## **Science Quest-2019**

IIT Palakkad conducted Science Quest- a 10 day residential science camp from 15<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> of May 2019 in memory of Late Prof. M. C. Valsa Kumar, former Professor of Physics and Dean Student Affairs at IIT Palakkad. Thirty students were selected from schools across Kerala and Coimbatore district in Tamil Nadu. The camp was inaugurated by Padma Shri Prof. S. Sivaram, INSA Senior Scientist at IISER Pune. The goal of the camp was to instil a spirit of inquiry and critical thinking, and love for science and mathematics in students. There were several interactive sessions on various topics in science, engineering, humanities and mathematics, and several hands-on sessions in labs where scientific concepts were introduced through experiments.







