



National Service Scheme (NSS)

The **National Service Scheme (NSS)** is a public service program launched by the **Government of India** to encourage students to participate in community service and nation-building activities. 24 September is celebrated every year as NSS Day to commemorate the launch of the National Service Scheme in 1969.

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NSS UNIT DETAILS

PARTICULAR	DETAILS
Institution	AVS College of Technology, Salem
NSS Unit	Unit I (BOYS / GIRLS)
Academic Year	2026 – 2027
Total Volunteers	200
Boys Volunteers	100
Girls Volunteers	100
Programme Officer	Mr. M. Pradeep

Over the years, NSS has expanded significantly and now operates in:

- Universities
- **Engineering colleges**
- Arts and science colleges
- Medical and agricultural institutions
- Polytechnic colleges
- Higher secondary schools (in some states)

Common NSS Activities

- **Blood donation camps**
- **Tree plantation drives**
- **Swachh Bharat (cleanliness campaigns)**
- **Road safety awareness**
- **Health and hygiene awareness**
- Digital literacy programs
- Teaching underprivileged children
- Disaster management awareness
- Village adoption and development
- Plastic-free campus initiatives

Calendar of NSS Activities- April 2015-March 2016

Sl. No	Month	Activity
1	April 2015	a) Accounts, Preparation of submission of Annual Report, Programme planning for summer vacation, contacting developmental agencies b) World Health Day: 7 th April
2	May 2015	a) Literacy Campaign, Special camp on Environment issues; preparation and submission of report on literacy b) Anti-Terrorism Day 21 st May c) World No Tobacco Day 31 st May
3	June 2015	a) Observance of World Environment day (June 5); b) Environment enrichment programmes in adopted villages and slums, contact the agencies working for wasteland Development, Social Forestry, Horticulture, Soil Conservation, etc, Plantation programme in the identified projects, with assured protection. Mass awareness programmes about global warming, green house effect, ozone depletion, soil, water and air pollution, etc.
4	July 2015	(a) Quarterly Report, (b) Enrollment Drive- Display of Posters, leaflets, handbills reflecting

		the aims and objectives in library, hostels, notice boards, etc (c) one or two general meetings in auditorium/common hall for explaining the philosophy, aims and objectives of NSS and encourage new students to join NSS (d) Vanmahotsava Week 1- 7 July • Mass Tree Plantation in the campus and adopted villages/areas and upkeep of existing trees e) International Literacy week 8-14 July f) World Population Day 11th July
5	August 2015	a) Completion of Enrollment, Constitution of NSS Advisory Committee, first meeting and prepare the Annual Plan for regular as well as special camping activities and other community development programmes, preparation and Submission of University annual plan by NSS coordinator to the State Liaison Officer and the NSS Regional Centre b) Beginning of the Regular Activities • the regular activities should begin by 15 August c) Orientation • Orientation of 3 days for new NSS volunteers covering various aspects of community service, • Suggested topics: role of youth in literacy, environment enrichment and conservation, Drug Abuse, Health, AIDS Prevention, Family Welfare, health Education and Nutrition, Social Service Programmes, Women and Child Development, etc (e) Environment Enrichment & Tree Plantation • assure protection of trees planted f) Disaster Management • Training for volunteers in relief and rescue work inoculation and immunization, distribution of medicines, essential goods, in collaboration with the concerned agencies/local authorities g) Adopted Village • plan for literacy promotion and basic facilities like drinking water, pucca/kutchha road, school shed/buildings, cooperative/self employment scheme, etc. Such projects may be undertaken through a process of mutual consultation between the college and village • make people aware about the country's development in different fields and the need for peoples' participation in the task of Nation-building • submit necessary information about the villages/areas adopted on the prescribed Performa to the concerned NSS Programme Coordinator at the beginning of the academic session every year. h) Total Literacy • literacy programmes in adopted village/slum areas within a reasonable period of 2 or 3 years i) Health Service & Awareness • Encourage women volunteers undertake health service/hospital service programme as one of the major activities • Other areas: Integrated Child Development Programme (ii) Health Education (iii) Healthy baby and mother competition, with special emphasis on Girl Child and her education (iv) Family visits to meet

		lady members-explain the role of mother/lady in family set up (v) Motivating parents to send children to school (vi) HIV/AIDS Awareness Programme. • Sadbavana Day 20th August
6	September 2015	a) Submission of Quarterly report on MPFL and Special Camping Programme for the period from July to September (by 7th of October) b) Introduction of new programme c) International Literacy Day and Week (8th September) • Pledge-taking ceremony, on 8 th September, by NSS volunteers to be administered by the Principal/Programme Officer/a prominent social worker. • Visit to adopted village/slum organise dialogue and discussion on the importance of literacy. • Putting up hoardings, banners at prominent places in the local area as well as in campus for focusing public attention. d) International Peace Day 15th September e) Celebration of NSS Day on 24th September
7	October 2015	(a) Enrollment Report (b) Preparation and submission of Half yearly Reports to the Programme Coordinators for the period April to September. (c) Organisation of Autumn Camp • Advisory Committee meeting may be held to discuss and decide about organisation of a special camp in September/October holidays. Advance orientation on the theme of the special camping project may be provided to the selected volunteers so that the volunteers involvement would be more effective. The main thrust during the special camping programme would be on Youth for Sustainable Development with focus on Watershed Management & Wasteland Development d) National Blood Donation Day 1 st October e) Gandhi Jayanti (2nd October) Communal Harmony Day.
8	November 2015	Observance of Quami Ekta Week (19th to 25th) a) 19th November: National Integration Day : Meetings, Symposia, Seminars, etc. to be held to emphasise the theme of secularism, anti-communalism and non-violence. The integration pledge would be taken on 19th November. This can also form a part of the Mother's Day Celebration (b) 20th November : Welfare of Minorities Day : Welfare programmes for the minorities may be initiated along with a public awareness drive. In riot-prone areas, peacemarches and special fraternal processions may be taken out. (c) (c) 21st & 22nd November : Weaker Sections Day : Special functions and programmes may be organised to enable people of each region to appreciate the heritage of other parts of India. (d) 23rd November : Cultural Unity Day : organise Programmes to promote the cultural unity (e) 24th November : Women's Day : organise Programmes concerned with women's education, employment, etc. to emphasise the role of women in our society. (f) 25th November : Conservation Day : Programme in association with Forest Department to environmental conservation may be

		arranged.
9	December 2015	a) World's AIDS Day: 1 st December : - spread awareness by organising lectures, public discussions, film shows, rallies and street-plays in the campus and adopted villages. - organize poster competitions and exhibitions on this topic. b) World Human Rights Day: 10th December (c) Organisation of Winter Camp
10	January 2015	a) Submission of quarterly reports (progressive) on MPFL and special camping programme for the period October to December (by 7th January). b) Observance of National Youth Day (12 January (Birthday of Swami Vivekanand) - Presentation of Youth Award. - Lectures/Symposia on the philosophy and teaching of Swami Vivekanand, Mahatma Gandhi, Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru and other national leaders as a source of inspiration to Indian Youth. - Debate on the role of youth in the contemporary situation with particular reference to character-building. - Essay/drawing competitions amongst youth on philosophy and teachings of national leaders particularly Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru/Mahatma Gandhi. (c) National Youth Week (12-19 January) with appropriate programmes (d) Republic Day - The occasion may be celebrated in a befitting manner. If majority of the volunteers complete 240 hours/120 hours of work, they may be informed so, and the volunteers who could not complete 240/120 hours of work may be asked to complete the required service hours in February and March. f) Martyr Day : 30th January
11	February 2015	(a) List of the senior volunteers who completed the required 240 service hours, will be prepared. The general as well as the special camping certificates will be presented to the qualified volunteers so that they will be used by the volunteers for seeking admission in higher classes/employment, wherever such weightage is given. Initiate steps for graded certificates to the volunteers completing literacy assignment.
12	March 2015	a) Women's Day (8th March) - Special programmes may be made to give significant role to women and also to girl child. Issues like status of women in the society and the need for gender justice may be highlighted - Identification of new adopted village/slum area by the NSS units - All advance preparations for literacy drive must start in this month. (e) Advisory Committee Meeting The committee may meet to review the activities of the year and planning may be made for the special camp to be organised in summer vacations.

NSS ACTIVITIES by AVS CT Students

BLOOD DONATION CAMPS

TREE PLANTATION DRIVES

SWACHH BHARAT (CLEANLINESS CAMPAIGNS)

ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS

HEALTH AND HYGIENE AWARENESS



DRUGS FREE AWARENESS RALLY

NSS is conducted drugs free awareness rally today (12/08/2022) from chinnagoundapuram village time 11.15 am to 1.00pm
Nearly 40 Members of Nss volunteers participated in our rally





(Students involved in Awareness Rally)

BIKE RALLY ON 75TH INDEPENDENCE DAY

To mark the 75th Independence Day, NSS conducted a two-wheeler rally today on 13.08.2022 at 10.00 a.m. The rally was inaugurated by waving the flag by the Deputy Commissioner Mrs. **S.P. Lavanya** and **Thiru. K. Kailasam**, Chairman of AVS & SakthiKailash Educational Institutions. The occasion was felicitated by **Mr.K. Rajavinayakam**, Secretary of AVS & SakthiKailash Educational Institutions and **Mr. K. Senthil Kumar**, Correspondent.

In the rally, our students and teachers took part in 75 two-wheelers from the District Collectorate and reached back to the Collectorate via New Bus Stand, 5 Roads & Hasthampatti.



(Students & Faculties involved in two-wheeler rally)

TREE PLANTATION

NSS is conducted today (18/08/2022)Tree plantation in our campus. Nearly 50 trees are planting



Blood Donation Camp in Our Campus

NSS conducted blood donation camp in association with **Akhil Bharitya Terapanth Yuvak (ABTYP)** (17/09/2022) started at 10.30 am in the morning to 4.00pm the camp was held to help in common hall of our college by **SALEM BLOOD BANK**, Salem. Nearly **100 members of students and faculty members** are joined in this blood donation camp.

All the donors were also awarded certificates. The team of doctors thanked our principal and faculty members and NSS team members for the co operation. Everyone appreciated our college for being a part of a blood donation camp





SOCIAL ACTIVITY AT SONA COLLEGE

NSS volunteers involved in social service at Sona College of technology behalf of **Sri Krishna Janmashtami** today (19/08/2022) 40 Members of NSS volunteers participated in this service



WORLD PEACE DAY WALKATHON

World Peace Day Was Celebrated in YMCA Hall by Our Nss Team in association with **Good Shepherd Convent** today (21/09/2022) the program started with rally at 10.30am and program ends with cultural event





Benefits for Engineering Students

- Develop leadership and teamwork.
- Improve communication and organizational skills.
- Gain experience in community engagement.
- Build a stronger résumé for higher studies and placements.
- Earn NSS certificates (subject to successful completion of program requirements).
- Opportunities to participate in state and national level NSS camps.

Skills Developed

- Leadership
- Project management
- Public speaking
- Event management

- Social responsibility
- Problem-solving
- Time management

Sample Technical NSS Projects for Engineering Students

- Energy audit of villages or schools.
- Solar street light awareness and installation support.
- E-waste collection and recycling drives.
- Water conservation projects.
- Basic computer and digital literacy training.
- Low-cost engineering solutions for local communities.
- Electrical safety awareness programs.