



# AVIT



VINAYAKA MISSION'S  
RESEARCH FOUNDATION  
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## REPORT

AVIT, very gloriously celebrated Pongal on the 11th of January at 9.00 am. Dr. A.S. Ganesan, the Chancellor of Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation (Deemed to be University), Dr. Anuradha Ganesan, the Director of Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation (Deemed to be University) and Mr. J. Suresh Samuel, member in the Board of Management, Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation were the special guests for the celebration. The celebration kickstarted near the dome at 9.00 am where the faculty members from different departments were given slot numbers to make sweet pongal from scratch. After the distribution of slot numbers, faculty members started to cook pongal in mud pots. Judges walked around, tasted the pongal along with the presentations and decorations like traditional rangoli, and declared three departments as winners. After this, the students very happily performed a dance in front of the faculty members in the outdoor auditorium. A traditional show of Mayilattam, Oyillattam along with Thaapattam was performed by the dancers. Followed by this was the traditional game of Uriyadi was played very enthusiastically by the faculty members. The Pongal celebration came to an end with the bull cart ride, where all faculties and students were driven around the campus with two bulls. Traditional shops, like glass bangle shops, Javvu Mittai, balloon shooting stalls were also arranged to add to the celebration mood.









