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Dawn of 20th century witnessed two major events of Thekkepuram which turned out to be the fountain heads of regional progress. They were establishment of Himayathul Islam School in 1912 and Madrasathul Muhmmadiya School in 1918. Both occurred at a time the community was stumbling far behind from mainstream education. The educational quest of the female gender still remained unaddressed till mid of the century. They were preys of child marriage and complications of "extended family" living.

In 1956, a group of philanthropists (Haji S.A Jifri, P.I Kunhammad Kutty HaJi, Haji P.P. Hasan Koya, C.P. Kunhammed, S. Imbicht Koya Haji and Haji K. Hasan Koya) constituted an organization named KOZHIKODE EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY. The focus was empowerment of Muslim girls through education. This thought culminated in the establishment of Calicut Girls' Vocational & Higher Secondary School at Kundungal in a land donated by Janab AK KunhiMayin Haji, an educationist, a business man and a landlord.

The school was opened on 4th August 1958 with a strength of 26. Ever since then, it has been growing to become one of the most populated in Kerala. 2015 is witnessing around 2500 girls pursue their learning from primary level to Higher Secondary and a few vocational courses both in Malayalam and English medium with the guidance of about 130 dedicated staff. The campus is spread over a land of more than one acre.

Past fifty years cannot erase the memories of many great personalities who have spared their time and wealth for the School. Dr. M.K. Muhammed Koya, K.V Koyassan Koya Haji, P.P. Ummer Koya etc. are a few to names.

In this era of Information Technology changes are occurring in every walk of life. Teaching standards, learning methods and the process of knowledge acquisition too are no exception. If an institution is run in an obsolete concept, its beneficiariesthe students- are bound to be pushed behind by miles. Access to contemporary technology and curriculum are the right of the new generation.

#### A FEW OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS THE SCHOOL ATTAINED ARE:

- 100% success in SSLC 2015
- Nine National Merits Cum Means Scholarship
- First in NMMS Scholarship among girls' schools in Calicut
- State level award for best HSS NSS unit and Programme Officer
- Ranked number one in VHSE NSS units among Kozhikode schools
- State level award for best VHSE NSS unit and Programme Officer
- School Kalolsavam State level Awards in English and Urdu Recitation Hindi versification and Mappilapattu (HSS)
- Overall Trophy in sub district level Arabic Kalolsavam for HS and UP

The school has bagged state level second rank in VHSE science group thrice, Mrs. Sreedevi P.M. was awarded best Vocational Teacher National award from NCERT. Kerala School Yuvajanolsavam award for Oppana was bagged by the school for thirty one years! In 1987 the school Oppana group was sent to Russia for performance.

Calicut Girls' Vocational & Higher Secondary School is the only school in the region giving courses in Science, Humanities, Commerce with Mathematics and Computer Science in the higher secondary level and Medical Lab Technology with Science and Biomedical Equipment Technology with science in VHSE level.

The present management committee in which Dr. V. Ali Faizal as the President, KV Kunhammad as the Secretary are focused to equip the institution to face future challenges.



Calicut Girls Oppana Team, visited Russia in 1987 - Photo Session with former Kerala Chief Minister Sri E.K Nayanar



NCERT Best Teacher National Award for Smt. Sreedevi Teacher - Calicut Girls' Vocational Higher Secondary 2003



Golden Jubilee Celebration (2007)



**HSS NSS Sate Award for best NSS** Unit and Program Officer - 2013



VHSE NSS State Award for



Vijayolsavam 2015 - Inaugurated by Best NSS Program Officer and NSS Unit - 2014 Sri N Prasanth IAS (District Collector - Kozhikode)

# Kozhikode Educational Society has formulated a program named "IDEAL"- Innovative Design for Education and Learning.

IDEAL is for empowerment of both the infrastructure and academics.

## **IDEAL** envisages the following

- Renovation of the existing infrastructure.
- Additions of deficient facilities.
- Modernization of teaching using high-tech methods.
- Facilitation for extra curricular activities, recreation and sports.
- Staff training for enhancement and upgradation of teaching process.
- Improvised education and motivation of staff
- Creation of benchmark of school in the present educational scenario.
- Achievement of accreditations like NABET, Scottish Quality Authority (SQA), ISO certification etc.

IDEAL is to be achieved within a span of three years, by the time the school celebrates its Diamond Jubilee in 2018. The implementation shall be in a phased manner. Four milestones are set to meet the required time and budget.

### **Milestones**

- Phase 1: Budget : INR- 2,00,00,000/- Deadline 31st Dec 2015
- Phase 2: Budget : INR- 2,00,00,000/- Deadline 31st Dec 2016
- Phase 3: Budget: INR- 2,00,00,000/- Deadline 31st Dec 2017
- Phase 4: Budget: INR- 2,00,00,000/- Deadline 31st Dec 2018



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