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4.2.1. Library automation using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS), subscription to e-resources including provision of links to OER repositories, amount spent on purchase of books, journals and usage of library.

Response:

The Department of Library was established with the college on 14th August 1999. The library is divided into Four sections: the Processing Section, the Reference Section, the E-Library, and the Reading Room.Our college library has done its best to provide necessary materials to all college components while also monitoring the qualitative and quantitative growth of library facilities. 50 students can sit and read in the reading room section.

The library is well equipped with a large collection of around 15340 books and other reference reading material. The library collection includes Textbooks, Reference books, General reading books as well as Competitive Examination Collection etc. The library is actively engaged in organizing book exhibitions and other supporting activities.

Library automation using ILMS

Library functions are semi-automated through the **"Lib-Man"**Library Software. (ver. Cloud based), an Integrated Library Management Software. Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) can be checked anywhere, in mobile too. From the academic year 2009 to 31st Jan 2021 we use "Lib-Man software" for library automation. But due to sudden increase in AMC charges by the service provider, management decide to switch on E-Granthalaya software. E-Granthalaya is an Integrated Library Management Software from National Informatics Centre, GOI, New Delhi. The library was used e-Granthalaya forthe period 4th Feb. 2021 to 29th sept. 2022 and switched to Lib-Man software from Oct 2022. Lib-Man software is cloud based software and OPAC can be accessed from anywhere.

We create "VMC Library" whats app group for sharing information about e-resources and new arrivals. Students are allowed to use personal laptops and mobiles also in the library for academic purpose.

Library Automation:

1. For Library Automation we use cloud based "Lib-Man″ Library Software.2.College has made annual maintenance contract with **"Master Soft ERP Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Nagpur"** for library software.3.Book collection is updated in the library software.4.Online public access catalogue (OPAC) is available.5.Status of library Automation is Partly. 6. Two computers available at library for administrative purpose.

7. Seven computers available at E-library for searching of e-resources.8.To improve the library efficiently, a networked-based connection is provided between all the computers through LAN (Local Area Network). 9. Two Printers available at library.10.Scanning facility is made available.11.Reprography facility is also available. 12. For searching of e-resources internet connection is available.13.Availability of E-Resources through D-Space Software**.**

Subscription to N List e-resources

Sr. No.	Year	Subscription Amt.
1	2023-24	5900/-
2	2022-23	5900/-
3	2021-22	5900/-
4	2019-20	5900/-
5	2018-19	5900/-
	Total Amt.	**29500/-**

Links to OER repositories

1) Library Department

https://vmcollege.org/library/#1689478773132-7160107c-3ce5

2) N-List E-resources –

https://nlist.inflibnet.ac.in/

Amount spent on purchase of books, journals& periodicals

Sr. No.	Year	Newly Added	Amount Spent on purchase of books, Journals& Periodicals
1	2017-18	1366	4,25,639/-
2	2018-19	347	44,233/-
3	2019-20	181	31,044/-
4	2020-21	238	48,035/-
5	2021-22	513	77, 162/-
6	2022-23	667	2,20,167/-
		3312	8,46,280/-

Usage of library-

Academic year (A)	Total number of teachers and students visited library (B)	Total number of library working days (C)	Per day usage of library (D=B/C)
2018-19	32482	298	109
2019-20	33516	294	114
2020-21	26390	290	91
2021-22	29744	286	104
2022-23	34456	292	118