

## **8.TAMILNADU TEXTBOOK CORPORATION**

The main objective of the Tamil Nadu Textbook Corporation is to print and supply quality Text Books to students in time at an affordable price. Mission of the Corporation is to ensure the availability of quality Text books at Free of cost to all the students studying under the State Board Syllabus from standards 1<sup>st</sup> std to 12<sup>th</sup> std and to provide free books to Adi Dravidar, Backward, Most Backward and Kallars.

### **8.1.Textbooks**

The Tamil Nadu Textbook Corporation prints a total of 502 titles from 1<sup>st</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> Std., consisting of 529 books (including Vol. I and Vol. II) as well as some additional books for Vocational Training and Source books for Diploma in Teacher Education as follows:

- Textbooks for 1-12 Stds. of State Board Syllabus
- Vocational Textbooks for +1, +2
- 10<sup>th</sup> Std. books for Matriculation and Anglo-Indian Schools
- Environmental Educational Books for VI to XII Std.
- Diploma course in Engineering Books for First and Second semester of Polytechnic
- Textbooks and Readers for minority language students from Stds. 1-10 and Language books only for +1, +2 Students.
- Source books for Diploma in Teacher Education.
- Guides for Std. 10<sup>th</sup> and +2 students of Adi Dravidar, Backward classes and Most Backward Classes
- Question Bank, Solution Book and Model Question booklet for X and XII Students for PTA.

### **8.2. Free Text Books**

The Corporation prints and distributes Free Textbooks to all the students enrolled from Standards. 1<sup>st</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> in the Government Schools, Government Aided Schools and Students studying in State Board syllabus in Tamil Medium in the Self Financing Schools. Tamil Readers from 1<sup>st</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> Standards are also supplied free of cost to the students studying in Matriculation schools from the academic year 2007-08.

### **8.3. Website**

The Tamilnadu Textbook Corporation has brought out 529 books in six mediums namely Tamil, English, and the Minority languages Telugu, Malayalam, Kannada and Urdu. Out of 529 books, 348 books have been hosted in the web site [www.textbooksonline.tn.nic.in](http://www.textbooksonline.tn.nic.in)

### **8.4. Free Text Books to Tamil Students in other States**

Tamilnadu Textbook Corporation has supplied Textbooks Free of cost for the benefit of Tamil Students in other States viz. Mumbai Municipal Corporation, Delhi Tamil Association, Ahamedabad Municipal Corporation, Cochin Tamil Aiykya Sangam, and Andaman Nichobar Administration.

### **8.5. Note Books**

Tamil Nadu Textbook Corporation brings out notebooks also for open market sales.