

College information:

The College of Horticulture, Sirsi was established under the University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot during 2010 in Uttara Kannada district of Karnataka. It is situated at a distance of 110 km from Hubbli and 125 km from Karwar. The college is an upcoming premier institution in the state for imparting education and conduct of research in Horticulture. This college is involved in undertaking the manpower development in the areas of horticulture. The Dean is the head of the institution and controlling officer for teaching, research, extension and administration of the college.

The College has started functioning from 1st June 2010 onwards by posting a Special Officer. The Government of Karnataka has ordered to spare 22 acres of land and 5 building from Sericulture Department at Sirsi for a period of 30 years on lease. All the buildings were taken in to possession and renovated and students have been provided with class rooms, hostel and mess. The regular semester has commenced from 2nd August, 2010 and faculty from the parent university, University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad and its constituent College of Forestry and KVK was kind enough to extend the services of teaching staff and laboratory facilities to begin with.

The College is now having 32½ acres of land obtained from the Department of Sericulture and Department of Horticulture, GoK to support its activities. In addition, the college is well supported by the Horticultural Research and Extension Centre at Terakanalli (UHSB), Sirsi which is having 25.0 acres of land with other infrastructure facilities. In addition, college is having good number of poly houses and shade net houses where quality planting materials are being produced and supplied to farmer's.

At present the college has well equipped classrooms, laboratories, computer lab, library, separate hostels for boys and girls, sports ground, Gym and indoor game facilities and sufficient number of staff for offering courses.