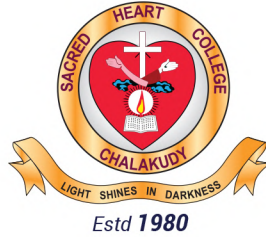


PROSPECTUS

2024-25



SACRED HEART COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHALAKUDY



Re-Accredited
with A+ by
NAAC with
CGPA 3.28



DBT Star
College



Approved by
AICTE
(New Delhi)



Star Rated
Member of
MoE's
Institution's
Innovation
Council



Partner of
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Years of Excellence



Welcome

Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Chalakudy, is a higher education institution managed by the Alvernia province of Franciscan Clarist congregation. The College, established in 1980, as a junior college with Pre-degree Programmes was upgraded to a first grade status in 1991 and is presently offering nine Under Graduate, eight Post Graduate Programmes, a five year Integrated Psychology Programme and a Research Center. The motto of the college is "LUX IN TENEBRIS LUCET" (Light Shines in Darkness). The College is located in a peaceful semi urban locality, the lush green gardens and well designed infrastructure provide the perfect ambience for learning, sharing and development of the students.

Our Vision



That the people shall know, for, knowledge is power. Education opens one's inner eye to the inestimable glory and enduring beauty of wisdom. Committed to serving the nation and humanity, this college founded in His name, envisages the academic pursuit of truth and the search for righteous living as the supreme task.

Our Mission



The sacred mission of the college enshrines creative scholarship and enrichment of young minds not merely in acquired knowledge, but in the spirit of enquiry, harmonizing the spiritual and intellectual adventures. Fostering an excellent 'esprit de corps' (feeling of togetherness), we aspire to mould competent persons armed with academic excellence, ethical principles, social sensitivity and spiritual sublimity equipped for innovative leadership enabling their "Lux in Tenebris Lucet" (Light Shines in Darkness).



From Principal's Desk

Greetings!

Sacred Heart College is dedicated to cultivating women who serve society, guided by our motto "Light shines in darkness". Our education, rooted in the values of St. Francis Assisi and St. Clare, emphasizes both academic excellence and moral principles. We prioritize inclusivity and support for marginalized groups while fostering students' holistic development. Faculty members play a key role in promoting research, self-employment, and entrepreneurship among students. Through a variety of extracurricular activities, we aim to nurture creativity and leadership skills. We are proud of our achievements in value-based education and modern teaching methods. Looking ahead, we remain committed to providing a supportive environment for future generations. Prospective students are encouraged to explore the opportunities offered by our college.

Best Regards

Dr. Sr. Reena Ittyachan (Dr. Sr. Irene)





Experience Excellence: Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Chalakudy, Thrissur – Where Dreams Flourish and Futures Soar

Sacred Heart College, is an Autonomous Women's College, affiliated to the University of Calicut, a Christian Minority Institution managed by the Alvernia Province of Franciscan Clarist Congregation and recognized by UGC under Section 2(f) and 12B.

Unlock Your Potential at Sacred Heart College

- ☀ **Inspiring Legacy:** Founded in 1980, backed by divine blessings and community support.
- 🎓 **Academic Excellence:** Offering diverse UG, PG, Integrated and PhD programs.
- 🌳 **Serene Campus:** Spread across 26 lush green acres, providing the perfect environment for holistic development.
- 💡 **Innovation Hub:** Fostering creativity through partnerships with various national initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and Institution Innovation Council.
- 🏆 **Proven Track Record:** 44 years of dedicated service in shaping successful futures.



Score Big with Sports at Sacred Heart College!

- 🏀 **Slam Dunk Excellence:** Dominating the basketball court with skill and strategy.
- ⚽ **Football Fever:** Kicking goals and creating legends on the field.
- 🚴 **Pedal to the Podium:** Cycling our way to victory with speed and stamina.
- 🥋 **Karate Champions:** Mastering martial arts with discipline and determination.
- 🏐 **Drop Roball Dynamos:** Showcasing agility and precision on the court.
- 🏃 **Athletics Ace:** Running, jumping, and throwing our way to glory.

Join Sacred Heart College's winning team and unleash your sporting potential!



PROGRAMMES OFFERED

FOUR-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES (FYUGP) 2024-25

Four-Year UG Programmes (FYUGP) will be implemented from 2024 admissions onwards. In FYUGP, a "Degree Programme" (Formerly known as "Degree Course") will have different types of "Courses" (Formerly known as "Papers") such as Major Courses (Formerly known as main or core courses) and Minor Courses (Formerly known as Subsidiary or Complementary Courses). In addition to major and minor courses (which are collectively referred to as discipline specific pathway courses), there are general foundation courses. They are Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC), Multi-disciplinary Courses (MDC), Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) and Value added courses (VAC). Four credits each for all the major and minor courses. Three credits each for all the general foundation courses.

FYUGP shall have three Broad Pathways,

3-year UG Degree (FYUGP Exit Option after 3 years)

4-year UG Degree (Honours)

4-year UG Degree (Honours with Research)

MAJOR PROGRAMMES

Sl. No	Programme	Aided / Self Financing	Eligibility	Sanctioned strength
1	BSc. Zoology (Hons.)/(Hons. with Research)*	Aided	Plus 2 with Biology	36
2	BSc. Physics (Hons.)/(Hons. with Research)*	Aided	Plus 2 with Science subject	48
3	BSc. Chemistry (Hons.)/(Hons. with Research)*	Aided	Plus 2 with Science subject	48
4	BA Economics (Hons.)	Aided	Plus 2 with any group	40
5	BA History (Hons.)	Aided	Plus 2 with any group	46
6	BA English Language & Literature (Hons.)	Aided	Plus 2 with any group	36
7	BSc. Mathematics (Hons.)/(Hons. with Research)*	Self Financing	Plus 2 with Mathematics	24
8	BCom. Finance (Hons.) (With ACCA/ CMA)	Self Financing	Plus 2 with any group (45% marks)	60
9	BCom. Co-operation (Hons.) (With ACCA/ CMA)	Self Financing	Plus 2 with any group (45% marks)	60
10	BBA (AICTE Approved)	Self Financing	Plus 2 with any group (45% marks)	60
11	BCA (AICTE Approved)	Self Financing	Plus 2 with Mathematics/ Computer Science/Computer Application	40

Subject to the prior approval from the University

Minor Disciplines: Zoology, Physics, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Botany, Economics, History, Political Science, English and Commerce



Integrated Programmes (Aided)

Sl.No.	Programme	Duration	Eligibility	Sanctioned strength
1	Integrated M.Sc Psychology	5 years with 3 years exit	Plus 2 with any group	30

PG Programmes Offered

SL.NO	Programme	Aided/ Self-Financing	Eligibility	Sanctioned Strength
1	MSc. Mathematics	Aided	BSc. Mathematics core with 50% marks	20
2	MSc. Zoology	Aided	BSc. Zoology core with 50% marks	10
3	MSc. Psychology (Lateral Entry to 4th year of Integrated MSc Psychology)	Aided	BA/ BA (Honours)/ BSc Psychology	18
4	MSc. Physics	Self-Financing	BSc. Physics/Applied Physics core with Maths as compulsory complementary and with 50% marks	12
5	MSc. Chemistry	Self-Financing	BSc. Chemistry/Industrial Chemistry/ Polymer Chemistry core with 50% marks	12
6	MSc. Computer Science	Self-Financing	At least 55% of marks or equivalent grade in BSc. (Computer Science or Information Technology or Electronics or Physics or Mathematics or Statistics or Chemistry) or BCA/ B.Voc in Software Technology/BVoc in Software Development of University of Calicut or an equivalent degree or BTech./ BE (Computer Science or Information Technology or Electronics or Electronics and Telecommunication or Electronics and Communication)	12



7	MA Economics	Self-Financing	BA Economics/ Foreign Trade/ Development Economics core with 50% marks for part III (Excluding subsidiaries) or BSc. Degree with Statistics/ Mathematics core with 70% marks for part III (Excluding subsidiaries)	15
8	MA English Language and Literature	Self-Financing	BA English Language and Literature/ BA English & History/ BA Functional English or BA/BSc.(Excluding alternative pattern) Degree with English as Common Course and with 50% marks	20
9	MCom. Finance	Self-Financing	BCom/ BBA/ BBS/BBM Degree with 50% marks	24

Ph.D Programmes Offered

PhD Programme in Mathematics

NSDC Approved Certificate Courses

Robotics and AI	Wildlife Tourism
Latex, Math Coding and AI	Beauty and Wellness
Web Developing	Freshwater Aquaculture Farming
MIS Data Analysis & Financial Services	Hygiene Products

Instructions at the time of admission

- > Application should be submitted online through the website of the college <https://sacredheartcollege.ac.in/admission/> and carefully follow the instructions for registration before applying online.
- > Students should keep a printout of the application submitted online and present it to the college at the time of admission.
- > The application should be submitted very carefully. In case of loss/denial of admission due to inaccuracies in the application, the entire responsibility lies with the respective applicant.



- Applicants claiming reservation, weightage marks etc. should produce the certificates as per the Govt / University Admissions rules at college at the time of admission.
- Admission of students for the FYUGP, PG and Integrated PG Programmes will be under the Choice-Based Credit Semester System.
- There will be a trial rank list for all categories of students followed by a final publication of the rank list. The rank list will be published on the college website as per the admission schedule. Listed candidates will be intimated about the interview schedule.
- Candidates have to appear for the verification of certificates in person.
- At the time of interview, the applicant should produce the following certificates in original.
 - Transfer Certificate from the school/college last attended
 - Course and Conduct Certificate
 - Mark List and Pass Certificate (PG students have to submit the degree/diploma in original at least by September of the same year)
- Immediately after the interview, the candidate if selected will be enrolled on payment of the fees and the submission of the certificates.
- Students are advised to have with them a sufficient number of attested copies of their mark list and other documents before the original certificates are submitted to the office.





UG ADMISSION RULES

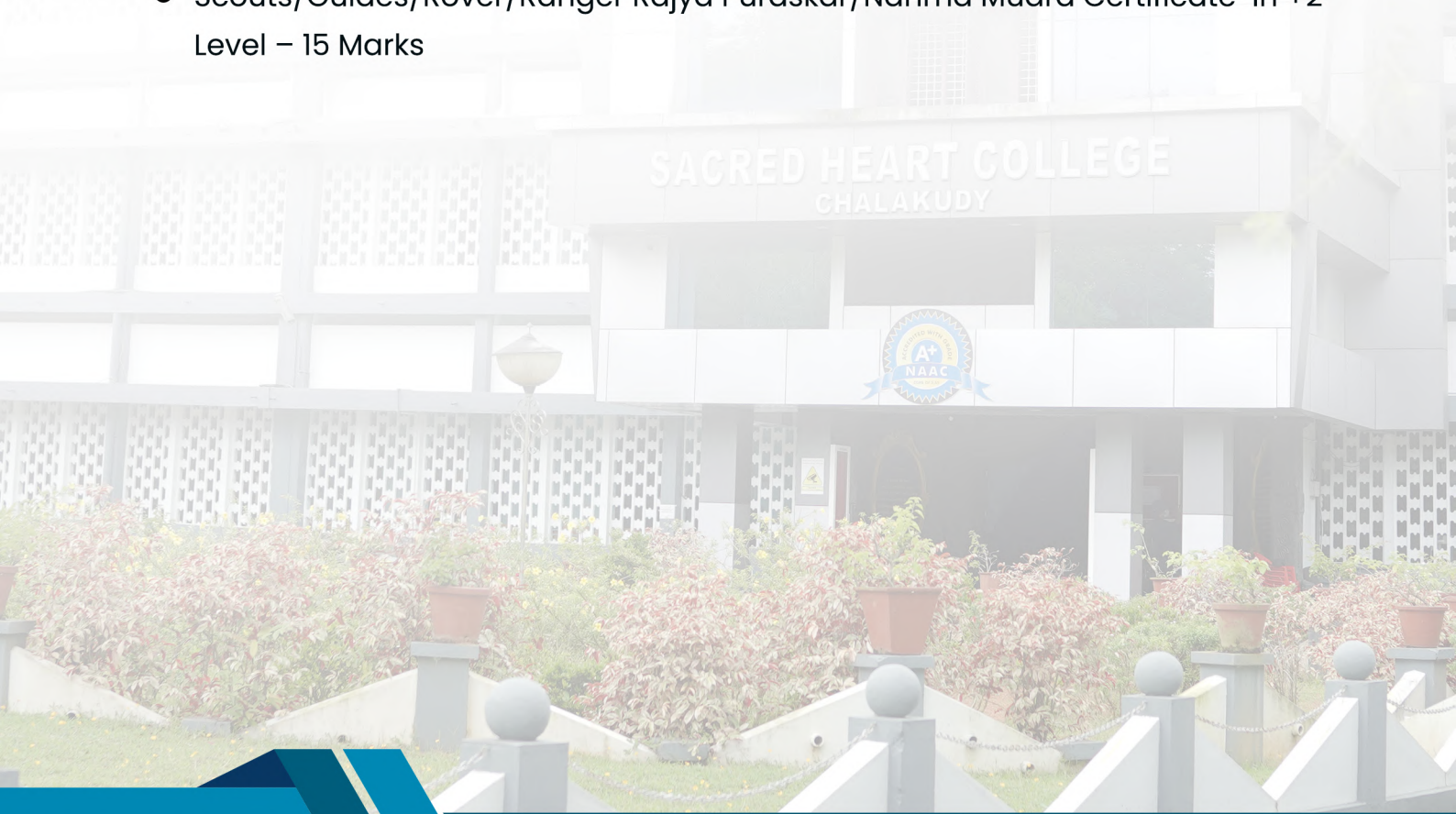
ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION AND INDEXING FOR RANKING

1. The eligibility for admissions and reservation of seats for various FYUG Degree Programmes shall be in accordance with the norms/rules made by the Government/University of Calicut, from time to time.
2. Those candidates who are "Eligible for Higher Studies" as per the Higher Secondary Examination, Kerala or a pass in the equivalent examinations is the minimum criteria for admission to degree courses, unless otherwise specified. (U.O.No 2393/2015/Admn Dated: 10.03.2015).
3. The candidates who have qualified the HSE and VHSE of the Government of Kerala under 'SAY' scheme and Compartmental Examination of CBSE are also eligible for admission to first-year degree courses in the same academic year. (U.O. No. GA I /A2/ 5753/2000 dated 14.05.2004).
4. The candidates possessing a certificate with "Eligible for Higher Studies" issued by the Kerala State Literacy Mission Authority are also eligible for Humanities and Commerce programmes. (U.O No. 408/2019/Admn Dated: 11.01.2019).
5. Candidates who have passed the Higher Secondary Examination of Tamil Nadu (Private study) shall not be admitted to any course in this college coming under the University of Calicut. (U.O.No.GAI/A1/5062/2002 dated 07.07.2005).
6. The visually challenged candidates are not eligible for admission to Science subjects (involving practical) except BCA.
7. All candidates qualified in the Higher Secondary Examination or its equivalent examinations held up to and including the annual examinations of the proceeding academic years are eligible for admission.



8. Bonus/Weightage marks Bonus/weightage marks will be added to the total marks obtained in the qualifying examination to calculate the index marks and for ranking in the selection list in the case of candidates who already possess the required minimum marks prescribed.

- Students who got First place/A grade in the Kerala State Higher Secondary/Vocational Higher Secondary Arts Festivals – 10 Marks
- In the case of ex-serviceman, widows and children of Jawan and ex-servicemen, and to the widows and children of B.S.F. Personnel killed or disabled in action. – 15 Marks
- For the N.S.S volunteers (+2 level) – 15 Marks
- For the NCC cadets (+2 Level) – 15 Marks Cadets holding A, B, and C certificates are eligible for an additional weightage of 3, 5, and 10 marks respectively.
- For the students who served as Student Police Cadets in +2 level – 15 Marks
- Scouts/Guides/Rover/Ranger Rajya Puraskar/Nanma Mudra Certificate in +2 Level – 15 Marks





GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.** The admission of the students who obtained the same index marks shall be decided first on the basis of age and then by name in alphabetical order unless otherwise specified. (U.O. No. GA1/A2/7226/2000 dated: 04-05-2001).
- 2.** In the case of VHSE candidates for admissions to BCom/BBA/BTHM programmes and all other programmes that come under Commerce and Management faculty, the index marks shall be arrived at by taking the marks of all the subjects except that of the marks of Vocational practicals and Internship Evaluation. (U.O. No. 2422/2015 dated: 11.03.2015).
- 3.** In the case of VHSE candidates for admissions to BA programmes, index marks shall be arrived at by taking the marks of all the papers except that of Vocational practicals and Internship Evaluation/Skill Evaluation Module. (U.O. No. 2422/2015 dated: 11.03.2015).
- 4.** In the case of courses equivalent to Plus two of Kerala HSE and have maximum marks or grades not in line with that of Plus two of Kerala HSE, the same will be normalized to the maximum marks of Plus two of Kerala HSE and the rank list will be prepared accordingly. (U.O. No. 2422/2015 dated: 11.03.2015).
- 5.** For admissions to BA programmes, the existing weightage of 25 marks shall be increased to 50, for those who have studied the subject concerned (mentioned in the present admission rule) in HSE or equivalent. (U.O. No. 2422/2015 dated: 11.03.2015)
- 6.** A concession of 5% will be given to OBC/OEC candidates. The SC/ST candidates need to get only a pass.



Equivalency/ Recognition

Equivalency/Recognition of the qualifying examinations taken from other Universities/Institutions should be confirmed strictly before making admission of students, except in the case of HSE / VHSE of the Kerala State Board and all regular Higher Secondary Examinations conducted by other State Boards, AISSCE (XII std.) of CBSE, ISCE and NIOS candidates who have passed the course with a minimum of five subjects, out of which one should be English.

PG ADMISSION RULES

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION AND INDEXING FOR RANKING

1. The eligibility for admissions and reservation of seats for various PG Programmes shall be in accordance with the norms/rules made by the Government/University of Calicut, from time to time.
2. The ethnic native Lakshadweep candidates are exempted from appearing the entrance examinations based on the sponsorship letter from the Lakshadweep Administration, subject to eligibility (U.O. No: 14933/2016/Admn dated 26.12.2016). One seat in each PG programme is additionally created and reserved over and above the sanctioned strength for the native students of the Union Territory of Lakshadweep, recommended by the Director of Education, Union Territory of Lakshadweep. The candidates recommended by the Director of Education Union Territory of Lakshadweep shall be admitted by completing the online registration through college website, with the online registration fee and mandatory fee as applicable to SC/ST students (U.O.No. 12753/2022/Admn Dated, 28.06.2022).
3. Those who are awaiting final semester/year results of the qualifying examination can also apply. All candidates including result awaiting students shall submit their Mark List/Grade Card (consolidated grade card and provisional certificate) to prove the eligibility of qualifying examination at the time of admission (U.O No.1530/2022/Admn Dated 20.01.2022).



- 4. Additional PG:** Candidates can apply for Additional PG programmes subject to the conditions laid down in U.O.No. 2545/2024/Admn dated 15.02.2024. A candidate having a regular PG Degree in Non Professional/Professional Programme can avail additional PG in Professional/Non professional programmes under Regular Mode. A candidate can pursue two PG programmes simultaneously one in regular mode and another in Open and Distance Learning (ODL)/Online mode, without overlapping the class timing of the other programme. Students taking additional PG are not eligible for any fee concession and reservation.
- 5.** Those candidates who have completed their qualifying examination from other Universities shall produce a percentage certificate from the concerned University, if the same is not mentioned in their final grade card/mark list. If they fail to submit the same before the stipulated time, they will not be considered for admission.
- 6.** Those candidates who have completed their qualifying examination from other Universities shall produce an Equivalency /Recognition Certificate for the students of Other States from the University of Calicut.
- 7. Persons with Disabilities (PwD) :** Five percent (5%) of the seats shall be additionally created, over and above the sanctioned strength in each programme, are reserved for Persons with Disabilities. (U.O.280/2018/Admn dated 06.01.2018). PwD candidates shall produce the medical certificate issued by the District Medical Board or competent authorities stating that the disability is 40% or above. The category of the disabilities should be specified clearly in the medical certificate.
- 8. Claim for Reservation under Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribe Quota :** Candidates claiming reservation under Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes quota should obtain the Caste/Community Certificate from the Tahsildar. The seats unavailed by the SC candidates will go to ST candidates and vice versa .
- 9. Claim of OEC candidates against the un-availed seats of SC/ST candidates:** Other Eligible Community (OEC) candidates who claim allotment to the unavailed seats, if any, under SC/ST quota should furnish Community and Income certificates obtained from the Village Officer concerned. Those OEC candidates whose annual family income is up to the amount stipulated by the Govt. for this purpose from time to time alone are eligible for such seats.



INTEGRATED PG ADMISSION RULES

COURSE DURATION AND EXIT OPTION:

Admission taken in the first semester shall be admission to “Five Year Integrated PG programme” and students will not be required to take re-admission at any stage of the programme unless the student discontinues the programme after VIth semester. The programme framework provides an additional entry point as, the student, who has discontinued his/her studies on obtaining corresponding degree from an integrated programme, can join at a later date for the programme to complete a Master's Degree if vacancy is available and is subject to the decision of the College. If any vacancy arises due to discontinuation or exit option after the VI Semester, fresh admission shall be allowed subject to College Admission regulations.

The Integrated PG Programme is a five-year (10 semesters) programme with an exit option after the completion of VI Semester. Students who have successfully completed according to the minimum mark/grade required for pass and apply for the exit option will be awarded a Degree in the areas concerned. The degree awarded as per the exit options is equivalent to the degrees of any non-integrated programme. Students, who continue the programme and successfully complete X semester will be awarded Integrated Masters Degree in the area concerned.

A candidate having an integrated PG Degree/UG Degree can avail of another integrated PG programme under regular mode provided the other eligibility criteria of the respective programmes are satisfied. A candidate can pursue two academic programmes (either in UG/integrated PG / PG) simultaneously one in regular mode and another in Open and Distance Learning (ODL)/Online mode, without overlapping the class timing of the other programme. Candidates taking additional Integrated PG shall not be eligible for any fee concession and reservation for admission.



EQUIVALENCY/RECOGNITION

Equivalency/Recognition of the qualifying examinations taken from other Universities/Institutions/NIOS (candidates who have passed the course with a minimum of five subjects, out of which one should be English) should be confirmed strictly before making admission of students, except in the case of HSE/VHSE of the Kerala State Board and all regular Higher Secondary Examinations conducted by other State Boards, AISSCE (XII std.) of CBSE and ISCE.

SPECIAL ATTENTION

The eligibility for admissions and reservation of seats for various Integrated PG Programmes shall be in accordance with the norms/rules made by the Government/University of Calicut, from time to time.

Blind, Deaf and Hard of Hearing students are not eligible for admission to Integrated PG programmes in Science subjects involving practicals.

SEAT CLASSIFICATION IN VARIOUS CATEGORIES

I) Seat Distribution in Aided Programmes

Sl no.	Seat Reservation	Forward Community Colleges
1	Open Quota	50%
2	Scheduled Caste	15%
3	Scheduled Tribe	5%
4	Community Quota (Syrian Catholic)	10%
5	Management Quota	20%

The seats under the community quota shall be reserved for students of the Syrian Catholic community and shall be filled based on merit.

II) Seat distribution in Self-financing Programmes

In the Self-financing Programmes, 50% of the total seats shall be filled by the management from among candidates of their choice provided they satisfy the eligibility conditions. The remaining seats (50%) shall be distributed and filled as follows:

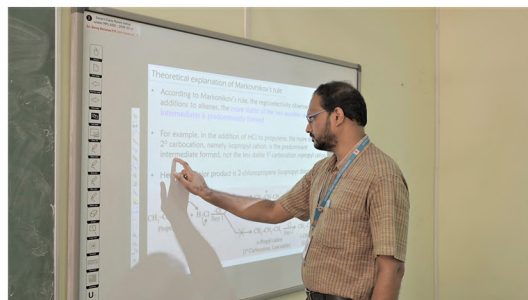
Distribution of 50% seats earmarked under merit	% of reservation
Open Quota	65
Scheduled Caste	8
Scheduled Tribe 2	2
Ezhava, Thiyya & Billava	9
Muslims	8
Latin Catholics other than Anglo Indians	2
Other Backward Christians	1
Other Backward Hindus	5

IMPORTANT DATES

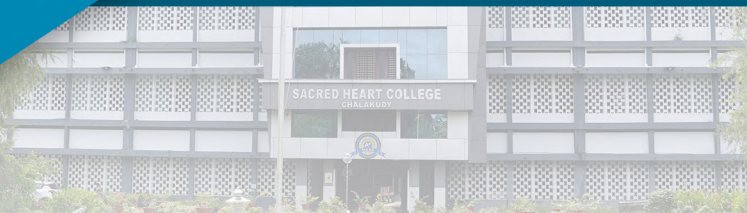
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1.	Commencement of Online Registration	10-05-2024
2.	Closing Date of Online Registration	30-05-2024
3.	Publication of Trial Rank List	31-05-2024
4.	Publication of First Allotment	01-06-2024
5.	Certificate Verification & Admission Confirmation	03-06-2024
6.	Commencement of Classes	01-07-2024
7.	Student Induction Programme	02-07-2024

OUR FACILITIES

- > Green and Clean Eco-Friendly Campus
- > Computerised Library - Hub of Dynamic Learning and Browsing Bay
- > Wi-Fi Enabled Campus
- > Well-equipped science laboratories
- > Digital Language Laboratory
- > CT Enabled Smart Classrooms
- > History and Zoology Museums
- > UG and PG Hostels
- > Luminous Hall - Accoustic A/C Hall
- > Auditorium and Audio-Visual Room
- > Clare Hall - Seminar Hall
- > Center of Excellence
- > Canteen and Amenity Centre
- > Fitness and Yoga Center
- > Open Gym



- > Sports Facilities - 400 m 8-lane Track, Football-cum-Cricket Ground, Tennis Court, Jumping Pit and Throwing Sectors, Volleyball Court, Ball Badminton Court, Basketball Court, Cricket Net Practice Facility, Karate Ring, Sepak Takraw, Tennikoit, Kho Kho and Drop Roball Courts
- > Water Testing Center and Self Employment Unit
- > Career Guidance and Placement Cells
- > Facility for Mentoring and Professional Counselling
- > Spacious Lush Green Garden
- > Coaching for Civil Service and PSC Examinations
- > Solar Energy Harvesting
- > Rain Water Harvesting
- > Proper Waste Management System
- > Divyangjan Friendly Campus
- > Various Clubs; Heritage Club, Energy Club, Literary Club, Eureka Club, Debate Club, Nature Club, Quiz Club, ED club, Eco Club, Yoga Club, Red Ribbon club, Biota Club, Electoral Literacy Club, Mental Health Club, Math Club, Littera Club and Active Units of NSS



CAREER DESTINATIONS

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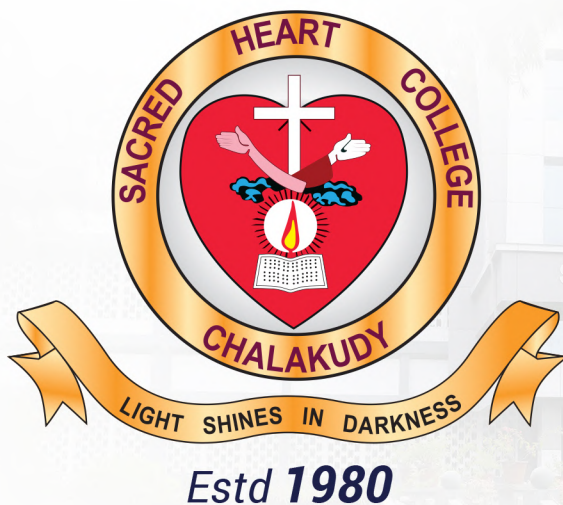


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