



HEARTIAN GURU SHRESHTA AWARDS 2024-25

Honouring Teachers who have made
a difference in the life of their students.

Call for Nominations

Category 1 : College teachers

Category 2 : School teachers



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Last date for submission :
10 January 2025

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Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Thevara, affiliated with Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, is among the top-ranking colleges in India. Established in 1944 by the Carmelites of Mary Immaculate (CMI), the college has been dedicated to nurturing a community of wisdom seekers who actively contribute to nation-building and the advancement of humanity. While striving for academic excellence, the college also instils in its student's values such as self-reliance, a spirit of inquiry, critical thinking, and social responsibility. It extends its mission beyond academics, promoting the dissemination of knowledge for the greater good of society. The success of any educational institution rests on the quality and commitment of its teachers. Dedicated educators play a transformative role in shaping individuals and influencing the course of a nation's history. In recognition of the invaluable contributions of teachers, Sacred Heart College introduced the Heartian Guru Shreshta Award in 2022 as part of its Platinum Jubilee celebrations. This prestigious award honours and encourages teachers who demonstrate exceptional innovation, unwavering dedication, and a profound commitment to the holistic welfare of society. It seeks to acknowledge educators who make a significant difference in the lives of their students, their immediate community, and national development. The award is conferred annually to one outstanding college teacher and one exemplary school teacher (up to the Plus Two level) for their remarkable service to students and society. This initiative reflects the college's deep appreciation for educators who inspire change and excellence in education.

The winner will be presented with a cash award, a memento and a citation on the solemn occasion of the Annual Heartian Fiesta – HEARTIFEST.

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Eligibility

The award is instituted for the following categories:

1. College teachers (Govt. / Aided / Self-Financing)
2. School teachers up to higher Secondary level (State / CBSE / ICSE)

Only teachers working in educational institutions within the state of Kerala are eligible to apply. Applicants must have a minimum of 10 years of service.

Teachers employed in educational institutions under the CMI Sacred Heart Monastery, Thevara, and their close relatives are not eligible to apply.

Previous Heartian '*Guru Shreshta Awardees* are not eligible to apply.

Applicants for the Heartian Guru Shreshta Award who applied within the past three years but were not selected need not submit a new application this year. Their previous application will be automatically considered. However, they must update their submission with any new achievements or additional information, if applicable.

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How to Apply

- For nomination form <https://www.shcollege.ac.in/hgsawards/>
- Candidates may be nominated either by their institution or by colleagues. Each institution may nominate a maximum of three candidates.
- There is no limit to the number of self-nominations from any institution.
- The applicant must include testimonials from at least three students.
- A list of 15 students from different batches, along with their phone or WhatsApp numbers, should be provided.
- Nominations, complete with all required supporting documents and annexures, must be submitted to the college before the specified deadline in the award call.
- Only the relevant sections of the nomination form need to be completed. Please send the duly filled nomination forms to: The Convenor (IQAC), Heartian Guru Shreshta Award Committee, Sacred Heart College, Thevara, Kochi - 682 013 Kerala
- The last date for accepting the nomination form is 10 January 2025.

Selection

- A scrutiny committee will review and shortlist the nominations.
- A panel of distinguished academicians will select the outstanding teacher and announce the recipient of the 'Heartian Guru Shreshta' Award for the year.
- The decision of the award committee shall be final and binding.

For further details, please contact: Co-ordinator: +91 9605047545

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Heartian Guru Shreshta Award Committee Sacred Heart College, Thevara Kochi - 682 013