Kerala Police Launched Project ‘Malakha’ to curb sexual assaults against Children

Kerala Police have launched an awareness programme titled ‘Malakha’ in order to prevent sexual atrocities against children. The State Police Chief has stated that police intends to provide awareness to all those who closely interacting with children including their parents, teachers, relatives, police officers, doctors, staff in the health care sector and media persons.

The programme has been scheduled from January 15th till March 31st. Each district police chief will be in charge of the programme in the respective districts.

A vehicle named Vava Express will travel across the State exhibiting messages against atrocities on children. In addition, there will be signature campaigns, processions, cultural programmes, plays, street plays, sand art, programmes involving celebrities, public functions by including various arms of police like the police band team, mounted police, awareness programmes by artists in Police, procession of student police cadets, functions involving Anganvadi teachers, Asha workers, Kudumbasree and
Janasree workers will be conducted. More awareness against atrocities on children will be done by means of oath, marathon and candle procession.

House to house awareness campaign will be conducted through Janamaithri Beat Officers and the feedback will be obtained through the Officers. The State Police Chief has also directed the DPCs to participate in the programme.