

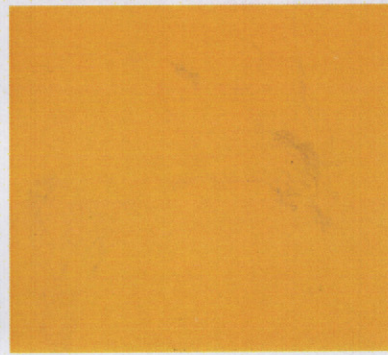
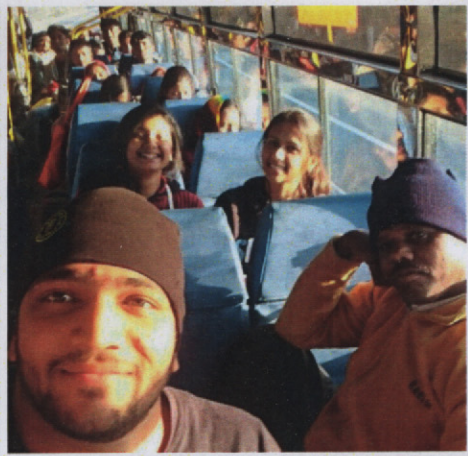
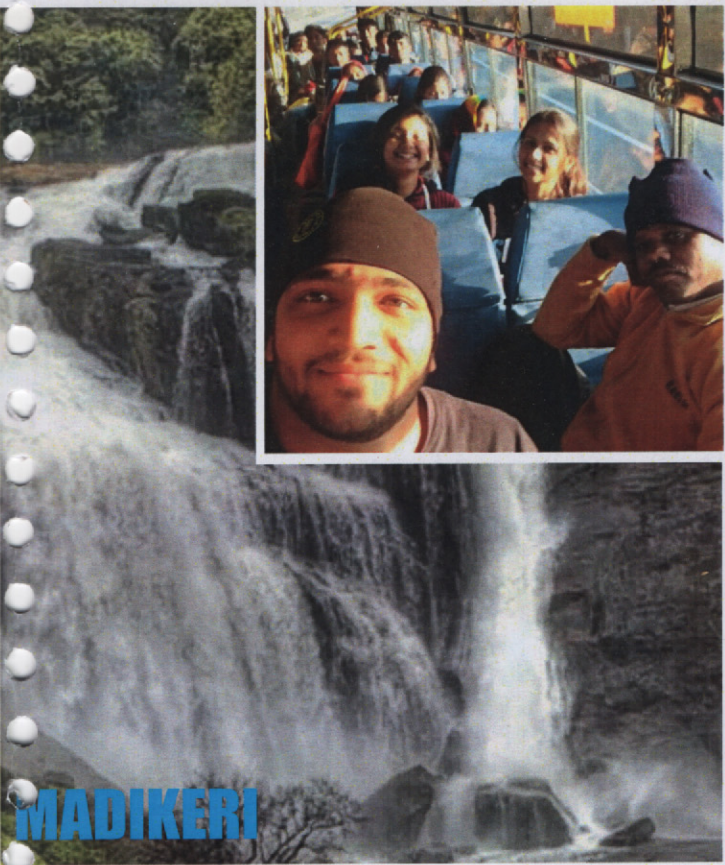


**MGVC**

*Incredible trip*

**2018**





## Day 1: The Beginning

MGVC College has been always beautiful in making every single aspect into a everlasting memory, from conducting different events, state of art and some interesting cultural activities that boost all the students at different level, But this time it was really different, its been more than five years and no commerce department has been for long trip. 2018 will be a year counted in MGVC calendar for making a successful and a beautiful start of the journey to all those who are going to graduate and remember

all started with a request note to the faculty to plan a trip of 2 - 3 days, but due to lot of other activities things failed on other side But things changed soon and finally it was decided to make a journey all about fun, togetherness and everlasting moments, we all made participated as a team and decided few places which would makes us watch the world all about art and also some long distance that shall make us more stronger in being a traveler. Soon everyone started participating to join the everlasting journey, from collecting the fare charges to planning up the stay and travel was taken care by everyone, the involvement of staff and [parents] decide about the mean of median to travel made everything comfortable. And yes the date was fixed, It was 3rd of February.

Day was bright and the sun was shining like a evening that has never been so calm, everyone else were busy packing their stuff, some shopped for the travel and some took care of other important things which were important in travel, we all gathered around 4 pm in the evening at MGVC college, since it was the center it was easy to load luggage and also to see that everyone is along. The excitement was at highest peak, but soon it turned into a wait when our bus was delayed for more than two hours, it was really hard to wait even a single moment, but then we decided to check other important things, moreover the bus finally arrived at 6 pm in the evening, we loaded all the luggage, politely occupied our space and the bus finally moved to our destination **Madikeri**.

it all started with a silence of being curious about all the destinations in our mind, thing over what and how will be this journey, we all certainly started gossiping about the travel plans, some had a short nap, and some were busy troubling others, and that's how it started of being in a journey called "LIFE". moreover with the excitement, time flew like a rainbow and sunlight turned into a cool breeze darkness, it was 8 pm in the evening and we stopped for a short break, all within us had carried a lunch box which made us share among our self and then we left around 10 pm. Now things turned interesting, all of us were involved in activities like dance, singing, games and talk for longer time, it was fun seeing all other faces making one word called **Unity** and that's how a **College** is.



## Day 2: Madikeri to Nanjangudu

After a travel of more than 12 Hours, we finally reached our first destination at 1 pm in the afternoon, due to delay in our travel routine we had to skip our breakfast, but moreover the excitement of reaching the coolest place made us not think over the hunger.

**Madikeri** is a hill station town in Madikeri taluk in Karnataka state, India. Also known as Mercara, it is the headquarters of the district of Kodagu (also called Coorg). It is a popular tourist destination, **Madikeri** features a tropical highland climate as it has an elevation of 1170 meters (3838 feet). It was time for us to settle and get our self boost up to explore the beautiful place, we decided to book a home stay for girls and moved ahead to get freshen up and settle our luggage, on other side all the boys planned to move near the river side flow and relaxed a while to finish their shower. It was high time for lunch and we gathered together to finish a quick lunch.

Finally when we all were set to move, we decided to explore the first place called "**Talakavery**". Word itself describe the beauty of river kaveri, Talakavery is the birth place of river Kavery and hence also called as "**Kaveri Uagam Sathan**". Exploring the beauty of river kaveri was so clam with flow of purity to drops, pleasant sound of water, the deep inside story of river origin made us more quiet interesting in exploring the place, the green land of madikeri and its essence got us everyone together and within no time we all forget the last travel we invested in our journey. Soon everyone started getting themselves in frame called **Picture** and the flow of moments was frozen in every single frame. On other side of journey we had carried a staff of cook, who were really putting their hard efforts to keep us safe and fit with home made food. Late in the evening cooks started preparing for our late night dinner.

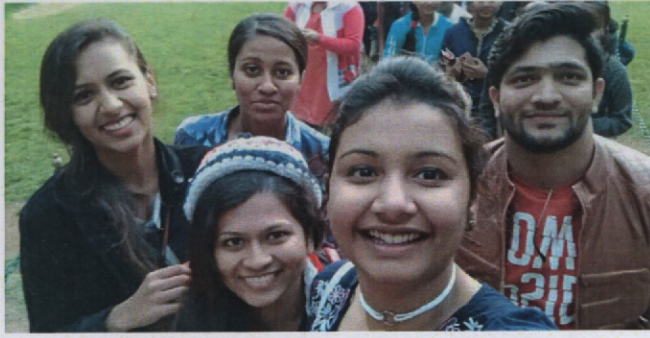
And we left the beautiful place madikeri which gave us lot of essence of beauty and about the flow of river which is been flowing since ages to keep everyone away from thirst, while heading towards **Nanjangudu**, we stopped for a while in the middle of our journey and gathered around to have a quick dinner prepared by our cooks. Things turned tasty since it made us secured from home, and we finally left towards our next destination **Nanjangudu**. Every one settled to their places, since it was time for a nap

We breezed our self with the road that was going to get us lot of memories and yes it was a hectic day about travel, but amazing

**MADIKERI**







### Day 3: Nanjangudu to Ooty

Everyone else was busy sleeping to reduce their strain of travel, the bus stopped around 2 AM in the morning and we had reached **Nanjangudu**, where everyone else had a half sleep and no energy to move around, we booked a dormitory with two rooms for girls and two rooms for guys, soon over we settled to sleep for the rest of the hour. **Nanjangudu** is a town in Mysore district in the Indian state of Karnataka. Nanjangudu lies on the banks of the river Kapila (Kabini), 23 km from the city of Mysore. Nanjangudu is famous for Srikanteshwara Temple. Nanjangudu is also called "Dakshina Kashi" (southern Kashi). This city is also famous for a variety of banana grown in the region. Since the place resembles holy rituals, we all left the stay at 7 AM in the morning and visited the temple, beauty of the structure and the culture that has been making everyone strong made us quite spiritual and with the blessings of Lord Shiva, we left Nanjangudu after a quick breakfast to keep our travel story stronger and more excited within ourselves.

The excitement turned more curious when the next destination was Ooty, the place where everything turns so calm and relaxing. The way towards Ooty turns out to be more interesting when it passes through a passage of place called **Bandipur**. **Bandipur National Park** established in 1974 as a tiger reserve under Project Tiger, is a national park located in the south Indian state of Karnataka, which is the state with the highest tiger population in India. It is one of the premier Tiger Reserves in the country along with the adjoining Nagarhole national park. It was once a private hunting reserve for the Maharaja of the Kingdom of Mysore but has now been upgraded to Bandipur Tiger Reserve. Bandipur is located in Gundlupet taluq of Chamarajanagar district. It is about 80 kilometers (50 mi) from the city of Mysore on the route to a major tourist destination of Ooty. We enjoyed the shades of trees that made our travel more relaxing when we noticed the beauty of Deer passing by the road lane, and those small cheetah cubs that made us feel how beautiful is the nature all about, the way towards Ooty turned excited and we were waiting to reach.

It turned very cold and the temperature reduced soon when we started moving towards the peak, the thick dark clouds and the absence of joy turned soft when temperature turned 18 degrees from 30 degrees. Ooty is a town and municipality in the Indian state of Tamil Nadu. It is located 86 km north of Coimbatore and 128 km south of Mysore and is the capital of the Nilgiris district. It is a popular hill station located in the Nilgiri Hills. Originally occupied by the Toda, the area came under the rule of the East India Company at the end of the 18th century. The economy is based on tourism and agriculture, along with the manufacture of medicines and photographic film. The town is connected by the Nilgiri ghat roads and Nilgiri Mountain Railway. We reached Ooty in the middle afternoon, with no waste in time we had booked our stay at youth hostel with prior, as soon as we reached we dropped our luggage and moved towards the botanical garden, place which is all about the spices and origin of different flowers, the beauty and its fragrance described who the nature is been presented since so long decades, curiously we watched each and every place, taking pictures, reading out the name we never knew the day was all about learning and enjoying the climate. We turned ourselves back to the hostel and had our lunch, with no time space we decided to relax after a day about garden visit and personal shopping.

It was late in the night, we had our dinner and gathered to play some games, it was all about jokes, mimicry, laugh and togetherness. The day made more stronger and with all the staff and friends, things changed like beautiful days of college stories & moments.





# Ooty



## Day 4: Ooty to Madurai

It was early morning at Ooty and the climate around us had changed a lot more in the routine, the cool breeze that made us calm, and the last night fun that never made us apart, we were all about together. Soon after we woke up, we made ourselves ready for the next adventure, finishing our breakfast we moved to Dodabetta. **Dodabetta** is the highest mountain in the Nilgiri Hills at 2637 metres (8,650 feet). There is a reserved forest area around the peak. It is 9 km from Ooty, on the Ooty-Kotagiri Road in the Nilgiris district of Tamil Nadu, India. It is a popular tourist attraction with road access to the summit. It is the fourth highest peak in South India. It was amazing since it was more than a trek, soon after we visited a tea factory, that's how Ooty is all about, making of tea culture, those farms took us back to the old ages. After finishing the Dodabetta and Tea Factory we moved further

to the rose garden that made our curiosity more over than a smiling face, taking number of pictures, finding different kind of flowers was the time all about knowing and spending so pleasure hours, and finally we moved to our hostel for rest.

It was late in the evening, we packed our luggage and it was time to move to our next location, all that we did in Ooty was a memorable with everything we saw and cherished, and then the bus moved to our next location Madurai. Happy faces again.

Late in the night we stopped our bus for dinner, and one among our friend helped us to prepare Poha, that made people calm like being home, we enjoyed every bit of tasty poha and then settled to our places which made us move to Madurai.



## Day 5: Madurai to Kanyakumari

The travel story about the last night was amazing through the dark forest, we relaxed ourself from the all those busy routines and it was about 4 AM in the morning we reached Madurai. The city has a number of historical monuments, with the Meenakshi Amman Temple and Tirumalai Nayak Palace being the most prominent. **Madurai** is an important industrial and educational hub in South Tamil Nadu. The city is home to various automobile, rubber, chemical and granite manufacturing industries. **Madurai** is one of the major cities in the Indian state of Tamil Nadu. It is the administrative headquarters of Madurai District, the third largest city in Tamil Nadu, and the 25th most populated city in India.[5] Located on the banks of River Vaigai, Madurai has been a major settlement for two millennia. As soon as we reached Madurai, we booked dormitory and made our self fresh to relax for a visit to holy temple.

Around 7 am we left towards the temple for blessings, Meenakshi Amman or Minakshi-Sundareshwara Temple, is a historic Hindu temple located on the southern bank of the Vaigai River[2] in the temple city[3] of Madurai, Tamil Nadu, India. It is dedicated to Meenakshi, a form of Parvati, and her consort, Sundaeswar, a form of Shiva. The temple is at the center of the ancient temple city of Madurai mentioned in the Tamil Sangam literature. Other side we rushed back to our place for preparing breakfast for everyone. Enjoying the breakfast we were all ready for our next plan, and wasting no time we moved towards the next location Kanyakumari. Mean while traveling to our next place, it was all about the fun drive, singing songs, playing games, gossiping all about last moments spent, the drive made everything easy and steady. No matter how much tired, the energy level was on high.

Time flew like anything and we reached Kanayakumari at 2 in the afternoon, KanyaKumari is a town in KanyaKumari district in the state of Tamil Nadu, India. The name comes from the Devi Kanya Kumari Temple in the region, in Tamil it is pronounced as 'Kanya-niya-kumari'. It is the southernmost tip of peninsular India, and is surrounded on three sides by the Laccadive Sea. Where Kanyakumari town is the southern tip of the Cardamom Hills, an extension of the Western Ghats range. Soon we settled ourself

We visited Swami Vivekananda Memorial and the temple that made us feel so calm, and it was tie for some best time around. Nothing can beat the beach relaxation, all of us were curious, excited and finally rushed to the shore, pleasant and calm, we played like kindergarten kids with those waves of positive vibe that drew us so beautiful in our routine that was about travel. And finally ended the evening with sunset on the shore that made everyone relaxed and calm for upcoming journey.



Kanyakumari

Madurai





## Day 6: Rameshwaram to Tirchy

### Tirchy to Pondicherry

We reached Rameshwaram in the late midnight. **Rameshwaram** is a town and a second grade municipality in the district of South Indian state of Tamil Nadu. It is on Pamban Island separated from mainland India by the Pamban channel and is about 40 kilometres from Mannar Island, Sri Lanka. It is in the Gulf of Mannar, at the tip of the Indian peninsula.[1] Pamban Island, also known as Rameswaram Island, is connected to mainland India by the Pamban Bridge. Rameswaram is the terminus of the railway line from Chennai and Madurai. Together with Varanasi, it is considered to be one of the holiest places in India to Hindus, and part of the Char Dham pilgrimage. Reaching to the place we relaxed and had a calm sleep in our booked stay, Since it was the place of holy ground we woke up early morning, and visited the temple. Temple is all about twenty two holy wells (Pounds) that is been bounded by positive vibes, We all gathered to take bath in 22 wells and moreover we were calm to finish the bath.

It was 10 AM in the morning, we had our breakfast and moved towards Trichy, mean while our travel turned interesting when we visited the famous rameshwaram bridge, the structure and the length made us feel the strength of technology and belief of being a brave human, missing no time we stood for some moments to capture and turned things more interesting and memorable

Moving to our next location, the journey was all about fun again, we reached Trichy in the afternoon. Trichy is the third largest city by area and fourth largest city by population in tamilnadu. It is the fourth largest municipal corporation and the fourth largest urban agglomeration in the state. Located 322 kilometres (200 mi) south of Chennai and 379 kilometres (235 mi) north of Kanyakumari, Tiruchirappalli sits almost at the geographic centre of the state. The Kaveri Delta begins 16 kilometres (9.9 mi) west of the city where the Kaveri river splits into two, forming the island of Srirangam. We reached and moved to Ganesh Temple

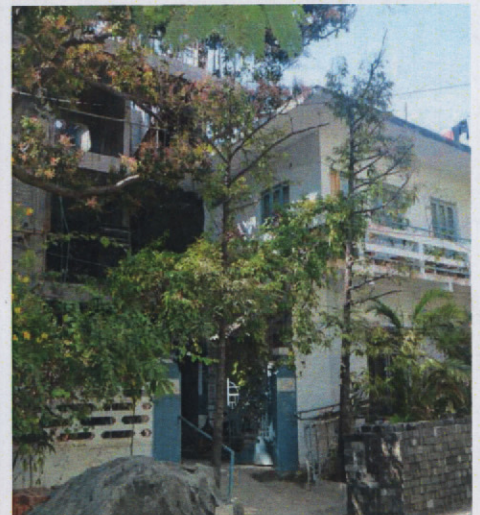
Ganesh Golden Temple is all about moving to a peak by climbing 500 plus steps, it was adveneterous for all of us to reach the point in preferable time, We made it and it was pleasent to see the ground surface from the peak, soon after we left from the place and visited a church which was just for five minutes, we had our dinner and left towards Pondicherry with excitement.



## Day 7: Pondicherry to Kanchipuram

We all reached pondicherry in the night and settled our self in our respective rooms we had booked prior to our visit before. is the capital city and the largest city of the Indian union territory of Puducherry. The city of Pondicherry is situated in Puducherry district of the union territory. It is affectionately known as Pody and short code as "Pdy", and has been officially known by the alternative name Puducherry in Tamil. In the morning we made our self reach to Ganesha Temple and turned our self relaxed, on other side we tasted the famous pongal breakfast to keep our self fit and fine. Soon after the visit for temple we decided to go a placed called Aurobind Asharam & Malinmandis ( A beautiful place to explore ). We enjoyed and relaxed in all other ways

Soon over it was difficult when one of our friend turned ill and things went worse, we stopped for a while and he was been taken to hospital, looking at his situation we prayed for his good health and returned back to our respective hotel, it was late in the evening we had our evening brunch Dosa and Uthapam. It was happiest time when we saw our friend back in normal state and ready to travel with us, around 6:30 PM in the evening we decided leave the city. But it been amazing to see a place so clean and neat, we had no option to stay back but Pondicherry made us learn that simplicity begins with cleanliness, care and love



Pondicherry





## Day 8: Kanchipuram to Vellore

We reached kanchipuram late in the mid night and moved our self to our stay where in we took some rest and relaxed for the day waking up in the morning, we visited kanchi kamakshi temple. The Kamakshi Temple is an ancient Hindu Temple dedicated to Kamakshi, one of the forms of Goddess Parvati. It is located in the historic city of Kanchipuram, near Chennai, India. The Meenakshi Temple in Madurai, the Akilandeswari temple in Thiruvanaikaval near Tiruchirappalli and this Kamakshi temple are the important centers of worship of Parvati, in the state of Tamil Nadu. The Temple was most probably built by the Pallava kings, whose capital was Kanchipuram. Visiting the temple we had our breakfast and decided to shop for more number of beautiful sarees.

After shopping we left towards Vellore. **Vellore** is part of Tondaimandalam (Tondai Nadu), a city and the administrative headquarters of Vellore District in the South Indian state of Tamil Nadu. Located on the banks of the Palar River in the north-eastern part of Tamil Nadu. Reaching Vellore we visited famous Golden Temple. The prasad was served as pongal and we wished to stay more longer, but was taking us back to our place and we had to leave vellore. It was hard but we finally left towards our place Muddebihal. Mean while in the night we stopped for dinner, and fun started back again, dance, crazy games, sing loud because it was about an end of beautiful destination. If we shall look back , we shall cherish this beautiful stories in calender of MGVC. And with no time we finally took a nap to reach our home at 9 AM in the morning. Goodbyes are hard but memories are always young and free, it was good to see everyone together and and we finally left with no strange things within us. Happy faces.

Thanks to everyone who joined to make it large, thanks to the college and staff making us feel so speical, thanks to those who helped in making this journey awesome, and thanks to the cooking team who made us fit all in our journey. Thanks a Ton everyone

**THANK YOU MGVC THANK YOU FRIENDS**