



**SRM**  
INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY  
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**Department of English and Foreign Languages  
Faculty of Engineering and Technology  
SRM Institute of Science and Technology  
Kattankulathur - 603 203**

**in collaboration with the  
Department of English, Nagaland University Kohima Campus**

**Organizes**

**A SIX-DAY NATIONAL FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME**

**ON**

**EXPLORING SUSTAINABLE SKILLS IN TEACHING AND  
LEARNING OF ENGLISH AND FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

**11 - 16 Dec 2023**



 <b>NAC</b> <b>A++</b>	 <b>Category 1 with 12B Status</b>	 <b>(2023) Ranked 18<sup>th</sup> University</b>	 <b>(2024) World Ranking one among 45 Indian Universities</b>	 <b>(2023) World Ranking one among 75 Indian Universities</b>	 <b>VERY GOOD QS 4 Star Rated Globally</b>	 <b>(2022) World Ranking one among 14 Indian Universities</b>
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## About the Institution

SRM Institute of Science and Technology (formerly known as SRM University) is one of the top-ranked universities in India, with over 52,000 students and 3,200 faculty members, offering a wide range of undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral programmes in engineering, medicine and health sciences, management, science and humanities, law, and agricultural sciences. Over the last three decades, it has set standards in experiential learning and knowledge creation across various fields. There are five sprawling campuses spread across 250 acres: three in and around Chennai, one in Tiruchirappalli, and one near New Delhi. It conducted the 98th Indian Science Congress in January 2011, which was attended by 7,000 delegates from India and abroad, including six Nobel Laureates and several eminent scientists. SRMIST is the first private University in India to launch a nano-satellite, SRMSAT, into space on board the PSLVC18 from Sriharikota on October 12, 2011.

SRMIST is accredited by NAAC with the highest grade of A++ and a CGPA of 3.55/4.0. QS, the world-renowned international ranking agency, has rated SRMIST as a "4-Star" institute with "5-Star" ratings in teaching, employability and inclusiveness, and QS-IGAUGE has awarded SRMIST a Diamond Rating. SRMIST is classified as a Category I University by UGC/MHRD and enjoys 12B status under the UGC Act. SRMIST has been continually and consistently ranked by QS and THE (Times Higher Education) under various categories: world, Asian, BRICS, and Indian.

## The Department of English and Foreign Languages

The department was established in 1985 and offers English, German, Japanese, French, Chinese, Korean, and Spanish. The language department adequately supplements the skills acquired by students in their respective programmes and prepares them for a larger global audience. The department offers tailor-made courses not only for BTech—students but also for those majoring in the humanities, paramedicine, and medicine. Special certificate and diploma courses in English are also offered to students from countries like France, China, Korea, Afghanistan, Syria, the UK, Iraq, and Togo. The main focus of the department has always been innovative teaching and collaborative research, which has been the thrust behind the various MoUs.

## EFL Conclave

The Department of English and Foreign Languages has built a forum called 'EFL Conclave.' to **discover, discuss, and disseminate**. It intends to discover by probing the

depths of languages and literatures, to discuss future trends in teaching and research, and to disseminate knowledge across generations. The EFL Conclave looks forward to collaborating with all the research bodies and minds to enable quality research and discourse. The EFL Conclave's upcoming endeavours include TEDx talks, summits, book launches, verse slams, inclusive discussions, "lit-athons", "ling-athons", and many other innovative and sustainable ventures. It is committed to creating an empire of esprit de corps, and it firmly believes that the research fraternity, through collaborative efforts, will enrich, evolve, and emerge as a dynamic forum for fathoming wisdom.

## About the FDP

Today's education contributes in various ways to making people more resilient and able to face multiple challenges in the practices of teaching and learning. It also requires participatory teaching and learning methods that stimulate and upskill the learners to change their behaviours to take action in sustainable development. In this collaborative effort, the teachers and researchers look forward to incorporating multiple roles and ensuring that it leads to the transfer of technical and professional knowledge into research. It also promotes critical thinking, future scenarios and making decisions in a collaborative way of learning. It helps the teaching and learning community strengthen bonds and effective processes for sustainable development. The Six-day Faculty Development Programme creates the chance to improve and explore skills in sustainable development.

## Objectives:

- To enhance language teaching and learning by equipping educators with digital tools and resources for promoting a more sustainable and engaging approach.
- To discover and discuss the sustainable pedagogical methods that stimulate innovative ideas for the language teaching and learning.
- To promote cultural sensitivity and awareness to foster a deeper understanding of language and cultural nuances.
- To equip educators inclusive teaching practices that cater to diverse learning needs and abilities.

*Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has...*

## Day: 1

### Inauguration



#### Session - I

##### Dr. Vasanthan R

Associate Professor  
Department of English  
Nagaland University Kohima Campus

## Day: 2

### Session - II

#### Dr. Itishree

Associate Professor of English  
Rama Devi Women's University  
Bhubaneswar, Odisha



### Session - III

#### Dr. Chintalapalli Vijayakumar

Assistant Professor  
Department of Humanities and Social Sciences  
BITS Pilani, Rajasthan

## Day: 3

### Session - IV

#### Dr. Rajeev Sukumaran

Director - Learning and Development  
SRM Institute of Science and Technology  
Kattankulathur, Chennai



### Session - V

#### Dr. Prasannanshu

Professor  
National Law University New Delhi

## Day: 4

### Session - VI

#### Dr. M. Alagesan

Assistant Professor  
Department of English and Foreign Languages  
SRM Institute of Science and Technology  
Kattankulathur, Chennai



### Session - VII

#### Rev. Dr. Godwin Rufus S. J.

Principal  
Arul Anandar College (Autonomous)  
Madurai

## Day: 5

### Session - VIII

#### Dr Shruti Das

Associate Professor  
Department of English  
Berhampur University Odisha



### Session - IX

#### Mr Sudhan P

Teaching Associate  
Directorate of Learning and Development  
SRM Institute of Science and Technology  
Kattankulathur, Chennai

### Session - X

#### ORELL TALK

Kerala

**Orell Talk**  
Language Lab Software

## Day: 6

### Session - XI

#### Dr. V. David Arputha Raj

Assistant Professor  
Department of English  
Bharathiar University Coimbatore



### Session - XII

#### Dr. SHEEBA K.M.

Professor  
Department of History  
Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit  
Kalady, Ernakulam

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## SESSION SCHEDULE

### Day - 1 (11.12.2023)

### Monday

09.30 am - 11.00 am

Inauguration

11.30 am - 1.00 pm

Session I

### Day - 2 (12.12.2023)

### Tuesday

09.30 am - 11.00 pm

Session II

11.30 pm - 01.00 pm

Session III

### Day - 3 (13.12.2023)

### Wednesday

09.30 am - 11.00 am

Session IV

11.30 pm - 01.00 pm

Session V

### Day - 4 (14.12.2023)

### Thursday

09.30 am - 11.00 pm

Session VI

11.30 pm - 01.00 pm

Session VII

### Day - 5 (15.12.2023)

### Friday

09.30 am - 11.00 pm

Session VII

11.30 pm - 01.00 pm

Session IX

02.00 pm - 03.30 pm

Session X

### Day - 6 (16.12.2023)

### Saturday

09.30 am - 11.00 pm

Session XI

11.30 pm - 01.00 pm

Session XII

2.00 pm - 03.00 pm

Valedictory

## Registration Details

Participants are requested to register through the link or QR Code

<https://forms.gle/onXqsebg9bravGXF8>

### Registration Fee

Faculty : ₹600

Research Scholars : ₹300

Last date for registration : 7 Dec, 2023

### Bank Account Details

Account Number : 117001000586322

Account Name : SRM English Association,

Bank & Branch : City Union Bank, West Tambaram.

IFSC Code : CIUB0000117

### Registration QR

