Committee of **Vijnatham Utsav - 2025 (JVTM)**

Glimpses of Vijnatham Utsav (JVTM)

2024

2023

2020

2019

2018

2017

2016

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Sri Adichunchanagiri Mahasamsthana Math
Nagamangala Taluk, Mandya District, Karnataka - 571 811

20 25

12th Annual Coronation Celebration of
72nd Pontiff of Sri Adichunchanagiri Mahasamsthana Math

VIJNATHAM
UTSAV
(10th EDITION)

19th & 20th February 2025

SRI ADICHUNCHANAGIRI SHIKSHANA TRUST (R.)

ADICHUNCHANAGIRI UNIVERSITY

Historically all through the ages **Sri Adichuchanagiri Mahasamstana Math** is serving mankind in every possible way with special focus on the basic necessities like **Anna** (Food), **Akshara** (Education), **Aarogya** (Health), **Adhyathmika** (Spirituality), **Ashraya** (Housing), **Anukampa** (Helping hand), **Aranya** (Afforestation), **Akalu** (Running cattle sheds) and **Anubandha** (Community Organisations).

His Holiness Sri Sri Sri Dr. Balagangadharanatha Mahaswamiji established Sri Adichunchanagiri Shikshana Trust in 1974 with the prime aim of enlightening the rural youth and made education in creating opportunity and easy access to affordable education. The year 2024 earmarks the **Golden Jubliee** year of estemeed existence of Trust. Presently, the Trust is running 484 education institutions across India and even in abroad offering quality education to nearly 1.5 lakh students with a scientific outlook, cultural background and spiritual touch. Besides, **Adichunchanagiri University** was Established in 2018, presently it has 6 faculties with 11 colleges of various disciplines.

On the eve of the 12th Annual Coronation celebrations of **His Holiness Jagadguru Sri Sri Sri Dr. Nirmalanandanatha Mahaswamiji,** the 72nd Pontiff of Sri Adichunchanagiri Mahasamsthana Math, a **"Vijnatham Utsav - 2025"** is being organised. This year's celebrations are scheduled on **19th & 20th February 2025** at **Sri Kshetra**, Adichunchanagiri, Karnataka. In the present mela, along with our Education Institutions, several Higher Education Institutions of other Managements, Government agencies like ISRO, HAL, Vishweshwaraiah Industrial and Technological Museum, Spiritual Organizations etc., across the state are participating.

VIJNATHAM AWARDEES

Dr. CNR Rao, FRS
2016

Dr. UR Rao, FRS
2017

Sri M
2018

Prof. Sharat Chandra
2019

Dr. Vasudev Kalkunte Atre
2020

Dr. Sudha Murty
2023

S Somnath
2024

Objectives of Vijnatham Utsav - 2025 (JVTM)

- **Exposing** youth to the latest trends and developments in the fields of Science, Technology, Wisdom and Spirituality
- **Initiating** the youth to be prepared for the blending of Technology and Science
- **Enlightening** the youth for a scientific analysis of religion and study of religion in the light of science
- **Motivating** the masses, particularly the younger generation, to think and act scientifically
- **Inspiring** people to develop an inclination towards solving problems related to Societal needs, Culture, Spirituality, Environment, Agriculture, Energy Conservation, Health Care, Research and Academic advancements, etc.
- **Creating** awareness about environmental issues and concerns
- **Enabling** the younger generation to visualise the future of the nation and become responsible citizens

Terms and Condition:

1. Model Presentation:
I. The exhibited models should reflect any Three of the given themes per Institution.
ii. Only 5 students can participate in a team (4students + 1Faculty) and a maximum of Three projects can be presented from each Institution

2. PowerPoint Presentation:
I. The PowerPoint Presentation duration is Six Minutes (6 minutes for Presentation + 1 minute for Interaction).
ii. Only two members can participate in a team and each institution can present one PowerPoint Presentation.

3. Quiz:
I. The Quiz competition will be held on the given themes and also based on General Knowledge and Current Affairs.
ii. The competition consists of two or more stages which will be informed on the same day.
iii. A two-member team from each institution and maximum of 2 Teams from each institution can participate.

Attractive Cash Prizes & Certificates will be offered **theme wise**

Sl. No.	Criteria for PPT	Marks
1	Data Collection and Organization	15
2	Slide Preparation	15
3	Presentation	10
4	Interaction	05
5	Opening & Concluding Statement	05
	Total	50

** All the participants are hereby informed to be present in your stalls till the announcement of prizes i.e. 20th February 12:00 pm.

Themes

1. **Science, Religion and Spirituality** → Harmonizing Science, Religion and Spirituality for Sustainable Communities
(SDG 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) - **Adhyathmika**

2. **Impact of Technology in Higher Education** → Technology-Enhanced Higher Education for Quality and Inclusive Learning
(SDG 4: Quality Education) - **Akshara**

3. **Shaping the Future of Life: Health and Well-Being** → Advancing Universal Health Coverage and Well-Being Through Innovation
(SDG 3: Good Health and Well-Being) - **Arogya**

4. **Addressing Environmental Issues and Climate Change** → Climate Action and Environmental Stewardship for Planetary Health
(SDG 13: Climate Action & SDG 15: Life on Land) – **Aranya & Aakalu**

5. **AI and IoT in Agriculture for Food Security** → Digital Agriculture Innovation for Zero Hunger and Food Security
(SDG 2: Zero Hunger) – **Anna**

Assessment Criteria
for Exhibition Models

Criteria	%
Creativity, imagination and Originality	20%
Scientific thought / principle/ approach	15%
Technical skill, workmanship, craftsmanship etc.	20%
Utility for society, scalability / educational value	15%
Economics/ viability (low cost), portability, durability, scope of its applicability in future etc.	15%
Presentation - aspects like effectiveness, demonstration, display and relevant explanations	15%
Total	**100%**

"Vijnatham" (ವಿಜ್ಞಾತಂ) *is an abbreviated term to mark the essence of Vijnana-Jnana-Tantrajnana (Science-Wisdom-Technology). Even otherwise, "Vijnatham" as a word by itself conveys the meaning- "The one who has achieved Ultimate Realisation" or "The Knower of Self".*