



# Holy Cross College (Autonomous)

Accredited with A+ Grade (CGPA 3.35 - IV Cycle) by NAAC  
Affiliated to Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli  
**Nagercoil - 629 004**



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**Prospectus**

**2024 - 2025**

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Our College strives for the all-round formation of young women in the light of Christian principles inculcating love, truth, justice and equality to face the challenges of life and career with courage, confidence and competency. The College upholds ethical values and attaches unwavered commitment to academic excellence, integrity, personal accountability and transparency.

### **College Timing**

9.00 a.m. to 3.15 p.m. (Aided and Self-Financed Courses)



### **Address**



Holy Cross College (Autonomous),  
Roch Nagar,  
Kurusady,  
Nagercoil - 629004,  
Tamil Nadu.

## Overview

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Inception	-	1965
Autonomy	-	2007
Teaching Staff	-	155
Non-teaching Staff	-	72
Students	-	2000+
UG Programmes	-	19
PG Programmes	-	13
M. Phil Programme	-	1
Research Departments	-	9
Research Guides	-	51
Researchers	-	131
Library Books and e-Books	-	2 Lakhs+
Library Journals and e-Journals	-	14000+
Startups	-	50 +
Ministry of Educations' Innovation Cell	-	4 Star
Scholarships	-	20
Patents (Granted, Published, Filed)	-	3, 16, 8



## About us

Holy Cross College (Autonomous) is the first women's college in Kanyakumari District, established in 1965. It was inaugurated on 2nd August, 1965. The College has been accredited by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) with 'A+' Grade with CGPA of 3.35 in the fourth cycle in the year 2019. The college has been awarded with four stars by the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell IIC 4.0.

The main thrust of the college is "Empowerment of Women". Since its inception, Holy Cross College stands out as a launch pad for the marginalized and the underprivileged young women of the locality. The college stands for total liberation and holistic development of the students in order to prepare them to take their rightful places and responsibilities in the society. The college is administered by the Sisters of the Cross of Chavanod, Madurai Province and is an Autonomous institution affiliated to Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli.

The college is ensconced within a 20-acre serene campus in a semi urban village called Kurusady, a suburb of Nagercoil town which is 20 kms away from Kanniyakumari. The campus is spectacular with a thick green cover of pollution free ambience and enjoys a salubrious climate. It always strives to provide adequate infrastructure facilities to meet the requirements of the changing times. The institution has adopted multiple ways to meet the employability needs and to augment the all round development of the students.

### VISION

Imbibing the Spirit of the Holy Cross, the institution envisions a harmonious society by empowering young women for global competency and ecological sustainability through a holistic approach with innovative skills.

### MISSION

- To provide quality education and to promote scholarly activities catering to global competencies.
- To nurture participatory leadership to enhance social consciousness and social responsibility.
- To uphold ethical values of love, truth and justice, personal accountability and transparency through professional commitment.
- To create global professionals and entrepreneurs with innovative spirit and zeal.
- To create empowered women of competence, commitment and compassion.
- To instill in staff and students the awareness of interconnectedness between human and nature.

## Programmes Offered

\*Eligibility criteria and requirements for admission in any programme are liable to change according to the norms of the Government.

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#### PROGRAMMES OFFERED

##### Aided Programmes

<b>B.A</b>	History Economics English	<b>M.A</b>	English
<b>B.Sc</b>	Mathematics Physics Chemistry Botany Zoology	<b>M.Sc</b>	Mathematics Zoology Physics
<b>B.Com</b>	Commerce		

##### Self Finance Programmes

<b>B.A</b>	Literature with Media Communication (New Programme)	<b>M.A</b>	English Economics History
<b>B.Sc</b>	Computer Science Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (New Programme) Fashion Designing	<b>M.Sc</b>	Mathematics Botany Chemistry Computer Science
<b>B.Com</b>	Commerce (Batch - I) Corporate Secretaryship (New Programme)	<b>M.Com</b>	Commerce
		<b>M.S.W</b>	Master of Social Work

##### Ph.D Programmes

- Mathematics
- Physics
- Botany
- Zoology
- Chemistry
- Commerce
- English
- Economics
- History

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## Admission Procedure & General Instructions 2024

To make the admission process comfortable, please read the instructions carefully. Applications with incorrect information will be rejected. The Application and the course fee details are available in the payment link.

Admission to any course does not guarantee hostel accommodation. The college does not collect capitation fee for admissions. If anyone promises admission on payment of donations in cash or kind, it must be brought to the notice of the Principal immediately. Recommendations will not be entertained.

## **How to Apply Online?**

- Go to <https://erp.holycrossnagl.edu.in/Admission/Application>
- Fill your personal and academic details carefully.
- You can choose any number of courses of your interest. Prioritize it.
- Pay the Application fee. You will receive a user name and a password for the next procedure through SMS to the registered phone number.
- Save the payment receipt for future verification.
- The College Selection Committee will carry out the admission process.
- The selected candidates should submit their original certificates for verification. The details will be provided through SMS.
- Pay the course fee.
- Provide the necessary data required in the college office.
- Your admission is confirmed after you receive an acceptance letter duly signed by the Principal. Download it

## **Sports**

Our Physical Education Department has been established for the sports aspirants to excel as achievers. The available sports facilities are fully utilized to produce maximum number of University Blues, District, State, National and International champions.

### **Sports Facilities**

- 6-acre sports field with ample space for indoor and outdoor games.
- Gymnasium with the working area of 5364 sq.ft.
- Table Tennis Board, Badminton Court, Chess Boards, and Weight Lifting Set for indoor sports.
- Robot propelling machine for table tennis practice.
- High Jump Bed
- 200m track for Running Events.
- Long Jump Pit and Sectors
- Gym Facilities
- Free hostel facilities to the outstanding sports students

As we have ample facilities, the students are well trained by specialized coaches along with the Director of Physical Education in indoor, outdoor games and athletic events. An average of 500 students makes use of this facilities daily.

## **Salient Features**

- Academic Excellence
- Qualified and Effective Faculty
- Inter-disciplinary Job-oriented Courses
- Skill Based Certificate Courses
- Value-based Education
- Mentor-ward System
- Counselling Services
- Campus Ministry
- Remedial Coaching
- Extension Services
- Soft Skill Training
- College Choir
- Career Guidance and Placement Opportunities
- Eco-friendly Campus
- ICT Enabled Teaching
- Industrial Visits, Study Tours, Field Visits
- Institutions Innovation Council (IIC)
- Incubation Center and Innovative Startups

## **Campus Amenities**

- Smart Classrooms
- Instrumentation Centre (DST-FIST)
- Well Equipped Lecture Halls & Laboratories
- Computer Laboratories
- Language Lab
- Wi-Fi Enabled Campus
- User Friendly Library
- Auditoriums
- Gym Facility
- Indoor Stadium
- Hostel Facilities
- College Bus Facilities
- Canteen and Stationery
- RO Water Facility
- Printing Facility
- On-Campus Banking Facility
- A/C Conference Hall
- WISE (Women's Initiative and Skill Enhancement)
- Common Room
- Counseling Centre

## **Value Added Courses**

Our college organizes Value Added Courses for all the students to equip them in current trends and technicalities. These courses reduce the gap between academic outcomes and the needs of industry sectors.

- Enhancing Advanced Soft Skills
- English Language Teaching through Chat GPT
- Data Analysis and Statistical Tools
- Science Communication
- Advanced Python
- Geographic Information System (GIS)
- Master in Digital Marketing Ads
- Renewable Energy Startup
- Advanced Artificial Intelligence
- Advance Distributed queue (Apache Kafka)
- Technical Writing
- Data Science
- Cloud Computing
- Business Intelligence
- .NET Framework
- Java Server Faces (JSF)
- Basic Python
- Google Web Toolkit (GWT)
- Cyber Security
- Interior Designing and Decoration
- Big Data
- Project Management
- Networking
- Retail and Sales Management
- Graphic Design
- Photography
- Web Design
- Database Management
- MS Office Certification Program

- Digital Ads
- Business Management
- Quick Arithmetic for Competitive Exams
- Domestic Appliance Service

## **Library**

Holy Cross College Library plays a catalytic role in learning and research. Students, Teaching and Administrative Staff, Research Scholars, neighboring college students and researchers, and alumnae make use of our repository of knowledge. There is a regular subscription to leading Newspapers, Magazines and Journals of both English and Tamil thereby augment the library as a rich source of knowledge.

- Books and Journals - 2,67,692
- Free Wi-Fi Facility
- 25312 sq.ft.

## **Hostel**

Holy Cross College Hostel is run on the Christian principles of love, discipline, honour and service. It functions within the college premises with a very good ambience for spiritual, psychological and physical development of the students. It instills leadership skills, self

responsibility, cooperative team spirit and motivation for excellence in academic activities.

Hostel life enhances the holistic development of students. The rules and regulations are planned to help young women to become responsible citizens and to use their liberty prudently and productively by imbibing self-discipline and moral values.

The principal is the chief warden and the students are cared by wardens with utmost care. It is the bounden duty of all inmates to abide by the regulations of the hostel.

## **Certificate Courses**

- Communication Skill for Entrepreneurs
- A Chef's Touch
- Acrylic Painting
- Apparel Designing
- Basics of Web Creation
- Elegance and Style
- Fabric Painting
- Glass Reverse Painting
- Hooked Needle Work
- Jewelry Design
- Personal Grooming
- Portrait and Pencil Shading

- Pot and Clay Painting
- Speak and Shine Spoken Hindi
- Style Art Writing
- Traditional Aari Embroidery

## **Clubs and Committees**

- National Cadet Corps (NCC)
- National Service Scheme (NSS)
- Red Ribbon Club
- Youth Red Cross
- Rotaract Club
- Eco Club
- Women's Cell
- Legal Literacy Committee
- Consumer Club
- All India Catholic University Federation (AICUF)
- Reaching the Unreached Neighbourhood (RUN)
- UBA Cell
- Electoral Club
- Placement Cell
- Yuva Tourism Club

## **Principal's Message**

Holy Cross College is a very prestigious college with a strong determination to empower women personally and professionally. I firmly believe that through education, women can fabricate an identity of their own. They can pursue their dreams and move ahead in their lives through the foundation of education and edifice of qualities they avail from this institution. The college has continued to sow the seeds of education to women right from the inception and constant in nourishing them physically, emotionally, intellectually, spiritually, and socially.

The college has Holy Cross Innovation and Incubation Centre (HCIIC) through which we promote innovation and entrepreneurship to both faculty and students. The students are kept abreast of numerous careers which help them to hold their head high in the society as successful entrepreneurs or employees. The college takes pride in providing equal platform to all students to attain a positive outlook with confidence. The college helps in unlocking all the hidden potentials of the students and hone them as women leaders. Our 'Crossian Model' encompasses professionalism, efficiency, time management, innovation, capacity building, accountability and transparency for which commitment with compassion is the basis.

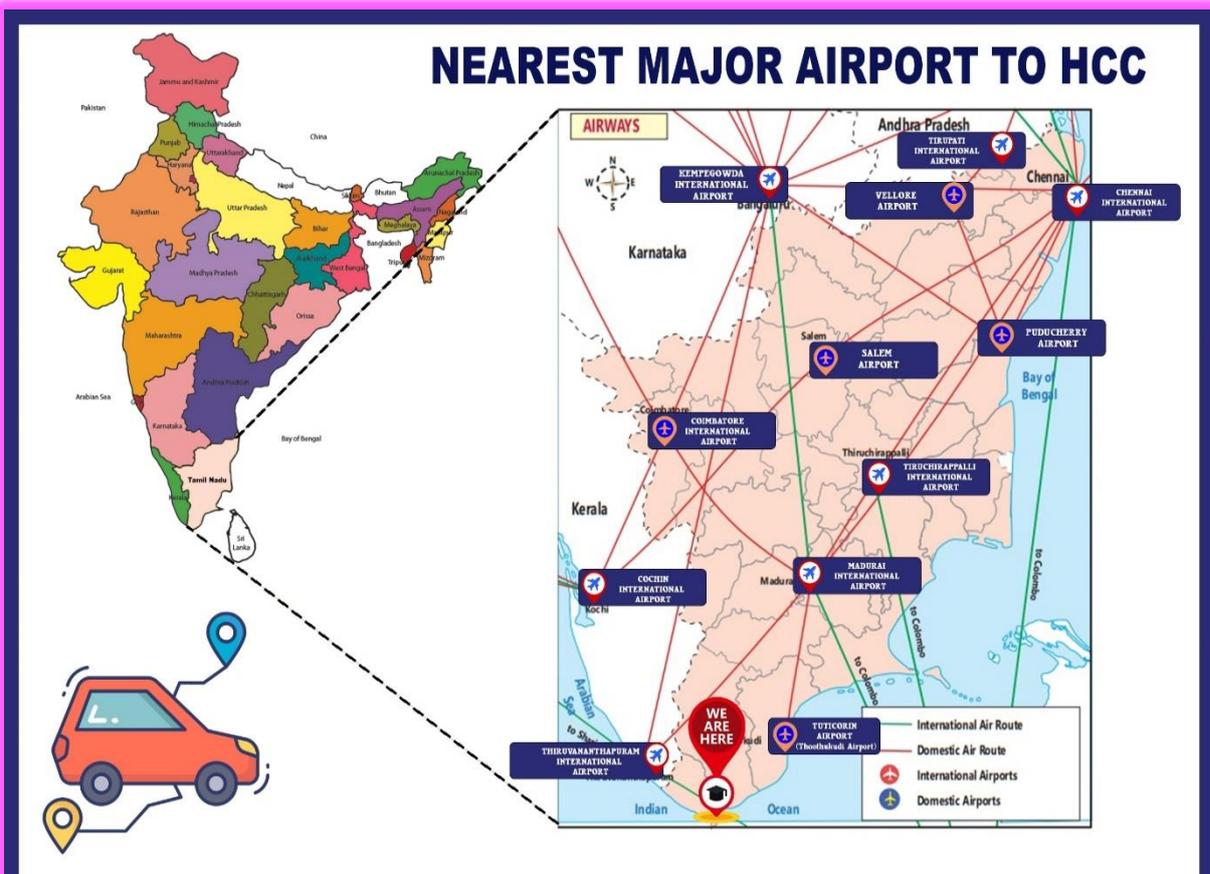
*Do travel with us in the unexplored journey  
towards quality education, innovation, and  
entrepreneurship!!!*

## **Secretary's Message**

Holy Cross College, the first women's college in Kanyakumari District, is highly influential and has excellent academic ambience. The campus is noted for its ICT enabled environment with free Wi-Fi, smart classrooms and digital library. Besides this, the aesthetic beauty of the campus enables the learners to have better knowledge retention, environmental outlook, community solidarity etc. We are blessed with dedicated faculty with professional experience and commitment as well as the determination to achieve great pinnacle of excellence in quality education. The honours and achievements we have received so far are the testimony to our meticulous planning, hard work, perseverance and incessant involvement in offering quality education to the poor and the marginalized. The economically poor students are supported towards academic accomplishments with financial assistance and freeship. Our college is an arena to create space for the holistic development of the students in its fold. It also serves as a platform for all its stakeholders to contribute towards achieving excellence in all academic activities.

I welcome the future aspirants to join us in our accomplishments.

## Route Map



### THIRUVANANTHAPURAM AIRPORT TO HOLY CROSS COLLEGE NAGERCOIL

2 HR 15 MIN (81.4 KM)

VIA PANVEL - KOCHI - KANYAKUMARI HWY AND NH 66

### TUTICORIN AIRPORT TO HOLY CROSS COLLEGE NAGERCOIL

2 HR (116.2 KM) VIA NH138 AND CHENNAI - VILLUPURAM - TRICHY - KANYAKUMARI RD/SRINAGAR - KANYAKUMARI HWY

### MADURAI AIRPORT TO HOLY CROSS COLLEGE NAGERCOIL

3 HR 53 MIN (240.9 KM) VIA CHENNAI - VILLUPURAM - TRICHY - KANYAKUMARI RD/SRINAGAR - KANYAKUMARI HWY

### TIRUCHIRAPPALLI AIRPORT TO HOLY CROSS COLLEGE NAGERCOIL

6 HR 17 MIN (380.5 KM) VIA NH38 AND CHENNAI - VILLUPURAM - TRICHY - KANYAKUMARI RD/SRINAGAR - KANYAKUMARI HWY

### COIMBATORE AIRPORT TO HOLY CROSS COLLEGE NAGERCOIL

7 HR 43 MIN (438.6 KM) VIA CHENNAI - VILLUPURAM - TRICHY - KANYAKUMARI RD

### CHENNAI AIRPORT TO HOLY CROSS COLLEGE NAGERCOIL

12 HR (687.1 KM) VIA NH38 AND CHENNAI - VILLUPURAM - TRICHY - KANYAKUMARI RD/SRINAGAR - KANYAKUMARI HWY

## Contact Us

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