



Akshaya

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- 100% e- literacy
- 100% information accessibility
- 100% efficiency

Bridging the Digital Divide (E-Literacy among the masses)

Project Akshaya started with the noble intention of making at least one member in each of the 64 Lakh families E-literate. The pilot project started in Malappuram, and was inaugurated by His Excellency Dr. A. P. J Abdul Kalam, former President of India on 18th November 2002. 100% E-literacy was achieved in eight districts in Phase I and the project has been a roaring success. No where has such a feat been attempted or accomplished. The vision and scope of the project is beyond comparison.

By 2006 Akshaya covered a total of eight districts and had around 1200 Akshaya centers. In 2007 Akshaya moved into phase two of the project, covering the balance six districts and also rendering new G2C and B2C services. Akshaya has to its credit over 200 crore rupees worth transactions besides providing multitude of services through its 2000+ Akshaya centers.





Bringing Citizen Service to Door Step

The success of Akshaya lies in its exemplary reach to the common man. The inimitable success of E-literacy prompted Akshaya centers to start government to citizen (G2C) and business to citizen (B2C) services. Providing these facilities in each Panchayath are a major achievement, No other Citizen Service network in India has this capability. The reach of Akshaya is unparalleled.

One stop shop for all Citizen Service

Akshaya does not rest on its laurels but aims to be the first choice of every citizen. In its quest to become a one stop shop for all citizen services Akshaya continues to roll out more services connecting and exploring newer vistas in e-learning, e-transaction, e-governance and streamlining the G2C and B2C services.

“Citizen Is King”



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- Unparalleled reach
- Exemplary Services delivery
- Stable infrastructure





- Citizen friendliness
- Speedy Transactions
- Growth & Development
- Greater connectivity
- Greater efficiency
- Inclusive growth

Giving a Citizen Friendly face to the Govt.

The next level of citizen service will have a friendly face. Citizens who visit the Govt. offices, Collectorate, Police Stations, Village Offices and the likes will now have a friendly response to their queries and needs with clear information systems. It will be a drastic change from the old pattern of long queues, arrogant officials and lack of information that goes against smooth transactions and healthy atmosphere.

The Akshaya Janamythri Police Stations piloted in Angamaly, Aluva and Kollam gave a totally new experience to the common man. The feared police stations have transformed into a friendly one where the job is done in matter of minutes. Similarly the Help Desk at Kollam Collectorate is a welcome change and gives altogether new experience to the public. State-wide roll out of Help Desks in 40 Police Stations and all Collectorates and 500 Village Offices is being planned.





E-Krishi for the Farmers

Agriculture is a dwindling profession in Kerala primarily due to adversities the farmer faces today. E-Krishi is focused on providing farmers all the necessary help and support. This include, timely information on agriculture, best prices, networking between farmers and traders etc. E-Krishi was piloted very successfully in Malappuram district. The fact that more farming took place after launch of E-Krishi is testimony to the huge popularity of the program. Roll out is planned in other districts.

- Timely information
- Best Prices
- Networking



E-Learning Programmes

IGNOU Courses: Akshaya is the largest partner of IGNOU in Kerala. Through selected Akshaya centers Indira Gandhi National Open University offers Master Degree Courses, Bachelor Degree Courses, Diploma and Certificate Courses in distance education . Through IGNOU Akshaya aims to provide a UNESCO Certified Degree to the people in the rural villages.

C-DIT Courses: In tune with the Akshaya project, Kerala State IT Mission has designed a CD-ROM after scientific research with the help of Centre for Development of Imaging Technology (C-DIT) for imparting the basic computer literacy skill sets to the people. The programme is divided into ten lessons, which can be completed in ten classes of two hours.

This course covers the topics namely Computer Fundamentals, Windows/Linux Operating Systems, Word Processing, Internet and Email.

The Kerala State IT Mission, along with the Computer Society of India, issues a Govt. recognized certificate after an online evaluation by experts. Examination results will be published in the official Akshaya website for verification.

Intel Learn Programmes: Intel Learn is an IT enabled education program, implemented through Akshaya in collaboration with Intel Education Initiative under Public Private Partnership (PPP) model. The aim of the program is to bridge the digital gap and also to develop effective learning practices in children.

DOEACC Courses: DOEACC offers computer courses through Akshaya Centres.

Courses offered by KELTRON: Medical Transcription course is offered by KELTRON through Akshaya Centres.

INSIGHT ICT for differently abled: INSIGHT is aimed at empowering the differently abled through computers, Internet and other ICT tools

E-Vidya: It is a government certified course in Office Management imparting in-depth training on the different aspects of computer. It gives practical oriented training on Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Internet, Malayalam Word Processor, World Wide Web and Operating Systems.

- Motivation & Brilliance
- Progress through visibility
- Success through citizen service.



List of services initiated in phase two are enumerated below.

- e-Filing of tax returns for Commercial Taxes by Traders
- e-Payment of selected utility bills, BSNL, KSEB, Regional Transport Authority, Local Self Government Institutions, Welfare Fund Boards, Universities, KSFE, Water Authority etc...
- E-Ticketing for railway, air travel etc.
- e-Content on education, career building, health, agriculture, and law in Malayalam.
- Platform for transactions between buyers and sellers through E-Krishi (www.e-krishi.org)
- Forum for public grievances redressal to District Collectors, key officials and Ministers
- Rural e-banking & financial services
- Micro Insurance
- Nodal Centre for implementing community web portal.
- Nodal Centre for implementing Malayalam computing programme for public.
- Janamythri Police stations.
- Help Desk in Collectorate and Village Offices.
- e-consignment declarations at the check post.
- Master Training Programme for SPARK and INSIGHT.
- Various initiatives to help the Govt. machinery survey on BPL/APL card, energy consumption, medical Insurance etc...

Accolades and Awards



- Finalist in Stockholm Challenge Award 2004
- Data Quest award
- Grand Prix Electronics Award
- Golden Nica of Prix Arcs Electronica, Austria in the digital community category.
- The APEC (Asia Pacific Economic Corporation) in its 34th Technology Working Group held at New Zealand on October 2006, had recognized 'Akshaya' as one of the world's largest tele - center project.
- i4d Award 2007 instituted by CSDMS (Center for Science, Development & Media Studies), New Delhi.

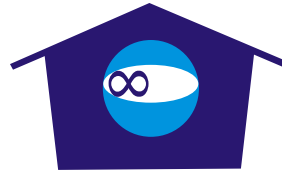
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