

MARKAZ ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE, ATHAVANAD

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CAREER GUIDANCE AND PLACEMENT CELL

The Career Guidance and Placement Cell of Markaz Arts and Science College, Athavanad, organized various programmes during the academic year **2025-26** to enhance students' employability and career awareness. In association with the **District Employability Office, Malappuram**, an **Employability Registration Camp** was conducted on **18th August 2025**. The programme was inaugurated by **Dr. C. P. Mohamed Kutty, Principal**, and the session was handled by **Mr. Jijeesh, District Employability Officer**, along with **Ms. Rekha**, who guided students on employability registration procedures and services offered by the Employability Centre. Around **60 students** participated in the camp.

A **three-day Soft Skill Training Programme on Basic Computer Knowledge** was organized on **15th, 16th and 17th October 2025** in collaboration with the **District Employment Exchange and Employability Centre, Malappuram**, for **PG students**. The sessions were led by **Ms. Rekha N. R., IT Officer, District Employment Exchange, Malappuram**, who provided training on basic computer operations, office applications, internet usage, and digital job application processes.

The Cell also organized a **Career Guidance Seminar on 27th October 2026** in association with the **University Employment Information and Guidance Bureau, University of Calicut**. The seminar was inaugurated by **Dr. C. P. Mohamed Kutty, Principal**, and the session was handled by **Mr. M. V. Zakariya, career expert and former PRO of the University of Calicut**, who guided students on career planning, higher education opportunities, and emerging job sectors.

In association with the **District Employment Office and Employability Centre, Malappuram**, organized a **Three-Day Soft Skill Training Programme** from **12th to 14th January 2026** to enhance students' soft skills, communication ability, and employability. The sessions were handled by **Mrs. Laila C. M, Mr. Ameenudheen K. P., Career Strategist and Soft Skill Trainer, and Mr. K. N. Balan Nair**, covering topics such as **personality development, career planning, interview skills, workplace professionalism, and communicative English**. The programme recorded the participation of 51 students on the first day, 49 on the second day, and 53 on the third day.

The **Civil Service Orientation Programme** titled "**Career Meet**" was organized by the **District Employment Exchange - Vocational Guidance & Career and Placement Cell, Malappuram**, in association with the Career Guidance and Placement Cell of Markaz Arts and Science College, Athavanad, on **29 January 2026**. The programme was inaugurated by **Mr. Dilip Kainikkara IAS, Sub Collector, Tirur**, who also handled the session and provided guidance on civil service examinations, preparation strategies, and career opportunities in the public sector. The interactive session helped students understand the structure of competitive examinations and effective preparation methods. A total of **84 students** attended the programme.

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Mr. Jijeesh, District Employability Officer, and Ms. Rekha interacting with students during the Employability Registration Camp.

2.



Ms. Rekha N. R., IT Officer, District Employment Exchange, conducting the training session for PG students.

3.



Mr. M. V. Zakariya delivering the Career Guidance session.

4.



Mrs. Laila C. M delivering the session on Soft Skills and Personality Development.



Mr. Ameenudheen K. P., Career Strategist, conducting the session on Career Strategy and Employability Skills.



Mr. K. N. Balan Nair delivering the session on Communicative English.

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Mr. Dilip Kainikkara IAS, Sub Collector, Tirur, delivering the Civil Service Orientation session.