Institutional Distinctiveness

The Cochin College symbolises the aspirations of the people of West Kochi. The college thrives to achieve the twin objectives of fulfilling the academic aspirations and contributing to the societal progress. It has been facilitating the students to get involved in community development programmes. The various clubs, committees and departments chalk out socially relevant programs with the objective in mind.

As part of Suchitwa Mission Campaign, waste disposal units were distributed to three schools in the neighbourhood. Workshops were conducted on measures to reduce, reuse and recycle plastic, production of vermicompost from vegetable wastes from nearby market. Students conducted surveys on the solid waste management in west Kochi and awareness campaign was also carried out on the same. Seminars were conducted for creating awareness on food wastage and effective use of it during parties and wedding ceremonies.

The students of the college took part in the program for making urban greenery. The college has coordinated The Solar Project Survey in the neighbouring ward conducted by the Cochin Corporation. The institution reach out to the women in the society by organising talks, awareness classes and workshops on topics such as Aquarium Management and Feed Preparation, umbrella making, financial literacy etc.

Creating concern and empathy towards the vulnerable sections of the society, the students are taken for visits to old age homes, orphanages and special schools in the neighbourhood. A unit of the Thanal Palliative Care Centre was started in the college and students are heading with activities in this regard. The institution continued its flood relief activities this year also. Students collected essential materials and handed them over to the district authorities for distribution.

When the Covid 19 pandemic broke out, the institution organised awareness class on prevention and control of Covid 19 and other viral diseases. To meet the sudden demand for sanitizers, the Department of chemistry of the College manufactured prepared sanitisers and distributed to offices and shops in the neighbourhood.