

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCE

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EDUCATIONAL TOUR REPORT

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| Name of the Library | : | Anna Centenary Library (ACL) |
| Address | : | Gandhi Mandapam Rd, Surya Nagar, Kotturpuram, Chennai, 600 085, Tamil Nadu |
| Date | : | 10.03.2023 |
| Programme & Year | : | I - M.Sc Chemistry |
| Total No. of Students | : | 11 |
| No. of Faculties | : | 01 |



A Library visit was organised by the Department of Chemistry, School of Arts and Science on 10th March 2023 for the postgraduate students of Chemistry. The group of 11 students, accompanied by one staff reached the Library at 10.00 a.m.

The Anna Centenary Library (ACL), a state-of-the-art library was inaugurated on September 15, 2010 on the occasion of the 102nd birth anniversary of the former Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu Dr. C N Annadurai popularly called 'ANNA'. By reason of his great interest towards the books and library, this library was named as

‘Anna Centenary Library’. The centralized air-conditioned library encompassed ground and eight floors. At present, it hosts five lakhs books covering wide range of subjects to serve the information needs of the public, academic and corporate community. ACL had a Braille Section, Own Books Reading Section, Children Section, Periodicals and Newspapers Section,



Tamil books Section and English Books Section. The library was one of the best libraries ever.

It also had OPAC resources for the students. The whole day from 10.00 a.m. in the morning to 04.00 p.m. In the evening was spent in the library with the students eagerly

reading the books available. Decades old books were also available to read and refer. The time spent in the library was effectively used by the students. They took many notes on topics related



to their projects from the books. The day ended with discussions on the work done by every student.