NSS	150	50
62	International Day for Disabled Person` - Donation	Student Council Association	10	2
63	World AIDS Day - Awareness Rally	RRC Unit	400	3
64	World Wild Life Conservation Day - Awareness Programme	Department of Forensic Science Technology	600	4
65	Armed Force Flag Day - Pledge Event	NSS	50	51
66	World Wild Life Conservation Day - Adoption Of Indian Star Tortoise And Cleanliness Drive	Department Of Forensic Science Technology & NSS	80	4
67	Viksit Bharat @2047 - Awareness Campaign And Pledge	NSS	1200	3
68	National Energy Conservation Day - Awareness Programme	E – Cell	150	2
69	Vijay Diwas - Pledge Event	NSS	258	49
70	Constipation Awareness - Online Quiz	Department Of Physician Assistant And Young Indian Club	700	118
71	Awareness Programme- International Mind Body Wellness Day	NSS	200	2
72	Awareness Programme- International Education Day & National Girl Child Day	Gender Sensitization	400	48
73	Pledge - Parakram Diwas	NSS	60	49
74	Unknown Freedom Fighters - Photo Exhibition	SAHS Youth club	825	4
75	Awareness Activity - National Environmental Youth Parliament	NSS	50	4

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76	Pledge National Voters Day	NSS	80	46
77	Republic Day Celebration	NSS	150	50
78	Cleanup Drive	EVS	40	3
79	World Cancer Day- Awareness Programme	Department of RIT	40	5
80	Low Vision Awareness	Optometry – SAHS	108	2
81	Cardiac Technologist Day - Camp	Cardiac Technology- SAHS	60	3
82	NSS Camp	NSS- SAHS	50	3
83	Thai- Poosam Thiruvizha	NSS- SAHS	40	2
84	Nari Shakthi Fitness Run	SAHS Youth Club	25	2
85	World Kidney Day	Department of RDT	40	2
86	International Day of Action for Rivers	EVS- SAHS	60	2
87	Consumer Rights Movement Day	NSS-SAHS	118	2
88	World Glaucoma Week	Optometry - SAHS	15	5
89	Voter Awareness Programme	NSS-SAHS	160	2
90	Founder Memorial Day- Saplings Distribution And Blood Donation	NSS-EVS-RRC-SAHS	120	3
91	World Tuberculosis Day	NSS-SAHS	117	2
92	Eye Park	Optometry - SAHS	92	5
93	Voters Awareness Programme	NSS-SAHS	350	2
94	World Water Day	EVS-SAHS	80	2
95	World Health Day	NSS-Yi Club, Youth Club	50	4
96	Chancellor Birthday - Welfare Assistance - Adoption of Sambar Deer	NSS- Student Council Association	10	4
97	Chancellor Birthday - Welfare Assistance Library Books and Rack Donated	NSS- Student Council Association	10	4
98	Chancellor Birthday - Welfare Assistance - Ambu Bag And Electric Suction Equipment	Electric Suction Equipment-SAHS	10	4

99	Blood Donation Camp	RRC- SAHS	40	2
100	World Haemophilia Day	Yi Club - NSS- SAHS	80	2
101	Indoor Plant Setup in Rooms	EVS-SAHS	60	2
102	World Asthma Day	Perfusion Technology	200	3
103	Volunteer Service Kalipatti Kandhaswamy Temple	Youth Club	25	1
104	World Thalassaemia Day	Physician Assistant, Young Indians ,NSS	100	2
105	Endangered Species Day- 2024	Nss Environmental Science Club	15	2
106	National Dengue Day	NSS-SAHS Youth Club- Bhumi Club	200	2
107	World Menstrual Hygiene Day	Young Indians, Public Health	500	3
108	World No Tobacco Day - Rally	NSS- Young Indian	500	2
109	World No Tobacco Day – Awareness Talk	NSS- Young Indian	75	2
110	National Anti Terrorism Day	FST	100	4
111	World Hypertension Day	NSS Young Indians	200	2
112	Eye Screening -VIMS Staff Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
113	Eye Screening - Old Age Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
114	Eye Screening - Founder Day Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
115	Eye Screening - Free Eye Camp & Free Spectacles	Department of Optometry	8	2
116	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	5	2
117	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	8	2
118	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
119	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
120	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	5	2
121	Eye Screening - Friday Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
122	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	5	2

123	Eye Screening - Aarin Camp	Department of Optometry	5	2
124	Eye Screening - Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
125	Eye Screening - VIMS Staff Eye Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2
126	Eye Screening - Old Age Camp	Department of Optometry	10	2


Industry Designed/Offered Course:

1. SAHS offered a upskilling technical course by Siemen's Healthineers for Radiography/Cardiac Technology/Medical Lab Technology. Totally 180 students successfully completed the course & received a certificates.
2. For optometry students, SAHS collaborated with Baush& Lomb offered a short term course. Totally 30 students were participated in these programme.


STUDENT ACTIVITIES & ACHIEVEMENTS:

- 250 students were attended a SWAYAM NPTEL examination in this year.
- SAHS offered 07 value added courses. Nearly 406 students were successfully completed the programme.
- 05 best students were appreciated with Dr.A.S.Shanmugasundaram Endowment award & cash prize for their educational excellence and Annapoorani education Scholarship was given to the best girl students.
- SAHS Women team won the Overall Championship Runner in Women's category Intercollege meet.
- Students of SAHS participated in Various National conferences&35 students presented their papers and won prizes.
- Optometry students of SAHS were participated in reflectionz 2023, organized by sankara college of optometry, Bangalore, and won prizes in different category.

CULTURAL ACTIVITY:

O	DATE	NAME OF THE EVENT	TOTAL NO OF PARTICIPANTS	PHOTOS
1	16.6.2023	Cultural Day	1200	
2	23/08/2023	ONAM CELEBRATION	600	

3	12.9.2023	VINAYAKAR CHATTURTI	200	
4	1.9.2023	Teachers Day Celebration	1120	
5	15/10/2023	Navarathri Pooja	500	

6	27.10.2023	Farewell	500	
7	10/11/2023	Diwali Celebration	800	
8	18/11/2023	Men's Day	100	

9	18/12/2023 To 6.1.2024	Margazhi Utsavam	150	
10	20/12/2023	Christmas Celebration	450	
11	2/1/2024 &	Rangoli	82	
12	10/1/2024 &	Hostel Day Celebration	250	

13	12/01/2024	Pongal Day Celebration	1200	
14	26/01/2024	Republic Day Celebration	120	
15	7.3.2024	Women's Day Celebration	118	

16	13.4.2024	Tamil New Year Celebration	120	
17	15.4.2024	World Art Day	182	
18	3.5.2024	ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATION	1275	
19	3.5.2024	CULTURAL DAY CELEBRATION	1275	

Library Facilities:

- DELNET
- RFID
- NDLI

ROAD MAP AHEAD:

- Encourage & achieve Faculty Qualification Enhancement.
- Improve Research facilities.
- To increase the number of Publications and journals and book chapters by faculties.
- Enhance facilities to improve student performances in all related fields.
- Improve the infrastructure facilities.

GLIMPSES OF ACTIVITIES CAPTION WITH GOOD QUALITY PHOTOGRAPHS

1. Best Infrastructure amongst Allied Health Sciences Institute Award Report



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