

## RULES FOR PARTICIPANTS

- Both UG & PG students can participate
- Any no. of teams can participate from each college.
- Register only as a team of 2 (Min) – 3 (Max) participants
- Registration Link:  
<https://forms.gle/QaAYapgahYGF9VgD7>
- Last date of registration is 12. 09. 2025
- The soft copy of the abstract must be mailed to fcsrfexploria@gmail.com on or before 12. 09. 2025
- Registration Fee: Rs. 200 per Participant
  - \* Registration fee includes lunch, Certificate and refreshment for the participants

## PAYMENT DETAILS

Account Name : Research & Development Cell  
Account No. : 6420567728  
IFSC Code : IDIB000K150  
Bank : Indian Bank  
Branch : Koodal Nagar, Madurai

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**FATIMA COLLEGE**

**(Autonomous)**

Re-accredited with "A++" by NAAC (Cycle-IV)  
Mary Land Madurai-625018

**9th EXPLORIA '25**

*State Intercollegiate Research Competition*  
on

**Indian Knowledge Systems : Unlocking  
Ancient Wisdom to Sustainable Innovation**



*organised by*

**The Research & Development Cell  
&  
Students Research Forum**

**Sep. 23, 2025**

**Venue: Jubilee Hall**

**Time : 9.00 a.m – 1.30 p.m**



## ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Fatima College (Autonomous), Mary Land, Madurai, is a Postgraduate College for women affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University. It is a Catholic minority institution established and run by St. Joseph's Society of Madurai (of the Congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Lyon, France). This institution came into existence through the tireless efforts of the missionary sisters of St. Joseph of Lyon and the zeal and heroic sacrifice of **Rev. Sr. Rose Benedicta**, the Foundress of the College.

The College was started in St. Joseph's School Campus Madurai as a Second Grade College with 63 students in 1953. It was upgraded into a Postgraduate College in 1964 and Autonomous in 1990. The College now offers 23 Undergraduate Programmes, 15 Postgraduate Programmes and 2 Professional Programmes. 8 Departments have become Research Centres. It has a strength of 3754 students. The comprehensive assessment by NAAC Re-accredited the College with A++ Grade in November 2021.

## ABOUT THE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT CELL

The Research & Development Cell functions with the aim of tapping the research potentials of staff, students and research scholars and promotes Research Ambience on Campus. It encourages the students to come up with innovative ideas for the development and sustenance of the environment and society at large. It creates a platform for the students to exhibit their research skill through Students' Research Projects.

## OBJECTIVES OF THE COMPETITION

- Motivating the youngsters to undertake projects beyond curriculum.
- Augment critical and analytical thinking for professional development.
- Promote broader thinking for cognitive flexibility.

## ABOUT EXPLORIA

- Participants are allowed to choose a topic based on the theme “ **Indian Knowledge Systems : Unlocking Ancient Wisdom to Sustainable Innovation**”
- The chosen research topic should have tangible solutions that have lasting impact on the society.
- The Research Problem / Hypothesis and the process leading on to the tangible results should be presented as a full paper along with the abstract. (with reference)
- Font Size – 12 Times New Roman, Line Spacing 1.5, total number of pages 12 – 15

## SUB THEMES (but not limited to)

- Science and environment
- Humanities and Social Science
- Arts, Literature and Culture
- Commerce and Management
- Education and Psychology
- Biomedical and Life sciences
- Chemistry and Material Sciences
- Media, Communication and Journalism
- AI and Data Science
- Gender and Inclusion Studies
- Library and Information Science
- Rural Development and Public Policy

## STAGES OF THE COMPETITION

### Stage 1

- Each team should send an abstract of 250 words on or before **12.09.2025** containing authors name, affiliation address and presenting author details to: [fcsrfexploria@gmail.com](mailto:fcsrfexploria@gmail.com)

### Stage 2

- Selected participants after shortlisting the abstract will be intimated through mail and the team should be ready for a video presentation on or before Sep. 19, 2025
- Time Duration: 5 minutes
- Kindly upload video in our drive and share the link to [fcsrfexploria@gmail.com](mailto:fcsrfexploria@gmail.com)
- Qualified teams for the final presentation should either present their findings or produce the finished art form as a video of 8 - 10 minutes.

**Certificates will be distributed to all the participants.**

**THE DESERVING WINNING TEAM WILL BE AWARDED WITH CASH PRIZES AND CERTIFICATES**

## CASH PRIZE



## PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

**9.00 a.m.- 9.30 a.m. : Registration**

**9.30 a.m.-10.30 a.m. : Inauguration**

**Welcome Address : Dr. N. Malathi**  
Dean of Research(Shift – I)  
Associate Professor  
Department of Zoology

**Inaugural Address : Rev. Dr. Sr. M. Fatima Mary**  
Principal,  
Fatima College , Madurai

**10.30 a.m.-11.00 a.m. : Break**

**11.00 a.m.-12.30 p.m. : Presentation of Research Projects**

**12.30 p.m.- 1.00 p.m. : Valediction**

**Prize distribution : Rev. Dr. Sr. Ignatius Mary**  
Secretary,  
Fatima College , Madurai

**Vote of Thanks : Dr. N. Asha**  
Dean of Research (Shift – II)  
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