

UNIVERSITY OF KERALA

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Thiruvananthapuram

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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited from the students of the University of Kerala for the award of the following prizes for the year 2021-2022.

**I. VELLI AMBALAVANA MUNIVAR MEMORIAL
MUTHUMOZHI MELVAIPPU PRIZE**

1. There are two cash prizes , the first prize of the value of Rs.280/- (Rupees Two Hundred and Eighty only) and the Second prize of the value of Rs.260/- (Rupees Two hundred and Sixty only)
2. The prizes will be awarded on the basis of the results of a written test in Tamil on 98 out of 196 stanzas in Muthumozhi Melvaippu, the first prize being awarded to the student who secure the highest mark in written test and the second prize to the student who secure the next higher marks (if only one student appear for the competition and as there are more prizes than one, the first prize shall be awarded to him /her if he/she secures not less than 60% marks and second prize if he/she secures not less than 50% marks).
3. Students studying in all University classes in the colleges affiliated to the University of Kerala irrespective of sex, caste, creed or religion are eligible to sit for competitive test. The test is scheduled to be conducted on 08/01/2022 at Government Women's College, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. The portion for the competition for the year 2021-2022 includes all the stanzas of odd numbers, ie., stanzas 1,3,5 up to 195 in the book "Muthumozhi Melvaippu".

II. THIRUVALLUVAR MEMORIAL PRIZE

1. There are two prizes awarded in cash. The first prize of the value of Rs.465/- (Rupees Four hundred and Sixty five only) and the second prize of the value of Rs.335/- (Rupees Three hundred and Thirty five only)

2. These prizes shall be awarded on the basis of the results of competitive Examination ,oral or written or both, in Tamil on the Arathupal (Chapter 1-38) of the Tirukkural of Tiruvalluvar with Parimelazhagar's commentary , the first prize being awarded to the student who secures the highest marks in the written test and the second prize to the student who secures the next higher marks.(If only one candidate appears for the competition and as there are more prizes than one, the first prize shall be awarded to him/her, if he/she secures not less than 60% of the marks and the second prize if he/she secures not less than 50% of the marks.
3. Only students studying in the I,II and III year classes of the three year degree courses irrespective of caste, creed, sex or religion will be eligible to sit for the competitive examination scheduled to be conducted on 08/01/2022 at Government Women's College,Thiruvananthapuram.

III. H.H THE MAHARJA OF TRAVANCORE THEVARAM PRIZE

The award is intended for the encouragement, study and spread of Thevaram in the state. The Prize is of the value of Rs.750/- (Rupees Seven Hundred and Fifty only) and will be presented to the best Thevaram Singer as judged by the result of a competitive test.

The student of all colleges affiliated to the university and the University Teaching Department irrespective of sex, creed, caste or religion are eligible to compete for the prize. A competitive test for selecting the best Thevaram Singer will be held at Government Women's College, Thiruvananthapuram on 08/01/2022.

The candidates intending to compete for the prize shall memorize and sing in fine music according to proper pan, the 75 selected Thevaram(copies of the booklet containing the 75 selected Thevaram will be sent to the Principals and the Head of the Teaching Departments for free distribution among the candidates intending to compete for prize).

Intending candidates should forward their applications to the Registrar, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, through the respective Principals or Head of the University Teaching Department so as to reach the office of the Registrar on or before 15/12/2021.

- Note:**
1. The Principals shall forward separate list of the applicants.
for the different competitions
 2. The exact date and time of the competition will be
intimated to the competitors through respective
Principals/Head of Departments in due course
 3. The winner of awards in previous years shall not be
eligible to compete for prize in the succeeding year or
years.
 4. No T.A or D.A will be paid to the candidates competing
for the prize

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