

"ज्ञान, विज्ञान आणि सुसंस्कार यांसाठी शिक्षणप्रसार" — शिक्षणमहर्षी डॉ. बापूजी साळुंखे श्री स्वामी विवेकानंद शिक्षण संस्था कोल्हापूर, संचलित



Arts and Commerce College, Kadepur Central Library

Library Profile

The college library is established in the year 1984. From 1984 till the date library collection has been developed as per the academic and research needs of the students and faculty. It is a main source of knowledge, which is an integral and important part of our institute of higher learning. The library aims to stock all the books and periodicals that the students and faculties are expected enrich themselves. At present, Library status 12417 books and subscribes 16 regular periodicals, both journal and magazines including 3 dailies.

The e-books and e-journals are also available in the library through www.inflibnet.ac.in. Library has INFLIBNET (N-List) facility for accessing 97000+ e-books and 6000+full text e-journals and the number is increasing regularly. The library remains open on all the working days except Sundays and College notified holidays. The Library is open from 8.00am to 6.00 pm on Monday to Saturday. The members have open access to the library collection

Library Automation:

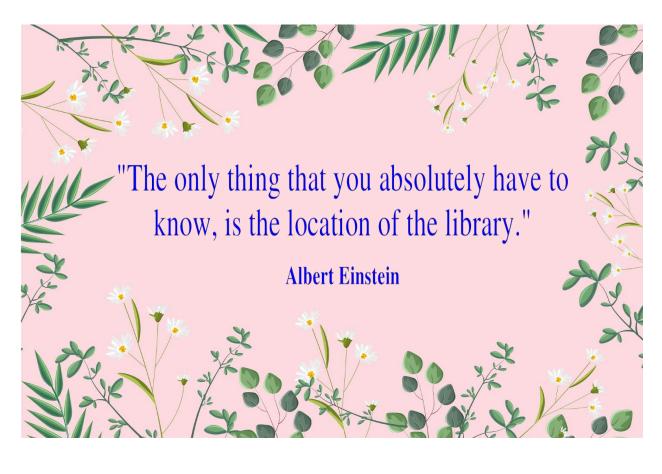
The institutional central library has partially automated integrated Library Management Software named "e-Granthalaya". This is offline software which is developed and maintained by National Information Center (NIC), Ministry of Electronic and Information Technology, Govt. of India. The facilities are provided under this software are OPAC, Circulation, Budgeting, Bar-coding, Reports, Admin, Book Acquisition, Cataloguing, Serials, Micro Document, Search, Exit, etc. Total no. of 74 functions is available in it.

Our library has a facility of Cyber Point with 2 sets of computers with internet facility available for students/users. For their searching through that, they can access worldwide knowledge. The Internet browsing facilities are also available, but only educational sites are allowed for surfing. Library is well equipped with LAN-connected computers with internet connectivity.

The library provides current-awareness service to the readers through new arrivals display, newspaper clippings, announcement posters etc. Surveillance is made through the CCTV installed in the library. For book processing system library

follows Dewey Decimal Classification (22nd ed.) & Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules (2nd rev. ed.) Soft copy of the previous year question papers (in progress) is also available.

The effective functioning of the library is ensured by a library committee headed by the Principal (Chairperson), assisted by the Convener, Librarian, representative of various departments & staff. The library has an approved policy on the collection development supporting introduction of new services, support in terms of funds, annual increase of budget, binding procedure, weeding out of unserviceable books and policy on loss of books and an ongoing commitment of the institution in deputing library professionals for continuing education programmers. The Library committee annually compiles a budget proposal considering the requirement of different departments to be placed before the principal.





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Vision, Mission & Objectives

VISION:

• Promote access to library resources, facilities and services needed by members of the higher education community for successful pursuit of academic programs and research activities.

MISSION:

• User satisfaction through quality service.

OBJECTIVES:

- To assist the users in upgrading their knowledge /information/ skills in making proper use of Library resources and services.
- To give timely quality services and information. To provide effective and efficient services.
- To support teaching —learning process by providing necessary learning resources.
- To provide every reader his/her reading material.
- To promote the reading habits among students.
- To advance teaching, learning, research, and discovery for students, faculty and non-teaching staff by offering collections in multiple formats, providing access to information worldwide and rendering services and establishing learning environments responsive to users' needs.
- To establish a computer infrastructure of all library operations and services by acquiring library computer software and hardware to make computerization functional.
- To establish a strong library linkage with other institutions and agencies.
- To provide services that enhance the question for knowledge and intellectual activities.
- To create various bibliographies and library pathfinders for easy access and retrieval of information.