



**QUEEN MARY'S COLLEGE
(AUTONOMOUS)
CHENNAI - 4**

Affiliated to University of Madras



**UPSC CIVIL SERVICES FREE
COACHING - REPORT**

1. NAME OF CLUB : UPSC CIVIL SERVICES FREE COACHING


2. DATE OF INCEPTION : 2002

3. Policies and Practices:

- To enable women students from economically weaker strata to equip themselves for UPSC examination.
- Students all selected based on a written test and interview.
- Selected students are coached free of cost.
- The coaching is funded by Govt. of Tamilnadu.
- QMC is one of the two centres offering such a extension programme reaching out to students in and out of QMC

4. OFFICE BEARERS/ Members-In-Charge :

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| <p>Role: Head</p> <p>Name : Dr. Uma Maheswari</p> <p>Designation: Principle & Director</p> <p>Queen Mary's college</p> |  |
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| <p>Role: Office bearer-1</p> <p>Name : Dr. L. Kokila Devi</p> <p>Designation: Associate Prof &</p> <p>Co ordinate</p> <p>Dept: Economics</p> |  |
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5. MODE THROUGH WHICH THE STUDENTS REACH YOU : Through GOOGLE FORM / GMEET LINK / WEBSITE LINK / Personal Contact
Website link First entry and Personal Contact after class starts

6. DATES OF THE CLUB MEETING 2022-23:

| S.No | Date | Agenda | No. of participants | Short minutes or Appendix File |
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| 1. | 19.12.2023 | Prayer Song Welcome address: Dr.Uma Maheswari , Principal & Director Special Address: Dr.S.K.Muruganantham Professor MGR Law College, Chennai | 60 | Orientation Programme |

7. MINUTES OF THE MEETING / ACTION PLAN : 2022-23:

UPSC free coaching center of Queen Mary's College organize orientation programme by **Dr.S.K.Muruganantham** On 19.12.2023 gave brief introduction about the UPSC exam.

8. REPORTS OF THE MEETING FROM 2022-23:

Dr.S.K.Muruganantham gave a vast and clear explanation about the various stages followed up in UPSC Examination and attempted to be made in the exams. He gave introduction about the aptitude tests, their aspects and also explained how to apply for the various competitive Examination to the students



9. POLICIES

This is a scheme introduced by the state Government of Tamil Nadu as a gender empowerment measure. Therefore, the aim of this coaching center is to provide UPSC Civil Service free training for women graduates.

10. PRACTICES

Our College Principal Dr.B.Uma Maheswari M.Sc., M.Phil., Ph.D., is our director to this course and Dr.L.Kokila Devi, Associate Professor in Economics is our coordinator to this UPSC coaching center.

Every year 60 students from all over Tamilnadu are select through an entrance exam and interview. This is a free coaching center funded by the government of Tamilnadu. Besides arts and science graduates, engineering graduates have availed for this training.

The trainees of this programme include former IAS officer experts from various subject and professors and trainers from various IAS coaching center in Chennai city. With a review to inculcate the communication skills, group discussion session were arranged. They helped the candidates to improve their articulation. To enhance the knowledge quotient of the candidates, regular tests were given.

Candidates were encouraged to make use of the library in the library hours. Library contains around 3000 books and journals. In addition, they were instructed to bring one newspaper to the class every day for discussion.

The course at our center has, to some extent succeeded in sowing the seed of personal achievement in the minds of young and enthusiastic candidate to become IAS officer.

11. FEEDBACK REPORT ON THE ACTIVITY OF THE CLUB

1. Choosing this Centre was the best decision I made for my UPSC preparation. The faculty's dedication and strategic teaching methods equipped me with the skills needed to ace the exam. Thank you for your invaluable guidance!

2. I am immensely grateful to centre and trainers for their exceptional guidance and mentorship. Their structured approach and regular mock tests played a crucial role in my success in the IAS exam. Highly commendable institute!

3. Their focused approach and expert guidance helped me crack the IAS exam with flying colors. Grateful for their unwavering support

12. EACH ACTIVITY MUST MENTION NATURE OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT

| S.No | Activity Date | Skill Enhanced | No. of participants | Outcome/Feedback |
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| 1. | 2022-2023 | Enhances a student's jobs prospects and employability. UPSC include knowledge, intelligence, integrity, communication, adaptability, and leadership skills. | 60 | A successful career a requires emotional intelligence, determination and Perseverance. An IAS aspirant must possess these qualities and be committed to continuous learning and self-development. |

13. EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES :

About 6000 graduates have completed this training. Several candidates have entered the Indian Civil Services and through the TNPSC examination. The performance of the candidates has improved considerably and the placement of our **candidates in Government organization speaks to the fact.**

14. CONTRIBUTION TO SOCIETY

The academy encourages a sense of community among its students, providing a platform where aspirants can share experiences, exchange ideas, and motivate each other.

This sense of camaraderie contributes to a positive learning atmosphere, essential for success in competitive exams.