

## **Women Empowerment**

Since the time of its inception, striving tirelessly towards perfection in realizing the institution's vision and mission, the college has been significantly contributing to the mission of empowering the marginalized, rural and economically weaker young women through quality education. Training in Mushroom cultivation by Start-up Programme, NET/SET coaching by Minority Coaching Cell, development of leadership qualities by JACSAFA and outreach programmes by NCC, NSS, JACEP and YRC in the adopted and nearby villages were noteworthy. St. Anne's Vocational Training Centre functioning in the campus is an approved training provider under Tamil Nadu Skill Development Corporation which imparts skill training to the students and the rural women in Zardozi Work, Hand Embroidery, Tailoring and Book Binding. St. Anne's Rural Women Development Education and Empowerment Programme (SARWODEEP) in the campus extended its service to the underprivileged in the community. It had helped in the creation of more than 100 Self Help Groups. It focuses on women empowerment, adult literacy and skill development training through Computer Training for the Rural Women and Sanitary Napkin Making. By the joint efforts of SARWODEEP and Khadi and Village Industries Commission, Madurai (KVIC), NABARD gave free earthenware making machines to 40 potters.