

A. Preface

Ours is a **Golden Jubilee** institution, started in **1956** with a vision to offer higher education for rural learners with 11 students, now functions in a sprawling **85 acres** of land and 50000 sq.mts. of built up area, with 8040 students of which 3834 are boys and 4206 are girls and 344 faculty members in both Aided and Self finance sessions, of which 90 are Ph.D. holders. The strength of non teaching faculty amounts to 202(71 are in the Aided session). The college owns **750 acres** of land in the name of the Trust for future development.

The College has come under **2(f)** section since 09.07.1956 and **12(b)** since 17.06.1972 of the UGC Act.

Our institution effectively functions in the **Autonomous** mode from **1987**. The college offers **17 UG, 16 PG, 12 M.Phil. & 14 Ph.D.** Programmes, **23 Certificate courses, 2 UG Diplomas** and **5 PG Diplomas** and 3 diplomas at **SPIVET**, our extension centre at Thanjavur. With 14 **Research Recognized Centres** of the Bharathidasan University, Trichirappalli, we are proud to offer Research Programmes especially in Computer Science, Physical Education and Library and Information Science.

We are accredited with **4 star** status in **1999** and re-accredited in **2007** with ‘A’ grade by the National Accreditation and Assessment Council of India (NAAC). We have sent our Proposal to **DBT Star College** and attended the Interface Meeting at New Delhi.

We apply for the **third cycle of Reaccreditation** for further quality sustenance, enhancement and continuous improvement of the college. This helps us to identify our strengths and weaknesses and ennoble our vision and mission to march towards actualizing our potentiality in attaining our goal of offering higher education to rural mass with compassionate hearts on par with global standards.

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Principal

