

“India’s Unity in Diversity” Event

DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL

CLUB COMPOSITION: KERALA (GOD’S OF OWN COUNTRY)

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❖ Objectives of formed regional Club of KERALA

To represent the essence of Kerala’s traditions, including its cuisine, art, attire, and festivals, thereby giving an insight into the state’s unique lifestyle and cultural values

To showcase the rich cultural heritage, traditional cuisine, and artistic beauty of Kerala — “God’s Own Country” — through vibrant displays, traditional food items, and authentic decorations.

Kerala is a land of beauty, peace, and tradition. Its mix of culture, nature, and hospitality makes it one of the most admired states in India. Whether it’s the spicy food, colorful festivals, or calm backwaters — everything in Kerala reflects harmony and grace.

❖ Impact of Kerala Theme / Culture

Cultural Impact

- The Kerala theme helps people understand and appreciate the rich heritage, traditions, and art forms of the state.
- It promotes awareness about classical dances like Kathakali and Mohiniyattam, and traditional attire such as Kasavu Saree and Mundu.
- It encourages respect for India's diverse regional cultures and strengthens cultural unity.

❖ **Activities under regional Club:** Current activity-Unity in Diversity

EVENT NO 1:- FOOD STALL

Date: 29th September 2025

Venue: Terna Engineering College, Nerul (West)

Department: Civil

Theme Represented: KERALA

FOOOD STALL STUDENT NAME :-

Madhura Nichite	2nd year
Apurva Kadwe	2nd year
Atharva patil	2nd year
Aniket ghodke	2nd year
Sarathi porji	2nd year

Positive Points of Our Kerala Food Stall

Variety of Tastes

Offers a balance of spicy, salty, and sweet dishes.

- Podi Idli – Spicy & flavorful
- Parippu Vada – Crunchy & savory
- Unniyappam – Sweet & soft
- Tapioca Chips – Crispy & salty

Eco-Friendly Concept

- Food can be served on banana leaves or eco plates to reduce plastic use.
- Promotes sustainable and traditional serving styles — reflecting Kerala's respect for nature.

Affordable and Enjoyable for All

- Prices are reasonable, making the stall accessible for everyone.
- The snacks are light, filling, and easy to serve — ideal for students and visitors.

🌴 Kerala Theme Overview 🌴

Kerala, often called “**God’s Own Country**,” is a state in the southern part of India known for its rich culture, traditions, scenic beauty, and classical art forms. A Kerala theme usually highlights the essence of traditional Kerala life, attire, food, music, and décor.

🌴 Traditional Attire

Women: Kerala Kasavu Saree (cream with golden border)

Men: Mundu (white dhoti with white/ black shirt)





Introduction

- The “**India’s Unity in Diversity**” event was organized at **Terna Engineering College, Nerul (West)** on **29th September 2025** to celebrate the cultural heritage and togetherness of India.
- The main objective was to showcase the **various cultures, cuisines, dances, and traditions** from different parts of India, emphasizing the strength that lies in our diversity.
- Each group of students represented a particular **state or region of India**, and our group proudly represented **KERALA**, known for its classical art forms, colorful festivals, and mouthwatering cuisine.
- The event encouraged **teamwork, creativity, and cultural awareness**, making it an enjoyable and educational experience for everyone.

Theme Selection: KERALA

- Our team selected **Kerala** as our theme, which includes the states of **Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, and Telangana**.
- The goal was to represent the **vibrant culture, rich traditions, and modern influences** of the southern region of India.

Kerala is famous for:

- Classical dance forms like **Bharatanatyam and Kuchipudi**
- Delicious dishes such as **Parippu vada, Unniappam, Tapioca chips, Podi idli**
- Distinct languages and literature

Food Stall Highlights

Our **KERALA Food stall** became one of the most popular attractions of the event.

Key Details:

Dishes Offered:

PODI IDLI: Podi Idli is a South Indian delicacy made from small steamed rice cakes (idlis) coated with spicy idli podi (gunpowder) mixed in oil or ghee.

- Perfect as a quick snack or tiffin item
- Soft inside, spicy and aromatic outside
- Often served with coconut chutney or sambar



PARIPPU VADA: Parippu Vada is a crispy and crunchy lentil fritter, one of Kerala's most loved evening snacks, usually served with tea.

- Golden-brown, crunchy texture
- Popular in tea stalls (chaya kada) across Kerala
- Commonly served during festivals and monsoons



UNIAPPAM : Unniyappam is a sweet snack made from rice flour, jaggery, banana, and coconut, deep-fried in ghee or oil. It's soft, spongy inside, and slightly crispy outside.

- Served as prasadam in many Kerala temples
- A traditional festive sweet
- • Symbol of Kerala's authentic homemade flavo
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TAPIOCO CHIPS: Tapioca Chips are thinly sliced cassava (kappa) pieces fried until crisp and seasoned with salt or spices. They are one of Kerala's most iconic snacks.

- Crispy, light, and flavorful
- Commonly found in Kerala tea shops and snack stores
- Often served with tea or as a side snack during functions



- **Hygiene and Quality:**
 - All food was **prepared with cleanliness** and served using disposable plates and gloves.
 - Fresh ingredients were used to maintain **authentic flavor and safety**.
- **Decoration and Setup:**
 - The stall was decorated with **banana leaves, rangoli, diyas, and flower garlands**.
 - Posters of South Indian temples, landscapes, and festivals were displayed.
 - Team members wore **traditional attire** to give a complete cultural experience.
- **Response:**
 - Visitors loved the **taste and presentation**.
 - Our stall received appreciation for **maintaining hygiene and authenticity**.





EVENT NO 02 :- Dance Performance Highlights

Dance Performance Highlights

Our **dance performance** was the centerpiece of the cultural program and received a lot of applause.

Performance Details:

- **Theme:** *Fusion of Classical and Modern South Indian Dance.*
- **Dance Forms Included:**
 - Classical styles like Mix of **modern and culture** (grace, expressions, and hand gestures).
 - Modern **Kerala** cinematic dance on popular film songs to create energy and connection.
- **Costumes and Presentation:**
 - Performers wore traditional costumes with jewelry and flowers.
 - The choreography was a mix of **elegance, rhythm, and enthusiasm**.
- **Audience Reaction:**
 - The fusion concept was loved by everyone.
 - The synchronization and confidence of performers stood out.
 - The dance truly symbolized the spirit of “*Unity through Diversity*”.

DANCE PERFORMANCE STUDENT NAME :-

Sakshi kindre	Utkarsha bagal
Anisha koli	Atharva patil
Manasvi chavan	Parth Tajane
Diksha surve	Ankit mourya
Pratibha bambenshi	Rajesh choudhary
Sahil shaikh	Jay koli
Deepal gupta	Jay gowari
Arya gaikar	Saransh goyal
Riya patel	Chinmay dalvi
Prerna bhoye	Pranav pandey



Teamwork and Coordination

- Our team consisted of enthusiastic students handling different responsibilities:
 - **Food Section:** Recipe preparation, serving, and hygiene maintenance.
 - **Cultural Section:** Choreography, song selection, costumes, and rehearsal.
 - **Decoration Team:** Designing, creativity, and setup management.

Audience Feedback and Impact

- The entire event received great appreciation from students, teachers, and visitors.
- Our South India representation was specifically praised for:
 - Authentic taste of food
 - Beautiful and clean stall design
 - Energetic dance and soulful singing
 - Strong teamwork and coordination
- Visitors shared positive feedback, saying they “felt like they were in South India for a day.”















Conclusion

The *India's Unity in Diversity* event at **Terna Engineering College** was a grand celebration of culture, color, and creativity.

Representing **South India** allowed us to explore and express the diversity of our country through food, music, and dance. It was an unforgettable experience that strengthened our understanding of teamwork, respect, and unity.

The event successfully delivered the message that:

“India’s strength lies not in its similarities, but in its diversity — and our unity makes us truly one.”

The program ended on a joyful note, leaving everyone inspired and proud to be part of such a culturally rich and united nation.

