

# INTRODUCTION

*“Youth are the valuable asset of the Country. Excellence in Education, Proficiency in Sport and Competitions and awareness about social needs so as to inculcate spirit of service helps a student to become the best person”.*

**Hon’ble Former Chief Minister  
Puratchi Thalaivi Amma Avargal**

Sports contribute greatly to the development of an individual as well as the society. It not only enhances the skill and fitness of the body but also equips the mind with the necessary strength. The qualities imbibed through sports can easily be applied for better living.

A noteworthy quality derived from the sports is “sportsmanship”. This quality strives for fair play, respect for team mates and opponents, ethical behaviour, integrity and grace in victory or defeat. These virtues are indispensable for human happiness and when they are exhibited in the wider sphere of life, a healthy society can be established.

## **Fitness**

Fitness includes a state of physical well being as well as mental health and alertness. It helps a person to lead a happy life and play any sports to full satisfaction.

Thus, the concept of fitness and sports go together promoting each other. While fitness enables any individual to play any game properly, the sports, in turn, helps to maintain overall fitness.

## **Physical Education**

Physical Education is an essential part of the education of any child. It builds the bridge to the benefits of sports and fitness for any individual.

Apart from bringing the benefits of fitness, both physical and mental, physical education helps in imbibing the virtues of sportsmanship. Thus, physical education shapes the personality and overall development of any individual.

## **Youth Welfare**

Youth are the pillars of strength for the nation. Youth have often played the crucial role

in bringing a change in the society. They have the vision to look ahead and also possess the energy to fulfill the vision. A proper development of the youth leads to a vibrant society and also builds the future of the country. Therefore, it is important to engage the youth in social activities as well as the nation building.

Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department comprises of the following entities: -

- 1. Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT)**
- 2. National Cadet Corps (NCC)**
- 3. National Service Scheme (NSS)**
- 4. Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University (TNPESU)**

Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is the prime organization in the State for the promotion of sports and implementation of the different policies and schemes of the Government related to sports.

National Cadet Corps aims to develop character, discipline and the spirit of selfless

service among young citizens. It strives to create human resources pool of well organised, skilled and highly motivated youth to serve the society.

National Service Scheme inculcates the idea of social service and responsibility towards the society.

Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University is a pioneer and first of its kind University in India. It plays an important role of doing research in the field of sports and physical education and bringing the benefits of technology to the sports for higher performance.

Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan is the youth organization under the Central Government. It organises the youth volunteers towards community development.

Government of Tamil Nadu is giving consistent support and special importance to the development of sports and youth welfare. As a result of this consistent support, Tamil Nadu has emerged as one of the leading States in the country in the field of sports.

## **CHAPTER - 1**

### **SPORTS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF TAMIL NADU**

Sports culture is inseparable in human life as it relieves an individual from the stress and monotony of life. Sports nourishes our youth with courage and confidence. The multitudinal functions of sports are inspiring and become the essence of a healthy society. Innumerable youth are drawn towards sports because of the due recognition and honour given by the Government to sportspersons.

To identify and develop the sports skill, to regulate the promotion of sports and fulfill the aspirations of the youth, the Government of Tamil Nadu constituted the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT) in G.O.(Ms).No.641, Education (Y1) Department, Dated 18.07.1992 by merging the Department of Sports and Youth Services and Tamil Nadu State Sports Development Corporation. The Honourable Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu is the President of this Authority. Achievements accomplished at the national and international

level by the sportspersons of our State show that Tamil Nadu is a leading sporting State.

The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT) is the apex body for sports in Tamil Nadu and implements the policy relating to sports and youth welfare. SDAT endeavors to create an enabling, inclusive and instilling competitive element in the youth of Tamil Nadu and equips and empowers them to benefit from a strong sports culture. It helps in promoting physical fitness, competitive skill and brotherhood among the youth engaged in sports.

### **1.1 Objectives**

SDAT aims to create a dynamic, efficient and an inspirational system for the development and promotion of sports. Its core objectives are: -

1. To promote and develop sports activities and to formulate and implement plans for elevating the status of sports and to improve the standard of sports and games in the State.

2. To implement the schemes for the development of sports and games.
3. To identify the talents, channelize and train them and to render financial assistance so as to enable them to participate successfully in national and international sports events.
4. To give various incentives, awards to eminent sportspersons in order to motivate them to reach higher levels of achievement.
5. To plan and develop sports infrastructure at various levels in the State.
6. To initiate, undertake, sponsor, stimulate and encourage the research and development of sports and the related branches such as medicine, psychology and other allied sciences.
7. To recognize the special needs of the differently abled persons and to facilitate their participation in sports and games.

8. To take steps to encourage adventure sports in the State.
9. To establish, run, manage and administer sports and games institutions.
10. To extend support for advanced coaching in various games and sports.
11. To promote physical fitness and inculcate an interest for sports and health consciousness among the people and for their regular participation in games and sports and make the State healthy and strong.

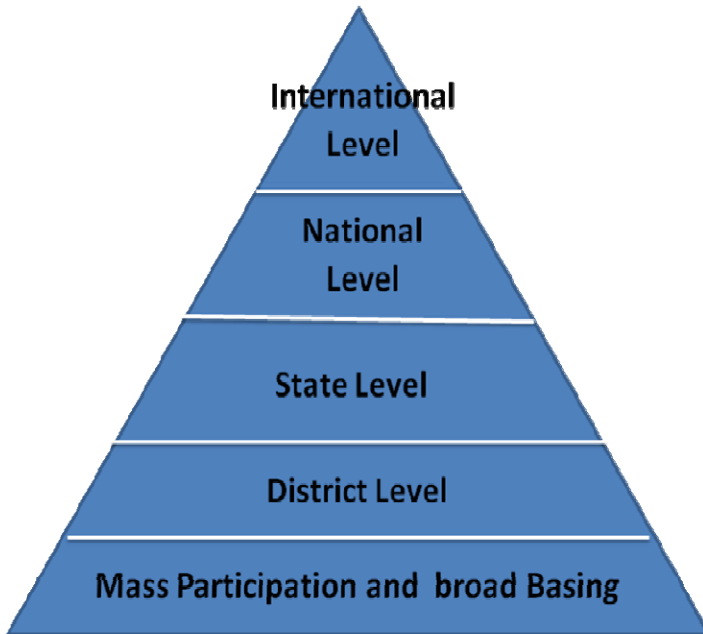
Owing to world class sports infrastructure, coaching facilities, rigorous training and competitions, rendering of high cash incentive and financial assistance to the sportspersons, the State has emerged as the foremost promoter of sports in the country.

## **1.2 Action Plan and Strategy**

The policy of the Government is to take effort to improve the full spectrum of sports in Tamil



Nadu. The State adopts a clearly defined hierarchy of sports activity that has five different levels in order to achieve excellence.



### **Level-1: Mass Participation and Broad-Basing**

To identify the young talent and to provide training and support for them, the Government of Tamil Nadu have introduced a novel scheme of 'World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme' (WBTSS). The scheme aims to identify talent

through mass participation in sports and develop a strong sports culture to pave the way for building a healthy society.

Under this scheme (WBTSS), a series of tests are conducted among the students studying in classes VI, VII and VIII in all the schools throughout the State to find out the motor qualities such as speed, strength, endurance, agility and explosive power of the students. The aim of the scheme is to identify the hidden talent and assess the ability of the students in sports activities. Based on this scheme, the continuous process of the following components are undertaken: -

1. Talent Identification.
2. Grooming the identified talents.
3. Participation in competitions.

The work of identification of talents is undertaken by the School Education Department with the support of Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT). Regional level competitions are held for both boys and girls and

the first ten place winners are given scholarships.

To promote sports among the rural folk, village games are being conducted for men and women in various sports disciplines in all 12,524 Village Panchayats.

### **Level-2: District Level**

In order to ensure better sports performance in the State, the Government have come up with the policy of creating adequate infrastructure facilities at district level. An open air District Sports Complex with 400m Athletic Track and Football field have already been established in all the district headquarters except Tiruppur and Vellore. At present, the Government have sanctioned Rs.16.45 crore for establishing District Sports Complex at Vellore. Swimming Pools have been established in 27 Districts. Multi-purpose Indoor Stadia are being established in all the districts in a phased manner. Various district level competitions for different age categories are regularly conducted by the Sports Development Authority of Tamil

Nadu, District Sports Associations and the School Education Department.

### **Level-3: State Level**

Coaching camps, competitions, and selection trials are conducted frequently at state level among the winners emerging from the district level competitions for preparing them to excel at higher level competition in the national level. Identified talent from the District Selection Trials and Coaching Camps are inducted into sports hostels and specialized academies respectively.

Major places like Chennai, Madurai, Coimbatore, Tiruchirappalli and Tirunelveli Districts have been provided with international standard sports infrastructure facilities in several sports disciplines.

### **Level-4 & Level-5: National and International Level**

India is the country that has a very large youth population. This is indeed an opportunity to broad-base sports and improve its performance at the international level by engaging the youth in sports activities.

Due to the efforts taken by the Government by way of extensive scientific coaching by technical experts and creating international standard sporting infrastructure facilities, the players of Tamil Nadu have won medals at national and international level competitions.

### **1.3 High Cash Incentives and Scholarships**

Sportspersons need assistance from the Government so as to excel further at national and international level. High Cash Incentives and Scholarships are two ways to extend assistance to the sportspersons. The Government of Tamil Nadu extends high cash incentives to the medal winners in Olympics, Asian Games, Commonwealth Games, South Asian Games, National Games and School Games. High Cash Incentive has also been given for other competitions/championships considering as a special case. The scholarships are given to student community and youth for appreciating and encouraging their sports performances. During the year 2018, the following sportspersons from Tamil Nadu have won medals at the 18<sup>th</sup> Asian Games held at

Indonesia from 18.08.2018 to 02.09.2018 and were awarded high cash incentive as mentioned below: -

Sl. No.	Name of the sports person (Thiruvallur)	Discipline	Event	Medal	High cash incentive (Rs. in lakh)	Total (Rs. in lakh)
1.	S.Arokia Rajiv	Athletics	Mixed 4x400m Relay	Silver	30.00	60.00
			4X400m Men's Relay	Silver	30.00	
2.	A. Dharun	Athletics	Men's 400m Hurdles	Silver	30.00	60.00
			4X400m Men's Relay	Silver	30.00	
3.	Dipika Pallikal Karthik	Squash	Women's Singles	Bronze	20.00	50.00
			Women's Team	Silver	30.00	
4.	Joshana Chinappa	Squash	Women's Singles	Bronze	20.00	50.00
			Women's Team	Silver	30.00	
5.	Sunayna Kuruvilla	Squash	Women's Team	Silver	30.00	30.00

Sl. No.	Name of the sports person (Thiruvallargal)	Discipline	Event	Medal	High cash incentive (Rs. in lakh)	Total (Rs. in lakh)
6.	Saurav Ghosal	Squash	Men's Singles	Bronze	20.00	40.00
			Men's Team	Bronze	20.00	
7.	Harinder Pal Singh Sandhu	Squash	Men's Team	Bronze	20.00	20.00
8.	Varun A. Thakkar	Sailing	Sailing 49er	Bronze	20.00	20.00
9.	K.C.Ganapathy	Sailing	Sailing 49er	Bronze	20.00	20.00
10.	Prajnesh Gunneswaran	Tennis	Men's Singles	Bronze	20.00	20.00
11.	A.Sharath Kamal	Table Tennis	Men's Team	Bronze	20.00	40.00
			Mixed Doubles	Bronze	20.00	
12.	G. Sathiyam	Table Tennis	Men's Team	Bronze	20.00	20.00
13.	A. Amalraj	Table Tennis	Men's Team	Bronze	20.00	20.00

Sl. No.	Name of the sports person (Thiruvallur)	Discipline	Event	Medal	High cash incentive (Rs. in lakh)	Total (Rs. in lakh)
14.	Rupinder Pal Singh	Hockey	Indian Men's Hockey Team	Bronze	20.00	20.00
15.	P.R. Sreejesh	Hockey	Indian Men's Hockey Team	Bronze	20.00	20.00
16.	Varsha Gautham	Sailing	49er- fx	Silver	30.00	30.00
<b>TOTAL</b>						<b>520.00</b>

In addition, the coaches of the above sportspersons were given cash incentive of Rs.78.00 lakh.

During the year 2018, the following sportspersons from Tamil Nadu have won medals at the XXI Commonwealth Games-2018, Gold Coast, Australia held from 04.04.2018 to 15.04.2018 and were awarded the following high cash incentive:-



Sl. No	Name (Thiruvargal)	Discipline	Medals	High cash incentive (Rs. in lakh)	Total Amount (Rs. in lakh)
1.	S. Sathish Kumar	Weight lifting	Gold	50.00	50.00
2.	A. Sharath Kamal	Table Tennis	Gold	50.00	100.00
			Silver	30.00	
			Bronze	20.00	
3.	G. Sathiyar	Table Tennis	Gold	50.00	100.00
			Silver	30.00	
			Bronze	20.00	
4.	A. Amalraj	Table Tennis	Gold	50.00	50.00
5.	Saurav Ghosal	Squash	Silver	30.00	30.00
6.	Dipika Karthik	Squash	Silver	30.00	60.00
			Silver	30.00	
7.	Joshna Chinnappa	Squash	Silver	30.00	30.00
<b>Total</b>				<b>420.00</b>	<b>420.00</b>

Their coaches were also awarded high cash incentive of Rs.63.00 lakh.

## CHAPTER – 2

### TALENT IDENTIFICATION

**“Champions are not born, always made.”**

So, with the view of producing Champions in the field of sports, the process of talent identification is followed at the grass root level. Schools play a major role in identifying the budding talents. Talent identification is recognising the current participants with the potential to become elite performers by providing a suitable learning environment. The following schemes are implemented for promotion of sports and to produce champions: -

1. World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme
2. Selection trials for Sports Hostels
3. Selection trials for Sports Hostels of Excellence
4. Selection trials for Centres of Excellence in Sports

## **2.1 World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme (WBTSS)**

### ***2.1.1 Battery of Tests***

The Government of Tamil Nadu have introduced a novel scheme of World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme. Under this scheme, a series of tests are conducted to the students studying in VI, VII and VIII in all the schools throughout the State to find out the motor qualities in them and to identify hidden talents and thereby assessing their activities. Based on this, the continuous process of the following components are taken care of:-

1. Talent Identification.
2. Grooming the identified talents by inducting them into the specialized academies based on their motor abilities.
3. Participation in competitions.

### ***2.1.2 Identification of Talents***

At the first stage in the school level, a battery of tests are conducted to identify the potentially talented children. The mission of

identification of talents is undertaken by School Education Department with the assistance of SDAT. The following are the battery of tests which help to identify the motor abilities:

1. 50m Run
2. 600m Run for Girls
3. 800m Run for Boys
4. 4kg Shot put
5. Long Jump
6. 6 x 10m Shuttle Run

The next phase of the scheme is conducting of Educational District Level Competitions for boys and girls who have secured 10, 9 or 8 out of 10 marks in the battery of tests conducted in the schools. The regional level competitions are being conducted in nine locations. Every year during April – May, the first 10 winners are selected to attend selection trials for the SDAT specialized academies.

The selected students are admitted into the specialized academies and they are given special and regular coaching to achieve excellence.

The school authorities conduct the tests and send the details of results to the District Sports & Youth Welfare Officers of concerned District.

### ***2.1.3 Scholarship for Budding Talents Scheme***

A special scholarship amount of Rs.500/- per month is awarded to an individual. Thus, a sum of Rs.6,000/- per annum is awarded to 3,240 young talents every year. For the year 2018–19, a sum of Rs.194.40 lakh has been sanctioned.

## **2.2 Talent Identification at Educational District, Regional and State level**

SDAT plays vital role in identifying the talents and nurturing them to become excellent performers. It conducts athletic competitions in 67 educational districts throughout the State. In each Educational District, approximately 500 boys and girls participate. Those placed in the first two places in each educational district, participate in the regional level competitions by grouping the adjoining educational districts.

In each regional meet, top talents are identified and given 5 days non-residential

coaching camp followed by a 15 days residential intensive coaching camp. The best talents identified during the camps are admitted into the specialized academies and sports hostels for constant coaching.

### **2.3 Selection Trials for Sports Hostels**

The main thrust of sports hostel is identification of talents and nurturing them to achieve in national and international level. In Sports Hostels, students are admitted into VII, VIII, IX and XI Std. The selection is conducted in two phases i.e. District level selection trials and State level selection trials. The students admitted into these sports hostels are provided with scientific coaching, nutritious food, accommodation, sports equipments and uniforms. At present, 27 Sports Hostels are functioning in the State.

### **2.4 Selection Trials for Sports Hostels of Excellence**

In Sports Hostel of Excellence, talented college students are admitted by a state level selection trial. At present, three hostels are

functioning in the State including a hostel exclusively for girl students. The students studying in these hostels are provided with scientific coaching, nutritious food, accommodation, playing kits and uniforms.

## **2.5 Selection Trials for Centres of Excellence in Sports**

Students in the age between 10 and 14 years are selected in a two phase selection trial viz., District level Selection trial and State level selection trial and admitted into Centres of Excellence. The Centre of Excellence is available in five places in the State. Out of which, two Hostels are for girl students. Apart from coaching by qualified coaches, the students are provided with food and accommodation, uniform and playing kits.

## **CHAPTER – 3**

### **TALENT DEVELOPMENT**

Identification of potential sports talent at grass root level is followed by its development through different activities in the State. The budding talents are to be identified and nurtured in a way that they could achieve results at national and international level. With this objective, the Government of Tamil Nadu has been implementing various schemes such as Centre of Excellence, Sports Hostels, Sports Hostel of Excellence, Academies, Champions Development Scheme, etc., in the State.

#### **3.1 Centre of Excellence (CoE)**

In the Centre of Excellence, students between the age of 10 and 14 years are admitted through district and state level selection trials. Apart from sports coaching, the students admitted in the Centre of Excellence are provided a dietary allowance of Rs.250/- per head per day, uniforms and sports equipments. At present, the Centre of Excellence is functioning at the following five places: -



<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Location of the CoE</b>	<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Allotted strength</b>
1	Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai (Boys)	Athletics	25
		Badminton	
2	Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai (Girls)	Athletics	25
		Badminton	
3	Tiruchirappalli (Boys)	Badminton	25
		Taekwondo	
4	Tirunelveli (Boys)	Boxing	25
		Swimming	
		Tennis	
		Gymnastics	
5	Erode (Girls)	Swimming	25
		Gymnastics	
		Tennis	
<b>Total</b>			<b>125</b>

### **3.2 Specialized Sports Academies**

The vision of the Specialized Sports Academies is to provide sustainable sports culture in the State of Tamil Nadu. These academies provide sports training to all those children who have good potential. The Government have set up specialized academies in several places in Tamil Nadu. The students from 6, 7 and 8 standards who score 10, 9 or 8 marks out of 10 in the battery of tests conducted under the World Beaters Talents Spotting Scheme (WBTSS) are selected after conducting selection trials by the panel of experts. They are admitted into these specialized academies and given scientific training by experienced coaches. The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.80.00 lakh for conducting coaching camps in these academies.

The following are the Specialized Academies functioning in the State: -

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Academy</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Allotted strength</b>
1	Sprint & Jumps Academy for Boys & Girls – Athletics	Madurai	<b>108</b>
2	Throws Academy for Boys & Girls – Athletics	Ramanathapuram	<b>70</b>
3	Middle and Long Distance Academy for Boys & Girls– Athletics	Thiruvannamalai	<b>150</b>
4	Diving Academy for Boys & Girls – Swimming	SDAT Aquatic Complex, Chennai	<b>48</b>
5	Hockey Academy for Boys & Girls	Mayor Radha Krishnan Hockey Stadium, Egmore, Chennai	<b>135</b>

6	Football Academy for Boys	Nagapattinam	<b>111</b>
7	Football Academy for Girls	Dindigul	<b>100</b>

These academies conduct training programmes for sportspersons in different disciplines in different places. The academies also conduct coaching camps during quarterly, half-yearly and annual school holidays. After the establishment of the Specialized Academies, more and more talented players have brought laurels to the State in national and international level competitions.

Besides specialized coaching, sportspersons are also given guidance to carry on regular work-outs in their places of practice, psychological tests, workshops and advice on nutritional diet which plays a vital role in maintaining the fitness. They are also provided with sports kits.

### **3.2.1 *Badminton Academy***

The objective of this academy is to introduce the students to badminton basic, intermediate and advanced level. The coaches assess the current level of the students, their ability and their goal. The Government have established non-residential Badminton Academy in Tiruchirappalli, Cuddalore, Dharmapuri, Madurai and SDAT Aquatic Complex, Velachery, Chennai. The Government sanction a sum of Rs.70.00 lakh every year for maintenance of these academies. 15 potential trainees below the age group of 16 years are selected by experts and are given scientific coaching for 25 days and also refreshment and travel allowance. The performance of the trainees are monitored and evaluated by a group of experts to excel in Badminton.

### **3.2.2 *Sports Hostels***

In Sports Hostels, students both boys and girls, are admitted in VII, VIII, IX and XI Std. They are identified and selected in two phases i.e. district level selection trials and state level selection trials. In the year 2011-2012, the

Government have decided to establish sports hostels in all the districts. Accordingly, 16 sports hostels were established in three phases. At present, 27 sports hostels are functioning in the State. Apart from scientific coaching, the inmates of sports hostels are provided with a dietary charge of Rs.250/- per head per day for 320 days, Rs.1,800/- per head per year for uniform and Rs.400/- for sports equipments. The allotted student strength of these hostels is 1,975. The list of Sports Hostels are: -

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Sports Hostel</b>	<b>Coaching disciplines</b>
1.	NLC Sports Hostel (Boys), Neyveli	Athletics, Basketball and Football
2.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Anna Stadium, Tiruchirappalli	Athletics, Football, Hockey, Swimming, Volleyball and Boxing
3.	Sports Hostel, Race Course Stadium (Boys), Madurai	Athletics, Basketball, Football, Volleyball, Hockey and Table Tennis

4.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	Athletics, Hockey, Football Swimming, Volleyball, Basketball and Tennis
5.	Sports Hostel (Girls), VOC Stadium, Erode	Athletics, Football, Volleyball and Swimming
6.	Sports Hostel (Boys & Girls), Selvam Hr. Sec. School, Namakkal	Athletics (Girls), Fencing (Boys and Girls) and Archery (Boys)
7.	Sports Hostel, Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Pudur, Chennai	Cricket
8.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Thiruvannamalai	Athletics, Basketball, Handball and Hockey
9.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Krishnagiri	Athletics, Handball, Taekwondo and Football
10.	Sports Hostel (Girls),Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai	Volleyball, Fencing, Boxing and Judo

11.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Coimbatore	Athletics, Basketball, Gymnastics and Volleyball
12.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Cuddalore	Shuttle Badminton, Athletics and Taekwondo
13.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Thanjavur	Basketball, Weightlifting and Volleyball
14.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Dindigul	Athletics, Basketball and Football
15.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Nagercoil	Athletics, Volleyball and Weightlifting
16.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Sivaganga	Athletics and Football
17.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Thoothukudi.	Athletics, Basketball, Football and Squash
18.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Namakkal	Football and Kabaddi
19.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Perambalur	Athletics, Handball and Taekwondo



20.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Ariyalur	Hockey, Handball and Weightlifting
21.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Theni	Basketball and Kabaddi
	Sports Hostel (Girls), Theni	Volleyball
22.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Ramanathapuram	Hockey and Cricket
23.	Sports Hostel (Boys), The Nilgiris	Football and Athletics
24.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Villupuram	Kabaddi, Handball and Swimming
25.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Pudukkottai	Athletics, Weightlifting and Hockey
26.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Dharmapuri	Shuttle Badminton Kabaddi and Volleyball
27.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai	Fencing, Boxing and Judo

### **3.2.3 Sports Hostel of Excellence**

The Sports Hostels of Excellence are functioning at the following three places:-

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Hostel</b>	<b>Discipline</b>	<b>Nos.</b>	<b>Total Strength</b>
1.	Sports Hostel of Excellence (Men), Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai	Athletics	15	<b>80</b>
		Basketball	24	
		Boxing	10	
		Volleyball	18	
		Judo	6	
		Fencing	2	
		Weightlifting	2	
		shuttle Badminton	2	
		Shooting	1	
2.	Sports Hostel of Excellence (Men), Kovilpatti, Thoothukudi District	Hockey	30	<b>30</b>
3.	Sports Hostel of Excellence (Women), Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai	Athletics	15	<b>60</b>
		Football	18	
		Volleyball	18	
		Boxing	3	
		Judo	3	
		Weightlifting	3	
<b>Total</b>				<b>170</b>

The Sports Hostel of Excellence provides an opportunity to the college students to develop their performance level and excel at national and international level. The inmates are provided with scientific coaching and imparted modern technique. Also, Dietary allowance of Rs.250/- per head per day, uniforms and sports equipments are provided to the students.

### **3.3 Joint Sports Development Centre**

It is essential to encourage colleges which produce talents at State / South Zone / All India Inter-University / National and International level. A sum of Rs.6,000/- is provided to the college students who excel at these levels.

### **3.4 Special Development Centre**

A Special Development Centre for Weightlifting has been functioning at Sathuvachari, Vellore since 1997. 30 men and 12 women can receive training in this centre. Scientific and technical aspects of training are provided in this centre. Apart from this, physical fitness, injury prevention, nutrition, etc., are

also provided to the trainees of this centre. Lot of international standard weightlifters have emerged from this centre. One of the weightlifters viz., Thiru.S. Sathishkumar has secured gold medal in the XX Commonwealth Games-2014 held at Glasgow (UK) and XXI Commonwealth Games-2018 held at Australia and brought laurels to the country. Every year, a sum of Rs.7.89 lakh is sanctioned for running this centre.

### **3.5 Coaching Centres**

#### ***3.5.1 Swimming Pools – Learn to Swim Programme***

All the swimming pools of the SDAT are conducting 'Learn to Swim' programme. This programme is conducted batch-wise during summer from April to June every year, exclusively for the benefit of the students in particular and the public in general. An individual is trained to learn swimming within 12 days in the duration of one hour per day. The highly beneficial programme is being carried out in 30

swimming pools across the State. This is a highly successful scheme and very popular among the youth. 9,460 participants got benefited under 'Learn to Swim' programme during April to June, 2018.

### ***3.5.2 Village Sports Nursery***

Village Sports Nurseries have been established for developing the popular game of that area to promote sports in rural and remote areas. This is mainly aimed at developing sports and creating awareness in sports activities in the rural areas. Under this scheme, one village is selected in each district, except Chennai. Playfield facilities and sports materials are provided to these villages to facilitate regular training in the game identified.

The idea of introducing and implementing Village Sports Nursery highlights the Government's interest in taking sports to every nook and corner of the State. So far, the following Village Sports Nurseries have been established in 31 villages in different districts: -

## Village Sports Nursery Centre in Districts

Sl. No.	District	Name of the Village	Discipline	Ground Details
1.	Tiruchirappalli	Ettarai	Kabaddi	GHSS, Ettarai
2.	Ariyalur	Ponparapi	Hockey	GHSS, Ponparapi
3.	Nagapattinam	Ayakkaranpulam	Volleyball	RN Govt. HSS, Ayakkaranpulam
4.	Thanjavur	Karambayam	Football	GHSS, Karambayam
5.	Perambalur	S. Aduthurai	Volleyball	GHSS, S. Aduthurai
6.	Namakkal	Muthukapatti	Athletic	GHSS, Muthukapatti
7.	Thiruvarur	Thiruneipair	Football	GHSS, Thiruneipair
8.	Erode	Nochikkuttai	Hockey	PU Middle School, Nochikkuttai
9.	The Nilgiris	Achankal	Football	Achankal, Ooty
10.	Tiruppur	Palankarai	Volleyball	Tiruvallur GHSS, Periyayai palayam
11.	Dharmapuri	Paparapatty	Volleyball	SS Govt(B)HSS, Paparapatty
12.	Krishnagiri	Uthangarai	Kho-Kho	G(B)HSS, Uthangarai
13.	Coimbatore	Chinna Thadagam	Volleyball	G(G)HSS, Chinna Thadagam
14.	Salem	Kondapanayakkan patty	Archery	PU Middle School. Kondapanayakkan patty
15.	Karur	Lalapettai, Kallappalli Panchayat	Gymna- stics	GHSS, Lalapettai,
16.	Dindigul	Dharmathupatty	Kabaddi	GHSS, Dharmathu patty
17.	Pudukottai	Athani	Kabaddi	GHSS, Athani

Sl. No.	District	Name of the Village	Discipline	Ground Details
18.	Theni	Vadugapatty	Volleyball	GHSS, Vadugapatty
19.	Madurai	Pudusukam patti	Athletic	G(B)HSS, Pudusukampatti
20.	Thiruvanna-malai	Sorakolathur	Volleyball	GHSS, Sorakolathur
21.	Cuddalore	Meenachi patty	Basket ball	Nesavalaur Kudiyiruppu Play Ground, Meenachi patty
22.	Villupuram	Kolliyanur	Volleyball	GHSS, Kolliyanur
23.	Vellore	Venkateshsapuram	Taek wondo	Govt. Adi Dravidar School, Venkateshsapuram
24.	Kancheepuramm	Nandhivaram	Kabaddi	G(G)HSS, Nandhivaram
25.	Virudhunagar	Veerapatty	Athletic	GHSS, Veerapatty
26.	Thirunelveli	Pavoor chathiram	Football	TPS G(B) HSS, Pavoorchathiram
27.	Sivaganga	Kottaiyur	Football	Thanjavur Arunachalam Chettiar Govt.HSS, Kottaiyur
28.	Kanniyakumari	Eraviputhanthurai	Football	Village Football Ground, Eraviputhanthurai
29.	Ramanathapuram	Mandapam Camp	Hockey	GHSS, Mandapam Camp
30.	Thoothukudi	Kulathur	Kabaddi	GHSS, Kulathur
31.	Thiruvallur	Kadambathur	Volleyball	GHSS, Kadambathur

## **CHAPTER – 4**

### **COACHING PROGRAMMES**

In sports, coaches play an important role in producing Champions. A coach is a person involved directly in instructing and training sports team or an individual. A coach plays multiple roles such as instructor, assessor, friend, mentor, facilitator, demonstrator, adviser, supporter, motivator, counsellor and organizer. So, it is needless to say that an efficient coach is essential for victory.

#### **4.1 Coaches Capacity Building**

A coach needs to teach sport, facilitate group work and develop skills. A good coach should be capable of evaluating performance, monitoring the progress and predicting performances. So, great care is taken in training the coaches.

Regular certification programmes are organized for coaches in various disciplines in association with International Sports Federation to improve the mental and physical skill of the coaches.



## **4.2 Summer Coaching Camp**

Summer camps are meant to tap the hidden talent of the children. Every year, Summer Coaching Camps are conducted in all the district headquarters and in 25 mini-stadia for boys and girls below the age of 16 years in various disciplines such as Athletics, Basketball, Football, Hockey and Volleyball with qualified coaches / sports experts. During the year 2018-19, 10,235 children got benefited in Summer Coaching Camps. The Government sanction a sum of Rs.2.05 lakh every year for these camps.

## **4.3 Educational District Level Coaching Camp**

Non-Residential Coaching Camp is conducted in each of the 67 Educational Districts for 5 days for talented boys and girls studying in 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> standard identified through the World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme. Various sports skills are taught to these boys and girls through qualified coaches / sports experts. In the Educational District Level Camp conducted in the year 2018, 8,258 students were benefited. The

Government sanction a sum of Rs.5.44 lakh every year for these camps.

#### **4.4 District Level Residential Coaching Camp**

60 talented boys and girls from each Educational District are selected and given training in the district level residential coaching camps for 15 days. Campers are selected based on their performance in the World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme. The identified talents are imparted scientific and systematic training by qualified coaches/experts.

These boys and girls are motivated to attend the selection trials for admission into SDAT's Specialized Academies and Sports Hostels. During 2018, 3,742 sportspersons got benefited under this scheme. The Government sanction a sum of Rs.71.04 lakh towards dietary allowance, sports uniform, accommodation etc., for the conduct of this coaching camp.

#### **4.5 Talent Hunting Camp**

In this camp, 10 boys and 10 girls below the age of 14 years are admitted and they are offered a systematic training in area-specific

sport. The camp is organized in all the 32 districts for a period of 6 months.

In the year 2018, 620 boys and girls were benefitted under this scheme. A total sum of Rs.81.20 lakh is sanctioned by the Government towards travelling allowance, nutritious dietary allowance, sports uniform, sports equipment charges etc., for implementing this scheme successfully.

#### **4.6 Orientation Course to Physical Education Teachers / Physical Directors**

Orientation Course for Physical Education Teachers / Physical Directors is aimed to upgrade their knowledge in their field of sports. This course helps them to develop methodologies and to learn updated information about mental health, sports psychology and physical fitness. This course refreshes their mind and skill so that they can motivate and train the students efficiently and effectively. The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.14.50 lakh for conducting the Orientation Course for Physical Education Teachers/Physical Directors for the year 2018-2019.

## CHAPTER - 5

### COMPETITIONS

Competitive sports develop a range of skills which can support young people as they progress through School and into adult life. Competition provides motivation to achieve a goal, to demonstrate with determination, persevere to overcome challenges and to understand that hard work and commitment can achieve success.

#### **5.1. State Games for Chief Minister's Trophy**

The Government of Tamil Nadu is conducting the State Games for Chief Minister's Trophy from the year 2013-14 onwards. During the year 2018-19, the Chief Minister's Trophy competitions were conducted in two levels – District and State level.

Gender	Men & Women
Age limit	Below 21 years as on 31 <sup>st</sup> December
Disciplines	Athletics, Swimming, Basketball, Volleyball, Kabaddi, Gymnastics, Weightlifting, Handball, Ball Badminton and Table Tennis.

Prize money for District Level (for each player)	First	Second	Third
	Rs.1,000/-	Rs.750/-	Rs.500/-
Prize money for State Level (for each player)	First	Second	Third
	Rs.1,00,000/-	Rs.75,000/-	Rs.50,000/-

First place holders in the individual events and selected players in the team game will represent the district in the state level competitions. Coaching camps are conducted prior to the state competitions and players are provided with uniforms.

A sum of Rs.819.00 lakh is sanctioned every year for conducting the competitions and details of prize money are as follows: -

Level of Competition	Prize Money			Total Rs.
District level	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize Each	Rs.1,000/-	x 189 players	1,89,000/-
(each District)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize Each	Rs.750/-	x 189 players	1,41,750/-

	3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize Each	Rs.500/-	x	189 players	94,500/-
State level	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize Each	Rs.1.00 lakh	x	189 players	1,89,00,000/-
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize Each	Rs.0.75 lakh	x	189 players	1,41,75,000/-
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize Each	Rs.0.50 lakh	x	189 players	94,50,000/-

Total number of beneficiaries: 18,144. Total amount of prize money to the medalists in the district level competition is Rs.1,36,08,000/-.

The State Level Chief Minister's Trophy competition has been conducted in the following districts: -

Sl. No.	Discipline	Venue
1.	Athletics	Tiruchirappalli
2.	Swimming	Chennai
3.	Basketball	Madurai
4.	Volleyball	Chennai
5.	Kabaddi	Namakkal
6.	Gymnastics	Chennai

7.	Weightlifting	Vellore
8.	Handball	Dindigul
9.	Ball Badminton	Kancheepuram
10.	Table Tennis	Madurai

Total amount of prize money in state level competition is Rs.4,25,25,000/-. Total number of beneficiaries: 567.

### **State level Chief Minister's Trophy - 2018-19 Results - Men**

SI No	Discipline	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place
1	Athletics	Coimbatore	Thiruvallur	Tirunelveli
2	Swimming	Kancheepuram	Chennai	Thiruvallur
3	Basketball	Chennai	Kancheepuram	Madurai
4	Volleyball	Coimbatore	Chennai	Tirunelveli
5	Kabaddi	Nagapattinam	Chennai	Kanniyakumari
6	Gymnastics	Salem	Chennai	Coimbatore
7	Weightlifting	Vellore	Chennai	Thoothukudi
8	Handball	Dindigul	Coimbatore	Tiruchirappalli
9	Ball Badminton	Nagapattinam	Kancheepuram	Dindigul
10	Table Tennis	Chennai	Erode	Kancheepuram

## State level Chief Minister's Trophy - 2018-19

### Results – Women

Sl No	Discipline	1 <sup>st</sup> Place	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place
1	Athletics	Chennai	Madurai	Coimbatore
2	Swimming	Chennai	Thiruvallur	Coimbatore
3	Basketball	Kancheepuram	Chennai	Salem
4	Volleyball	Erode	Chennai	Kancheepuram
5	Kabaddi	Dindigul	Coimbatore	Erode
6	Gymnastics	Chennai	Kancheepuram	Erode
7	Weight lifting	Vellore	Pudukottai	Kanniyakumari
8	Handball	Vellore	Salem	Thiruvanna malai
9	Ball Badminton	Dindigul	Namakkal	Coimbatore
10	Table Tennis	Chennai	Erode	Kancheepuram

### 5.2 Monthly Competitions

Sports competitions instil not only sportsmanship but also some valuable life lessons among the children. Besides, it helps to



develop their academic performances too. Aiming at the over-all development of the students, SDAT planned for monthly competitions and accordingly competitions are conducted once in three months for both boys and girls under the category of below 18 years and monthly once open to all. These competitions provide competitive exposure to the players and pave the way for entering into state level competitions. The results of these competitions serve as progressive benchmark for comparing an athlete's qualitative and quantitative performance.

### **5.3 Anna Cycle Race**

Cycle racing is one of the toughest sports disciplines that require a lot of fitness and endurance. To enhance bicycle riding as a health promoter, cycle race is introduced in the state. To commemorate the birth anniversary celebrations of former Chief Minister C.N. Annadurai, the cycle race named after him "Anna Cycle Race" is conducted in the month of September in all the district headquarters of the State. The first 3 place winners will be given

prizes and merit certificates and upto 10 places will receive participation certificates as a mark of encouragement. A sum of Rs.1.00 lakh is sanctioned every year for this event.

#### **5.4 State and National Level Championship conducted by State Sports Associations**

State Sports Associations are the governing bodies of Sports. Financial assistance is extended to these associations at state level/district level to carryout sports activities. A sum of Rs.1.30 crore is sanctioned every year to the State Sports Associations for hosting state and national level championship and for the state team to participate in the national level championship. The Government have enhanced the grants to State Sports Associations from Rs.3.00 lakh to Rs.10.00 lakh from the year 2017-18 for the national championships. During the year 2018-19, the following national level championships were conducted in Tamil Nadu: -

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Championship</b>	<b>Venue</b>
1	17 <sup>th</sup> Junior Wushu National Championship for Men and Women	Namakkal
2	Diamond Jubilee Winter Nationals Bridge Championships	Chennai
3	64 <sup>th</sup> Junior National Ball Badminton Championship for men and women	Namakkal
4	46 <sup>th</sup> Senior National Hand Ball Championship for men and women	Thiruvannamalai
5	29 <sup>th</sup> Junior National Throwball Championship for men and women	Tiruppur
6	32 <sup>nd</sup> National Chess Championship for Boys and Girls (Under 11 age group)	Karaikudi
7	10 <sup>th</sup> National Silambam Championship	Chennai

The Government have enhanced the daily allowance from Rs.60/- to Rs.150/- to Tamil Nadu sportspersons for participation of Tamil Nadu team in national championship by the state sports associations.

## **5.5 Hosting of International Championship in Tamil Nadu**

Hosting of International Championship gives an exposure to the sportspersons of our State. It also renders a platform for our youth to develop a tough competitive skill and to learn the know-how tactics of becoming champions. Adequate financial assistance is provided to the State Sports Associations / National Sports Federations to encourage hosting of International Championships in Tamil Nadu. During the year 2018-2019, three international level championships were held in Tamil Nadu.

### ***5.5.1 Chennai Open ATP Challenger Tennis Tournament***

“Chennai Open ATP Challenger Tennis Tournament” is conducted every year by Tamil Nadu Tennis Association (TNTA) with the prize money of US\$ 50,000. It is part of the

International ATP circuit and is an ATP World Ranking Tournament. The second edition of “Chennai Open ATP Challenger Tennis Tournament” was held at SDAT Tennis Stadium, Chennai from 4<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2019. The Government have enhanced their contribution from Rs.40.00 lakh to Rs.60.00 lakh for conducting Chennai Open ATP Challenger Tennis Tournament.

This tournament has attracted internationally ranked players from 70 to 200 and top ranked players from India. The tournament has also provided an opportunity to the budding talents of tennis to witness the performance of world class tennis players and to observe and learn their tactics. The results of the tournament held in 2019 are as follows: -

<b>Event</b>	<b>Winner</b>	<b>Runner</b>
Men's Singles	Corentin Moutet – France	Andrew Harris – Australia
Men's Doubles	Andra Pellegrino – Italy	Luke Saville – Australia
	Gianluca Mager – Italy	Matt Reid – Australia

### ***5.5.2 WSF World Junior Squash Championships***

WSF World Junior Squash Championships were held in Chennai in July, 2018. This World Level Competitions gave an excellent opportunity to the young players from Tamil Nadu. The Government have sanctioned Rs.50.00 lakh to Tamil Nadu Squash Rackets Association for hosting of WSF World Junior Squash Championships in Chennai in July, 2018.

### ***5.5.3 10<sup>th</sup> India International Regatta***

Tamil Nadu Sailing Association organised 5<sup>th</sup> Edition of Asian Sailing Federation (ASAF) Youth Cup at 10<sup>th</sup> India International Regatta in Chennai between 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2018 and 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2019.

## **5.6 Other Sports Competitions conducted in Tamil Nadu**

Tamil Nadu has emerged as an important venue for the conduct of sports competitions. The following competitions were conducted in Tamil Nadu in SDAT Stadia: -

### ***5.6.1 Indian Super League (ISL) Football Matches***

The ISL Football matches are being conducted in the State-of-the-art Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai for the past five years consecutively.

### ***5.6.2 I-League Football Matches***

I-League Football matches are being conducted in the Nehru Stadium, Coimbatore for the past two years.

### ***5.6.3 Other League Matches***

In the Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai, the following league matches were conducted: -

1. Pro-Kabaddi League
2. Pro-Badminton League
3. Table Tennis League
4. Pro-Volleyball League

## **5.7 All India Civil Services Tournament (AICS)**

To encourage sports culture among the Government employees, to improve their fitness,

to improve their talents and efficiency, to relieve from work stress and to lead a healthy life, All India Civil Service Tournament is organized every year.

The AICS Tournament in various disciplines is conducted in different States under the patronage of Central Civil Services Cultural and Sports Control Board, New Delhi in collaboration with the State Government.

AICS Basketball Tournament for men was conducted at Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai from 25.01.2019 to 28.01.2019. 254 players from 22 States have represented various Regional Sports Boards and State Governments. The results of the AICS Basketball Tournament are as follows: -

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Name of the Team</b>
1.	First	Regional Sports Board, Chennai
2.	Second	Tamil Nadu Secretariat, Chennai
3.	Third	Regional Sports Board, Cochin



The Tamil Nadu contingent in Athletics, Basketball and Volleyball disciplines participated in All India Civil Services Competitions for the year 2018-19.

### **5.8 State Level Civil Servants Sports Meet**

To keep the civil servants fit and healthy, the Government have decided to involve them in sports. Encouraging sports help them acquire healthy mind and healthy body and to render their service efficiently. So, the Government issued orders for conducting State level Civil Servants Sports Meet from the year 2013-2014. A sum of Rs.40.37 lakh was sanctioned for the promotion and implementation of this sports meet.

District level competitions are conducted in all 32 Districts. The winners of the first three positions are awarded certificates. The outstanding sportspersons are selected in the selection trials and Tamil Nadu contingent participate in the National level All India Civil Services Competitions.

## **5.9 District and State Level Carrom Competition**

The Government have decided to further elevate the status of Carrom in the State. Its vision is to make the carrom players lead in international competitions. Carrom Competitions are conducted from the year 2008-09 to promote the game among children from Government Schools, Government Aided Schools, Panchayat/Town panchayats/ Municipal Schools and motivate/train them to win attractive prizes. A total sum of Rs.6,45,000/- has been sanctioned for this purpose. The competitions are conducted in two categories i.e., sub-junior (upto 5<sup>th</sup> standard) and junior (6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> standard). The first place winners represent their District in the State Championship.

## **5.10 Athletic Meet for the Differently Abled persons**

Para-sports are conducted for the differently abled persons. In order to encourage talent and boost their confidence, sports and games are conducted for the differently abled persons both at the district and state level.

The following competitions are conducted to exhibit their talent: -

<b>S.No</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Event</b>
1	For Physically Challenged (Men and Women)	a) 50m run b) 100m run c) Long Jump d) Mini Basketball throw e) Wheel Chair Race – 100m
2	For Visually Impaired (Men and Women)	a) 50m run b) 100m run c) Standing Broad Jump d) Shot Put e) Tennis Ball throw
3	Mentally Challenged (Men and Women)	a) 50m Run b) 100m run c) Cricket Ball throw d) Standing Broad Jump e) Shot Put
4	Hearing Impaired (Men and Women)	a) 100m run b) 200m run c) Long Jump d) Shot Put e) Javelin Throw

Prize money of Rs.5,000/-, Rs.3,000/- and Rs.2,000/- is awarded to the first, second and third place winners respectively in the state level competitions. The Government sanctioned a sum of Rs.15.01 lakh for conducting the above competitions for the year 2018-19.

### **5.11 Team Games for Differently abled persons**

Sports have more value in the life of differently abled persons. When people recognize and appreciate the talent of such persons, they feel confident and motivated.

The following competitions are conducted for various differently abled sportspersons to exhibit their talent:-

<b>S.No</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Event</b>
1	Physically challenged (Orthopaedically handicapped) - Both Men and Women	a) Shuttle Badminton (Singles and Doubles) - each team 5 players b) Table Tennis – each team 2 players

2	Visually impaired (Total blind and partially sighted)- Both Men and Women	Adopted Volleyball – each team 7 players
3	Intellectually challenged (mentally retarded) - Both Men and Women	Throw ball – each team 7 players
4	Hearing impaired (Deaf) -Both Men and Women	Kabaddi – each team 7 players

The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.30.00 lakh for the conduct of the above competitions for the year 2018-19.

### **5.12 Acrobatics**

Acrobatics is the game to showcase extraordinary human feats of balance, agility and motor co-ordination. The Government of Tamil Nadu offers support for promotion of this amongst the communities like Kazhaikoothadigal who are traditionally engaged in acrobatics. The Government realizes that when their children are provided with proper coaching, food supplement

and exposure, there is a possibility that they can be groomed into medal winners. An acrobatic centre has been established in Karattupalayam, Erode District and it is successfully running with the strength of 20 boys and girls.

### **5.13 Beach Games**

Playing game on a sandy surface is a thrill and requires special skill. Primarily games are played on the beach for amusement. But, today competitions are held in beach games all over the world. The Government of Tamil Nadu have given approval for conducting competitions in the beach games like Beach Football, Beach Kabaddi and Beach Volleyball in the coastal areas of 10 districts of the State viz., Ramanathapuram, Nagapattinam, Cuddalore, Kanniyakumari, Thoothukudi, Chennai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Pudukkottai and Kancheepuram Districts.

District level competitions are being conducted from the year 2013-14. A sum of Rs.5.00 lakh has been allotted for state level competition held at Ramanathapuram from 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2019.

## 5.14 State Level Inter-University Competitions

To cultivate sports culture and to popularize sports activities at college level "State level Inter-University Competitions" are conducted every year for men and women. A wide range of sports are played in all the colleges of the State. Competitions are conducted in Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Football, Hockey, Kabaddi, Table Tennis, Tennis, Weightlifting, Handball, Swimming and Volleyball among all the Universities including Professional Colleges in the State of Tamil Nadu. A sum of Rs.1.00 crore was sanctioned for conducting State level Inter-University Competition during the year 2018-19. The results are as follows: -

S.No	Discipline	Gender	1st Place	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place
1	Athletics	Men	University of Madras	Bharathiar University	Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University
		Women	University of Madras	Madurai Kamaraj University	Bharathiar University

2	Basketball	Men	University of Madras	Hindustan University	SRM University
		Women	University of Madras	Hindustan University	SRM University
3	Football	Men	University of Madras	Anna University	Sathyabama University
		Women	Annamalai University	University of Madras	Bharathidasan University
4	Kabaddi	Men	University of Madras	SRM University	Dr. MGR Education and Research Institute University
		Women	Karpagam University	Mother Theresa Womens University	Bharathiyar University
5	Hockey	Men	SRM University	Bharadhidasan University	Karunya University
		Women	Alagappa University	Anna University	Annamalai University
6	Badminton	Men	SRM IST, Chennai	Anna University	Bharathiyar University
		Women	SRM IST, Chennai	Anna University	University of Madras



7	Tennis	Men	University of Madras	SRM University	Anna University
		Women	University of Madras	Sri Rama chandra Institute of Higher Education and Research	Anna University
8	Volleyball	Men	Anna University	University of Madras	Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology
		Women	Hindustan Institute of Science and Technology	Bharathi dasan University	SRM Institute of Science & Technology
9	Swimming	Men	Anna University	Manon maniam Sundar anar University	University of Madras
		Women	Sri Rama-chandra University	University of Madras	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University
10	Handball	Men	Madurai Kamaraj University	Anna University	Annamalai University
		Women	University of Madras	Karpagam University	Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University

11	Weight lifting	Men	Thiru valluvar University	Bharathi dasan University	Anna University
		Women	Thiru valluvar University	Manon maniam Sunda ranar University	Periyar University

The prize money of Rs.10,000/-, Rs.7,500/- and Rs.5,000/- is awarded to the first, second and third place winners respectively in the State Level Inter-University competition.

### **5.15 SDAT Hockey League Tournament**

In order to promote Hockey Sport and bring competitive exposure to the hockey players, the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT) conducts Champions Cup Hockey League Tournament at the following levels: -

1. District level
2. Regional level
3. State level

The Government sanctioned a sum of Rs.8.00 lakh to conduct the above competitions. The

Regional level competitions are conducted in the following 6 regions: -

1. **Chennai:** Chennai, Kancheepuram, Thiruvallur, Villupuram, Cuddalore.
2. **Vellore:** Vellore, Thiruvannamalai, Nagapattinam, Dharmapuri, Krishnagiri.
3. **Coimbatore:** Coimbatore, The Nilgiris, Erode, Salem, Tiruppur, Namakkal.
4. **Tiruchirappalli:** Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur, Ariyalur, Perambalur, Thiruvarur, Pudukottai.
5. **Madurai:** Madurai, Ramanathapuram, Dindigul, Theni, Karur.
6. **Tirunelveli:** Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Kanniyakumari, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar.

The State level competitions were conducted at Tiruchirappalli from 28<sup>th</sup> February to 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2019.

Result of the SDAT State level Hockey League Tournament:

Winner	Thoothukudi
Runner	Ariyalur

### 5.16 Khelo India Youth Games (KIYG)

The Government of India has conducted Khelo India Youth Games at Pune, Maharashtra from 09.01.2019 to 20.01.2019.

Tamil Nadu Contingent consisting of 185 boys and 183 girls participated in the following disciplines: -

Under 17 years	Boys	Athletics, Weightlifting, Judo, Badminton, Shooting, Kho-Kho, Volleyball, Tennis, Kabaddi, Basketball, Swimming, Table Tennis and Gymnastics.
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	Girls	Athletics, Weightlifting, Badminton, Boxing, Kho-Kho, Volleyball, Tennis, Basketball, Swimming and Table Tennis.
Under 21 years	Men	Athletics, Weightlifting, Judo, Badminton, Shooting, Kho-Kho, Volleyball, Tennis, Kabaddi, Basketball, Swimming and Table Tennis.
	Women	Athletics, Weightlifting, Judo, Football, Badminton, Shooting, Kho-Kho, Volleyball, Tennis, Kabaddi, Basketball, Swimming and Table Tennis.

The medals secured by Tamil Nadu is as follows:-

<b>Gold</b>	<b>Silver</b>	<b>Bronze</b>	<b>Total</b>
27	36	25	88

Tamil Nadu secured 5<sup>th</sup> Place in the Khelo India Youth Games 2018-19.

## **5.17 Advanced Training and Competitions**

### **Abroad**

The Government of Tamil Nadu provides all support to our sportspersons to achieve higher performance at the global level. To provide international exposure to outstanding sportspersons, who have the potential to win medals in international competitions, advanced training in the institutes of excellence abroad is given. The SDAT extends need based financial assistance for the air travel of the participants.

## **5.18 Village Games**

To promote sports among the rural population, the Government have been sanctioning a sum of Rs.25.05 crore every year to conduct the Village Games in all 12,524 Village Panchayats of the State. In this scheme, competitions are held in Athletics, Volleyball, Kabaddi and Football. Village Games, a mass participation sports programme, is organised across the State every year for providing an ample opportunity to rural population, irrespective of age, to participate in the competitive sports. Every year, around

40,00,000 people are participating in the village games across the State. Medals/prizes and certificates are given to the winners as a mark of encouragement and appreciation. A total of 80 gold medals, 80 silver medals and 80 bronze medals are awarded to winners in every village panchayat.

## **CHAPTER – 6**

### **SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND INCENTIVES**

Encouragement and support play pivotal role in the sports career of a sportsperson. It moulds and motivates the sportsperson to perform well at national and international level. With this objective, the Government of Tamil Nadu extends scholarships, awards and incentives to sportspersons performing at national and international level.

#### **6.1 Special Scholarship and Support Schemes**

Meritorious sportspersons participating at international and national level are selected and awarded the following special scholarships/ support: -

1. Champions Development Scheme
2. Mission International Medal Scheme
3. Special Scholarship for Elite Sportspersons



### ***6.1.1 Champions Development Scheme***

To fulfil the financial requirements of the outstanding sportspersons of the State and to help them exhibit their talents in the wider arena, the Champions Development Scheme has been introduced and implemented by the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu (SDAT). Under this scheme, sportspersons below 20 years of age and who have won gold medals at the national level are inducted. With the objective of producing champions out of the talented sportspersons, they are extended financial support by the Government. The champions enrolled in this scheme are given free passes to utilize the modern stadia for their practice. Further, they are given financial assistance for a maximum of Rs.2.00 lakh per annum for purchase of food supplements, sports kits, sports equipments, to undergo training abroad and to participate in competitions abroad on need basis. The participants are eligible to get the cost of their air travel when participating in the international competitions. The expenses are incurred from the accrued interest of corpus fund of the Sports Development Authority of

Tamil Nadu. At present, 110 Champions can be inducted in this scheme in various disciplines.

The financial assistance given for the players in the Champions Development Scheme during 2018-2019 is Rs.18,98,311/-.

### ***6.1.2 Mission International Medal Scheme (MIMS)***

During the Assembly Session 2018, the Hon'ble Chief Minister announced on 28.06.2018 under Rule 110 of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules that a new scheme called Mission International Medal Scheme for identifying and supporting sports talents and nurturing them to win medals in international level will be implemented in the State. Under this scheme, 50 sportspersons including 5 differently abled sportspersons can be selected and provided with assistance for purchase of sports equipments, undergoing training abroad and participation in competitions to the tune of Rs.10.00 lakh per year per person on need based assistance. Accordingly, in G.O.(2D) No.3, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 29.01.2019 and

G.O.(2D) No.9, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 04.03.2019 the Government have issued orders for induction of 26 and 11 sportspersons (including 4 para athletes) respectively into the scheme. An outlay of Rs.5.00 crore is allotted every year for this scheme.

### ***6.1.3 Special Scholarship for Elite Sports persons (Aiming for Olympics and International level competitions)***

Sportspersons from Tamil Nadu are doing extremely well at international level. These sportspersons are in need of assistance from the Government to achieve further. To encourage sportspersons from Tamil Nadu who have potential to win medals at the Olympics and major international level competitions, the Government have been implementing a unique scheme called Special Scholarship for Elite Sportspersons since 2011-12. Under this scheme, assistance to an extent of Rs.25.00 lakh per person per year is extended to the identified elite sportspersons to fulfil their need based requirements. In the XXI Commonwealth Games-2018 held in Australia, 3 sportspersons

covered under this scheme had secured 2 Gold, 1 Silver and 2 Bronze medals. Likewise, in the 18<sup>th</sup> Asian Games-2018 held in Indonesia, 4 sportspersons from this scheme had secured 3 Silver and 2 Bronze medals.

The performance of the elite sportspersons are monitored and reviewed regularly. Inconsistent performers are replaced with new meritorious sportspersons. As on 01.04.2019, 12 elite sportspersons are getting need based financial assistance under the scheme. Till the year 2018-19, a sum of Rs.4,20,44,281/- has been sanctioned to these elite sportspersons.

## **6.2 Special Scholarship for Budding Talents**

To encourage the budding talents to develop their skill and interest in sports activity, a special scholarship is given to them. The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu implements World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme at school level to identify the hidden talents. In this scheme, a battery of tests are conducted for both boys and girls studying in 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> standard. By a selection process

at Educational District and Regional Levels, 3,240 budding talents are identified and inducted into Specialized Academies. To kindle the innate talent and to nurture it, a special scholarship amount of Rs.500/- per month per individual is sanctioned to 3,240 young talents every year. For the year 2018-19, a sum of Rs.194.40 lakh has been sanctioned for the upbringing of 3,240 young talents.

### 6.3 High Cash Incentive

To encourage sportspersons from Tamil Nadu for securing more medals at the international competitions, the Government of Tamil Nadu extends high cash incentive for the medal winning performance. The quantum of assistance is as follows: -

Sl. No.	Competitions	High Cash Incentive (Rs. in lakh)		
		Gold	Silver	Bronze
1.	<b>Olympics (Once in four years)-</b> Individual Events / Team Events (for each Player)	200.00	100.00	50.00
2.	<b>Asian Games (Once in four years)-</b> Individual Events/ Team Events (for each Player)	50.00	30.00	20.00

3.	<b>Commonwealth Games (Once in four years)-</b> Individual Events / Team Events (for each Player)	50.00	30.00	20.00
4.	<b>South Asian Federation Games (Once in four years)-</b> Individual events/Team Events (For each player)	5.00	3.00	2.00
5.	<b>National Games -</b> (Once in two years) - Individual Events/Team Events (For each player)	5.00	3.00	2.00
6.	<b>National School Games Championship -</b> Individual Events/Team Events (For each player)	2.00	1.50	1.00
7.	<b>Asian School Games Championship -</b> Individual Events/Team Events (For each player)	4.00	2.50	1.50
8.	<b>World School Championship -</b> Individual Events/Team Events (For each player)	5.00	3.00	2.00

The high cash incentives have also been given to medal winners of other sports / games, competitions / championships as a special case.

To encourage, promote and popularize recognized Olympic, Asian, Commonwealth Games and regional level popular games and sports, competitions are conducted by School Games Federation of India (SGFI) every year. The main thrust of the competition is providing a platform to the budding players to showcase their talents and improve their performance. Tamil Nadu has been participating in the SGFI Nationals every year. Government included the winners of the school games as those eligible for the high cash incentives and orders were issued in G.O.(Ms).No.27, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (S1) Department, Dated 20.06.2017. For the first time, high cash incentive to the medal winners of national school games was given in the year 2018. Rs.8,21,50,000/- was sanctioned as high cash incentives to 465 medal winners of the 63<sup>rd</sup> National School Games. The Government of Tamil Nadu have awarded a total sum of Rs.19.12 crore to 489 medal winners and 26 coaches as high cash incentive in the year 2018-19.

#### **6.4 SDAT Sports Scholarship Scheme**

The sports talents at school and college level are required to be motivated so that they could achieve laurels at national and international level. Further, they are the resources for developing future champions. In this context, the Government of Tamil Nadu gives scholarship of Rs.10,000/- and Rs.13,000/- to school and college students respectively who won medals at national level. For the year 2017-18, a sum of Rs.51,82,000/- was released as SDAT scholarship to school and college students.

#### **6.5 Pension Scheme for Sportspersons who are in Indigent Circumstances**

The yesteryear outstanding sportspersons who had performed well at national level and are living in indigent conditions are given a monthly pension of Rs.3,000/- with a condition that they have completed 58 years of age and their monthly income shall not exceed Rs.6,000/-. 101 yesteryear outstanding sportspersons and 11 family pensioners are receiving pension under this scheme. The annual expenditure is Rs.40,32,000/-.



## **6.6 Sportspersons Welfare Fund**

In order to support the outstanding sportspersons who succumbed to injuries during the competitions financial assistance is given. Assistance is also extended for rehabilitation / recovery of sportspersons who get injured in a competition.

## **6.7 Chief Minister's State Sports Award**

The Government of Tamil Nadu in G.O. (4D) No.2, Education, Science & Technology (Y1) Department, Dated 03.04.1996 have introduced Chief Minister's State Sports Award for outstanding sportspersons, coaches and Physical Education Teachers/Physical Directors in order to encourage and motivate them for higher achievements and to act as inspiring role models for attracting the younger generation to take up sports. Four outstanding sportspersons (2 men and 2 women), two coaches and two Physical Education Teachers/Physical Directors (1 man and 1 woman) are awarded the Chief Minister's State Sports Award every year. The award consists of a citation, a replica and a cash award of Rs.1.00 lakh.

## **6.8 Upgrading the Knowledge and Skills of Coaches and Physical Education Teachers (PETs) and Sports Administrators**

The SDAT is keen on upgrading the knowledge and skill of coaches and provide opportunities to the talented coaches and PETs to attend short-term courses / clinics abroad. For this, a sum of Rs.30.00 lakh is sanctioned every year.

## **6.9 Prize Money to the Medal Winners in State Level Republic Day Sports (RDS), Bharathiyar Day Games (BDG)**

The Government of Tamil Nadu extend prize money to the winners of Republic Day Sports and Bharathiyar Day Games as a measure of encouraging school talents. The first three place holders are given Rs.1,200/-, Rs.800/- and Rs.400/- respectively as prize money. During the year 2018-19, a sum of Rs.29,86,000/- has been given as prize money to 4,008 students.

## **6.10 Sports Kit to the National Level Medal Winners**

From the year 2006-2007 onwards, the Government have introduced a scheme of providing sports kit to the medal winners in the national level competitions at Junior and Sub-Junior level.

In the year 2018–19, a sum of Rs.15.10 lakh has been released to 346 boys and girls for having won medals in the national level competitions (1<sup>st</sup> Place Rs.6,000/-, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Rs.4,000/- and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Rs.2,000/-).

## **CHAPTER - 7**

### **SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE**

International standard sports infrastructure plays a vital role in achieving excellence in the world sports arena. It helps in producing sportspersons of international standard as well as encourages the youth to participate in sports activities. World class sports infrastructure such as Nehru Indoor Stadium, Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Nungambakkam Tennis Stadium and Velachery Aquatic Complex in Chennai were established for the VII SAF Games in 1995. It is noteworthy to state that the iconic Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium was built in the year 1993 in a record span of 260 days. A world class air-conditioned indoor warm-up track and a football turf was laid in the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium in 2013. In the warm-up track area, an Integrated Sports Complex comprising the facilities of Hydrotherapy Swimming Pool, Indoor Squash Courts, Air-conditioned Indoor Badminton Hall, Volleyball Courts and Basketball courts with floodlight was established in the year 2018. All these facilities are widely used by the

sportspersons of various categories and are very useful to the sportspersons to achieve at national and international level competition and bring laurels to the State. Considering the importance of creating sports infrastructure facilities and world class playfield surfaces in the districts, the Government is extending financial assistance every year.

The sports infrastructure facilities so created by the Government of Tamil Nadu through the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu in the districts are tabulated in the annexure.

## **7.1 Major Sports Infrastructure Facilities in the State**

### ***7.1.1 Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai***

The glorious Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium with a seating capacity of 40,000 spectators was built in the year 1993 at a cost of Rs.44.00 crore in a record span of 260 days. The stadium is having 400m 8-lane Synthetic Athletic Track around a natural football turf. Apart from these, facilities for 60m air-conditioned indoor athletic warm-up track, judo, weightlifting, table tennis, boxing,

chess and carrom have also been provided. Two beach volleyball courts, three volleyball courts (with floodlight), one throw ball court and one kabaddi court are also available in the stadium complex. Further, an air-conditioned fitness centre, State Sports Facilitation Centre, Accommodation Centre, Shooting Range and a Conference Hall are also available in the stadium.

For the benefit of the Tamil Nadu Shooters, a 10m Shooting Range with 18 lanes electric target and 8 lanes electronic target are established at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium at a cost of Rs.2.00 lakh.

The Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai has been revamped and upgraded by relaying the synthetic athletic track, football turf, replacing the floodlight, upgrading the conference hall and office facilities, etc., at a total cost of Rs.1,780.63 lakh during the year 2012-2013.

Sports Hostel and Centre of Excellence for Boys, Sports Hostel of Excellence for College Students maintained by Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu and Sports Hostel for

Boys of Sports Authority of India are functioning in this Stadium.

### ***7.1.2 Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai***

The centrally air-conditioned Nehru Indoor Stadium with seating capacity of 8,000 spectators was built at a cost of Rs.20.00 crore in the year 1995. The playing area is made up of wooden floor and provided with floodlight facility. Games such as Volleyball, Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Boxing, Fencing, Wrestling, Weightlifting, Chess, Carrom, Handball, Kabaddi etc., can be played in the stadium. Further, two concrete Basketball courts with floodlight, a Handball court, a Fencing hall with floodlight and an Open Air Boxing Ring facilities are also available in the stadium complex. In the year 2012-13, the air-conditioning facility has been revamped at a cost of Rs.5.00 crore. In the stadium campus, Sports Hostel of Excellence for college girls has also been established at a total value of Rs.283.35 lakh. In order to facilitate conducting the competitions at international level, an Open Air

Synthetic Coated Skating Rink with floodlight has been established in Indoor Stadium premises at a cost of Rs.2.50 crore. The 55<sup>th</sup> National Speed Skating Championship organised by Tamil Nadu Roller Skating Association has been conducted here in January, 2018.

### ***7.1.3 Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Egmore, Chennai***

The stadium with a seating capacity of 8,670 spectators was built in 1995 at a cost of Rs.8.00 crore. The playing area is laid with synthetic hockey surface and provided with floodlight facility at international standard. Besides, four tennis courts (clay), three volleyball courts with floodlight, an accommodation centre and a fitness centre are also available in the stadium. The synthetic hockey surface has been re-laid at a cost of Rs.3.50 crore in the year 2017.

### ***7.1.4 Aquatic Complex, Velachery, Chennai***

The Aquatic Complex with a seating capacity of 4,000 spectators was built at Velachery, Chennai in the year 1995 at a cost of



Rs.11.32 crore. The complex comprises of one International Standard 8-lane racing pool of 50m x 25m, one diving pool of 18m x 25m and one warm-up pool of 25m x 25m. Further, one air-conditioned fitness centre and an indoor hall for gymnastics are also available. In addition to these, a multi-purpose indoor stadium was also built in the premises in the year 2014 at a cost of Rs. 1.50 crore.

#### ***7.1.5 Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam, Chennai***

The Tennis Stadium with a seating capacity of about 7,000 spectators at Nungambakkam, Chennai was built in 1995 at a cost of Rs.7.50 crore. The complex comprises of one centre court in the main stadium and six practice courts outside with floodlight facilities. All the courts are made up of synthetic surface as per international standard. An air-conditioned fitness centre is also available in the stadium. Chennai Open Tennis Tournament were conducted in a grand manner in this reputed stadium. Chennai

Open ATP Challenger Tennis Tournament is being conducted in this stadium from 2018.

### ***7.1.6 Integrated Sports Complex, Chennai***

The Integrated sports complex in warm-up track area of Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai consists of a synthetic athletic track and natural football turf. Besides these, the facilities of Indoor Hydrotherapy Swimming Pool, Indoor Squash Courts, Air-conditioned Indoor Badminton Hall, Volleyball Court and Basketball Courts with floodlight were also established in the year 2018 at a cost of Rs.12.70 crore.

### ***7.1.7 District Sports Complexes***

District Sports Complexes have been established in all the district headquarters except Vellore and Tiruppur. The Government have also sanctioned Rs.16.45 crore for establishing District Sports Complex at Vellore District, comprising the facilities of 8-Lane 400m Athletic Track, Gallery with Administrative Block, Football field, Hockey field, Basketball Court, Volleyball Court, Kabaddi Court, Kho-Kho Court, Badminton Court, Compound wall with

entrances, Tennis Court, Swimming Pool, Gymnastics Hall and approach road.

In all these sports complexes, playfield facilities for Athletics, Basketball, Football, Kabaddi and Volleyball are available. Facilities for other disciplines are also being established in a phased manner. Government is very keen on establishing sports infrastructure facilities in the districts so as to ensure that every district headquarters is equipped with an open air stadium, an indoor stadium and a swimming pool.

A new District Sports Complex building including gallery for spectators, administrative room, coaches room, players dress changing room, rest rooms and store room etc., is being established at Kancheepuram at a cost of Rs.1,466.00 lakh by dismantling the previous structure.

### ***7.1.8 Multipurpose Indoor Stadia***

In addition to Chennai, Multi-purpose Indoor Stadia have been built in the following 20 Districts, i.e. Ariyalur, Dharmapuri, Dindigul,

Kancheepuram, Kanniyakumari, Krishnagiri, Madurai, Salem, Tuticorin, Thanjavur, Tiruchirappalli (One is at District Sports Complex and another one at Srirangam), Tirunelveli, Tiruppur, Thiruvannamalai, Thiruvavarur, Villuppuram, Nagappattinam, Perambalur, Namakkal and Virudhunagar Districts. Indoor stadia are also available at the Nehru Park Sports Complex, Shenoy Nagar, Velachery Aquatic Complex and Integrated Sports Complex at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium in Chennai. These stadia enable to practice in the games of Badminton, Volleyball, Basketball, Table Tennis, Taekwondo, Handball, Kabaddi and Fencing.

### ***7.1.9 Synthetic Athletic Track, Hockey Turf and Tennis Courts***

The Synthetic Athletic Tracks are available at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium and Warm-up Track area of Integrated Sports Complex in Chennai. It is also available in Coimbatore, Tiruchirappalli, Tirunelveli and Madurai. Laying of Synthetic Athletic Track is in progress at Udhagamandalam and Thiruvannamalai under Urban Sports

Infrastructure Scheme (USIS) of Government of India.

Synthetic Hockey Turfs are also available at Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Egmore and YMCA campus in Chennai, Tiruchirappalli, Tirunelveli, Madurai, Ramanathapuram and Kovilpatti.

Synthetic Tennis Courts are available in Chennai (Tennis Stadium, Mogappair and Nehru Park Sports Complex), Ariyalur, Cuddalore, Kancheepuram, Krishnagiri, Madurai, Ramanathapuram, Salem, The Nilgiris (Udhagamandalam), Tirunelveli, Thiruvannamalai, Thanjavur, Perambalur and Tiruchirappalli.

### ***7.1.10 Swimming Pools***

There are 30 Swimming pools available in 27 districts, i.e. Ariyalur, Cuddalore, Chennai (Velachery Aquatic Complex, Anna Swimming Pool, Mogappair and Shenoy Nagar), Dharmapuri, Dindigul, Erode, Kancheepuram, Kanniyakumari, Madurai, Nagappattinam, Namakkal, Perambalur, Pudukkottai, Ramanathapuram, Salem, Thanjavur, Theni,

Tiruchirappalli, Tirunelveli, Tiruvallur, Tuticorin, Thiruvarur, Thiruvannamalai, Krishnagiri, Sivaganga, Villupuram and Virudhunagar.

Construction of an international standard swimming pool complex at Manonmaniam Sundaranar University Campus, Tirunelveli at a cost of Rs.500.00 lakh is in progress.

## **7.2 Maintenance of Infrastructure**

The Government is sanctioning Rs. 65.00 lakh for maintenance of Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium at Chennai, Rs.84.20 lakh for special civil and electrical repairs to modern stadia and Rs.50.00 lakh for maintenance of District Sports Complexes under the control of Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu, as recurring fund every year.

## CHAPTER – 8

### SPORTS QUOTA FOR EMPLOYMENT AND HIGHER EDUCATION

#### **8.1 Employment Opportunities for Meritorious Sportspersons in Government Departments/PSUs**

During the Independence Day speech in the year 2018, the Hon'ble Chief Minister made an announcement, among other things, that reservation would be provided in identified posts in Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) as per eligibility. Accordingly, the Government in G.O.(Ms).No.6, Youth Welfare & Sports Development Department, Dated 20.02.2019 have issued orders for allotment of 3% sports quota for sportspersons in the recruitment for identified posts in Government Departments and provisions for appointment of meritorious sportspersons in Public Sector Undertakings. As per the above Government Order, in the year 2018-19, appointments were given to three outstanding sportspersons viz., Thiru. Lakshman Rohit Maradapa in Tamil Nadu Generation and

Distribution Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO) Thiru. A. Dharun in Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Limited (TNPL) and Ms. C.A. Bhavani Devi in Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO).

## **8.2 10% Sports Quota in Certain Government Services**

10% sports quota has been provided for sportspersons in Uniformed Services through the recruitment done by the Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services Recruitment Board.

Further, 10% reservation for sportspersons has been provided in direct recruitment to the posts of Foresters, Forest Guards, Forest Watchers and Drivers in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service.

## **8.3 Admission in Professional Colleges**

The Government have allotted 500 seats in the Engineering Colleges and other professional colleges under sports quota in recognition of the achievement of sportsperson as detailed below: -



**Details of seat allocated in Engineering Colleges/Other Professional Colleges under Eminent Sportsperson quota**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Details of the Institution</b>	<b>No. of Seats</b>
1.	University Departments of Anna University, Chennai – 25	12
2.	Government / Govt. Aided Engineering Colleges	13
3.	Constituent Colleges of Anna University	14
4.	Self-Financing Engineering Colleges	461 (1 seat per College)
	<b>Total No. of Seats</b>	<b>500</b>

<b>Sl.No.</b>	<b>Details of Professional Course</b>	<b>No. of seats</b>
1.	<b>Medical Colleges</b>	
	Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery (M.B.B.S.,)	7
	Bachelor of Dental Surgery (B.D.S.,)	1

2.	<b>Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University &amp; Fisheries University</b>	
	Bachelor of Veterinary Science [B.V.Sc.,] (3 Boys & 2 Girls)	5
	Bachelor of Fisheries Science [B.F.Sc.,]	2
3.	<b>Law College</b>	
	Bachelor of Law (3 years course)	6
	Bachelor of Law (5 years course)	7
4.	<b>Tamil Nadu Agricultural University</b>	
	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.,) Agriculture	1
	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.,) Horticulture	1
	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.,) Forestry	1
	Bachelor of Engineering (B.E.,) Agriculture	1
	<b>Total No. of Seats</b>	<b>32</b>

## **CHAPTER – 9**

### **SCHEMES FOR PHYSICAL FITNESS AND SPORTS MEDICINE**

Physical activity and exercise will improve our health and reduce the risk of developing several diseases like diabetes and cardiovascular disease. They can have immediate and long-term health benefits. Most importantly, regular activity can improve our quality of life.

Physical fitness is generally achieved through proper nutrition, moderate/vigorous physical exercise.

To achieve the goal of physical fitness, the SDAT has established Physical Fitness Centres throughout Tamil Nadu.

#### **9.1 State Sports Facilitation Centre (SSFC)**

In order to provide the professional support to the talented sportspersons to improve their performance through sports medicine, video analysis, bio-mechanics and physiotherapy etc., the State Sports Facilitation Centre fully

equipped with medical and physiotherapy equipments such as BP apparatus, virtual model of joints, defibrillator, tera band, hydrotherapy tub, Body Mass Index machine, fat analyzer, wobble board, etc. has been established in Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai under Part-II Scheme for the year 2014-15 at a cost of Rs.50.00 lakh.

Sportspersons from SDAT sports hostels, clubs, various sports associations etc., are benefited from this centre since 2014.

## **9.2 Integrated Sports Science Centre at Madurai (ISSC)**

The main objective of Integrated Sports Science Centre (ISSC) are prevention of sports related injuries, rehabilitation of injury and restoration of the original physical fitness of the sportsperson so that he can resume sports activities at the earliest.

The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.500.00 lakh towards establishment of Integrated Sports Science Centre at Madurai (ISSC) under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives

for the benefit of sportspersons who require consistent and rigorous scientific training of the highest quality standards to compete at the international level events.

### **9.3 Establishment of Gym Facility for Secretariat Officers and Staff**

Physical fitness refers to the ability of body systems to work together efficiently to allow the human being to be healthy and perform activities of daily living.

The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.50.00 lakh for the establishment of gym facilities, separately for men and women staff and officers of Secretariat. Gym facilities so established improves the fitness level. Fitness helps in enhancement of intellectual capability, self-confidence, employees' health, effective management of stress, reduction of depression and decreases anxiety. Physical activity improves energy levels and productivity. Approximately 5,000 employees are benefited by utilizing this facility.

## **9.4 Establishment of Modern Gym Centre in 17 Districts**

Fitness refers to being physically fit, as well as refers to a person's mental state. Mental fitness can only be achieved if our body is functioning well. One can help relax our own mind and eliminate stress by exercising regularly and eating right.

In view of the above, the Government have sanctioned Rs. 405.00 lakh for establishment of modern gym centres in 17 districts viz., Chennai, Cuddalore, Dindigul, Kanniyakumari, Madurai, Pudukkottai, Ramanathapuram, Salem, Sivaganga, Thanjavur, Theni, The Nilgiris, Thoothukudi, Tirunelveli, Tiruchirappalli, Thiruvannamalai and Virudhunagar Districts.

## **CHAPTER – 10**

### **CENTRES OF HIGHER PERFORMANCE**

#### **10.1 Centres of Excellence and Academies**

The Government of Tamil Nadu is establishing Centres of Excellence and Academies for giving specialised sports training to deliver higher performance by the targeted sportspersons. Each of these centres would focus on one sports discipline and organise international level training to the identified best talents in that sports. These centres will have international quality infrastructure for training and producing sportspersons for international competitions.

#### **10.2 Tamil Nadu State Weightlifting Centre of Excellence**

Vellore District is well-known for weightlifting for the past three decades. Many international and national weightlifters have emerged from this district. The degree of enthusiasm being shown by the youth towards the sports of weightlifting has been phenomenal. Tamil Nadu State Weightlifting Centre of Excellence has

been established at Vellore where intensive coaching, accommodation, nutritious diet, sports kit and uniform are provided to the trainees.

### **10.3 High Altitude Training Centre (HATC)**

Considering the fact that training in high altitude will increase stamina of sportspersons and there will be positive effects on performance of them, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has announced the establishment of High Altitude Training Centre at Ooty. Accordingly, the Government have issued orders in G.O.(Ms).No.66, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 18.12.2015 for establishment of HATC at Ooty at a cost of Rs.500.00 lakh. Comparing the other high altitude centres in the country, the HATC at Ooty is the first ever high altitude centre where the sportspersons could undergo training throughout the year.

### **10.4 Sailing Academy and Centre of Excellence in Sailing**

Tamil Nadu is endowed with 1,087 km long coastline. The city of Chennai has the distinction



of organizing India International Regatta since 2009. During the year 2016-2017, the Hon'ble Chief Minister announced the establishment of Sailing Academy and Centre of Excellence in Sailing in Chennai under Rule 110. Orders were issued by the Government in G.O.(Ms).No.36, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 8.10.2016 for the establishment of above facilities at a cost of Rs.700.00 lakh. The Academy would go a long way in identifying talented boys and girls and training them in sailing so that they bring laurels not only to the State but to the nation also.

### **10.5 Centre of Excellence for Canoeing and Kayaking**

During the year 2017, under Rule 110, the Hon'ble Chief Minister announced the establishment of sports facility for Canoeing and Kayaking near Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University campus at Melakottaiyur in Kancheepuram District. Accordingly, the Government have accorded administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.258.10 lakh for establishment of Centre of Excellence for

Canoeing and Kayaking sports near the TNPESU campus at Melakottaiyur. The centre will cater to the needs of aspiring young population who are fond of achieving excellence in canoeing and kayaking.

### **10.6 Centres of Excellence for Badminton and Table Tennis**

Based on the Announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister during 2018, orders have been issued for the establishment of Centre of Excellence for Badminton at a cost of Rs.13.33 crore. Further, orders have been issued for the establishment of Centre of Excellence for Table Tennis at a cost of Rs.12.60 crore as per the announcement of the Hon'ble Minister for Youth Welfare and Sports Development. These centres will be established in the premises of Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University.

## **CHAPTER – 11**

### **YOUTH WELFARE SCHEMES**

#### **11.1 Formation of Directorate of Youth Welfare**

The Directorate of Youth Welfare has been formed to implement and monitor schemes to assist the overall well-being and development of the youth. In order to utilise the full potential of the youth, it is necessary to channelize their energy into productive activities.

Youth in Tamil Nadu are being engaged in development activities in the State through a systematic approach.

The following welfare schemes for the youth are now being executed by the newly formed Directorate of Youth Welfare: -

- i. All matters relating to youth, their welfare, training and prospects.
- ii. Organization and mobilization of youth for voluntary participation in the development activities of the state and nation building.

- iii. Programmes to encourage leadership and personality development such as sense of adventure, responsibility, confidence and achievement in youth.
- iv. Research and study on youth behavior and youth development activities in collaboration with universities.
- v. Promoting skill development activities for creating employment opportunities for the unemployed and under employed youth.
- vi. Promotion and development of games and sports among youth.
- vii. Recognize talented youth in various fields through State Youth Awards.
- viii. Development and publication of awareness materials in the field of sports and youth welfare.
- ix. Implementing schemes such as Nehru Yuva Kendra, National Reconstruction Corps Scheme, etc. effectively.

- x. Organizing state youth festivals, selecting talented youth and sending youth teams for participating in national youth festival.
- xi. Promote and facilitate new and existing youth hostels across the State as a means of enhancing youth mobility.

The Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority Tamil Nadu is the Ex-Officio Director of Youth Welfare. The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is functioning as the Directorate of Youth Welfare.

## **11.2 Youth Development Index**

Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India brings out Youth Development Index as composite index which measures the multi-dimensional progress of youth in the States of India. For the purpose of this study, the States are categorised as Major States and Minor States. As per Youth Development Index and Report 2017, Tamil Nadu ranks second among the Major States of India.

### **11.3 Chief Minister's State Youth Award**

Every year, the Chief Minister's State Youth Award is presented to 3 men and 3 women in the age group between 15 years and 35 years on the occasion of Independence Day celebration. This award carries a cash award of Rs.50,000/-, a citation and a medal.

The Chief Minister's State Youth Award has been instituted in recognition of services delivered by the youth for the welfare of the society. During the year 2018, the following persons were given Chief Minister's State Youth Award by the Honourable Chief Minister.

#### ***Men***

1. Thiru. C. Baskaran, Theni District
2. Thiru. A. Magesh, Cuddalore District,

#### ***Women***

1. Selvi. Ashweetha, Tirunelveli District

## **11.4 Youth Hostels**

Youth Hostels are a joint venture programme between the Central and the State Government. The State Government provides a fully developed land while Government of India contributes towards the construction and maintenance of youth hostels. These hostels provide inexpensive hostelling facilities to young persons, whenever they undertake educational and adventure tours, excursion, visits to places of historical and cultural interest, etc.,

At present, 5 youth hostels are functioning in the State at Chennai, Madurai, Thanjavur, The Nilgiris (Ooty) and Tiruchirappalli. Every year, thousands of youth avail the facilities of these youth hostels.

## **11.5 Youth Awakening Day**

In commemoration of the birthday of Bharat Ratna Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, Youth Awakening Day is celebrated on 15<sup>th</sup> of October throughout the State.

## CHAPTER – 12

### NATIONAL CADET CORPS

National Cadet Corps came into being with the passage of National Cadet Corps Act, 1948 (Act No.XXXI of 1948) by the Parliament of India. The Corps was formally raised on 15 July, 1948. NCC in erstwhile Madras State was started in July, 1948 at College level with three units. In 1949, NCC training for boys was started at schools with a strength of 1,550 cadets. Training of girls commenced in 1954. The Controlling Headquarters established at inception was upgraded to Directorate in 1962. Today the Directorate has 5 Group Headquarters and 51 NCC Units under it.

#### 12.1 Aims

- (a) To develop character, comradeship, discipline, leadership, secular outlook, spirit of adventure and the ideals of selfless service amongst the youth of the country.



- (b) To create a human resource of organized, trained and motivated youth, to provide leadership in all walks of life and always available for the service of the nation.
- (c) To provide a suitable environment to motivate the youth to take up a career in the Armed Forces.

## **12.2 Administration**

Director General of National Cadet Corps under Ministry of Defence is the overall coordinator for all NCC activities in the Country. For administrative purpose, NCC is divided into 17 Directorates. NCC Directorate at Tamil Nadu is headed by Deputy Director General (DDG). The Deputy Director General also heads NCC Group Headquarters and Units in Puducherry and Andaman Nicobar Islands.

## **12.3 Budget Allocation**

Government of Tamil Nadu have allocated a sum of Rs.54.90 crore in the Budget Estimate for the year 2019-20 for NCC Department.

## **12.4 Enrolment and Coverage**

Tamil Nadu Directorate, as on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2019, covers 411 Colleges with 29,874 Senior Division/Wing Cadets (SD/SW) and 920 Schools with 71,995 Junior Division/Wing Cadets (JD/JW) totalling 1,01,869 Cadets.

## **12.5 Associate NCC Officers (ANOs)**

An Associate NCC Officer (ANO) is the basic link between the NCC Unit and institution for conduct of NCC Training. He is a faculty member of the institution in which NCC Cadets are being trained. He undergoes basic training with special focus on training of NCC Cadets and thereafter commissioned as ANO. As on 01.04.2019, 308 SD/SW ANOs and 708 JD/JW/ANOs co-ordinate NCC activities in their affiliated institutions, under the direct command of Officers Commanding the respective Units. Apart from Associate NCC Officers, 322 Care Takers are appointed to oversee training of NCC cadets in the institutions wherein the post of ANO are temporarily lying vacant.

## **12.6 Incentives**

The Government of Tamil Nadu has always been actively supporting various NCC activities in the State. The administrative support provided by the Government of Tamil Nadu is considered to be the best amongst the 17 Directorates in the country. The Government of Tamil Nadu have always been encouraging the NCC Cadets by providing various incentives to NCC Cadets of the State. Recently, Government vide G.O.(2D) No.2, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (YW1) Department, Dated 28.01.2019, issued orders enhancing the existing incentives to almost double for outstanding achievements by NCC Cadets, while including many other prestigious National events like Thal Sainik camp, Vayu Sainik Camp, Nau Sainik Camp, Youth Exchange Programme, Mountaineering, Shooting and Sports competitions. Government have accordingly allocated a further sum of Rs.7,66,850/- in addition to Rs.5,80,400/- as recurring expenditure per annum for incentives, thereby revising the annual allocation to Rs.13,47,250/-

from the year 2018-19 benefitting more than 500 Cadets.

In addition to the incentives based on the performance in different competitions, the Government of Tamil Nadu is providing following incentives to the NCC Cadets: -

- Scholarship to 100 Senior Division/ Wing cadets at Rs. 200/- per month for 10 months and to 100 Junior Division/ Wing Cadets at Rs. 100/- per month for 10 months with total financial implication of Rs. 3,00,000/-.
- Maximum of 2 marks is awarded for recruitment of Sub-Inspector of Police by the Tamil Nadu Uniformed Services Recruitment Board to NCC Cadets for possessing NCC "B" and "C" certificates.
- Out of 12 marks awarded for oral test for the B.T and PG Assistants recruitment/ appointment in Tamil Nadu, ½ Mark is awarded for the candidates for their NCC activities.

## **12.7 Achievements**

Cadets of Tamil Nadu Directorate are active in all spheres of activities, as always, and are bringing laurels to the State. Owing to the support extended by the Tamil Nadu Government over the years, the Cadets of the State are bringing laurels at national level. The Directorate has been in top five positions consistently amongst the 17 Directorates for the last 12 years. During 2018-19, the cadets of the Directorate made the State proud again by securing overall second position amongst 17 Directorates assessed based on all professional and training events conducted throughout the year.

Some of the major achievements of this Directorate in the recent past are as under: -

### ***12.7.1 Republic Day Camp, Delhi (RDC) – 2019***

The Contingent of NCC Directorate, Tamil Nadu, secured overall second position in the RDC 2019, held at New Delhi. The girls of the State have proved their mettle by winning all gold medals in Senior Wing 'Best Cadet

Category' i.e., in Army, Air and Naval Wing and also in the Junior Wing Army Category. This is for the first time in the history, the Directorate has won four gold medals in the 'Best Category' out of nine medals awarded at all India level during the Republic Day, which is incidentally a record in itself for any Directorate. Certain other achievements of the Directorate are as follows: -

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Events</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>No of participants</b>
<b>Individual Events</b>			
1	Best Cadet – Junior Wing Air	Silver	01
2	Best Cadet – Junior Division Navy	Bronze	01
<b>Group Events</b>			
3	Cultural competition	First	35
4	Raj Path marching	First	20
5	Equipment Model	First	03
6	Flag Area	Second	14
7	Prime Minister's Rally	Second	50
8	Sailing Model	Third	03

### ***12.7.2 Republic Day Parade Marina, Chennai – 2019***

NCC Cadets participated in the Republic Day march past in front of Hon'ble Governor and Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu held at Marina, Chennai in a befitting manner. 51 Senior Division and 51 Senior Wing Cadets participated in the march past. Sainik School Amaravathinagar Band consisting of 51 cadets also participated in the event. The Government of Tamil Nadu have granted Rs.6.80 Lakh for kitting of the marching contingent. This has improved the overall standard of the marching contingent.

### ***12.7.3 All India Vayu Sainik Camp – 2018***

For 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive year, Air Wing NCC cadets of our Directorate secured First Position and Overall Trophy at All India Vayu Sainik Camp held in October, 2018 at Jodhpur. Our Cadets also won First Position in Flying (SD) and in Aero Modelling Static. In Flying (SW) Aero Modelling Remote Control, our Cadets have secured Silver

Medal. In Aero Modelling and Control Line, our Cadets have secured two Bronze medals.

#### ***12.7.4 All India Nau Sainik Camp – 2018***

In All India Nau Sainik Camp held at Karwar, Karnataka during October 2018, Cadets of our Directorate were adjudged overall runners up at All India level. One of our Cadets was adjudged 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Cadet. While securing Best performance award, our Cadets have also secured Gold in Seamanship Practical and Boat Pulling. They have secured Silver Medal in Drill and Bronze in Boat Rigging.

#### ***12.7.5 All India Thal Sainik Camp (Boys) – 2018***

In All India Thal Sainik Camp (TSC) Boys, held at New Delhi in September, 2018 our contingent secured First Position and overall Trophy amongst 17 Directorates in the country. Our Cadets won First Position in Line Area, Tent Pitching, Second Position in Health and Hygiene and Obstacle Competition.



### ***12.7.6 All India Thal Sainik Camp (Girls) – 2018***

In the All India Thal Sainik Camp (TSC) Girls held at New Delhi in September, 2018 our girls won First position in Judging Distance and Field Signal Event. Overall, our contingent secured 6<sup>th</sup> position.

### ***12.7.7 NCC Day Celebrations***

NCC Day was celebrated on 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2018 all across Tamil Nadu. To mark the occasion, Blood Donation Camps were conducted across the state in which 2,537 cadets donated blood.

### ***12.7.8 International Day of Yoga***

Around 55,493 Cadets of Tamil Nadu NCC Directorate have participated in the International Day of Yoga conducted on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2018 at 630 centres all over the State.

### ***12.7.9 Social Service Activities***

NCC contributes to the civil society in terms of social service activities. The Directorate contributed immensely to the society by

conducting various awareness campaigns and extending a helping hand wherever required. Anti-Plastic Rallies, Anti-Tobacco Campaigns, awareness campaigns for AIDS, Road Safety, Digital Payments, Organ Donation and Coastal Cleanliness were organized in all cities and suburbs. For the training year 2018 -19, a total of 946 rallies/campaigns were organised in which 1,26,251 cadets participated.

#### ***12.7.10 Youth Exchange Programme (YEP)***

The best performing cadets of Tamil Nadu are being selected during Republic Day parade for participating in the Youth Exchange Programme of the country with the friendly nations. In the year 2018-19, a total of 13 Cadets have attended the above programme with our friendly nations and visited Russia, Kyrgyzstan, Sri Lanka, Singapore, Vietnam, Bhutan and Nepal.

### ***12.7.11 Conduct of Camps and Attendance of Cadets***

During the year 2018-19, a total number of 49,044 cadets were trained in 119 camps conducted across the State. In addition, 146 cadets of the Directorate were sponsored for Centrally Organized Camps (COCs) conducted by various other Directorates in different parts of the country for activities such as Trekking, Rock Climbing, Yachting, National Integration, Mountaineering Expeditions and Attachment to Service Establishments.

### ***12.7.12 Ocean Sailing Expedition***

Ocean Sailing Expedition 'Samudraperi' was conducted from Kalapet in Puducherry to Thopputhurai in Nagapattinam District and back covering a distance of 456 km in 10 days. 30 Senior Division and 12 Senior Wing Cadets participated in the expedition.

### ***12.7.13 Certificate Examinations***

The performance of the Cadets in the Certificate Examinations held in 2018-19 is

exceptionally well. Report on the performance of our Cadets is as given below: -

<b>Exam</b>	<b>No. of cadets appeared</b>	<b>No. of cadets passed</b>	<b>Percentage of pass</b>
A	21,895	20,948	96%
B	7,183	6,982	97%
C	5,942	5,835	98%

## **12.8 Infrastructure Development**

### ***12.8.1 NCC Training Academy, Idayapatti Village, Melur Taluk, Madurai District***

NCC Training Academy, Idayapatti which was inaugurated by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu on 01 September 2017, is contributing immensely in training NCC Cadets for various national level events. The Academy has accommodation for 310 Boys and 210 Girls Cadets with training facilities consisting of Weapon Training, Short Range for Firing Practice, Drill Square, Obstacle Course, Rock Climbing Wall and an English Language

Laboratory. The Cadets trained this year also participated in the mountaineering expeditions.

For the training year 2018 -19, a total of 20 training camps were conducted in the academy in which more than 10,000 cadets were trained.

### ***12.8.2 Air Simulator***

In addition to the above, the Air Simulator procured in the year 2015 – 16 and established in Tambaram has contributed immensely in training of NCC Cadets. For the year 2018 -19, 2495 were trained on these simulators.

### ***12.8.3 Naval Rowing Simulators***

Naval Rowing Simulators which were procured in the year 2017 – 18 has played a vital role in training the Naval Cadets who participated in Ocean Sailing Expedition and Yachting Regatta.

### ***12.8.4 Flight Simulators for Training of Cadets***

For the year 2017-18, Hon'ble Minister for School Education, Sports and Youth Welfare made an announcement on the floor of

Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly that Air Simulators will be procured for Training of Air wing Cadets of Coimbatore Group. These Simulators were procured and installed at 2 (TN) Air Sqn NCC, Coimbatore, and at 5 (TN) Air Sqn NCC, Salem, at a cost of Rs.27.19 lakh.

### ***12.8.5 Bio-Toilets for NCC Camps***

Keeping in view of the hygiene and sanitation of cadets including safety and security of girl cadets during camps , the Government of Tamil Nadu under TANII Scheme 2018-19, have sanctioned for purchase of Portable Bio Toilet units with 4 seats each for each of the 5 NCC Group Headquarters. These toilets were procured at a total cost of Rs.18.68 lakh in 2018-19 and provided for use during the camps.

### ***12.8.6 Formation of Permanent Camp Site and Training Area at Neerpeyar Village, Maduranthagam Taluk, Kancheepuram District***

Hon'ble Chief Minister made an announcement under Rule 110 on the floor of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly that a NCC

Training Area will be established at Neerpeyar Village, Maduranthagam Taluk, Kancheepuram district, at the cost of Rs.5.00 crore.

Pursuance to the above, Government vide G.O.(Ms).No.26, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (YW1) Department, Dated 01.12.2018, accorded administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.4.86 crore for the establishment of the above training area.

***12.8.7 Purchase of Equipment for 1(TN)  
Remount and Veterinary Squadron  
NCC, Madhavaram, Chennai***

The Government in G.O.(D).No.3, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (YW1) Department, Dated 23.01.2019, issued orders sanctioning a sum of Rs.2.00 lakh for purchase of specialised equipment and accessories for Remount and Veterinary Squadron NCC, Chennai.

## **CHAPTER – 13**

### **NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME**

The National Service Scheme (NSS) has emerged as a big student movement in the country with its implementation starting from Schools to universities with the prime objective of personality development of students through its meaningful activities. The young students have to be brought up with good qualities like concern for fellow human beings, commitment to national integration, patriotism, brotherhood, leadership qualities, self-confidence and tolerance. The educational institutions have been using the scheme as a tool to shape the character and behavior of our youth and mould them as responsible citizens. With these objectives in mind, the Government of India introduced NSS in educational institutions in the year 1969, the birth centenary year of Mahatma Gandhi and it has been functioning as a scheme under the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports.

The Government of Tamil Nadu have been implementing the scheme in educational institutions since its inception. At present



3,90,700 students are enrolled in NSS from 43 Universities / Directorates in our State, which is the highest coverage at the State level in the country. The fast and steady growth of NSS has been achieved in the State due to the continuous and constant support of both Central and State Governments. In Tamil Nadu, the scheme is implemented under the aegis of Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department and co-ordinated by the Director of Collegiate Education in the capacity as State Co-ordinator.

National Service Scheme (NSS) has been brought as a Central Sector Scheme from the year 2016-17, the entire expenditure for the NSS activities are met by the Government of India.

### **13.1 Motto**

**'NOT ME BUT YOU'** is the motto of National Service Scheme.

### **13.2 NSS Day**

Every year, 24<sup>th</sup> September is being celebrated as NSS Day with special programme

and activities in schools, colleges and Universities.

### **13.3 Activities**

The NSS activities are mainly classified into two categories, namely (i) Regular NSS Activities and (ii) Special Camping Programme.

#### ***(i) Regular NSS Activities***

Students enrolled in NSS will carry out developmental activities in the adopted villages, colleges / school campus for 240 hours in two years period during the weekends or after school/ college hours.

The NSS units in the institutions conduct activities such as campus beautification / cleaning, planting of saplings, blood donation, activities / programmes on development of leadership qualities and personality development, awareness programmes on health & hygiene, consumer, enrolment of new voters, evils on the use of plastics, road safety, disaster management, first aid, soft skills, entrepreneurship development, career guidance, rain water harvesting, observing important days,

programmes on values, national integration and social harmony. In addition, basic technical training to rural unemployed youth and self-employment training to women are conducted.

Under regular activities, the NSS units have planted 34,686 saplings, donated 5,547 units of blood through 222 camps, conducted 3,412 health camps, organized 6,985 awareness programmes on health, sanitation, evils on use of plastics, consumer and voter awareness programmes in the State. In addition, during the year 2018-19, 14,79,504 students and volunteers were involved in the Swachh Bharat Mission cleanliness campaign in the campus, public places such as bus stand, railway station, hospitals and library in the adopted villages / slums.

### ***(ii) Special Camping Programme***

Under this programme, 7 days camps are organized in adopted villages or slums during vacations on specific theme with the involvement of local community. More than fifty percentage of NSS volunteers are expected to participate in these camps. The camp provides

unique opportunity to students to participate in meaningful outdoor programmes and use their energy and idealism for community development. The camp helps to broaden the outlook of the students and develop in them a sense of national consciousness and social responsibilities besides inculcating self-discipline, self-confidence, group living, positive attitude, tolerance and leadership qualities. The volunteers created durable assets such as toilets, class room, bus shelter, compound wall, basement for hand water pumps, flooring in the class room, laying of pipelines for drinking water in villages and renovation/construction of rain water structures in the adopted villages/slums during camps.

The NSS units have adopted 4,914 villages/slums. During the year 2018-19, the Universities/Directorates conducted 3,837 special camps in which 1,43,025 volunteers participated.

#### **13.4 Financial Assistance**

The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India has been releasing the

grant at the rate of Rs.250/- per volunteer per year for regular activities and Rs.450/- per volunteer per camp of 7 days duration for special camping programme.

### **13.5 Corpus Fund**

The Corpus Fund at the rate of Rs.10/- is collected from each student admitted in the first year. Out of this, Rs.5/- is retained at the institution, Rs.3/- is sent to the University/Directorate and Rs.2/- to the State NSS Cell. A sum of Rs.43,53,829/- is available at the State NSS Cell. This amount is utilized for conducting programmes for NSS volunteers, and State NSS Cell related activities with the approval of the State NSS Advisory Committee.

### **13.6 Achievements in NSS**

#### ***13.6.1 Republic Day Parade***

The University/Directorate and State level selection were conducted for NSS volunteers for participation in the Republic Day Parade held at New Delhi on 26.01.2019. Fifty Nine NSS Volunteers selected at the State Level participated at the Pre RD Parade camp held at

Karnataka. Out of 59 NSS Volunteers, 14 Volunteers were selected and deputed to New Delhi to represent Tamil Nadu in the National Republic Day Parade Camp – 2019.

A NSS contingent also participated in the State Republic Ceremonial March past at Marina in Chennai on 26-1-2019. This is the 5<sup>th</sup> consecutive occasion NSS contingent participated in the State Republic Day March past with 80 Volunteers. In this connection, a 15 days Special residential training camp was organized at Chennai.

### ***13.6.2 District and National Youth Parliament Programme***

The Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Government of India conducted District and National Youth Parliament Programme throughout the country. The main objective of the event is to hear the voice of youth between 18 and 25 years of age through deliberation in Youth Parliaments and to make students understand public issues, the common man's point of view and form their opinion on them and express it in an articulate manner. The NSS

Regional Directorate, Chennai conducted the District and State level Youth Parliament Programme and selected 81 youth to participate in the State Youth Parliament programme. The 3 State level winners and 27 District level Winners totaling 30 attended the National Youth Parliament Programme at New Delhi.

### ***13.6.3 National Adventure Programme***

One Hundred NSS Volunteers from 5 Universities attended Adventure Camps at Manali and Narkanda. The goal is to make youth aware of the rich diversity of India. The activities scheduled in the camp include rock climbing, rappelling, river crossing, jungle raft and trekking. These activities enhanced the confidence level and self-discipline among participants.

### ***13.6.4 National Integration Camp***

Two Hundred and Fifty Five NSS Volunteers from 110 Colleges attended 19 National Integration Camps. The campers participated in various activities including Swatchh Bharat Mission, Digital India awareness, Ek Bharat

Shrestha Bharat theme oriented programmes, cultural activities, literary activities, environment and eco-development programmes and also took part in rallies on national integration.

### **13.7 State NSS Award**

The Government of Tamil Nadu have instituted the State NSS Award to recognize the outstanding contributions made by the Programme Coordinators, Programme Officers and NSS Volunteers in developmental activities. The awards are being presented since 1991. The award carries a cash prize of Rs.3,000/- for Programme Co-ordinators, Programme Officers and Rs.2,000/- to Volunteers, a certificate and a memento. This expenditure is met from the Corpus Fund account of the State NSS Cell.



## **CHAPTER – 14**

### **TAMIL NADU PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS UNIVERSITY**

The Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University established by an Act of the Government of Tamil Nadu, is unique and first of its kind in India as an affiliatory University, exclusively for Physical Education and Sports. After obtaining assent from the President of India, the said Act came into force with effect from 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2005.

It is a coincidence that the University has started functioning from 2005 which was declared by the United Nations as International Year for Sports and Physical Education. At present, the University has three Faculties, five Departments and twenty four Affiliated Colleges. Further, the University now offers select Physical Education and Allied Courses through School of Distance Education stream.

#### **14.1 VISION**

"To engage in relentless pursuit of Excellence in the promotion and development of Physical

Education and Sports through innovative programmes in teaching, coaching, research and outreach activities and evolve a holistic approach to the betterment of human resources through a harmonious blend of body, mind and spirit".

## **14.2 MISSION**

- 1) To create an ideal academic environment for Learning, Scholarship, Professionalism, and Collaboration that fosters Excellence in active student learning and professional growth.
- 2) To design and introduce innovative, integrated, inter-disciplinary curriculum in Physical Education and various sports and games and allied areas and provide Leadership to the Profession.
- 3) To offer Under Graduate, Post-Graduate and Research Programmes in Physical Education, Sports and allied fields.
- 4) To produce competent health conscious Physical Education teachers at various levels, who will be fully equipped to impart

instruction in Physical Education and undertake physical activity programmes for children and youth.

- 5) To develop High-Tech research facilities and contribute to the body of knowledge through scholarly work and publications, and disseminate the findings to the professionals, faculty and students.
- 6) To facilitate the application of research finding to refine and sharpen the Coaching and Training Techniques in Physical Education and Sports.
- 7) To closely collaborate and co-ordinate with the state and national bodies in Physical Education and Sports, in the matters of common interest and concern.
- 8) To actively design programme for the promotion and development of fitness and health concept among the students, faculty and the community around so as to mould them into physically fit and emotionally matured citizens.

## MOTTO

### “EXCELLENCE IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS”

#### **14.3 Structure of the Faculty**

Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University has three faculties and five departments.

##### ***14.3.1 Faculties***

1. Faculty of Physical Education
  - a) Department of Physical Education
2. Faculty of Yoga and Allied Health Sciences
  - a) Department of Yoga
  - b) Department of Exercise Physiology and Bio-mechanics
3. Faculty of Technology and Management
  - a) Department of Sports Management and Sports Psychology & Sociology
  - b) Department of Advanced Sports Training and Technology

### ***14.3.2 Supportive Departments***

1. Statistics and Computer Applications
2. Health Centre
3. Library and Information Science

### **14.4 Affiliated Colleges**

From the Academic Year 2017-18, this University has granted approval to start Yoga Colleges under the purview of this University. Now, 24 Affiliated Colleges are functioning under the auspices of this University. Out of this, 4 Colleges are functioning exclusively for Yoga and rest of the Colleges are focusing on Physical Education and Sports. Among these Colleges, two colleges have received Autonomous status, one is aided by the Government and rest of the Colleges are self-financing.

The Departments of the University and the affiliated colleges are offering Under Graduate, Post Graduate and Research Programmes viz., P.G. Diploma, B.P.E.S., B.P.Ed., M.P.Ed., B.Sc., M.Sc., M.B.A, M.Tech., M.Phil and Doctoral Programme.

The School of Distance Education of this University was established in the Academic year 2007-2008 and presently offering 81 innovative and job-oriented programmes through Distance Mode. An approximate number of 4,000 students are registering their candidature every year for various courses which are being offered through distance mode.

#### **14.5 Choice Based Credit System and Uniform Syllabus**

Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University is giving a wide opportunity to the students to opt the courses based on their interest through Choice Based Credit System. It has been introduced by University Grants Commission in which the students can choose from the enlisted courses which are referred to as elective courses.

#### **14.6 Village Placement Programme**

The Village Placement Programme is compulsory for all regular courses and it is part and parcel of academic programme. Under this

programme, regular students should stay for five days in a village and undertake service activities such as health awareness campaign and educate the public to keep their environment clean and tidy. Apart from this, recreational activities are also conducted to keep them physically and mentally fit. After successful completion of Village Placement Programme, students will be awarded with two credits. It is a mandatory programme for students in regular mode to obtain their degree.

#### **14.7 National Service Scheme Units**

The National Service Scheme has started functioning in the University in the year 2008. There are seven units which comprises of one hundred volunteers in each unit. All these units are adopting neighbouring villages and do the voluntary services such as laying the roads, repairing the roads, promoting tree plantation campaigns, conducting tobacco awareness camps, blood donation camps etc. All these programmes are conducted periodically.

## **14.8 Placement Services**

The Placement Cell of the University helps the students to get jobs in colleges, Government and private educational institutions, fitness centres, corporate companies and other organisations which require the services of the students who have graduated from this University by conducting campus interview.

The Placement Cell of the University has arranged four campus placement programmes during the academic year 2018-2019. Four companies/organisations visited the campus on 06.03.2019, 07.03.2019, 14.03.2019 and 26.03.2019 respectively for campus placements of the students. A total of 105 students from different departments of the University attended the interview and 28 students were provisionally selected by the companies.

## **14.9 Infrastructure Facilities**

Infrastructure facilities available in the University are Administrative Block, Academic Block, Computer Centre, Hostels for Men and Women, Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Library



including e-library, Laboratories and Staff Quarters. The University has wide range of playfield facilities to play Football, Hockey, Cricket, Handball, Volleyball, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Basketball, Korfbal and 400m track with the facilities for field events as well.

#### ***14.9.1 Infrastructure Facilities Inaugurated during 2018-19***

- The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated the Multi-purpose Indoor Stadium, Library, Laboratory, Conference Hall and Meditation Hall on 16.07.2018, constructed with the financial assistance provided by the Government of Tamil Nadu.
- The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated the e-library on 12.12.2018, established with the financial assistance provided by the Government of Tamil Nadu.
- The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated the Additional Classrooms for UG and PG Courses, Research Laboratories

for the Sports Science Centre of Department of Physical Education and Department of Physiology & Sports Medicine and newly constructed Second Floor of the Gents Hostel and the Ladies Hostel on 22.02.2019, constructed with the financial assistance provided by the Government of Tamil Nadu.

### ***14.9.2 Ongoing Infrastructure Projects***

The following infrastructure projects sanctioned by Government of Tamil Nadu/ Government of India are under different stages of implementation: -

- The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India has sanctioned a sum of Rs. 7.00 crore towards Laying of Synthetic Athletic Track (8 Lanes) in the University campus.
- The Government of Tamil Nadu have sanctioned a sum of Rs. 1,312.00 lakh towards establishment of Centre for Excellence in Sports Bio-mechanics in G.O.(Ms).No.35, Youth Welfare and Sports

Development Department, Dated  
31.07.2017.

- The Government of Tamil Nadu have sanctioned a sum of Rs. 160.00 lakh towards establishment of Traditional Kalaripayattu and Silambam Training Centre in G.O.(Ms). No.19, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 18.07.2018.
- The Government of Tamil Nadu have sanctioned a sum of Rs.22.05 lakh towards Pedagogy Laboratory for Teaching, Testing and Training in Physical Education in G.O.(Ms).No. 20, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 18.07.2018.
- The Government of Tamil Nadu have sanctioned a sum of Rs.1,459.00 lakh towards establishment of Hostel Facilities in G.O.(Ms).No.8, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 08.03.2019.

- The Government of Tamil Nadu have sanctioned a sum of Rs.474.74 lakh towards construction of sports hostel in Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University in G.O.(Ms).No.50, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Dated 15.11.2017.

#### **14.10 University Health Centre**

The Health Centre of the University is run by a team comprising of a Full-time Doctor, Staff Nurse and other Para Medical Staff and they take care of the needs of the campus community. First Aid and Medical Emergencies are attended by this team round the clock. The health centre is facilitated with auto-blood count analyzer, physiotherapy equipments and other health check-up instruments. The Tamil Nadu Medical Service Corporation supplies the medicines for basic ailments free of cost.

#### **14.11 University Library**

The University Central Library occupies an important place in the Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University, which assists

Teaching, Research & Development activities. It is providing resources in a user-friendly environment to enable learning and advancement of knowledge. This University has a collection of primary, secondary and Tertiary resources. The collection ranges from Print Journals, Reports, Thesis, Text, Reference Books, Encyclopaedias, and Educational CDs.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated newly constructed library Building on 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2018. The library is located in a new building with total carpet area of 6,772 Sq.ft.

The library is specialized in collecting the books pertaining to subjects such as Sports Psychology, Yoga, Physical Education, Exercise Physiology, Sports Medicine, Sports Bio-mechanics, Sports Management, Sports Training & Coaching and Sports Technology. In addition to the major disciplines, the library also maintains well equipped section on the allied subjects such as Nutrition, Kinesiology, Sports Sociology, Physical Fitness, etc. At present, this library holds 4,613 books, which fulfills the day

to day information requirements of the Faculty, Research Scholars, and Students. The library is considered as the backbone of teaching and research activities carried out in this University.

The library has a reference section, which holds Encyclopaedia, handbooks, dictionaries, conference reports, abstracts of dissertations and rule books published by various sports associations.

<b>SI No</b>	<b>Resources</b>	<b>Total Numbers</b>
<b>Books</b>		
1	No. of Titles	2,835
	No. of Volumes	4,613
	Text Books	3,818
	Reference Books	795
<b>Periodicals</b>		
2	Journals	59
3	<b>Thesis</b>	3,491
4	<b>Non - Book Materials</b>	119
	CD- ROMS 118 Video-Cassette 1	
5	Encyclopaedia	14 sets

### **14.11.1 E-Library**

E-Library was established in the University Library with the financial assistance of Rs.2.51 crore funded under TANII scheme. The e-Library was inaugurated by the Honourable Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu on 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2018. E-resources include two Research Databases, seventeen e-Journals and seventy seven e-Books. The e-resources are included in the Library webpage for quick access by the students and faculty members. E-Library has helped in dissemination of quality electronic resources to all the users.

<b>Electronic Resources</b>	<b>Total Numbers</b>
e-Books (Purchased)	77
e-Books (Free)	237
e-Journals	17
Database	2

## 14.12 Students Intake

The intake of the students has increased to 267 in the University Departments and 3,390 students in the affiliated colleges during the academic year 2018-19.

## 14.13 Degree/Diploma Awarded by this University during 2018-19

The University has awarded the Degree and Diploma under Regular and School of Distance Education Mode as follows: -

Category	Regular	School of Distance Education
Under Graduate	638	290
Post Graduate	92	1,376
Master of Philosophy(M.Phil.,)	74	-
Doctor of Philosophy(Ph.D.,)	28	-
P.G.Diploma/Diploma/ Certificate	25	1,399
<b>Total</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>3,065</b>



#### **14.14 Activities and Achievements for the Year 2018-19**

1. The Department of Physical Education has organized a Faculty Development Initiative through National Workshop on Professional Preparation in Physical Education and Sports Sciences - A Multi Disciplinary Approach for 7 Days from 22.11.2018 to 28.11.2018.
2. The National Workshop on Statistical Package for the Social Science (SPSS) in Statistics was organized exclusively for the faculty members of TNPESU on 05.01.2019.
3. The LEVEL I KINANTHROPOMETRY short term course was organized from 20.01.2019 to 23.01.2019 by the Department of Exercise Physiology & Biomechanics in which 12 participants participated.
4. The International Conference on Exercise Physiology and Nutrition for Enhancing Health, Fitness and Sports Performance

was organized from 05.03.2019 to 07.03.2019 by the Department of Exercise Physiology & Bio-mechanics in which various research findings and issues were addressed and also the recent trends in sports sciences.

#### **14.14.1 Students' Achievements**

- a. Vishwadeep Kaushik, won Bronze Medal in All India Inter-University Tournament in Grappling held at M.D. Rohtak University, Haryana from 28<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2019.
- b. Women Kabaddi team of Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University clinched the 3<sup>rd</sup> Position in South Zone Inter-University Tournament organized by Bangalore North University, Karnataka
- c. Akash of M.Sc., Sports Biomechanics (1<sup>st</sup> Year) attended the Internship at University of Valenciennes, France on Bio-mechanics for Research project.
- d. Debkumar Das from Yoga department received ICSSR Fellowship for Ph.D. Scholars.

- e. Shanthi (76 kg weight category) and Sandhya (52 kg Weight category), students of this University achieved 2<sup>nd</sup> place and 3<sup>rd</sup> place in State Inter-University Weightlifting competition respectively.
- f. The University Athletic Team came second in overall championship in Tamil Nadu State Inter-University Athletic Competition.
- g. R.Ragul of B.Sc., Sports Coaching II year student won the Bronze Medal in the All India Inter-University Pencak Silat competition under 65 to 70 kg weight category.
- h. Thirugnanam and Maheshwari of B.P.Ed represented Indian Tennikoit team in the International Tennikoit Tournament held from 31<sup>st</sup> July to 9<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 at Belarus.

#### **14.15 MoUs Signed by TNPESU with other Institutions**

- Memorandum of Understanding entered between Tamil Nadu Physical Education

and Sports University and AMET on 30.10.2018 to promote and strengthen the relations and cooperation between two Universities for organizing activity related to Physical Education and Sports, Sports Training, Exchange of Technology for infrastructure development and research in the field of sports.

- Memorandum of Understanding was signed between Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University and Salem University, West Virginia, USA on 21.01.2019 pertaining to performance training in Physical Education and Sports Science.
- Memorandum of Understanding signed between Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University and Swarnim Gujarat Sports University, Gandhinagar, Gujarat for high performance training in Physical Education and Sports Science.
- Memorandum of Understanding signed between Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University and CSIR/CLRI.

- Memorandum of Understanding signed between Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University and Germany University of Physical Education and Sports Sciences, Cologne, Germany for providing significant opportunities for the curricular information sharing, development and delivery of programmes, exchange of faculty and students, opportunities for field placement and scholarly research.

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## ANNEXURE

### Sports infrastructure facilities in Tamil Nadu

Sl. No.	District	Facilities available
1.	Ariyalur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li><li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li><li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li><li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li><li>☞ Volleyball Court (Mud)-1</li><li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li><li>☞ Ball Badminton Court–1</li><li>☞ Tennis Court – 1 (Synthetic) with flood light</li><li>☞ Tennis Court – 1 (Mud)</li><li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li><li>☞ Swimming Pool 25mx13m</li><li>☞ Skating Rink</li></ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Walkers Path</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Jayamkondam Taluk</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> </ul>
2.	Chennai	<p><b>Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Periamet:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Seating capacity of 40,000</li> <li>☞ Football Field -1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ 400m 8-Lane Synthetic Athletic Track (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ 60m Air-conditioned Indoor Warm up Track</li> <li>☞ A Judo Hall</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ A Hall of Chess</li> <li>☞ A Hall of Carrom</li> <li>☞ A Weightlifting Hall</li> <li>☞ A Hall for Table Tennis</li> <li>☞ A Hall of Boxing</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court - 2</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Courts – 3 (With floodlight - 1 Court) (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Throwball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ New Media Hall</li> <li>☞ Conference Hall</li> <li>☞ An air conditioned Fitness Centre</li> <li>☞ SAI Sports Hostels for Boys</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostels for Boys</li> <li>☞ SDAT Centre of Excellence for Boys</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel of Excellence for Boys</li> <li>☞ Media Hall</li> <li>☞ State Sports Facilitation Centre</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Accommodation Centre</li> <li>☞ Shooting Range Training Centre</li> </ul> <p><b>Warm-up Track area at Integrated Sports Complex:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ 400 m. 8-lane Synthetic Athletic Track (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Squash Court -1</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall-1 (Air-conditioned)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court -1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court -1</li> <li>☞ Hydrotherapy Swimming Pool (for differently abled)</li> </ul>
		<p><b>Multi-purpose Indoor Stadium, Periamet:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Wooden Floor Indoor Hall with Seating capacity of 8,000 (Centralized Air-conditioned)</li> </ul>

		<p>(Volleyball, Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Boxing, Wrestling, Weightlifting, Chess, Carrom, Handball and Non-Sports Activities)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Synthetic Skating Rink (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ 2 Concrete Basketball Courts (With floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court -1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ A covered Fencing Hall (with floodlight) (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> <li>☞ SDAT Centre of Excellence for Girls</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel of Excellence for Girls</li> </ul>
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		<p><b>Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Egmore:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Seating capacity of 8,670 (in gallery)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Hockey Field</li> <li>☞ Fitness Centre</li> <li>☞ Tennis Courts – 4 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Courts – 3 (With floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Conference Hall</li> <li>☞ Walking Path</li> <li>☞ Accommodation Centre</li> </ul> <p><b>Aquatic Complex, Velachery Road, Guindy:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ With Seating capacity of 4,000</li> <li>☞ An 8-lane International Racing Pool (50m x 25 m)</li> <li>☞ A Diving Pool (18m x 25m x 5.5m Depth)</li> <li>☞ A Warm up Pool (25m x 25m)</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ A Fitness Centre (Air-conditioned)</li> <li>☞ Conference Hall</li> <li>☞ An Indoor Hall for Gymnastics</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall (4 Courts)</li> </ul> <p><b>Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Gallery with Seating capacity of 7,000</li> <li>☞ A Synthetic Court in the centre</li> <li>☞ 6 Additional Synthetic Courts</li> <li>☞ Floodlighting Facilities</li> <li>☞ A Fitness Centre (Air-conditioned)</li> <li>☞ Dormitory facilities</li> <li>☞ Conference Hall</li> </ul> <p><b>Nehru Park Sports Complex:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ International Standard Squash Courts – 8</li> </ul>
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		<p>(On MoU with SDAT -TNSRA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic mud Track (Shot put &amp; Discus Throw)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Concrete Basketball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 3 Courts</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball court – 1</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Hockey area for training - 1</li> <li>☞ Accommodation Centre</li> </ul> <p><b>Chennai District Unit, Shenoy Nagar, Chennai – 600 030.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Swimming Pool (36m x 18m)</li> <li>☞ Short Course Swimming Pool (25m x 16m)</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool (6m x 3m)</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall - 2 Courts (Wooden with floodlight facility)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (with floodlight) (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall -1</li> </ul> <p><b>Anna Swimming Pool, Marina</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 50 m x 25 m Swimming Pool</li> <li>☞ 25 m x 15 m Swimming Pool</li> </ul> <p><b>Mogappair Sports Complex</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Tennis Courts – 4 (2 -Synthetic, 2- Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Courts – 2 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m (MoU with Dolphin Academy)</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> </ul>
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		<p><b>YMCA College of Physical Education Ground</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Synthetic Hockey Field (On MoU with YMCA)</li> <li>☞ Players Changing Rooms</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> </ul> <p><b>Pudur</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys, Government Boys Hr.Sec.School, Pudur (Cricket)</li> </ul>
3.	Coimbatore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Open Air Stadium with Gallery Seating Capacity of 30,000 Spectators</li> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Synthetic)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf) (with high mast light facilities)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> </ul>
4.	Cuddalore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Cinder Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (with floodlight) (concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Walkers Path (Concrete) – 1200m</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring – 1</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2</li> <li>☞ Cricket field – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x13m</li> <li>☞ Badminton Indoor Hall – 3 Courts</li> <li>☞ Squash Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Administrative Office</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys in Neyveli</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mini Stadium at Virudhachalam Taluk</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Throwball Court – 1</li> </ul>
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5.	Dharmapuri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 16m</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 1 Court with floodlight (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 4 Court with floodlight (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Roller Skating Rink (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls.</li> </ul>
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		<p><b>Mini Stadium at Harur</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court (Mud)</li> </ul>
6.	Dindigul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ With gallery seating capacity of 500 Nos.</li> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (For practice) (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (floodlight) (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Open Air Badminton Court – 5 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m- 1</li> <li>☞ Handball - 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> </ul> <p><b>Multi-purpose Indoor Stadium (floodlight) (Wooden)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Seating Capacity 500</li> <li>☞ Basketball court -1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball court -2</li> <li>☞ Table Tennis Court - 9</li> <li>☞ Badminton Court – 9</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 3</li> <li>☞ Football Court – 1 (5- A Side)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Teakwondo Hall</li> <li>☞ Gymnastics Hall</li> <li>☞ All Indoor Games with floodlight</li> <li>☞ Accommodation facility – 200 persons</li> <li>☞ Office Room,</li> </ul>
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		<p>Meeting Hall, Changing Room, etc.,</p> <p><b>SDAT Malaikottai Mariamman Koil Ground Complex, Dindigul</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track – 1 (floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) (1 with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Open Air Badminton Court – 3</li> <li>☞ Tennikoit Court – 1</li> </ul> <p><b>SDAT – NGO Colony Ground, Balakrishnapuram, Dindigul</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Open Air Badminton Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Tennikoit Court -1</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court -1</li> <li>☞ Yoga Hall</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Nilakottai Taluk</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Football Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Natham</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1</li> </ul>
7.	Erode	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Gallery Seating Capacity 1,000 Spectators (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Concrete) (1 with floodlight)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) (1 floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton court – 1</li> <li>☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton –1 (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> <li>☞ Centre of Excellence for Girls</li> <li>☞ Gymnastics Hall, Karattupalayam</li> <li>☞ Special Gymnastics Development Centre, Karattupalayam</li> </ul>
8.	Kancheepuram	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Gallery Seating Capacity 1,000 Spectators</li> <li>☞ 400 m. Athletic Track (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) (floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Mud Court – 3 (floodlight -1)</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Squash Hall</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool 5m x 3m</li> <li>☞ Handball Court -1</li> <li>☞ Open Air Badminton Court – 3 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Table Tennis Hall</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym</li> <li>☞ Open Air Fencing Area</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> </ul>
9.	Kanniyakumari	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400 m. Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court - 1</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring – 1</li> <li>☞ Indoor Squash Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Konam, Nagercoil</li> </ul>
10.	Karur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud) - 1</li> <li>☞ Football Field(Mud)- 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Court-1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Badminton Court</li> </ul>
11.	Krishnagiri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Court – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court –2 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 1 Court</li> <li>☞ Taekwondo Training Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Walkers Path (Concrete) – 1300m</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m - 1</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool – 1</li> <li>☞ Judo Training Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> <li>☞ Officers Club Building</li> <li>☞ Children’s Park</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Hosur</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Court -1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Cricket Ground</li> <li><b>Mini Stadium at Uthankarai Taluk</b></li> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field -1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>
12.	Madurai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Synthetic Athletic Track (With floodlight facility)</li> <li>☞ Seating capacity 2,250 (3 Galleries )</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Wooden Floor)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Practice Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Hockey Field – 1 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Training Synthetic Hockey Field – 1</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Synthetic Warm-up Track 100m -1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 3 (Mud ) (1 with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court -1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court–2 (with floodlight) (Mat available for 1 court) (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Basketball Court – 2 (1 with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Tennis Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Cricket Practice Pitch – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Tennikoit Court – 4 (Concrete)</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Tennikoit Court – 3 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Gymnasium Hall – 1 (Fencing, Yoga, Gymnastics &amp; Taekwondo)</li> <li>☞ Fitness Centre - 1</li> <li>☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton –4 Courts with floodlight (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton – 2 Courts with floodlight</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Table Tennis Hall -1 (Wooden)</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>AT ELLIS NAGAR MADURAI</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> </ul>
13.	Nagappattinam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) (1- floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (1 -Concrete, 1- Acrylic Boards with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Tennis Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring</li> <li>☞ 5 Men Football ground – 1</li> <li>☞ Cricket Practice Pitch -1</li> <li>☞ Indoor Squash Hall – 1 (Court)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall –2 Court ( with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Table Tennis – 1</li> <li>☞ Weightlifting Hall–1</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Wooden Floor)</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Tharangambadi Taluk, Nagapattinam</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho – Kho Court – 1</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Thittachery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li><b>Mini Stadium at Ayyakkaranpulam</b></li> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho-kho Court – 1</li> </ul>
14.	Namakkal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court– 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court– 1</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court– 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys and Girls at Selvam HSS, Namakkal</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Thiruchengode</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court - 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court - 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court - 1</li> <li>☞ Badminton Court – 1 (Outdoor)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>
15.	Perambalur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud ) (with fencing -1)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court ( floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Modern Gym Hall (Air-conditioned)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 2 Court</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court</li> <li>☞ Walkers Path</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mini Stadium at Veppanthattai</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Mini Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> </ul>
16.	Pudukottai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Concrete -1 and with floodlight -1)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho - Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Badminton Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring - 1</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Walkers Path</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 2 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Baby Pool 10m x 5m</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls.</li> </ul>
17.	Ramanathapuram	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Synthetic Hockey Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court – 2 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Cricket Practice Pitch - 2</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 3 Court (floodlight -1) (2 Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for boys</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mini Stadium at Paramakudi</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> </ul>
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18.	Salem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Open Air Stadium with Seating Capacity 500 Spectators</li> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 3 (Mud) ( with floodlight -1)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Concrete)</li>   <li>☞ Gymnastic Training Centre – 1</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Cricket Practice Pitch – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m (6 lane)</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Concrete) (Seating Capacity – 800 Nos.)</li> <li>☞ Taekwondo Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ SAI Training Centre for boys</li> </ul>
19.	Sivaganga	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court -2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall (rubber court-2)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall at Kanchirangal (1 Wooden Court)</li> <li>☞ Handball – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall -1</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> </ul>
20.	Thanjavur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m 6-lane Athletic Track– 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Handball Court-1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 4 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Court – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Synthetic Practice Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Concrete)</li> </ul>



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Badminton Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Modern Gym Hall – 1 (Rubber Cork Mat)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Squash Hall – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall - 1</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court - 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Walking Track – 1</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ Football Field -1 (Govt. Boys.Hr.Sec. School, Karambayam)</li> </ul>
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		<p><b>Mini Stadium at Pattukottai</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1</li> </ul>
21.	Theni	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Court– 2 (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Table Tennis Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Tennis Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Squash Court -1</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym – 1</li> <li>☞ Modern Gym Hall–1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring -1 (Concrete)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys &amp; Girls</li> </ul>
22.	The Nilgiris	<p><b>HADP Open Air Stadium, Ooty</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) (with roof)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Cricket Practice Pitch – 2</li> <li>☞ Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ Accommodation centre</li> </ul> <p><b>Anna Indoor Stadium, Stone House Hill Post, Ooty</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall (3 Wooden Court with lighting system)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> <li><b>Mini Stadium at Gandhimaidan, Kothagiri</b></li> <li>☞ Football Field (Mud)</li> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court -1 (Mud)</li> <li><b>Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Coonoor</b></li> <li>☞ Badminton Court -2 (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym -1</li> <li><b>Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Guddalore</b></li> <li>☞ Badminton Court -2 (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym – 1</li> </ul>
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23.	Thiruvallur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Open Air Stadium with Seating Capacity 800 Nos.</li> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Badminton Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> </ul>
24.	Thoothukudi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 3 (Mud) (1 with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Squash Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Badminton Court</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Mini Swimming Pool</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> </ul> <p><b>Kovilpatti</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Synthetic Hockey Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Sports Hostel of Excellence for Boys (Hockey)</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Tiruchendur</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field</li> <li>☞ Volley ball Court</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Basketball Court</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court</li> </ul>
25.	Tiruchirappalli	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m 8-lane Synthetic Athletic Track (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 2 (1- Synthetic Surface)</li> <li>☞ Netball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 5 (1 with FL, 1 without FL, 1 Galvalume sheet roof with FL, 1 Beach Volleyball, 1 Mud Court)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Concrete ) (1 with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 2 (Mud) (Mat available for one Court)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Air-conditioned Indoor Squash Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Tennis Courts – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Court - 3 with Gallery and Rooms</li> <li>☞ Modern Multi Gym Indoor Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 1 (floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at District Sports Complex</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 22m</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ SDAT Centre of Excellence for Boys</li> <li>☞ Accommodation Centre</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium(Srirangam)</li> </ul>
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26.	Tirunelveli	<p><b>Anna Stadium at Palayamkottai</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Synthetic Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ 200m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 2 (1-Synthetic) (1 –Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Gymnasium Hall -1</li> <li>☞ An Open Air Boxing Ring</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 1 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Skating Rink (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Badminton Hall</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court with Galvalume sheet roof (with floodlight)</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool 7 ½m x 5m</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> <li>☞ SDAT Centre of Excellence for Boys</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall at VOC Ground – 1</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall at Jinna Thidal – 1</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Alangulam Taluk</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Kallidaikurichi</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court - 2</li> </ul>
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27.	Tiruppur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Chikkanna Govt. Arts College Campus</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Badminton Court</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton</li> <li>☞ Kho Kho Court</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court</li> <li>☞ Handball Court</li> </ul>
28.	Thiruvanna- malai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Synthetic Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Open Air Gallery with 1,500 seating capacity</li> <li>☞ Conference Hall</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Natural Turf)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field–1 (Mud) (With Fencing)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) (with floodlight Roofing )</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring -1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton – 1</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud) (with Fencing)</li> <li>☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Indoor Multi Gym (A/C) and Table Tennis Hall–1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 16m</li> <li>☞ Baby Swimming Pool</li> <li>☞ 80m area for sand running with Galvalume Sheet roof</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium</li> <li>☞ Accommodation centre</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Arni</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1</li> </ul>
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29.	Tiruvarur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m 8-lane Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud) (Mats available)</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud) (Tiruneipair)</li> </ul>

30.	Vellore	<p><b>Nethaji Stadium, Vellore</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field -1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul> <p><b>Sathuvachari</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Weightlifting Hall</li> <li>☞ Gym Hall</li> <li>☞ Weightlifting Centre of Excellence Hostel for Boys &amp; Girls</li> </ul> <p><b>Mini Stadium at Jolarpet</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (6 Lane) (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> </ul>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Kho – Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Gym Fitness Centre for Men &amp; Women – 1</li> </ul>
31.	Villuppuram	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track - 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Concrete)</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 2</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 13m (In Collectorate Campus)</li> <li>☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium (Wooden)</li> <li>☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys</li> </ul>
32.	Virudhunagar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ 400m Athletic Track (Mud)</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Football Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Hockey Field – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) (with floodlight)</li> <li>☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1</li> <li>☞ Boxing Ring – 1</li> <li>☞ Squash Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kabaddi Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Handball Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Tennikoit Court – 3 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Tennis Court – 1 (Mud)</li> <li>☞ Open Air Badminton Court – 1</li> <li>☞ Swimming Pool 25m x 17m</li> </ul>
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