

Location of the Divisional Secretariat Nallur



01.DETAILS OF THE DIVISION

1.1 Basic Information of the Area

Adjoining Divisions

- ◆ North : Valikamam East – Kopay & Valikamam South - Uduvil
- ◆ East : Valikamam East - Kopay
- ◆ South : Jaffna
- ◆ West : Valikamam South West – Sandilipay

Other Information

- ◆ No. of Families :23,753
- ◆ No. of GN Divisions :40
- ◆ Area : 34 Sq.K.m
- ◆ Distance from to Colombo City : 395Km
- ◆ Divisional Secretariat, General : (+94) 021 222 2208
- ◆ Fax number of the Divisional Secretariat : (+94) 021 222 2208
- ◆ E – Mail ID : info@nallur.ds.gov.lk
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- ◆ Telephone number of Samurdhy (HQ) : (+94) 021 222 1058

Population Divisional Secretariat on:

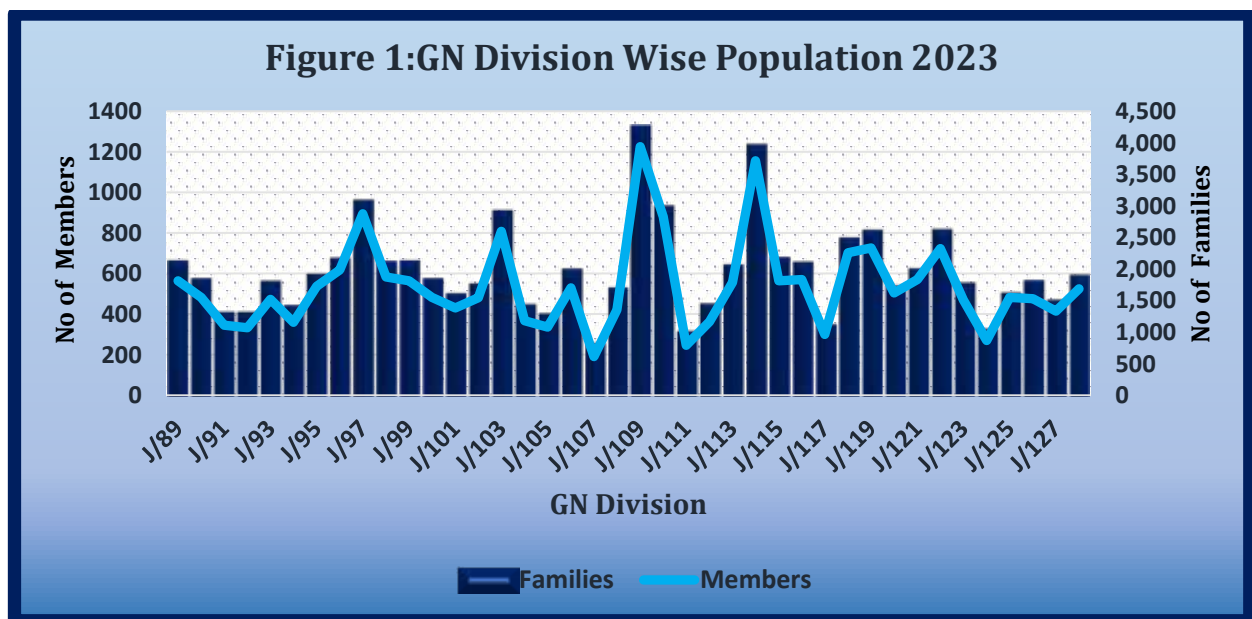
Year	No. of Population
2014	66,751
2015	67,716
2016	68,697
2017	67,820
2018	67,303
2019	68,173
2020	68,668
2021	69,433
2022	69,910
2023	70,306

1.2 Location

Nallur Divisional Secretariat is situated in Southern part of Jaffna Peninsula, near the Jaffna town. Northern part of the Division is bounded by Valikamam South (Uduvil) Divisional Secretariat and Valikamam East (Kopay) Divisional secretariat and Valikamam East (Kopay) Divisional Secretariat also bounds the Eastern part of the division in addition with Thenmaradchchi Divisional Secretariat. Jaffna Divisional Secretariat and Jaffna Lagoon are situated in Southern part of the Division and Western part of the division is bounded by the Valikamam southwest (Sandilipay) Divisional Secretariat. The total area of the division is 34 Sq.km wide spreads through South East to North West. The office of the Nallur Divisional secretariat is located at Point Pedro road near to the Nallur Kandaswamy temple.

1.3 Physical Condition of the Division

The climate is tropical dry zone with temperatures ranging from 25.1°C to 31.8°C. The highest temperature is normally recorded in the month of April, May, June and July. Annual precipitation ranges from 600 mm to 1342 mm. It is fairly evenly spread over the area, but the north east monsoon rains from October to December account for 90% of the annual rainfalls.



Source : Divisional Secretariat, Nallur

1.4: Mean Annual and Monthly Air Temperature: 2017- 2023

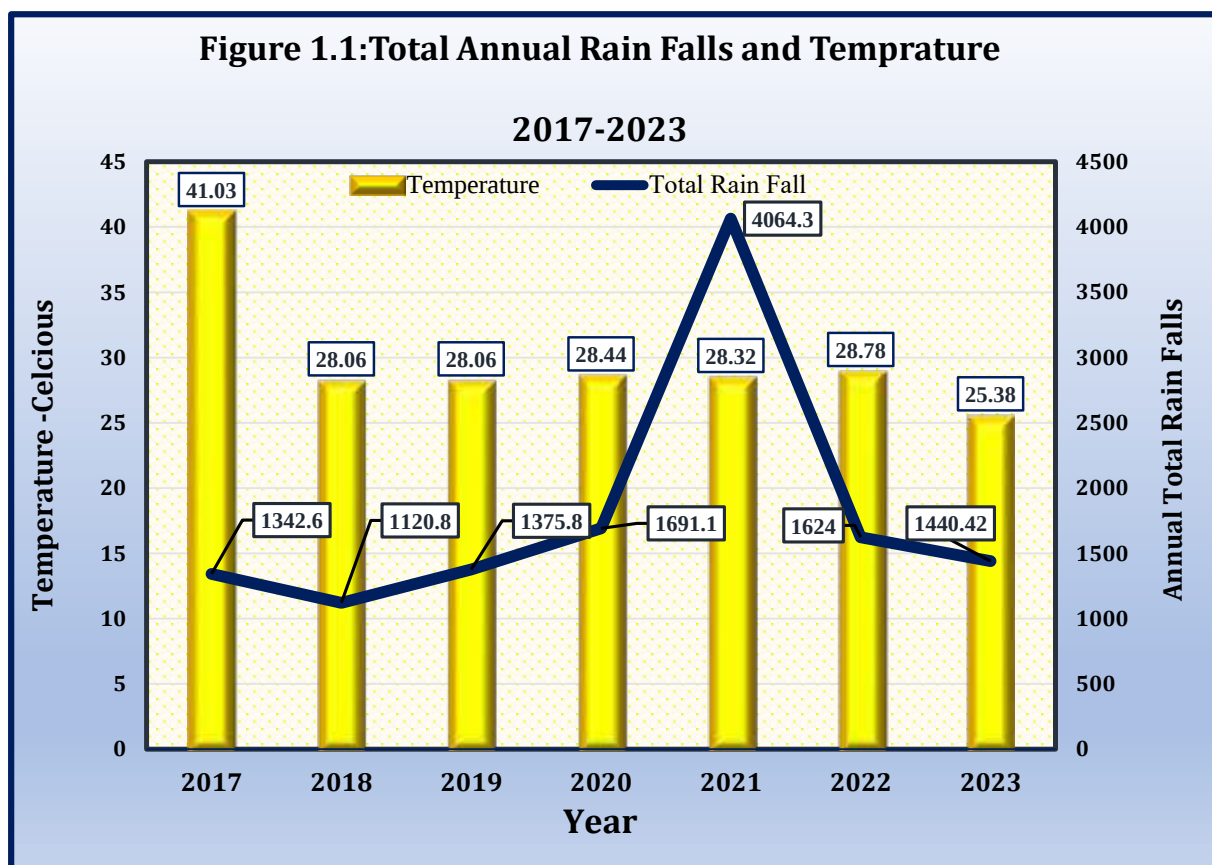
S.N	Month	2017			2018			2019			2020			2021			2022			2023		
		Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max	Min	Mean	Max
1	January	21.5	36.1	29.1	20.8	24.85	28.9	21.10	24.90	28.70	22.15	26.08	30.00	22.9	25.90	28.9	22.6	26.2	29.8	29.8	21.4	28.8
2	February	20.3	35.2	29.8	21.2	25.6	30	23.40	27.20	31.00	22.18	26.58	30.98	21.5	25.55	29.6	21.7	25.75	29.8	29.8	21.0	29.8
3	March	23.9	40	32.1	23.4	27.85	32.3	23.80	28.60	33.40	22.93	27.82	32.70	23.2	27.80	32.4	24.5	28.2	31.9	31.9	24.1	32.10
4	April	27.1	44.2	34.2	25.7	30	34.3	26.10	30.40	34.70	25.71	30.07	34.42	26.3	29.75	33.2	25.8	29.25	32.7	32.7	25.7	34.6
5	May	27.6	44.5	33.7	27	30.15	33.3	28.60	31.30	34.00	27.7	30.79	33.87	27.1	30.10	33.1	28.0	30.5	33.0	33.0	27.6	32.5
6	June	27.5	44.1	33.1	27.6	29.85	32.1	28.50	31.10	33.70	28.08	30.76	33.43	27.3	30.00	32.7	27.3	30.05	32.8	32.8	28.1	33.1
7	July	27.3	44.4	34.2	27.1	30	32.9	27.60	30.25	32.90	26.86	29.75	32.64	27.0	29.85	32.7	26.5	29.7	32.9	32.9	27.4	32.7
8	August	26.6	43.2	33.1	26.7	29.45	32.2	26.80	29.30	31.80	27.00	29.31	31.61	26.9	29.80	32.7	26.3	29.15	32.0	32.0	27.2	33.3
9	September	26.2	42.1	31.7	25.9	29.05	32.2	26.00	28.75	31.50	26.20	28.45	30.70	26.9	29.95	33.0	26.4	29.1	31.8	31.8	27.2	32.2
10	October	26.3	42.3	31.9	24.7	27.55	30.4	24.40	27.55	30.70	26.12	28.85	31.58	25.6	28.10	30.6	25.1	28.15	31.2	31.2	25.6	31.3
11	November	23.9	38.8	29.7	23.5	26.5	29.5	24.20	27.45	30.70	24.26	27.13	30.0	24.5	26.90	29.3	23.2	26.4	29.6	29.6	24.4	30.4
12	December	22.8	37.5	29.3	22.9	25.9	28.9	23.50	26.40	29.30	23.24	25.63	28.02	22.6	26.10	29.6	36.6	32.9	29.2	29.2	24.9	29.4
Mean Annual Air Temperature		25.08	41.03	31.83	24.71	28.06	31.42	25.33	28.60	31.87	25.20	28.44	31.66	25.15	28.32	31.48	26.17	28.78	31.39	31.39	25.38	31.68

Source: Department of Meteorology, Thirunelveli

1.5: Mean Annual and Monthly Rainfall: 2014- 2023 (mm)

S.N	Month	Average 1971-2000	2017	Rainy Days	2018	Rainy Days	2019	Rainy Days	2020	Rainy Days	2021	Rainy Days	2022	Rainy Days	2023	Rainy Days
1	January	67.1	86.7	6	14.6	2	0	0	23.02	4	317.5	4	181.2	9	22.89	6
2	February	39.0	25.6	1	20.9	1	5.90	1	17.60	1	15.3	1	108.3	5	166.40	5
3	March	25.7	119.6	5	48.6	3	3.20	5	0	0	1.6	0	18.5	4	10.69	3
4	April	52.3	0.0	0	18.5	5	36.40	1	30.70	7	110.4	7	185.1	15	6.09	4
5	May	46.7	29.6	2	102.9	8	0	0	39.90	7	95.4	7	10.3	2	164.59	6
6	June	16.1	10.8	1	22.0	1	21.70	8	2.70	2	50.4	2	5.3	4	13.49	5
7	July	25.1	12.7	3	0.2	0	89.30	12	118.50	7	57.0	7	73.1	7	25.09	3
8	August	38.7	70.0	7	27.0	3	83.10	23	33.20	2	8.3	2	95.0	8	21.19	2
9	September	63.3	91.3	8	62.5	5	172.70	19	212.60	6	54.7	6	2.8	2	67.79	3
10	October	242.8	184.0	10	297.7	19	446.00	19	23.30	5	390.7	5	479.4	16	137.20	14
11	November	336.1	611.7	17	373.3	18	292.20	3	339.70	24	752.4	24	263.2	12	464.70	27
12	December	278.2	100.6	7	132.6	13	225.30	19	872.90	21	189.6	21	201.8	14	340.30	20
Annual Total Rain Falls		1231.1	1342.6	67	1120.8	78	1,375.80	110	1691.10	86	4064.3	86	1624	98	1440.42	98

Source: Department of Meteorology, Thirunelvely



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Soil

Main soil groups are reddish brown soil, which dominates in North and North western areas, has the best potential for cultivation of up-land crops and fruits. Centre part of this region consists clay loam and it is best for paddy cultivation. Sand dunes are generally found in the south east. Areas bordering the lagoons are covered with saline and alkaline soils.

Water

There are over 30 ponds scattered all over the division, which are replenished during the rainy season. A distinctive feature of this region is the underground formation of lime stone. Due to this natural geological formation ground water is available at depths of 6 to 14 meters. The water is extracted through open dug wells. Only small scale of ponds and vegetation are helping for infiltration of underground water source.

Geology

The Nallur area's geological structure developed by three formations: the pre- Paleozoic basement rocks, it can be found at a depth of 240 m, the limestone is in approximately 90 m thickness it formed at Miocene period and lagoon deposits like brown sand and loam, Aeolian sands and coral reefs belonging to the Quaternary Period. The thickness of this formation varies from 1 m to 15 m. (Ground Water in Jaffna, 1968; Market Town Water Supply Jaffna Project, 1984).

1.6:Details of G.N Divisions - Divisional Secretariat, Nallur 2023

S.No	G.N.No	G.N Division Name	Extent (Sq km)	Land Area (Sq Km)	Water body (Sq km)
1	J/89	Ariyalai South East	0.514	0.514	0.004
2	J/90	Ariyalai East	9.901	9.881	0.020
3	J/91	Ariyalai North West	0.436	0.436	0.000
4	J/92	Ariyalai Center West	0.471	0.471	0.000
5	J/93	Ariyalai South West	0.397	0.393	0.004
6	J/94	Ariyalai Center North	1.461	1.312	0.149
7	J/95	Ariyalai Center	0.534	0.534	0.000
8	J/96	Ariyalai Center South	2.116	2.113	0.003
9	J/97	IyanarKovilady	0.470	0.470	0.000
10	J/98	Vannarpannai North	0.656	0.656	0.000
11	J/99	Vannarpannai North West	0.411	0.411	0.000
12	J/100	Vannarpannai North East	0.510	0.510	0.000
13	J/101	Neeraviyady	0.406	0.406	0.000
14	J/102	Kandarmadam North West	0.463	0.463	0.000
15	J/103	Kandarmadam North East	0.390	0.385	0.005
16	J/104	Kandarmadam South West	0.330	0.330	0.000
17	J/105	Kandarmadam South Eat	0.300	0.297	0.003
18	J/106	Nallur North	0.424	0.417	0.007
19	J/107	NallurRajathany	0.259	0.259	0.000
20	J/108	Nallur South	0.470	0.465	0.005
21	J/109	SangiliyanThoppu	0.982	0.967	0.015
22	J/110	Thirunelvely West	0.957	0.951	0.006
23	J/111	Thirunelvely Centre South	0.250	0.250	0.000
24	J/112	Thirunelvely South East	0.323	0.315	0.008
25	J/113	Thirunelvely North East	0.496	0.492	0.004
26	J/114	Thirunelvely Centre North	1.167	1.167	0.000
27	J/115	Kondavil North West	0.656	0.656	0.000
28	J/116	Kondavil South West	0.970	0.948	0.022
29	J/117	Kondavil Center West	0.598	0.598	0.000
30	J/118	Kondavil Center East	0.364	0.364	0.000
31	J/119	Kondavil North East	1.156	1.156	0.000
32	J/120	Kondavil South East	0.657	0.657	0.000
33	J/121	Kokuvil North East	0.757	0.757	0.000
34	J/122	Kokuvil East	1.090	1.090	0.000
35	J/123	Kokuvil South East	0.512	0.510	0.002
36	J/124	Kokuvil North West	0.305	0.305	0.000
37	J/125	Kokuvil West	0.298	0.298	0.000
38	J/126	Kokuvil Center East	0.498	0.498	0.000
39	J/127	Kokuvil South West	0.293	0.293	0.000
40	J/128	Kokuvil Center West	0.371	0.371	0.000
Total			33.619	33.36636	0.253

Source : Divisional Secretariat, Nallur

1.7: Local Authority Area and Police area wise details of GN Division – 2023

S.No	G.N.No	Local Authority area	Police Area
01	J/89	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
02	J/90	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
03	J/91	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
04	J/92	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
05	J/93	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
06	J/94	Pradeshiya Sabha & Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
07	J/95	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
08	J/96	Pradeshiya Sabha & Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
09	J/97	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
10	J/98	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
11	J/99	Pradeshiya Sabha & Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
12	J/100	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
13	J/101	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
14	J/102	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
15	J/103	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
16	J/104	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
17	J/105	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
18	J/106	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
19	J/107	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
20	J/108	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
21	J/109	Municipal Council	Jaffna Police
22	J/110	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
23	J/111	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
24	J/112	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
25	J/113	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
26	J/114	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
27	J/115	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
28	J/116	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
29	J/117	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
30	J/118	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
31	J/119	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
32	J/120	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
33	J/121	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
34	J/122	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
35	J/123	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
36	J/124	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
37	J/125	Pradeshiya Sabha	Kopay Police
38	J/126	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
39	J/127	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
40	J/128	Pradeshiya Sabha	Jaffna Police
Source : Divisional Secretariat, Nallur			