



## Online Tamil Education

Tamil Virtual Academy provides the following courses for diaspora students through its 165 contact centres in 36 countries. In the current academic year more than 15,000 students have enrolled for TVA's courses.

### Certificate course

Level	Minimum age limit
Akaram	5
Ikaram	7
Ukaram	10
Lakaram	13
Cikaram	15



**BA Tamilology course** is offered in association with Tamil University, Thanjavur, in Diploma, Higher Diploma and Degree levels.



## Digital Library

([www.tamildigitalallibrary.in](http://www.tamildigitalallibrary.in))

- TVA's Tamil Digital library hosts rare books, periodicals and palmleaf manuscripts on topics such as literature, religion, history, medicine, science etc dating from 18th century onwards.

- It is one of the largest e-libraries for Tamil among South Asian languages.

- So far 94,967 books, periodicals and 8,02,000 palmleaf manuscript pages have been uploaded.



## Tagavalaattruppada

([www.tagavalaattruppada.in](http://www.tagavalaattruppada.in))

- This website provides information on Tamil culture and history to students and researchers.
- It hosts 31,158 photographs on archaeology, historical monuments and cultural remnants.
- In addition, information on cultural artefacts, memorials are being uploaded.



## Development of Tamil Computing Tools

- Tamil Virtual Academy is developing Tamil software and tools such as Annotated Corpus for Tamil Literature, Index, Concordance, Visual Thesaurus, Electronic Dictionary, Tamil Text Editor, Inscription Reader, Tamil Chatbot, Learning App, Optical Character Recognition, Syntactic Parser, etc.,
- To promote Tamil Computing among students, Forums for Tamil Computing have been established in 200 higher educational institutions.

## Tamil Parappurai Kazhagam

### Initiatives taken up for Tamil language pedagogy

- » Propagation of Tamil Language and culture.
- » Tamil Textbooks and Supplementary learning tools.
- » Online Tamil classes.
- » Online Thevaram classes.
- » Financial assistance to Tamil diaspora organizations for teaching Tamil.
- » Diploma in Tamil Teaching course for Teacher volunteers.
- » Sending trained teachers abroad for handling Tamil classes.



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35+ Paper Presentations	30+ Organizations	10+ Countries
10 Hackathon Demonstrations	7 Workshops & Tutorials	



## Tamil Virtual Academy

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Tamil Virtual Academy was established on July 5, 2000 under the Tamilnadu Societies Act, 1975 and functions under the Information Technology and Digital services department.

## Functions of Tamil Virtual Academy

- Internet based Tamil education
- Tamil Digital Library
- Tagavalaattrupadai
- Development of Tamil Computing tools



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