# THE RURAL COLLEGE, KANAKAPURA-562117



DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY



#### DEPARTMENT PROFILE

History is a delightful subject which gives meaning to life and action. It is true in the case of Poojya Sri. S. Kariyappa, who dedicated himself to the cause of literacy for rural youth. With this noble aim, he started the Rural College in 1955 at Kanakapura, which is one of the four taluk headquarters of Ramanagar District. It is situated on the banks of Arkawati, a tributary of the great Cauvery. Epigraphical evidenced reveal that, it was a part of Mudigondacholamandala and was ruled by Ganga, Hoysala, Vijayanagara rulers and Seegalanadu Prabhus. Tha name Kanakanahalli, now Kanakapura is a modification of Kanikaranahalli referred in epigraphical evidences which mean village of coin makers during the Hoysala period. In this taluk of historical importance a Department of History was opened in the year 1965.

During the year 2006, a three year Tourism degree programe was started to impart professional education and training in various aspects of tourism, to rural students. It develops skill in business and public relations to enable them to meet the challenges of globalization at national and international levels.

Name and Address	:	Department of History and Tourism Rural College, Kanakapura, Ramanagara District – 562 117. Karnataka.	
Built up Area	:	It is housed on second floor of the college building.	
Objectives	:	To promote self understanding through enlightened awareness to appreciate humanity and world peace to develop the qualities of leadership, character, brotherhood and selfless service, integrity and patriotism.  To develop skills of business and public relations among the students to meet the challenges of Globalisation.	

# PERMANENT FACULTY:

Sl.	Name	Qualification	Designation	Date of	Experience
No				Birth	
01	Dr. Govindappa M	M.A., Ph.D.,	Asso. prof.	07.05.1962	32 Years
02	Ramesha S.P	M.A., M.Phil, B.Ed	Asst. prof.	30.05.1965	30 Years
03	Krishnaiah .D	M.A., M.Phil, B.lib	Asst. prof.	01.06.1960	28 Years

# MANAGEMENT FACULTY:

Sl.	Name	Qualification	Designation	Date of	Experience
No				Birth	
01	Dr.Parthasarathi H.G	M.A., Ph.D.	Asst. prof,.	26.09.1969	28 Years
02	Prasanna H.B	M.A., M.Phil	Asst, prof,.	15.06.1979	15 Years
03	Vijendra M.J	M.A., M.Phil	Asst, prof,.	01.06.1981	12 Years
04	Prashantha M	M.A., B.Ed	Asst, prof,.	02.10.1990	05 Years

#### **DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES**

Periodical test, seminars home assignments, group Discussions, visit to local places of historical places and tour programs.

**Special Lecture Programs:** 

Sl.	Name of the	Date	Topics
No	resource		
	Person		
1	Devarakonda	07-08-2018	Cultural Contribution of
	Reddy		Gangas
2	Dr. Aruni	11-09-2019	Cultural Development
			Bank of River
			Arkavathi

1. Devarakonda Reddy: The department of history of Rural college invited renovated historian Dr. Devarakonda Reddy to deliver a special are Art & Architecture during the reign of Ganga dynasty. Gangas became responsible to long the foundation of the development of Art & Architecture of Karnataka. Their capitals and principle cities were filled with Dravidian style of Architecture and the Gangas can be acclaimed to have laid everlasting foundation for heritage and tradition.

Pallava and Chola rulers were the contemporaries of Gangas which became the reason for harmonious blending of Art & Architecture of all of them Talkad, Kolar, Channapattana are some of the centers where their creation proclaim the greatness of their rule. The memorials are the all time reminders of the developments in the field in the field of Art and Architecture.

**2. Dr. Aruni:** "Cultural development along the banks of River Arkavathi" was the subject matter of an illuminating talks by renowned historian and cheonicler Dr. H.S.Aruni also the Bangalore Regional Director of Indian Council of Historical Research.

He adopted the PPT mode to track the historical events that the river witnessed from its place of origin in the Nandi Hills to its merger with Kaveri at Sangama near Karnataka, Kanakapura.

He elaborated on the life and times of the communities that thrived on the banks of the river. The agricultural patterns, natures diversity, Geographical characteristics of the land and the people. Also the cultural developments and their reflections on the life and times of communities.

The political situations, the ruling dynasties from the times of Gangas to the days of Nadaprabhu Kempegowda their cultural practices and preferences and the consequences of the style of rulers on the ruled constituted a learned exposition of the speaker. Dr. Aruni made special mention of the role of Savanadurga the for trees of the Yelahanka dynasty, geographical characteristics of the abounding forests.



#### COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAMME

# ITHIHASIKA PARAMPARE ULISI (PRESERVATION OF HISTORICAL HERITAGE):

"Prservation of Historical Heritage" a community awareness programme has been conducted under the cooperation of Karnataka Ithihasika Academy, Bangalore. Members of the department delivered lectures on the preservation of epigraphics, old manuscripts, sculptures, coins, etc., at different educational institutions. Details are given below:

#### 2018-19

Sl.	Date	Place	<b>Guest lecture By</b>
No			
1	28-08-2018	Govt. Junior College,	Dr. Parthasarathi H G
		Kanakapura	
2	29-08-2018	Rural PU College,	Ramesha S P
		Kanakapura	
3	31-08-2018	GHS, Shivanahalli	Vijendra M J
4	01-09-2018	GFGC, Kanakapura	Dr. M Govindappa

#### 2019-20

Sl. No	Date	Place	<b>Guest Lecture By</b>
1	12-09-2019	Govt. Junior College, Kanakapura	S P Ramesha
2	13-09-2019	Nirvanaswamy Residence School, Degulamata, Kanakapura	Vijendra M J
3	14-09-2019	GFGC, Kanakapura	Dr. Parthasarathi H G

#### (AS PER CBCS FROM 2017-18 & 2021-22)

	PAPERS	
CLASS /		MAX
SECTION		MARKS
I B.A I SEM	History of India I	100
II SEM	History of India from 1206-1707	100
II B.A-III SEM	I B.A-III SEM Karnataka- Society Economy and Culture	
IV SEM	IV SEM History and Tourism In India	
III B.A-V SEM	A-V SEM V. History of Modern India	
	VIA. History of Europe 1500-1945	100
VI SEM	VII India after Independence	100
	VIIIA Contemporary World	100

# (AS PER NEP-2020 & ONWARDS)

Semester	Content	Max.
		Marks
	DSC-1: Political History of Karnataka (Ancient) Part-I	60+40
1st Sem	DSC-2: Cultural Heritage of India	60+40
	OEC-1: Society and Culture of Karnataka-I	60+40
	DSC-3: Political History of Karnataka (Medieval) Part-II	60+40
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem	DSC-4: Cultural Heritage of Karnataka	60+40
	OEC-2: Society and Culture of Karnataka-II	60+40
	DSC-5: Political History of India (Up to 1206)	60+40
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sem	DSC-6: Bangalore in Time & Space	60+40
	OEC-3: Freedom movement in Karnataka 1800 to 1947	60+40
	DSC-7: History of Medieval India	60+40
4 <sup>th</sup> Sem	DSC-8: Cultural History of India (Up to 1206)	60+40
	OEC-4: Freedom movement in India 1885 to 1947	60+40

# Department of History : Admission Details:

#### **Details of Students Admission:**

Year	Course	Male	Female	Total
	I B.A	45	67	112
2017-18	II BA	25	30	55
	III BA	41	64	105
	I B.A	63	104	167
2018-19	II BA	42	64	106
	III BA	24	29	53
	I B.A	67	101	168
2019-20	II BA	76	88	164
	III BA	41	61	102
	I B.A	103	109	211
2020-21	II BA	30	76	106
	III BA	40	40	80
	I B.A	50	56	106
2021-22	II BA	70	110	180
	III BA	30	50	80

# :DETAILS OF PERCENTAGE OF RESULTS:

Semesters	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1 <sup>st</sup> sem	99%	46%	65%	70%	Awaiting
2 <sup>nd</sup> sem	76%	76%	80%	68%	Awaiting
3 <sup>rd</sup> sem	95%	95%	94%	90%	Awaiting
4 <sup>th</sup> sem	96%	96%	96%	95%	Awaiting
5 <sup>th</sup> sem -	88%	88%	80%	91%	98%
5.1					
5 <sup>th</sup> sem-	90%	90%	85%	93%	98%
5.2					
6 <sup>th</sup> sem -	93%	93%	93%	90%	99%
6.1					
6 <sup>th</sup> sem -	95%	95%	92%	94%	99%
6.2					

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# :RANK HOLDER LIST:

Sl. No.	Student Name	Course	Year	Rank
01	Suchithra	B.A	2018-19	4 <sup>th</sup>

#### **Profile of Faculty Members**



Name: Dr. M. Govindappa

**Designation:** Asso. Professor

**Experience:** 32 years **Academic Achievements:** 

> Principal, RCK

➤ Member of BOE, BOS(UG), Chairperson, BUB, Bangalore

➤ Ph.D Guide in SK PG Centre, Kanakapura

➤ Member of various committees

➤ Coordinator for SK PG Centre, Kanakapura



Name: S. P. Ramesha

**Designation:** Asst. Professor

**Experience:** 30 Years **Academic Achievements:** 

➤ Member of Attendance, Exam, Library & Tour Committee

➤ Member BOE (UG), BUB, Bangalore

➤ Member of Ambedkar Studies & Student welfare Committee

➤ Member of various committees



Name: Dr. H. G. Parthasarathi

**Designation:** Asst. Professor Experience: 28 years

**Academic Achievements:** 

➤ Member of BOE in MLA College, Malleswaram

➤ Vice-president, Alumni, RCK



Name: Prasanna H B

**Designation:** Asst. Professor

**Experience:**15 years

**Academic Achievements:** 

➤ Member of BOE in MLA College, Malleswaram

➤ Member of Alumni Association, RCK

➤ Member of tour committee



Name: Vijendra M J

**Designation:** Asst. Professor

**Experience:**11 years

**Academic Achievements:** 

NCC Officer

➤ Member of Anti-human Trafficking committee

➤ Attended various camp conducted by NCC

➤ Member of various committees

Worked as an Evaluator for UG

Pursuing Ph.D (Hampi University)



Name: Prashantha M

**Designation:** Asst. Professor

Experience:05 years

#### **Academic Achievements:**

➤ Member of Exam, Timetable, Sports & cultural Committees

> Assistant Program Officer of NSS

➤ Worked as an evaluator for UG courses