

Additional Skill Acquisition Programme (ASAP)

Additional Skill Acquisition Programme (ASAP) is an initiative of Departments of Higher Education and General Education with a view to improve the employability quotient of students studying in Higher Secondary Schools and Colleges. ASAP aims to impart industry specific skills to the needy students in the selected schools and colleges along with their regular studies through modular courses with the active participation of Industry partners. Students enrolled with ASAP will get opportunity to learn sector specific skills of their choice. Communicative English and Basic IT modules are integral component of ASAP Programmes.

A new batch ASAP was launched in our college in the academic year 2012-13. Out of 62 applications 30 students were short listed and classes had been started since November 2013. Classes for Communicative English and Basic IT skills are scheduled on all week days from 3.45pm to 4.45pm except Friday and 8.30am to 9.30am on Fridays. All the students of this batch were selected for their skill courses on a campaign which was conducted in the Skill Development Centre at Perumbavoor.

The official inauguration of the ASAP in the campus was held on 20th February 2014 and the programme was inaugurated by Sri. V P Sajeendran MLA. The programme has been presided by Dr. A Biju, Principal, MES College Marampally. The ASAP Coordinator, Sri R Murugan, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Computer Applications delivered the welcome speech and Ms. KarthikaBhasker, Programme Manager described the project. Sri. T H Abdul Jabbar, President, VazhakulamGramapanchayat, Sri. K M Shamsuddin, Chairman, College Managing Committee, Sri. K I Krishnan Kutty, Member, Vazhakulam Block Panchayat, Sri.M P Devassy, Chairman, Education Standing Committee, VazhakulamGramapanchayat and Sri. M MVinayakan, Vice President PTA, Dr. Manzur Ali P P, Staff Secretary felicitated the programme. Ms. VijithaVilasan, Skill Development Executive delivered vote of thanks.

