

# SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

# NSS SPECIAL CAMP 2022 REPORT UNIT-6

20.03.2023, 21.03.2023, 22.03.2023 & 24.03.2023





#### NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME UNIT -6

#### DAY 1

**DATE**: 20.03.2023 (Monday)

#### **VENUE: MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE**

Timing	Events
9.00 to 10.30 am	Inauguration ceremony
10.30 to 1.00 pm	Cleaning of classroom for painting
2.00 to 3.00 pm	Painting of classroom
3.00 to 4.00 pm	Spoken English and Basic Computer Awareness training for school
	students/ Events for school students

With the blessings of our beloved Amma, NSS special camp of NSS Unit 6 of Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences was inaugurated on 20.03.2023 at Government High School, Myleripalayam. Totally 57 students from 2021 batch attended the NSS special camp. The inaugural programme began with a prayer song by Ms. Poorna Somathmajan of 2021 batch and the programme was convened by Ms. M.R. Anjali and Ms. Harsana of 2021 batch. Dr. K. Murugasridevi, NSS Programme Officer, NSS Unit 6 welcomed the gathering and delivered the plan of work of NSS special camp. After this, the inaugural address of NSS special camp was delivered by Mrs. S. Umagowri, Headmistress, Government High School, Myleripalayam. She felt very happy to welcome our students to do service for the school. She also encouraged the students to work happily during the camp. Following this, Mrs. Uma, Assistant Headmistress, Government High School, Myleripalayam delivered the special address. Finally, Vote of thanks was given by Ms. SM. Vasuki of 2021 batch. After the inaugural programme, NSS student volunteers cleaned the classroom for painting. Then, they were also involved in the collection of plastic garbage within

the school premise. Following this, basics in Spoken English and awareness on computer applications were taught to school students by NSS student volunteers. Running race competition was organized by NSS student volunteers for Grade VI students.

DAY 2
DATE: 21.03.2023 (Tuesday)

**VENUE: MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE** 

Timing	Events
9.00 to 9.30 am	Yoga session for school students
9.30 to 1.00 pm	Painting of classroom
2.00 to 4.00 pm	Events for school students

As a part of NSS special camp, Yoga session was conducted for school students by NSS student volunteers with the guidance of Mr. V. Karthik Raja, Physical Director, Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences. A group of NSS student volunteers started painting the interior portion of the classroom and others were involved in cleaning the exterior corridor wall. Another group of NSS student volunteers tirelessly gathered the plastic wastes inside the school premise and made it clean. They were also engaged in eliminating the noxious parthenium weed found inside the campus. NSS student volunteers also distributed pamphlets to the farmers on "Demonstrations on plant protection measures among the farmers of Myleripalayam" to be conducted on 24.03.23. Events such as Tamil speech, Quiz competition and creative art were conducted for the school students.

DAY 3
DATE: 23.03.2023 (Thursday)

VENUE: MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE
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Timing	Events
9.00 to 9.30 am	Yoga session for school students
9.30 to 1.00 pm	Painting of classroom / Awareness session on personal hygiene
2.00 to 4.00 pm	Events for school students

The day initiated with Yoga session for school students by NSS student volunteers. With great interest, a group of NSS student volunteers tirelessly completed painting the classroom and the corridor. Another group of NSS student volunteers gathered the plastic wastes inside the school premise and made it clean. Simultaneously, NSS student volunteers delivered an awareness session on personal hygiene for the school students. Events such as Lemon in spoon, Balloon bursting, Musical chair and Drawing competitions were conducted for school students.

DAY 4

DATE: 24.03.2023 (Friday)

VENUE: MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE

Timing	Events
9.00 to 9.30 am	Yoga session for school students
10.00 to 11.00 am	Demonstrations on plant protection measures among the farmers of Myleripalayam
11.00 to 1.00 pm	Awareness on Agriculture oriented Entrepreneurship for the welfare of farmers
2.00 to 4.00 pm	Valedictory function

The day initiated with Yoga session for school students by NSS student volunteers. "Demonstrations on plant protection measures among the farmers of Myleripalayam" was conducted at a farmer's residence, Myleripalayam. Dr. K. Kamesh Krishnamoorthy, Assistant Professor (Plant Pathology) demonstrated the methodology of preparing Bordeaux mixture and explained about disease management in coconut and banana. Dr. S. Parthasarathy cleared the doubts of farmers regarding disease management in various crops. Dr. K. Murugasridevi explained about the management of coconut pests with respect to Rhinoceros beetle and Rugose spiralling whitefly in coconut and also gave clarifications on pest management. Following this, in view of maximizing farmers income through value addition, Dr. S. Thirukkumar, Assistant Professor (Food Science) explained the processing techniques of value-added products of tomato, cereals, pulses, banana, millets and coconut. He also emphasized on business model skills, entrepreneurship skills, health and hygiene practices to be followed.

Valedictory function of NSS special camp was conducted on 24.03.2022 at Government High school, Myleripalayam. The valedictory programme commenced with a prayer song by Ms.

Navya S Nair of 2021 batch. The programme was compered by Mr. Souradh and Ms. Rithi Varshita of 2021 batch. Ms. D. Harshitha of 2021 batch welcomed the gathering.

After this, Valedictory address was delivered by Dr. Sudheesh Manalil, Associate Dean, Head Research, and PGP chair, Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences. He remembered the Rural Agricultural Working Experience of our college students at Myleripalayam village and insisted that students should always be prepared to learn the strategies of cultivation from the growers. He appreciated the eminent service done by the NSS student volunteers especially painting of the classroom, plastic waste removal and parthenium eradication in the school premise. He also elaborated that people in developed countries like Australia do their household chores for themselves to avoid paying a huge amount to manpower. In addition, he cherished our NSS student volunteers for eradicating parthenium from the school premises and explained the ill effects of noxious parthenium weed which causes indigestion, anxiety, allergic reactions, exhausted feeling after sleep, and respiratory issues. Associate dean also insisted on the importance of using cloth bags over the usage of plastic carry bags for buying things. Finally, he felt very happy with our NSS student volunteers for undertaking this service in the school. Following this, a Special address was delivered by Mrs. Gomathi Thirumoorthy, President, Myleripalayam, followed by Mrs. S. Umagowri, Head mistress, Government High School, Myleripalayam. Then, a Special address was given by Mrs. Sumathi, Headmistress, Panchayat Union Primary School, Myleripalayam. After this, prize distribution was done by the dignitaries for the winners of various events. Dr. K. Murugasridevi, NSS Programme Officer delivered the vote of thanks. The programme ended with a National Anthem.

DAY 1

**DATE: 20.03.2023 (Monday)** 

# **Inauguration of NSS special camp**



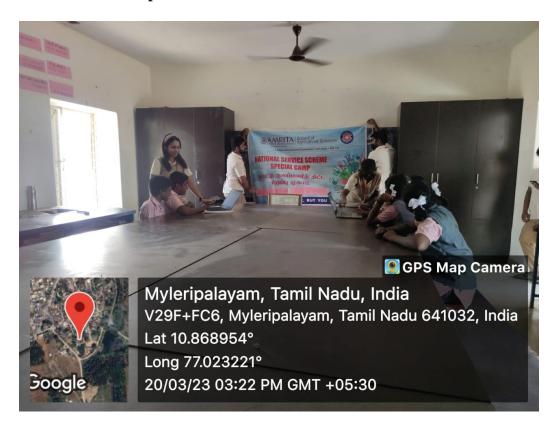
Cleaning of the classroom for painting



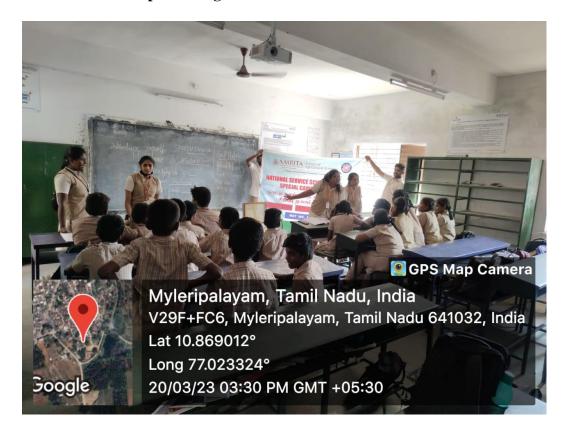
#### Plastic wastes removal in school premise



Computer awareness session for school students



#### **Spoken English session for school students**



#### **Running race for school students**

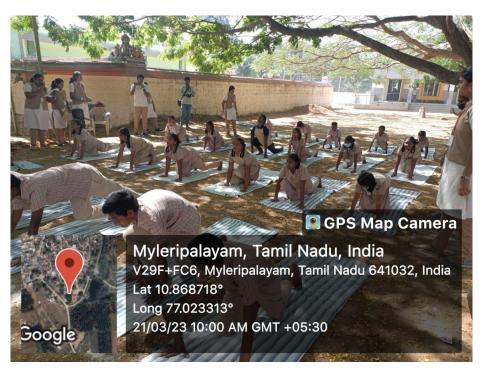


DAY 2

#### **DATE: 21.03.2023 (Tuesday)**

#### Yoga session for school students





Plastic wastes removal in school premise



Parthenium eradication in school premise



## Painting of classroom by NSS student volunteers



#### Painting of classroom by NSS student volunteers



**Tamil Speech competition for school students** 



## **Quiz competition for school students**



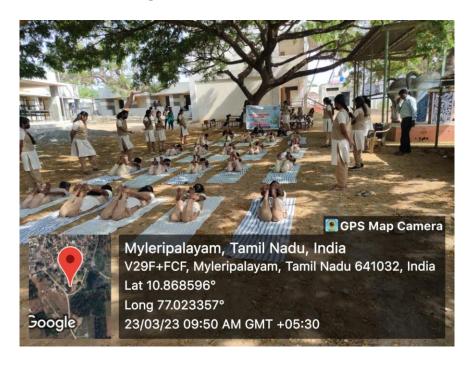
#### Creative art competition for school students



DAY 3

**DATE: 23.03.2023 (Thursday)** 

#### Yoga session for school students



# Painting of the classroom



## Completion of painting in the corridor



# Completion of painting inside the classroom

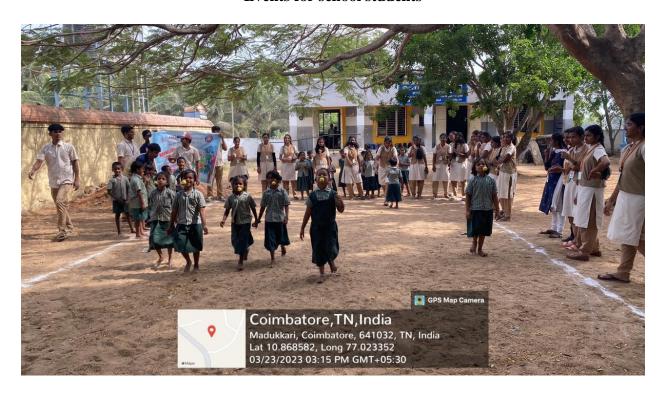




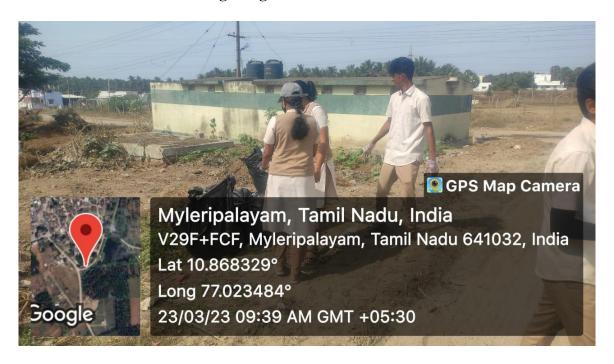
#### Awareness session on Personal hygiene for the school students



**Events for school students** 



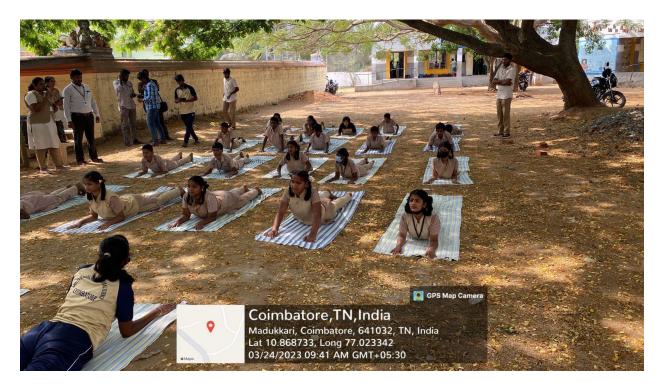
#### Plastic garbage removal from the school



DAY 4

**DATE**: 24.03.2023 (Friday)

Yoga session for school students



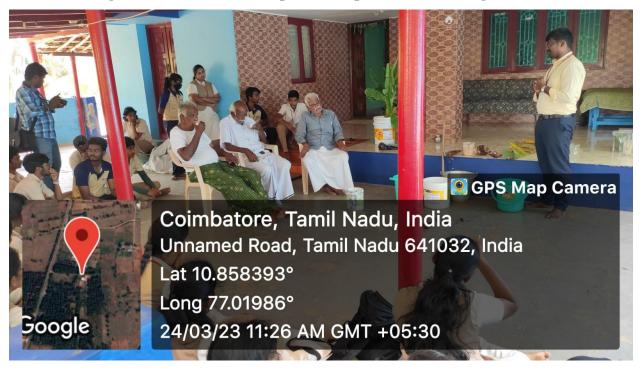
#### Plastic waste removal from the school premises



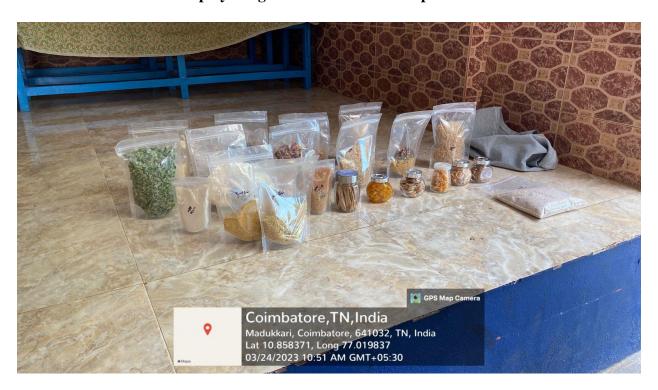
#### **Demonstration on Bordeaux mixture preparation among farmers**



### Agriculture oriented Entrepreneurship awareness among farmers



Display of agro- based value-added products



## Valedictory address given by Associate Dean



Prize distribution by the dignitaries



# Prize distribution by the dignitaries





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# NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME SPECIAL CAMP

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