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CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY HELD AT MI TRAINING COLLEGE

Ponnani: A certificate distribution ceremony organised as part of the PON NEXT 2031 Community Extension Programme was held at MI Training College, Ponnani, on 19 August 2026.

The programme was organised to recognise and honour the students who participated in the activities associated with the PON NEXT 2031 initiative. The programme was inaugurated by C. V. Sudha, Chairperson, Ponnani Municipality. Certificates were distributed to the students of MI Training College who prepared the development roadmap and to the students of the Computer Science Department of Ponnani MES College who prepared the video with the assistance of AI.

Prof. Imbichikkoya K. presided over the function. Dr. P. Nanafalu, Principal, MI Training College, and Nusrath, Head of the Computer Science Department, MES Colle-

ge were among those who participated. A. V. Habeebulla, Noureddin Koya, U. K. Kabeer, T. Shahul Hameed, P. K. Jameela, P. P. Kamaluddin, P. P. Nisar, U. K. Amanulla, A. V. Kamaruddin, Muhammad Nihal, B.Ed. trainees Muhsina NV and Nasiba K also spoke on the occasion.

The programme highlighted the active participation of teacher trainees in community-oriented activities and their contribution towards envisioning the future development of Ponnani. The initiative aimed to encourage students to identify local needs, develop innovative ideas and contribute to the sustainable development of the community

Freshers' Day Celebrated at MI Training College



MI Training College, Ponnani, organised its Freshers' Day programme on 19 August 2026 at the College Auditorium. The programme commenced at 11:00 a.m.

The programme was organised to warmly welcome the new batch of student teachers to the college community and to provide them with an opportunity to begin their academic journey in a friendly and vibrant atmosphere.

The event brought together student teachers and faculty members and provided an opportunity for interaction, fellowship and celebration. Various activities were organised as part of the programme to create an engaging and memorable beginning for the newcomers



The Freshers' Day also served as a platform for the newly joined student teachers to interact with their seniors and faculty members, helping them become familiar with the college environment. The Freshers' Day programme reflected the college's commitment to fostering a positive, inclusive and supportive campus environment. It also encouraged the newly joined student teachers to actively participate in the academic and co-curricular activities of the institution. The programme concluded with a message encouraging the freshers to make meaningful use of their teacher-education journey and contribute positively to the college community

Orientation Programme Held for First-Year Students Ahead of School Visit

An orientation programme was organised at MI Training College, Ponnani, for first-year B.Ed. students ahead of their school visit programme, scheduled from 7 to 11 September 2026.

The programme was led by Dr. Noufal P., Principal, MITC Ponnani, with the guidance of Dr. Ramitha Rahman P. A., Assistant Professor; Dr. Silva P., Assistant Professor; and Mr. Fayis P. S., Assistant Professor.

The orientation aimed to familiarise student teachers with the objectives, procedures and responsibilities associated with the school visit. Guidance was provided on classroom observation, interaction with teachers and students, and understanding the functioning of schools.

The programme helped the student teachers prepare for their first-hand exposure to the school environment and encouraged them to make the visit a meaningful part of their teacher-education programme.

World Photography Day Observed at MI Training College



MI Training College, Ponnani, observed World Photography Day on 19 August 2026 through a special assembly organised by the Department of Mathematics and Media Wing, in association with NSS Unit No. 344.

As part of the observance, a Photo Caption Competition titled "One Frame, One Story" was organised for the students. The competition encouraged participants to capture meaningful moments and express the story or emotion behind each photograph through creative captions.

A video presentation depicting the evolution and development of cameras, from early photographic devices to modern digital cameras, was also presented as part of the programme



The Photo Caption Competition "One Frame, One Story" winners were Muneera K., Jyothika, and Jahana Shirin.

The assembly included prayer, pledge, thought, holy thought and news presentations. Arva Sherin and Rameena Febi led the prayer, Mohsina M. P. delivered the pledge, Nitha Fathima C. presented the thought, Ayisha Shahina T. P. the holy thought, and Shifana E. P. presented the news. Najmath served as the anchor

MI Training College Closes for Onam Vacation

MI Training College, Ponnani, has closed for the Onam vacation. The college will reopen on 1 September 2026, with regular classes and academic activities resuming on the same day.

The vacation allows student teachers and staff to celebrate Onam with their families. The college authorities extended warm Onam greetings to all students and staff. Students have been advised to use the vacation productively and return to the college on the reopening day. The college is expected to resume its academic activities with renewed enthusiasm after the festive break

Onam Celebration 2K26 Held with Festive Spirit at MI Training College, Ponnani



MI Training College, Ponnani, celebrated Onam 2K26 with great enthusiasm and festive spirit, bringing together students and faculty members in a vibrant celebration of Kerala's rich cultural traditions.

The programme commenced with a Pookalam-making, where students showcased their creativity by preparing colourful and intricate floral designs. The formal inauguration was followed by Onappattu, adding a traditional musical touch to the celebrations. The participation of trainee teachers added enthusiasm.

The day featured a variety of entertaining traditional games and competitions, including Spoon Race, Balloon Pottikal, Biscuit Biting, Sundarik Pottu Thodal, Malayali Manka, Musical Chair, Uriyadi and Vadam Vali. An Onam lunch was also arranged, providing an opportunity for students and staff to celebrate together in the spirit of unity and togetherness.

The inaugural session was welcomed by Maneesha Manoharan K, Assistant Professor, Physical Science

Dr. Noufal P, Principal, MITC, delivered the presidential address. The celebration was inaugurated by Chandran PP, Teacher, MIGHSS Puduponnani. Ameen Farook UK, Assistant Professor, MITC, Student representatives Athira, Abanna and Amrutha from the B.Ed. 2025-2027 batch, offered felicitations. Nihla Rinu proposed the vote of thanks.

The celebrations concluded with the prize distribution and closing ceremony, honouring the winners of the various competitions. The programme fostered friendship, teamwork and cultural appreciation among the student community.

The celebration reflected MI Training College's continued commitment to preserving Kerala's cultural heritage while providing students with opportunities for joyful interaction and collective participation. The college has similarly marked Onam in previous years through traditional games, cultural programmes, Pookalam and Onam Sadya

Thozhiltheeram: Women Empowerment Initiative Organised at MI Training College



MI Training College, Ponnani, organised "Thezhiltheeram," a women's empowerment and entrepreneurship initiative, jointly by NSS Unit No. 344, Women Cell, CSILL and MI HRDC. The programme was organised with the objective of promoting self-employment, financial independence and entrepreneurial skills among women.

As part of the initiative, a marketing fair featuring women-made products was conducted on the college campus. A variety of handmade and household products, including soaps, detergents, liquid soaps and other cleaning products, were displayed and marketed at the fair. The programme provided a platform for women to showcase their skills and explore opportunities for generating income through small-scale enterprises.

The initiative highlighted the importance of women's economic empowerment and self-reliance.

Literary Lens Episode 114 Held at MI Training College

Ponnani, August 21, 2026: The Literary Club of MI Training College, Ponnani, organized the 114th episode of its literary review programme, "Literary Lens – Review, Reflect, Revitalize," on Friday, August 21, 2026, at 7:30 p.m. The programme was organized with the aim of promoting literary appreciation, reading culture and critical engagement among students.

The session featured Dr. V. C. Binoj, Assistant Professor, MOTC, Akkikkavu, as the presenter. He led the participants through an engaging literary discussion, encouraging them to look at literature from different perspectives and to connect literary ideas with contemporary life and society.

The programme provided an opportunity for students and members of the college community to share their thoughts and engage in meaningful discussion. The interactive nature of the session helped participants develop their analytical and interpretative skills while encouraging them to approach literary works with greater curiosity and reflection.

The Literary Lens initiative serves as a regular platform for exploring books, authors, literary themes and diverse perspectives. By bringing resource persons teachers and the wider college community.

with academic and literary expertise to the programme, the Literary Club aims to nurture a sustained interest in literature among prospective teachers and the wider college community.

The session also highlighted the importance of reading and literary discussion in developing communication skills, imagination and critical thinking. Such programmes contribute to creating an intellectually vibrant campus environment where students can freely exchange ideas and appreciate different forms of literary expression.

Dr. Noufal P, Principal of MI Training College, served as the convener of the programme, while Mr. Ameen Farook U.K., Assistant Professor, MITC, served as the coordinator. Their guidance and coordination contributed to the successful conduct of the programme.

The 114th episode concluded on a positive note, leaving the participants with new insights and perspectives on literature. The Literary Club plans to continue the Literary Lens series as a regular platform for review, reflection and revitalization of literary interests among students.

B.Ed. Trainees Celebrate Onam at Various Schools During Internship

B.Ed. teacher trainees of MI Training College, Ponnani, actively participated in Onam celebrations at various schools as part of their school internship programme. The celebrations provided the trainees with an opportunity to engage with students and teachers and to experience the vibrant cultural traditions of Kerala in a school environment.

The trainees took part in a variety of Onam-related activities, including Pookkalam competitions, traditional games, cultural programmes, music, dance and other festive events organised by the respective schools. Their active involvement added enthusiasm and colour to the celebrations

The internship experience helped the trainees understand how cultural celebrations can be effectively integrated into the school environment. It also provided valuable opportunities to develop their skills in event coordination, student participation, teamwork, communication and classroom management.

The celebrations brought together teachers, students and teacher trainees in a spirit of unity and joy. The trainees also encouraged students to appreciate the cultural significance of Onam and the values of togetherness, sharing and harmony associated with the festival

Participation in the celebrations enriched the internship experience of the B.Ed. trainees and strengthened their relationship with the school community. The programme demonstrated the role of prospective teachers not only as classroom instructors but also as active participants in the cultural and social life of schools.

