

# **Vels Institute of Science, technology and advanced studies**

## **VISTAS Student Clubs – Faculty & Student Coordinators**

VISTAS offers a wide range of student clubs under the guidance of faculty coordinators and supported by student representatives. Below is the consolidated information.

### **1. Entrepreneurship Development Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. Jayashree Krishnan (MBA, +91 9840165290), Dr. Kotteeswaran (MBA, +91 9445671162).

Student Coordinators: Harish Neelasan N (II MBA, +91 9150722277), Preethi J (II MBA General, +91 6374442277).

### **2. English Literary Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. H. Kalaivani (English, +91 9791638837), Dr. S. Haritha (English, +91 7397226042).

Student Coordinators: G. Stephynarmal (II MA English, +91 6374460472), D. Peppi (III BA English, +91 7307518484).

### **3. Tamil Literary Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. M. Prabhakaran (Tamil, +91 8148408101), Mrs. R. Kalaiselvi (Law, +91 8681094295).

Student Coordinators: T. Sivakumar (II B.Com General, +91 8667439789), Nisha L (I B.Sc IT, +91 9363520702).

### **4. Youth Red Cross**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. S. Chandrachud (Economics, +91 9444441107), Dr. G. Sathish Kumar (Mechanical, +91 9629577665).

Student Coordinators: F. S. Joel Aaron (III B.A. Economics, +91 6380671279), S. Muthu II B.A. Economics (+91 6381587031).

## **5. Rotaract Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. M. Thaiyalnayaki (B.Com A&F, +91 9841875556), Dr. J.

Jebathangam (BCA & IT, +91 9884832275).

Student Coordinators: Aswini Jerin J (B.A. LLB (Hons), +91 9791136126), Navithk Ravi (BCA, +91 9360960857).

## **6. YI-Yuva Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. V. S. Shaisundaram (Mechanical, +91 7299321232), Dr. S. Ivo Romuald (Bio Engineering, +91 9500068857).

Student Coordinators: L. Kharthick Raghav (II MBA LSCM, +91 9798903547), Ashwin Saravanan (III Dip Viscom, +91 9344229569), Akshaya G (II B.Tech CSE AIML, +91 9361042593).

## **7. Electric Vehicle Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. S. Pradeep Kumar (EEE, +91 9751405061), Dr. T. Vinod Kumar (Mechanical, +91 9840418468), Dr. B. Rubini (EEE, +91 9342271198).

Student Coordinators: A. Pavesh (IV EEE, +91 9592945241), V. Vignesh (III EEE, +91 9374958981).

## **8. Standard Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. A. Vijayalakshmi (ECE, +91 9716535304), Dr. M. Revathi (Chemistry, +91 9843426060).

Student Coordinators: Tamilarasi V (IV ECS, +91 8248297556), Deepika P. V (BioMedical Eng, +91 9080680874).

## **9. Sports Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. A. Aranganal (Physical Director, +91 9884022166), C. Suganthi (Asst. Physical Director, +91 9944243788).

Student Coordinators: Ganganath K (II BBA, +91 9345824374), P. Arunodhayan (III B.Tech ECE, +91 9342460050).

## **10. Art Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Mr. S. Kalaiselvan (Animation, +91 9941168254), Mr. A. Kalimuthu (Viscom, +91 9176891011).

Student Coordinators: Saravanan L. D (III B.Sc Animation, +91 811070304), S. Pranav (III B.Sc Animation, +91 9042732214).

## **11. Coding Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. K. Ulagapriya (CSE, +91 9444187462), Dr. S. Thirumal (CSE, +91 9840207652).

Student Coordinators: Gunjannaky (IV B.Tech CSE Data Science, +91 8681850218), Aaditya M (II B.Tech CSE AIML, +91 9360402732).

## **12. Merchant Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. S. Vennilasahree (B.Com CS, +91 9080030619), Dr. N. Taibangnbib (B.Com CS, +91 6009521860), Dr. S. Sivabalan (Mechanical, +91 9994644308).

Student Coordinators: Kamalesh V (II B.Com CS, +91 6381759284), Priyadharshini S (III B.Com CS, +91 9092007178).

## **13. Cultural Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. Madona B. Sahaai (ECE, +91 9176060203), Dr. S. Ajith Arul Daniel (Mechanical, +91 8610129210), Mr. V. ChandraMouly (Viscom, +91 9715055258).

Student Coordinators: L. Kharthick Raghav II MBA (+91 9798903547), Joseph Rahul (B.A. Music, +91 6381180109), Mohammed Kabir (III B.Tech CSE, +91 9840362703).

## **14. Dance Club**

Faculty Coordinators (Classical): Dr. S. Sophia (Music, +91 9677758571), Dr. Thailambal (CS, +91 9840972173), Mrs. R. Srivinitha (Law, +91 9003219694).

Faculty Coordinators (Western): Dr. M. Meena (ECE, +91 9962014445), Dr. Shobana (English, +91 9176835345).

Student Coordinators: J. Akalya (II B.Sc AIML, +91 6381289069), P. Subashini (II B.Sc Aviation, +91 9094094943), Sibikumar R (II B.Sc CS, +91 6374565078), Ashwin V (III B.Com A&F, +91 9711682311).

## **15. Music Club**

Faculty Coordinators (Western): Mr. Vinoth S. R (Music, +91 9840686762), Mr. Karthick Kesan (Music, +91 9840782993).

Student Coordinators: Surya (II B.A. Western Classical Music, +91 9360352787), Dinesh L (II B.A. Western Classical Music, +91 9349232014).

## **16. Photography Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Mr. Sheldon Mark Jarret (Animation, +91 9176386774), Mr. M. Niranjana Thomas (Viscom, +91 9445166988), Mr. S. Sampath Kumar (Viscom, +91 944044801).

Student Coordinators: Surya (III B.Sc Viscom, +91 984120788), Anandhan II (B.Sc Viscom, +91 7550237894), Vijay Karthick M (III B.Sc Viscom, +91 944631004).

## **17. Film Making Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Mr. V. ChandraMouly (Viscom, +91 9715055258), Dr. Mary Genila X (Viscom, +91 9003616214).

Student Coordinators: Kamalesh P (III B.Sc Viscom, +91 6374428693).

## **18. Theatre Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. V. Sivasankar (Tamil, +91 9047473013), Dr. Valarmathi (Viscom, +91 8072405075).

Student Coordinators: M.A. Harshavardhan (II B.Sc Viscom, +91 6374466090), Ranjithkumar II (B.Sc Viscom, +91 9025665821).

## **19. Universal Human Value Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. G. R. Jothi Lakshmi (ECE, +91 9840507971), Dr. Vijayanath (Mechanical, +91 9865129129), Dr. G. Sharmila (Civil, +91 6369538862).

Student Coordinators: Chathurvathi (III B.Tech AI&ML, +91 8787837508), Mohana III (ECE, +91 8778435437), Navaneeth Vikas (II B.Tech CSE, +91 8778644226), Suryaraj III (B.Tech AI&ML, +91 9698987050).

## **20. Environment Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. Abirami (Biotechnology, +91 9894800020), Dr. Ramamurthy (Chemistry, +91 9384293967).

Student Coordinators: M. Harish (III B.Sc Biotechnology, +91 7010156559), Y. Renith (II B.Sc Biotechnology, +91 9344452379), D. S. Dhensrii (II B.Sc Chemistry, +91 8870290674).

## **21. Animal Welfare Club**

Faculty Coordinators: Dr. C. Ronald Darwin (Pharmacy, +91 94444428759), Dr. P. Balaji (Pharmacy, +91 8825540295), Dr. Joel Mart E (Pharmacy, +91 9345766954).

Student Coordinators: Ms. Suthi I (M.Pharm Pharmacology, +91 7358887165), Ms. Priyadharshini V (IV B.Pharm, +91 6379946460), Ms. Saba Tarannum K (IV B.Pharm, +91 9361090784).

## **Leadership and Administration**

- **Founder & Chancellor:** Dr. Ishari K. Ganesh
- **Vice-President, Vels Group of Institutions:** Dr. Preethaa Ganesh
- **Pro-Chancellor (Planning & Development):** Dr. A. Jothi Murugan

- **Pro-Chancellor (Administration):** Dr. Arthi Ganesh
- **Vice-Chancellor:** Dr. S. Sriman Narayanan
- **Pro Vice-Chancellor:** Dr. M. Bhaskaran
- **Registrar:** Dr. P. Saravanan
- **Controller of Examinations:** Dr. A. Udhayakumar

## Student Counsellors

VISTAS provides dedicated student counsellors across its campuses for academic and personal support.

- **S. Kothai** – Student Counsellor, Pallavaram Campus

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- **S. Kirthika** – Student Counsellor, Periyapalaiyam & Thalambur Campus

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The prominent cultural festivals and events at Vels Institute of Science, Technology & Advanced Studies (VISTAS), Pallavaram include:

- **VELS NAKSHATRA:** The grand cultural festival featuring a wide array of events such as short films, choreography nights, IPL auctions, and various competitions spread over multiple days with significant prize money.
- **VELS STARS:** A highly anticipated cultural fest dedicated to showcasing student talents in various performing arts and cultural activities.
- **CHRYSLIS:** A technical symposium with workshops and symposium sessions.

- PRAVESHA: A technical workshop and symposium event.
- Other events include celebrations like Freshers Day, Onam celebration, White Coat Ceremony, Cadet Ceremony, and Annual Day.

## Campus Navigation Data

The following are static step-by-step directions between key campus locations at VISTAS.

- **From Gate 1:**

- To Shivalaya Block: Go straight till Ambedkar Block. To your right is Shivalaya Block.
- To Edison Block: Go straight from Gate 1 to Ambedkar Block, then take a right at Jeevan Sandwiches. Turn left and go straight to find Edison Block.
- To Ruby Girls Hostel: Walk past Ambedkar Block and New Library Block. Ruby Girls Hostel is ahead on your left.

- **From Shivalaya Block:**

- To Jeevan Sandwiches: Turn right from Shivalaya Block and you'll see Jeevan Sandwiches next door.
- To Edison Block: From Shivalaya Block, head towards Jeevan Sandwiches, take a right, then a left to reach Edison Block.

- **From Edison Block:**

- To Guest House: Exit Edison Block and walk straight past Fleming Block. The Guest House is right ahead.

- **From Ambedkar Block:**

- To Vinayagar Temple: Facing Ambedkar Block, walk left. The Vinayagar Temple is close to the junction near Bank/ATM.

- **From Pearl Girls Hostel:**

- To Ruby Girls Hostel: Walk south along the inner road. Ruby Girls Hostel is next to Steve Jobs Block.

- **From VOC Block:**

- To Einstein Block: Exit VOC Block and head right. Einstein Block is next door.

- **From New Library Block:**

- To Central Library Block: Walk straight and you will reach Central Library Block just behind the New Library Block.

- **From Steve Jobs Block:**

- To Restaurant: The restaurant is located right behind Steve Jobs Block.

- **From Dr. MGR Block:**

- To Bank/ATM: Walk straight past Ratan Tata Block. Bank/ATM is at the intersection.




## **Hostel & Accommodation**

VISTAS provides clean and well-maintained hostels for both boys and girls.

- **Girls:** Pearl & Ruby Hostels
- **Boys:** Sapphire & Diamond Hostels

Facilities include laundry, hygienic mess food, common areas, and 24/7 security.

 **Visiting Hours:** 7:00 AM – 9:00 PM (daily).

## **Library**

The campus library is located between **Flemingo Block** and **Sir C.V. Raman Block**. Students can use the library **during breaks**; entry is **not allowed during class hours**.

### **Library Rules:**

- Sign the register with your **name and entry time** upon arrival.
- To borrow a book, provide your **email ID** to the librarian, who will record the **due date**.
- Upon leaving, **sign the register** again with your **exit time**.

## **Bonafide Certificate Request**

Students who require a Bonafide Certificate are requested to write a letter addressed to the Registrar, get it duly signed by their **Class Incharge and then by the HOD**, and submit it at the office in the MGR Block. If the Bonafide Certificate is required with the fee structure, the signed letter should be submitted at the MGR Block office located on the left side of the entrance. If the Bonafide Certificate is required without the fee structure, the signed letter should be submitted at the Registrar's office, which is located on the right side of the entrance of the MGR Block.

## Incubation Centre – Business Ideas

Have a **business idea or startup idea**? 

Visit the **Incubation Centre** on the 2nd floor of the **Edison Block** and share your proposal with the team for guidance and support.

## Transport Facility

Transport is available for **day scholars** who have paid for the service, covering routes **within Chennai**.

## Vending Machines

Vending machines are available at **MGR Block, Flemingo Block, and Steve Jobs Block** for snacks and beverages.

## Canteens

There are **3 canteens** on campus: **SSS Canteen, Jeevan canteen, and Food Court**, offering a variety of food and beverages for students and staff.

## Temple & School

- **Temple:** A small temple dedicated to **Lord Ganesh** is located inside the VISTAS campus for students and staff to offer prayers.
- **School:** **VELS VIDHYASHRAM** is situated within the campus, providing education for school-level students.