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*Happiness depends on how you accept, understand and  
surrender to situations.*  
— Mata Amritanandamayi Devi



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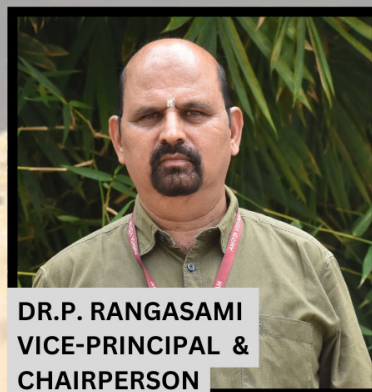


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## ABOUT AMRITA UDAAN

Amrita Udaan is the monthly newsletter of the Dept. of Social Work. It is completely managed by the students under the guidance of the Faculty. It mainly covers the departmental activities, articles on various social issues, book review, movie review, drawings, posters, alumni interviews, guidance and solved previous year question papers of UGC-NET. The contents are contributed mainly by the students, alumni and faculty members. It is successfully publishing every month since October 2019.

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One Nation, One Election and Its  
Implications for Governance and  
Federalism toward a Vibrant Bharat

**28 & 29 August 2025**

📍 Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham  
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**AMRITA  
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RECONNECT WITH OLD FRIENDS AND SHARE MEMORIES

29TH AUGUST 2025  
3 PM TO 4.30 PM

ARASAMPALAYAM,  
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ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

We are delighted to invite you to the Alumni Meet 2025, scheduled on 29th August 2025 (Friday) from 3:00 PM to 4:30 PM at our Arasampalayam, Coimbatore campus. This event will be held immediately after the ICSSR-sponsored National Seminar on “One Nation, One Election and Its Implications for Governance and Federalism towards a Vibrant Bharat” being held on 28th and 29th August 2025.

Over the past 16 batches, our department has nurtured a vibrant alumni community of 404 graduates—a powerful network that has made a lasting impact across India and beyond. Now, it is time to unite again, reconnect with your classmates, faculty, and the current student community, and celebrate our shared journey in social work education and practice.

#### Highlights of the Meet:

- \* Reconnect with your batchmates and faculty
- \* Explore collaborative opportunities for fieldwork, research, and mentoring
- \* Participate in the ongoing national seminar with free registration exclusively for alumni Experience inspiring sessions by eminent speakers and thought leaders
- \* Optional campus accommodation will be arranged at Amrita Ettimadai Campus (subject to required number of registration and final approval)
- \* Local transport arrangements will be provided from key city points

To help us plan logistics effectively, we kindly request you to register in advance using the link below:

[<https://forms.gle/ammrPG8jVBdCvFuj8>] - Registration is a must.

We look forward to welcoming you back to your alma mater. Let us make this reunion a memorable one and reignite the spirit of Amrita Social Work! Sending in advance so that you can book your tickets.



# DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES



## FROM SOCIAL WORK STUDENTS TO SOCIAL WORKERS...

Majority of the students (MSW Batch of 2023-25) are placed in different NGOs and companies like Vedanta, Pallium India, Foundation for development action, ICDS, Thalassery social service society, Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences (Kochi), NS memorial institute and Walkaroo foundation (CSR). This year, more students were placed in different reputed NGOs which is an achievement for Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham. They have started their professional journey. Others are doing internships as part of their fourth semester block placement from the reputed NGOs in their hometown itself.



Navya Sunil  
(I MSW)



## BRIDGING THEORY AND PRACTICE

The MSW (Master of Social Work) students of the 2024–2026 batch at Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham made significant strides in their professional journey by participating in internships during the summer break. These internships, held across various organizations and institutions, provided valuable hands-on experience and deeper insights into the practical aspects of social work. Students were placed in diverse settings such as Viswas NGO, Palakkad, Akkara Foundation, Kasargod, Centre for Child Development, The Kerala Minerals and Metals Ltd. (KMML), Kollam, United Industries Plastic Pvt. Ltd. (a plastic injection moulding company catering to the automobile and white goods sectors), Trivandrum Social Service So-

ciety, Kudumbasree NRO, District Child Protection Unit, Trivandrum, and other organizations including both governmental and non-governmental sectors. The internship durations varied across organizations, allowing students to adapt to different professional environments and social contexts. These immersive experiences helped them gain in-depth knowledge in community development, child welfare, industrial social work, and corporate social responsibility. By engaging with real-world challenges and working closely with professionals in the field, the students not only enhanced their practical skills but also reaffirmed their commitment to making a positive impact on society.



Nayana K A  
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# STUDENTS'



# CORNER



## BOOK REVIEW

THE #1 BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF THE MONK WHO SOLD HIS FERRARI  
**ROBIN SHARMA**  
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OWN YOUR MORNING  
 ELEVATE YOUR LIFE

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 lead great lives' —PAULO COELHO

THE  
 5AM  
 CLUB  
 -Robin  
 Sharma



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Motivating! Change your life! When discussing Robin Sharma's best-selling book, *The 5 AM Club*, these are just a few adjectives that spring to mind. For anyone looking to change their life and cover the route for success on both a personal and professional level, this book is an indispensable resource. Sharma's way of storytelling, along with his priceless intuition and useful guidance, make this book the way that Sharma explores the importance of self-mastery and personal development is among the most spectacular features of *The 5 AM Club*. He stresses that success in all facets of life depends on setting aside time in the early morning to work on oneself. He inspires readers to take control of their life by leading them on a journey of self-discovery through loving characters and captivating stories. Sharma presents the idea of the "20/20/20 formula," which divides the first hour of the day into three equal components: growth, reflection, and exercise. By using this technique, people can optimize their mental, emotional, and physical health and set the stage for a productive day.

# ARTICLE 15



Anubhav Sinha's *Article 15* is a powerful and unflinching portrayal of caste-based discrimination in modern-day India. Loosely inspired by true events such as the 2014 Badaun case, the film draws its name from Article 15 of the Indian Constitution, which prohibits discrimination on grounds of religion, race, caste, sex, or place of birth. The story follows IPS officer Ayan Ranjan (played by Ayushmann Khurrana), a privileged urban man who is posted in a rural town in Uttar Pradesh. His idealistic worldview is shaken when he is faced with the brutal realities of caste violence and systemic oppression. The discovery of the bodies of two Dalit girls hanging from a tree sets off a disturbing investigation that exposes deep-rooted corruption, indifference, and caste hierarchies.

Ayushmann Khurrana delivers a restrained yet impactful performance as an outsider who slowly awakens to the harsh truths of the system. What sets *Article 15* apart is its courage to confront uncomfortable truths. It doesn't attempt to provide easy answers or wrap the story with a neat resolution. Instead, it serves as a wake-up call, reminding viewers that despite legal safeguards, discrimination and injustice continue to plague Indian society. While the film may feel heavy-handed in some portions and leans on the outsider-as-savior trope, its intentions are clear and its message vital. It opens up space for conversation on caste inequality and institutional apathy—topics often brushed under the carpet.

## FILM REVIEW



**Suvarnna K A**  
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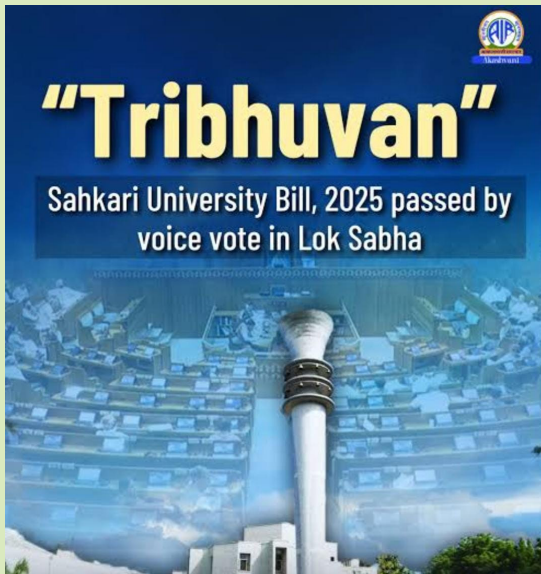


# SCHEMES AND ACTS



## ACTS

# THE TRIBHUVAN SAHKARI UNIVERSITY ACT, 2025



The Tribhuvan Sahkari University Act, 2025 creates the Tribhuvan Sahkari University for promoting specialized education, research, and training in the cooperative sector, in harmony with the national vision of “Sahkar Se Samriddhi” (Prosperity through Cooperation). The Act elevates the Institute of Rural Management Anand (IRMA) to national college status under the university, which will provide it with ongoing autonomy and recognition as a Center of Excellence in Rural Management. The action will further enhance cooperative education and leadership in India, particularly in rural and disadvantaged areas.

The university is authorized to award degrees, open campuses in India and overseas, and affiliate other institutions, thus enhancing its academic reach and impact. The university’s aim is to disseminate quality education and capacity development in cooperative management, and encourage research focused on real-life issues confronting cooperative societies and rural communities. The Act also stresses innovation and practical training as integral components of the university’s academic programs.

To guarantee efficient operation and excellence, the university will be run through a comprehensive governance system that involves different councils and boards. These include curriculum governance through academic councils, institutional management through administrative bodies, and financial boards to provide transparency and accountability in funding and resources allocation. This system aligns with the vision of the university to become a top university in cooperative education and development.

Essentially, the Act not only institutionalizes a forum for collaborative learning and innovation but also responds to national development aspirations by empowering rural communities and promoting inclusive economic growth. Tribhuvan Sahkari university positions the agreeable demonstrate as a well-rewarding instrument for maintainable advancement, learning, and social value.

Reference: [https://prsindia.org/files/bills\\_acts/acts\\_parliament/2025/The\\_Tribhuvan\\_Sahkari\\_University\\_Act,\\_2025.pdf](https://prsindia.org/files/bills_acts/acts_parliament/2025/The_Tribhuvan_Sahkari_University_Act,_2025.pdf)

Gopika K S  
(I MSW)





## STATE SCHEME

# FREE LAPTOP SCHEME 2025



The Kerala Free Laptop Scheme 2025 is a social welfare scheme launched by the state government with an aim to benefit economically weaker section students by offering free laptops to them. The scheme is aimed at the purpose

of making sure that every student, whether from a poor or rich family, is equipped with digital learning tools because they are the most important part of the current education system. The scheme is for those students who cleared their 10th standard (SSLC) in the academic year 2023–24 successfully. For eligibility, the student should be a permanent resident of Kerala, and family income should not be more than ₹1.5 lakh per annum. Apart from this, the candidates should fulfill academic criteria too candidates under the state syllabus should have scored at least a “B” grade in all the subjects, whereas candidates coming from CBSE or ICSE boards should have marks of not less than 70%. Students belonging to Below Poverty Line (BPL) families will be given preference. Applications need to be filled online through the government official website, with the necessary documents like mark sheets, income certificates, proof of residency, and BPL certification. The scheme not only bridges the digital divide among students but also encourages level playing field opportunities in education. Students and their parents are requested to be careful and not fall for counterfeit schemes propagated in unofficial websites or social media websites. The initiative by the Kerala government through this scheme shows its willingness to empower youth by making technology available, thereby making them able to contribute completely in a technologically dominated learning process.

Vaidehi Saju  
(I MSW)



## CENTRAL SCHEME

# MINISTRY OF DEFENCE: AGNIPATH YOJANA



On 14th June 2022, a new youth reclamation policy named Agnipath was approved by the Union Cabinet. Under this policy, young individuals will serve in the military forces compelled four times and will be referred to as Agniveers. The objective is to recruit energetic, patriotic youth and have a youngish profile among the forces. Agnipath is an ultramodern HR program for the Army, Navy, and Air Force. Agniveers who join the Indian Air Force will be governed by the Air Force Act, 1950. They will be recruited from all over India through online tests, trade rallies, and lot interviews at ITIs and similar establishments. Agniveers will

have a special rank, which will be distinct from the normal bones. All Agniveers will have to accept terms of the scheme.

After four service cycles, every Agniveer will revert to mercenary life again, based on performance and merit, 25 from each batch could be given a shot at joining the regular IAF skeleton. This is not a certainty and is subject to the government's discretion. The person designated to the regular force has to serve out their four-time stint as Agniveers first. Medical tradesmen alone can be signed directly outside of this scheme. Agniveers shall receive a remuneration package consisting of threat and hardship allowances when due. After four instances, they shall receive a SevaNidhi — a onetime payment consisting of their own savings and an equal contribution by the government, along with interest.

Candidates should be Indian nationals advanced 17.5 to 23 times for the 2022 input, and 17.5 to 21 times for post-batches. They also need to fulfill the educational, physical, and medical standards of the Army, Navy, or Air Force.

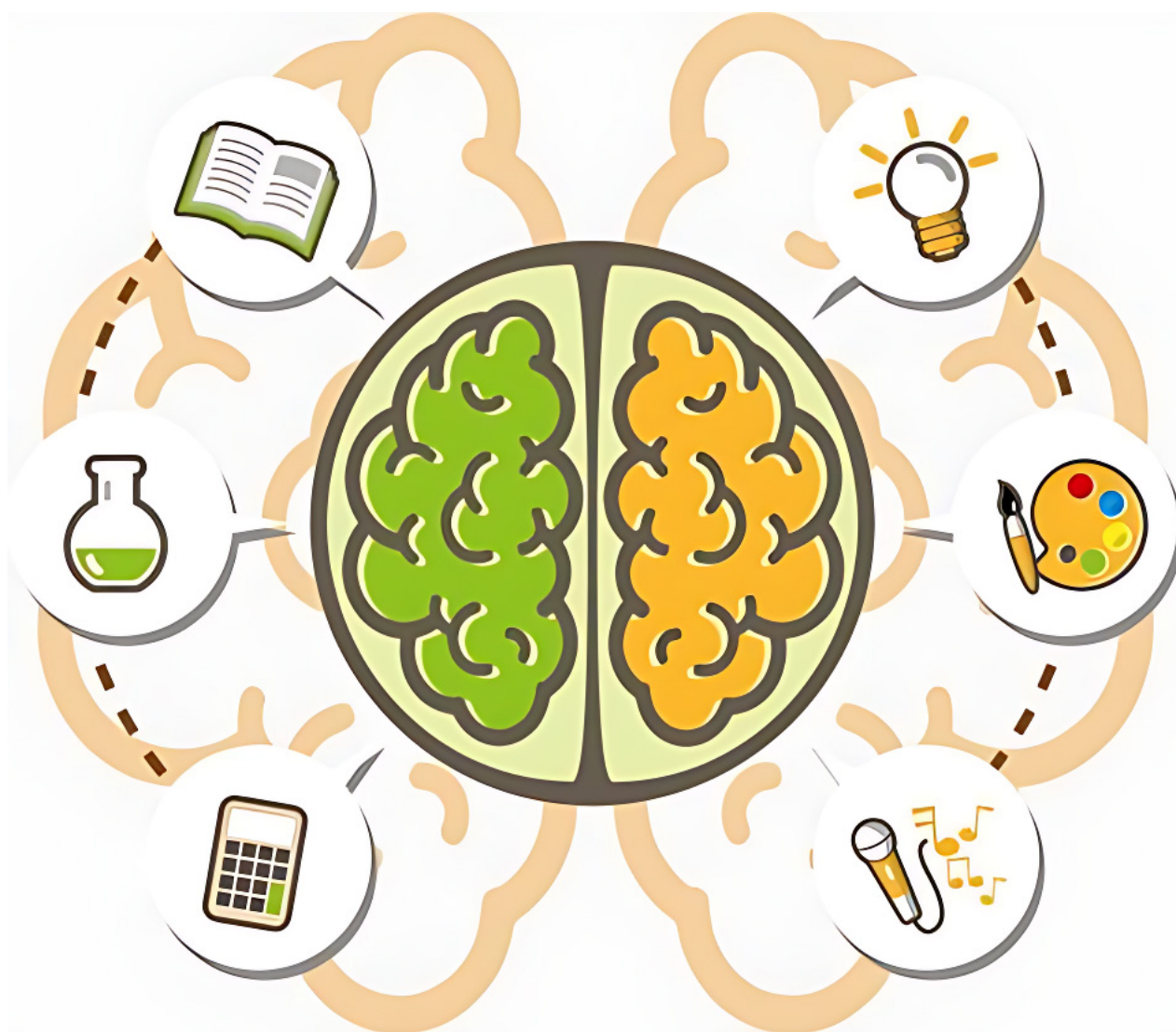
References: <https://www.myscheme.gov.in/schemes/ay>

DIYA RAJESH  
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# CURRENT AFFAIRS



# MAY 2025

## 1. Wildfires and Climate Change:

Global warming is increasing the threat of wildfires worldwide and bringing overlapping fire seasons to western North America and eastern Australia, and coordination among fire services in Canada, the U.S., and Australia is becoming increasingly complicated. Fire weather, fueled by heat, humidity, rain, and wind, is measured by the Canadian Fire Weather Index. North America's fire season was June to October and Australia's October to March, with room for resources to be shared.

## 2. Vizhinjam International Seaport:

Inaugurated by Prime Minister Narendra Modi in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, the Vizhinjam International Seaport is India's first deep-water transshipment port, built through a public-private partnership by Adani Ports. Strategically situated barely 10 nautical miles from important international shipping routes, the semi-automated port, which cost ₹8,867 crore, was financed in part by the Kerala government. Its goal is to recover India's transshipment traffic from Colombo in order to increase income and save foreign cash. Trial operations started in July 2024, and commercial operations started in December 2024.



## 3. Operation Sindoor

One of India's largest cross-border operations since the 2019 Balakot attacks, Operation Sindoor, was initiated in early May 2025 and involved a significant counterterrorism effort that targeted nine terrorist facilities in Pakistan. Jaish-e-Mohammed (JeM) and Lashkar-e-Taiba (LeT) infrastructure, the operation targeted locations in Bahawalpur, Kotli, Muridke, Sialkot, Narow, Bhimber, and Muzaffarabad, areas known to support extremist activities. JeM's Markaz Subhan Allah, connected to the 2019 Pulwama assault, and LeT's Markaz Taiba, which provided training to the 26/11 Mumbai attackers, were among the main targets.



## 4. TShiv Shakti Point Identified as Key Site for Studying Moon's Primitive Mantle

Researchers from the Physical Research Laboratory (PRL) have

determined that the Chandrayaan-3 landing site on the southern high-latitude highlands of the Moon, known as the Shiv Shakti point, is a crucial site for the study of primitive mantle materials, which will provide information about the Moon's early geological past. This was accomplished on August 23, 2023, marking India's first successful lunar landing.



## 5. Clumpiness of the Universe and the S8 Tension

Current cosmological discoveries emphasize how crucial the universe's clumpiness is to comprehending its composition and development. The Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB), which shows minute density fluctuations that resulted in galaxy formation, provides a trace of the universe's early history, beginning with the Big Bang around 13.8 billion years ago. The commonly accepted Lambda Cold Dark Matter ( $\Lambda$ CDM) model proposes that 95% of the universe is made up of dark matter and dark energy, which have an impact on how large-scale structures form. Matter clustering across 26 million light-years is measured by a crucial parameter called Sigma 8 (S8), but inconsistent measurements have resulted in the S8 tension, which calls into question the precision of  $\Lambda$ CDM.



## 6. Biju Patnaik Honoured by Russia on Victory Day

Russia honored the former chief minister of Odisha, Biju Patnaik, on the 80th anniversary of Victory Day for his service during World War II, particularly in the Battle of Stalingrad. The Russian embassy in New Delhi sent an invitation to his son, Naveen Patnaik, to attend a special reception. After completing his training at the Delhi Flying Club, Biju joined the Royal Indian Air Force in 1936 and braved Nazi threats to fly crucial supply missions to support Soviet troops in Stalingrad.



## 7. Delhi Government Announces Rooftop Solar Panel Subsidy Scheme

The Delhi government has launched a new subsidy effort to encourage rooftop solar panel installations, with the goal of increasing clean and affordable energy access for families across the capital. As part of this effort, the government plans to install solar panels in 2,30,000 households over the next three years. 1: Each residence is entitled for a total subsidy of Rs 1,08,000 for a 3-kW system, which comprises Rs 78,000 from the national government and Rs 30,000 from the Delhi government. This project, which falls under the Free Electricity Scheme, replaces the previous variable subsidy with a fixed amount of Rs 10,000 per kW.

## 8. The first detection of West Nile Virus in UK mosquitoes raises concerns about climate change.

In July 2023, the UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) reported the first finding of West Nile virus (WNV) in *Aedes vexans* mosquitoes collected from wetlands near the River Idle in Nottinghamshire, indicating that mosquito-borne diseases may spread to new areas as a result of climate change. WNV, a single-stranded RNA virus from the Flavivirus genus, is typically spread by birds and mosquitoes, with humans and horses serving as incidental hosts.

## 9. The Vice President urges the Supreme Court to revisit its 1991 decision on judicial accountability.

Vice President Jagdeep Dhankar has requested that the Supreme Court's decision from 1991 be reconsidered. K. Veeraswami case, citing its implications for judicial accountability in the face of concerns about corruption in the higher courts. Former Madras High Court Chief Justice K. Veeraswami was prosecuted by the CBI of owning disproportionate assets under the Prevention of Corruption Act in 1976. After his petition to quash proceedings was dismissed by the Madras High Court in 1979, the issue reached the Supreme Court, which determined that judges are public officials under the Act and can be prosecuted with the President's approval, provided the Chief Justice of India is consulted.

## 10. Global Health Bodies

## Urged to Address Sleep Deprivation as Key Factor in Non-communicable Diseases.

The World Health Organization (WHO) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) are focusing more attention on noncommunicable diseases (NCDs), which account for over 74% of premature global deaths, particularly in low- and middle-income countries. Obesity, hypertension, diabetes, heart disease, stroke, chronic lung illnesses, and cancer are among the most common noncommunicative disorders. Sleep disturbances, which are frequently ignored, play an important role in NCDs by exacerbating diseases such as obesity and cardiovascular disease. The ideal adult sleep duration is 7 to 8 hours, however modern lifestyles limit sleep, harming both physical and mental health.

REFERENCE: <https://www.gkto-day.in/current-affairs/month/current-affairs-november-2023/>

Ashwathi V R (I MSW)



## INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### PAWZZ NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

Work from home

Start date: Immediately

Duration: 3 Weeks

Stipend: 1,500-8,000/ month

Apply by: 25th June 2025

#### About The Internship

Pawzz is an emerging platform focused on animal welfare, catering to rescuers and non-profit organizations. It aims to raise awareness about animal cruelty issues while providing opportunities for animal lovers to volunteer, adopt, fund campaigns, and share rescue stories. The mission centers on creating a balance between humans and animals, promoting harmony within the ecosystem.

#### Benefits

Certificate

Letter of Recommendation

Flexible work hours

#### Only those candidates can apply who:

1. Are available for the work-from-home job/internship
2. Can start the work from home job/internship between 26th May'25 and 30th Jun'25
3. are available for 3 weeks

#### To know more and apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-resource-development-internship-at-pawzz1748234575>

### NAYE PANKH FOUNDATION

NayePankh FoundationNGO

<https://internshala.com/>

Work from home

Start date: Immediately

Duration: 4 weeks

Stipend: ₹ 1,500 - 10,000

Apply by: 24th June 2025

#### About the Internship

The NayePankh Foundation is a registered NGO in Uttar Pradesh, recognised under sections 80G and 12A. It has been featured in prominent publications such as The Pioneer, Dainik Jagran, and Hindustan. As one of the largest student-led organisations, NayePankh is dedicated

to uplifting underprivileged communities and driving societal change.

#### Benefits:

- Certificate, Letter of recommendation

#### Only those candidates can apply who:

Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home job/internship
2. can start the work from home job/internship between 25th May'25 and 29th Jun'25
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#### To know more& apply:

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### SHE CAN FOUNDATION

<https://internshala.com/>

Work from home

Start date: Immediately

Duration: 1 month

Stipend: 1,500-10,000/ month

Apply by: 24th June 2025

#### About the internship

The She Can Foundation is a registered NGO under the Indian Societies Registration Act of 1860 that focuses on uplifting underprivileged women. Its mission encompasses providing education, training, and resources necessary for women from marginalised communities to overcome challenges.

#### Benefits:

Certificate

#### Only those candidates can apply who:

1. Are available for the work-from-home job/internship
2. Can start the work from home job/internship between 25th May'25 and 29th Jun'25
3. are available for 1 month

#### To know more& apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-tele-fundraising-internship-at-she-can-foundation1748162269>

## RURAL DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

- Work from home
- Start date: Immediately
- Duration: 1 month
- Stipend: 1,000-4,500 lump sums
- Apply by: 24th June 2025

### About the Internship

The Rural Development Society (RDS) is a committed non-profit organisation focused on the holistic development of rural communities, with an emphasis on children's welfare and social empowerment. By collaborating with various NGOs, RDS aims to create positive change and a brighter future for all. The selected intern will be responsible for conducting business analyses, developing strategies for social enterprises, building relationships with stakeholders, and supporting commu-

nity events and training programs.

### Benefits:

- Certificate
- Letter of Recommendation
- Flexible working hours

### apply who:

1. are available for the work from home job/internship
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3. are available for duration of 2 weeks

### To know more& apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-part-time-social-entrepreneurship-internship-at-rural-development-society1748156192>

## MARPU FOUNDATION NGO

<https://internshala.com/>

- Work from home
- Start date: Immediately
- Duration: 1 week
- Stipend: Unpaid
- Apply by: 15th June 2025

### About the Internship

The Marpu Foundation is a youth-run NGO, supported by presidential and UN awardees, that empowers young people to become global citizens. Its mission is to inspire youth to address diverse sustainability issues and enhance their engagement in impactful activities. Interns at the foundation are responsible for developing and executing fundraising campaigns, ensuring their successful implementation, and assisting in raising funds for specific causes

### Benefits:

- Certificate

### Only those candidates can apply who:

1. are available for the work from home job/internship
2. can start the work from home job/internship between 16th May'25 and 20th Jun'25
3. are available for duration of 1 week

### To know more& apply:

<https://internshala.com/internship/detail/work-from-home-social-work-internship-at-marpu-foundation1747391438>

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# MSW JOB OPPORTUNITIES

## 1) Project Coordinator

Plan International (India Chapter)

Location: Chaibasa (West Singhbhum), Jharkhand

Job email ID: planindiacareers@planindia.org

Apply By: 15th June 2025

## 2) Rural Women Entrepreneurship Expert

SwitchON Foundation

Location: Kolkata, West Bengal

Job email ID: apply@switchon.org.in

Apply By: 20 June 2025

## 3) Programme Associate

Sanhita

Location: Kolkata, West Bengal

Job email ID: sanhita.communication@gmail.com

Apply By: 15th June 2025

## 4) Project Manager, TPD– MCD Scale Programme

Peepul

Location: Delhi

Job email ID: <https://peepulindia.zohorecruit.in/jobs/Careers/120100000002348060/Project-Manager-TPD%E2%80%93MCD-Scales-Programme?source=CareerSite>

Apply By: 18th June 2025

## 5) Coordinators

Mahan Seva Sansthan

Location: Udaipur, Rajasthan

Job email ID: rkgmss@gmail.com

Apply By: 16th June 2025

## 6) Community Mobilizer

TeamLease Foundation

Location: Nandurbar, Maharashtra

Job email ID: Application Form - Community Mobilizer

Apply By: 15th June 2025

## 7) Cluster Coordinators

Doctors For You (DFY)

Location: Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra

Job email ID: <https://forms.gle/qWNdui4Fqc-F7YR85A>

Apply By: 15th June 2025

## 8) Resident Admin Manager for Retirement Township

Dignity Foundation

Location: Neral, Maharashtra

Job email ID: sheilu.sreenivasan@dignitylifestyle.org

Apply By: 21st June 2025

## 9) Livelihood Network Facilitator

Plan International (India Chapter)

Location: Chaibasa (West Singhbhum), Jharkhand

Job email ID: planindiacareers@planindia.org

Apply By: 15th June 2025

## 10) Project Consultant

Vital Strategies India Services Private Limited

Location: Bangalore, Karnataka

Job email ID: contacttcd@vitalstrategies.org

Apply By: 18th June 2025

Source: <https://www.devnetjobsindia.org/>

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# JUNE 2025



## IMPORTANT DAYS – JUNE 2025

June 1st 2025 – World Mild Day, and Global Day of Parents.

June 2nd 2025 – International Sex Workers Day

June 3rd 2025 – World Bicycle Day

June 5th 2025 – World Environment Day

June 7th 2025 – World Food Safety Day

June 8th 2025 – World Ocean Day

June 8th 2025 – World Brain Tumour Day

June 12th 2025 – World Blood Donors Day

June 15th 2025 – World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

June 18th 2025 – World Autistic Pride Day

June 21st 2025 – International Yoga Day

June 21st 2025 – World Music Day

June 23rd 2025 – International Olympic Day

June 23rd 2025 – United Nations Public Service Day

Source: <https://currentaffairs.adda247.com/important-days-in-2025-check-full-list-of-national-and-international-days/>

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**Job Title**

**Children Safeguarding Administrator**

## 1. How was your life at Amrita?

My five years at Amrita both at the Kollam and Coimbatore campuses were truly transformative. Studying B.Sc. Biotechnology in Kollam laid a strong academic foundation, while the vibrant campus life fostered friendships and personal growth. Later, pursuing my MSW in Coimbatore expanded my perspective and deepened my commitment to social change.

## 2. What are the key skills that you learned at Amrita that helped your career?

Amrita provided an environment that nurtured both personal and professional growth. I developed strong communication and problem-solving skills, along with the ability to work collaboratively in diverse teams. The culture of discipline, compassion, and value-driven learning instilled in me a deep sense of responsibility and adaptability.

## 3. How is the current scope of Social Work?

From my experience working in collaboration with Trafford Council and the NHS, I see social work as a field with dynamic and expanding opportunities. I've had the chance to interact with social workers in both child and adult services, and it's clear how essential their roles are in safeguarding, support planning, and community engagement. The profession is gaining greater recognition, especially within multidisciplinary teams, and there's a strong emphasis on holistic, person-centered care.



#### 4. What message would you like to give to the current MSW students?

Make the most of your time as a student not just in the classroom but also in the field. The experiences, challenges, and reflections you gather now will shape your perspective and strengthen your practice.

#### 5. What are your key responsibilities in the present job?

As a Safeguarding Administrator in the Children Safeguarding Team at Manchester Foundation Trust (MFT), my key responsibilities include coordinating and maintaining accurate records of safeguarding concerns, supporting case management by ensuring timely documentation and information sharing, and liaising with internal teams and external agencies such as social services and the police. I also assist in preparing reports, managing confidential data, and supporting the team's administrative needs to ensure smooth and effective safeguarding processes.

#### 6. Who is your inspiration?

For me, inspiration comes from many of the people I've met along the way mentors, colleagues, and even clients. Every interaction teaches you something in this field, whether it's resilience, empathy, or the power of listening. I believe we're constantly evolving, and it's the everyday people, often quietly doing meaningful work, who leave the biggest impact. I try to take a little wisdom from each of them and carry it forward in my journey.

#### 7. Anything else you would like to share?

Just believe in yourself, in the work you do, and in the change you're capable of creating.



# UGC NET QUESTION PAPER

## DECEMBER 2019 PAPER SOLVED

1. The statement that “social group work is concerned with normal persons and social case work with abnormal persons” may be considered as

- A. completely wrong and incorrect statement
- B. partially correct statement
- C. partially incorrect statement
- D. one of the goal of the social work

2. The concept of ‘Gestalt’ meaning ‘in its totality’ or ‘in aggregate configuration’ formed as a result of interaction between client and environment is used in

- A. Social case work
- B. Social group work
- C. Community organisation
- D. Social work research

3. Social group work is basically related with

- A. development of the identity
- B. development of the personality
- C. development of standard programmes
- D. development of ways of working for group members

4. Which of the following stages of programme development in community organisation are in order.

- A. Initial stage, middle stage, expansion stage and institutionalising programme stage
- B. Initial stage, expansion stage, middle stage and institutionalising programme stage
- C. Initial stage, institutionalising programme stage, middle stage, expansion stage
- D. Expansion stage, initial stage, middle stage and institutionalising programme stage

5. Which of the following are four core stages of social work profession in evolutionary manner?

- A. Charity, Development , Welfare and Empowerment
- B. Empowerment, development, Welfare and Charity
- C. Charity, Welfare, Development , and Empowerment
- D. Development , Welfare, Charity and Empowerment

6. Which of the following Schedules of Indian Constitution deals with the powers, authority and responsibility of Panchayats?

- A. 8th Schedule
- B. 9th Schedule
- C. 11th Schedule
- D. 12th Schedule

7. All forms of physical, sexual, verbal, emotional and economic abuse that can harm, cause injury, endanger health, safety, life or well-being, either mental or physical, of the aggrieved persons are covered under



- A. Sexual harassment
- B. Domestic violence
- C. Molestation
- D. Criminal intimidation

8. Which are the typical characteristics of bureaucrats?

- (a) Dependence on regulations
- (b) Impersonal relations
- (c) Great votary of rules and procedures
- (d) Indifference from rights and privileges of office

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- A. (a) and (d) only
- B. (a), (b) and (d) only
- C. (a), (b) and (c) only
- D. (a), (b), (c) and (d)

9. The influence of a rater's general impression on ratings of specific ratee qualities is known as

- A. Halo effect
- B. Leniency problem
- C. Recency effect
- D. Unclear standards problem

10. Arrange the stages of research process, after data collection, in correct sequence.

- A. Editing the filled in tool, Coding, report writing, tabulation
- B. Coding, report writing, editing the filled in tool, tabulation
- C. Editing the filled in tool, coding, tabulation, report writing
- D. Report writing, editing the filled in tool, coding, tabulation

## ANSWER KEY

- 1) Option A
- 2) Option A
- 3) Option B
- 4) Option A
- 5) Option C
- 6) Option C
- 7) Option B
- 8) Option C
- 9) Option A
- 10) Option C



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