



Kings College of Engineering (Autonomous)

TNEA Code: 3905

Short Name:	KCE
Institution Type:	Self-Financing Autonomous Engineering College
City / District:	Punalkulam, Pudukkottai District (Nearest major town: Thanjavur)
Year Established:	2001
Affiliated University:	Anna University, Chennai
Admission Route:	TNEA (Tamil Nadu Engineering Admissions) — Government quota 65% + Management quota 35%
Gender Profile:	Co-educational

Founding & Heritage

“ **Founder / Trust:** Raj Educational Trust (RET), Chennai

Stated Mission: providing quality technical education to the economically disadvantaged and rural community.

2001: Institution established.

2007: Kings Munnaal Manavargal Sangam (Alumni Association) registered.

2008: Research and Development section established.

2013: Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering and Department of Mechanical Engineering recognised as Research Centres.

2015: Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering recognised as Research Centre.

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Milestone:
Autonomous Status conferred by UGC, New Delhi, and Anna University, Chennai.

Regulatory Status



Institutional Rankings

Rating Body: Career360

Rating Achieved: **AAA**

Category: Engineering College
Year: 2025–26

Undergraduate Programs (TNEA 2026)

Branch	Code	Intake	Year Started	NBA Status
Computer Science and Engineering	CS	120	2001	
Electronics and Communication Engineering	EC	120	2001	
Electrical and Electronics Engineering	EE	60	2001	
Mechanical Engineering	ME	60	2006	
Civil Engineering	CE	30	2010	
Artificial Intelligence and Data Science [New-Age Branch]	AD	60	2023	
Information Technology [New-Age Branch]	IT	30	2024	

Total sanctioned intake: 480

Department Leadership & Key Faculty

Dr. J. Arputha Vijaya Selvi (Principal)

B.E., M.E., Ph.D. (NIT Tiruchirappalli)

Specialisation: Signal Processing, Free Space Optical Communication, VLSI Design

Recognised Ph.D. Supervisor (Anna University); 11 Ph.D. scholars guided to completion

Dr. S. Sivakumar

Vice Principal

Ph.D., EEE

Dr. A. Albert Martin Ruban

Head of Department — EEE; Controller of Examinations

Ph.D., Power Systems and Control

Dr. R. Saravanan

Head of Department — Civil Engineering

Ph.D., Structural Engineering

Mrs. N. Mangaiyarkarasi

Head of Department — ECE

B.E., M.E.

Dr. T. Pushparaj

Head of Department — Mechanical Engineering

Ph.D., Manufacturing / Thermal Engineering

Campus Infrastructure & Connectivity

Hostel & Campus Data

- ❑ **Campus Size:** Approximately 48–50 acres
- ❑ **Hostels:** Boys Hostel and Girls Hostel (both within campus)
- ❑ **Mess:** Vegetarian and Non-Vegetarian options available
- ❑ **Nearest Railway Station:** Thanjavur Railway Station (approx. 19 km)

Transport Network (16 Routes)

Thanjavur Hubs	Regional Towns & Areas	Surrounding Locales
Rajappa Nagar, Tolcopier Square, Ammapet, Old Bus Stand, New Bus New Bus Stand, Medical College, RR Nagar, Karanthai, Pallia Agragaram.	Kumbakonam, Mannargudi, Pattukottai, Pudukkottai, Papanasam, Thirukarukavur, Thirukkattupalli, Sengipatti, Vallam, Vaduvur, Orathanadu, Soorakottai, Perungalur, Gandarovakkottai, Karambagudi.	Thirumanur, Vilangudi, Naduvakkottai, Eachankottai, Eachankottai, Suriyampatti, Kabisthalam, Ayyampet, Enathi, Uranipuram, Mattangal, Srinivasapuram.

Scholarships & Financial Access

Government Scholarships (Available to eligible students)

SC/ST Tuition Fee Scholarship

BC / MBC / DNC Scholarship

Post-Matric Scholarship

All applicable Central/State
Government scholarships

Management Scholarships & Awards (Raj Educational Trust / KCE)

Fee Waiver for Meritorious Students

Fee Waiver for Sports Students

Fee Waiver for Students from Economically Poor
Background

Sports Scholarship

Anna University Rank Holder Awards

King of Kings Award (Best Outgoing Student)

Proficiency Award (Academic topper per semester)

Best Library User Award

Foreign Industrial Visit (Top performers per department)

Research & Industry Integration

Recognised Centres

- Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering (Anna University)
- Department of Mechanical Engineering (Anna University)
- Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (Anna University)
- Vision Incubation Centre (Supporting student entrepreneurs)

Institutional Funding Bodies

- DRDO (New Delhi)
- Ministry of Communications & IT (New Delhi)
- TNSCST (Chennai) & AICTE (New Delhi)
- Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (GoI)
- IEEE Madras Section
- Texas Instruments (USA) & Analog Devices (USA)

Key MOU Partners

- Indian Institute of Crop Processing Technology, Thanjavur (2020)
- Siemens Centre of Excellence in Manufacturing, NIT-T, Trichy (2022)
- Centre of Excellence for Training and Research in Automation Technology, PMIST (2021)
- Gnanam School of Business (2023) & TIDITSSIA (2023)
- HireMee (2026) & Three Dots Innovations LLP (2025)

Funded Research & Achievements

Project / Achievement	Awarding / Funding Body	Year	Amount (INR)
Mono-pulse and Artificial Neural Networks steering technique	DRDO, Gol	2009	30,55,600
SMEs and Innovation: A case study for Tamil Nadu State	MCIT, Gol	2008	33,44,000
PMKVY Skill Development	AICTE, New Delhi	–	20,00,000
Skill and Personality Development Programme Centre	AICTE, New Delhi	Ongoing	14,45,000
Modernization of Analog and Digital Electronics Laboratory	AICTE, Gol	2011	10,00,000
MODROBS for DSP Lab	AICTE, Gol	2013	7,39,947
Analog Design Lab (instruments contribution)	Texas Instruments, USA	–	2,00,000
Innovation Promotion Scheme	AICTE, Gol	2013	1,00,000
National Conference on Energy Conservation and Control	Ministry of New and Renewable Energy –		50,000
Portable autonomous machine to measure soil metrics	IEEE Madras Section, Chennai	–	10,000

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