POLICY ON RESEARCH PROMOTION

Arulmigu Palaniandavar Arts College for Women, Palani has the vision of empowering women through value-based education, with special concern for the economically disadvantaged and the first generation learners. The ultimate objective of the institution is to promote the educational standard of the learners, so that they could empower themselves by becoming professionals. The institution has upgraded all Under-graduate departments into Post-graduation departments. In addition, four departments offer Pre-doctoral (M.Phil.,) Programmes and among them two departments have attained the Research Center status. The quality and standard of these programmes are sustained by a neatly designed Research Policy and Procedure.

Research & Development Cell:

The quality of teaching and learning will enhance, when an institution emphasizes research activities, both of the teachers and the scholars. In Arulmigu Palaniandavar Arts College for Women,a Research & Development Cell has been established, so that it can act as a support and enabling system. The Cell comprises a committee of faculty members from the Arts and the Science disciplines.

Composition of Research & Development Cell:

Position	Designation
Convener	Principal
Member	Senior Faculty from Arts wing
Member	Senior Faculty from Science wing
Member	Senior Faculty from Commerce wing

Role of the Research Committee:

- Developing, monitoring and reviewing policies relating to research activities of the college.
- Maintaining and developing the college infrastructure supporting the development of research.
- Encouraging the faculty and the research scholars to publish research articles in indexed, peer reviewed journals.

- Encouraging the research scholars to undertake National level eligibility examinations.
- Encouraging and facilitating the faculty and the research scholars to attend the conferences, seminars, symposia and workshops within and outside the country.
- Motivating each department to organize International and National level seminars, conferences and workshops every year.
- Providing partial financial support to the faculty, who participate and present research articles in International conferences / seminars.
- Insisting the research guides and the research scholars to avoid ethical violations in research and prevent malpractices like plagiarism, piracy and dishonesty.

PRINCIPAL

[Dr. N. Puvaneswari]