

**Sakthi Polytechnic college, Sakthi Nagar**

**Department of Metallurgy**

**Academic Year 2023-2024**

**The educational tour to Kanthalur and Munnar**

**Educational Tour Report**

**Event Overview**

On 13th and 14th February 2024, the Department of Metallurgy at Sakthi Polytechnic College organized an educational tour to Kanthalur and Munnar in Kerala.

The tour was arranged by Mr. J. Yuvaraja and facilitated by TRIP ONN Tours and Travels. The tour included 58 second-year students and 61 third year students accompanied by the following faculty members Mrs. A. Yogamalar Carunyam, Mr. P. Govindarasu, Mr. C. Vijayaraj, Mrs. G. Deepa, Mr. J. Yuvaraja, and Mr. V. U. Madhan Mohan.

**Day 1: Munnar**

- **Check-in to the Hotel:** Upon arrival in Munnar, the group checked into the hotel.
- **Refreshment and Breakfast:** After refreshing, the group had breakfast.
- **Top Station:** The first visit was to Top Station, known for its panoramic views.
- **Mattupatty Dam:** The group then visited Mattupatty Dam, a popular tourist spot.
- **Eco Point:** Next, they visited Eco Point, famous for its natural echo phenomenon.
- **Lake:** The students enjoyed the serene beauty of the lake.
- **Elephant Camp:** The group visited the Elephant Camp, where they observed elephants in their natural habitat.
- **Photo Point:** A stop at Photo Point allowed the group to capture memorable moments.
- **Dinner and Campfire:** The day concluded with dinner and a campfire (weather permitting).
- **Night Stay:** The group stayed overnight in Munnar.

## **Day 2: Kanthalur**

- **Refreshment and Breakfast:** The day began with refreshment and breakfast.
- **Travel to Kanthalur:** The group traveled to Kanthalur for sightseeing.
- **Sightseeing (Jeep):** The sightseeing tour included visits to:
  - **Lemongrass View Point**
  - **Honeyrock View Point**
  - **Kanthalur Waterfalls**
  - **Anakotta Para**
  - **Irachipara Waterfalls**
  - **Murugan Mala**
  - **Sandal Forest**
  - **Jaggery Factory**
- **Dinner:** The group had dinner before traveling back to the college.

## **Packages Include**

- Bus fare/flight charges
- All entry tickets
- Campfire charges
- Guide fees

## **Conclusion**

The educational tour to Kanthalur and Munnar was a resounding success. The students gained valuable exposure to the natural beauty and cultural heritage of Kerala. The well-organized itinerary and the support of the faculty members ensured a smooth and enriching experience for all participants.



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