


Dharmapuri Lok Sabha constituency

Coordinates: 12.1260°N 78.154°E﻿ / ﻿

| Dharmapuri | |
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| Lok Sabha constituency | |
|  <p>Dharmapuri constituency, post-2008 delimitation</p> | |
| Constituency details | |
| Country | India |
| Region | South India |
| State | Tamil Nadu |
| Assembly constituencies | Palacode Pennagaram Dharmapuri Pappireddippatti Harur Mettur |
| Established | 1977-present |
| Total electors | 14,84,027 ^[1] |
| Member of Parliament | |
| | 17th Lok Sabha |
| | Incumbent Dr Senthil Kumar |
| Party | DMK |
| Elected year | 2019 Election |

Dharmapuri is a Lok Sabha constituency in Tamil Nadu, India. Its Tamil Nadu Parliamentary Constituency number is 10 of 39.

Assembly segments

2009-present

| Constituency number | Name | Reserved for (SC/ST/None) | District | Party |
|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 57 | <u>Palacodu</u> | None | <u>Dharmapuri</u> | <u>AIADMK</u> |
| 58 | <u>Pennagaram</u> | None | | <u>PMK</u> |
| 59 | <u>Dharmapuri</u> | None | | <u>PMK</u> |
| 60 | <u>Pappireddippatti</u> | None | | <u>AIADMK</u> |
| 61 | <u>Harur</u> | SC | | <u>AIADMK</u> |
| 85 | <u>Mettur</u> | None | <u>Salem</u> | <u>PMK</u> |

Before 2009

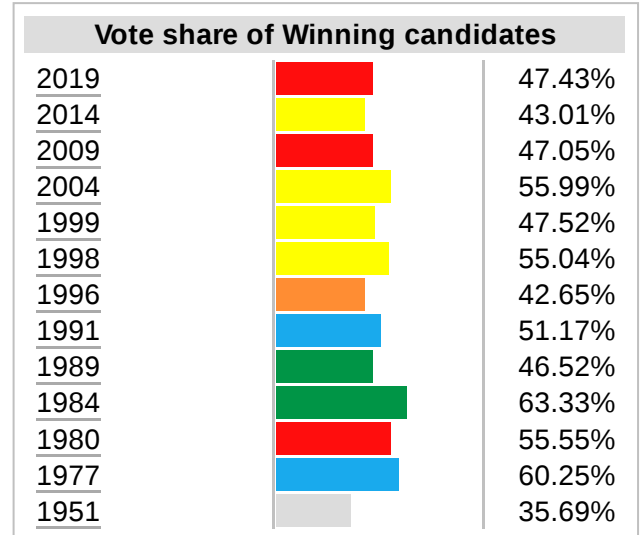
1. Harur (SC)
2. Morappur
3. Dharmapuri
4. Pennagaram
5. Mettur
6. Taramangalam

Members of the Parliament

| Year | Winner | Party |
|------|--|---|
| 1977 | <u>Vazhappady K. Ramamurthy</u> | <u>Indian National Congress</u> |
| 1980 | <u>K. Arjunan</u> | <u>Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam</u> |
| 1984 | <u>M. Thambi Durai</u> | <u>All India Anna Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam</u> |
| 1989 | <u>M. G. Sekhar</u> | |
| 1991 | <u>K. V. Thanga Balu</u> | <u>Indian National Congress</u> |
| 1996 | <u>P. Theertharaman</u> | <u>Tamil Maanila Congress</u> |
| 1998 | <u>K. Pary Mohan</u> | <u>Pattali Makkal Katchi</u> |
| 1999 | <u>P.D. Elangovan</u> | |
| 2004 | <u>R. Senthil</u> | |
| 2009 | <u>R. Thamaraiselvan</u> | <u>Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam</u> |
| 2014 | <u>Anbumani Ramadoss</u> | <u>Pattali Makkal Katchi</u> |
| 2019 | <u>Dr. S. Senthil Kumar</u> ^[2] | <u>Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam</u> |

Election results

General Elections 2019



2019 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| DMK | Dr. S. Senthilkumar | 574,988 | 46.96% | 30.61% |
| PMK | Anbumani Ramadoss | 5,04,235 | 41.18% | |
| Independent | P. Palaniappan | 53,655 | 4.38% | |
| NTK | R. Rukmanidevi | 19,674 | 1.61% | |
| MNM | D. Rajasekar | 15,614 | 1.28% | |
| NOTA | None Of The Above | 13,379 | 1.09% | -0.06% |
| Independent | Dr. S. Elango | 10,830 | 0.88% | |
| GPI | K. Annadhurai | 9,017 | 0.74% | |
| BSP | C. Sivanandham | 6,012 | 0.49% | -0.25% |
| Margin of victory | | 70,753 | 5.78% | -1.22% |
| Turnout | | 12,24,465 | 82.41% | 1.23% |
| Registered electors | | 14,85,804 | | |
| DMK gain from PMK | | Swing | 4.50% | |

General Elections 2014

2014 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|
| PMK | Anbumani Ramadoss | 468,194 | 42.46% | |
| AIADMK | P. S. Mohan | 3,91,048 | 35.46% | |
| DMK | R. Thamaraiselvan | 1,80,297 | 16.35% | -30.70% |
| INC | Rama Suganthan | 15,455 | 1.40% | |
| NOTA | None Of The Above | 12,693 | 1.15% | |

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|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------|---------|
| <u>BSP</u> | S. Rajinikanth | 8,180 | 0.74% | 0.04% |
| <u>Independent</u> | Dr. K. Padmarajan | 4,934 | 0.45% | |
| Margin of victory | | 77,146 | 7.00% | -10.49% |
| Turnout | | 11,02,703 | 81.18% | 8.49% |
| Registered electors | | 13,58,273 | | |
| <u>PMK gain from DMK</u> | | Swing | -4.59% | |

General Elections 2009

2009 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|
| <u>DMK</u> | <u>R. Thamaraiselvan</u> | 365,812 | 47.05% | |
| <u>PMK</u> | <u>Dr. R. Senthil</u> | 2,29,870 | 29.56% | |
| <u>DMDK</u> | V. Elangovan | 1,03,494 | 13.31% | |
| <u>KNMK</u> | G. Asokan | 15,333 | 1.97% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | A. Raja | 10,561 | 1.36% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | R. Mani | 9,982 | 1.28% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | Dr. K. Padmarajan | 5,571 | 0.72% | |
| <u>BSP</u> | V. Purusothaman | 5,445 | 0.70% | -0.18% |
| Margin of victory | | 1,35,942 | 17.48% | -12.95% |
| Turnout | | 10,69,601 | 72.69% | 17.89% |
| Registered electors | | 7,77,512 | | |
| <u>DMK gain from PMK</u> | | Swing | -8.94% | |

General Elections 2004

2004 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|
| <u>PMK</u> | <u>Dr. R. Senthil</u> | 397,540 | 55.99% | |
| <u>BJP</u> | <u>P. D. Elangovan</u> | 1,81,450 | 25.56% | |
| <u>JD(U)</u> | M. Munusamy (Alais) Thamilselvan | 62,960 | 8.87% | |
| <u>TNP</u> | M. Balasubramaniam | 23,553 | 3.32% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | V. P. Jaganathan | 10,968 | 1.54% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | D. Mahendran | 10,370 | 1.46% | |
| <u>BSP</u> | Kannan Kaliru | 6,220 | 0.88% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | Dr. K. Padmarajan | 5,161 | 0.73% | |
| Margin of victory | | 2,16,090 | 30.44% | 26.87% |
| Turnout | | 7,09,991 | 54.80% | -4.61% |

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| | Rejected ballots | 76 | 0.01% | |
| | Registered electors | 12,95,521 | | |
| | PMK hold | Swing | 8.47% | |

General Elections 1999

1999 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|
| PMK | P. D. Elangovan | 340,162 | 47.52% | |
| <u>AIADMK</u> | <u>K. P. Munusamy</u> | 3,14,622 | 43.96% | |
| <u>TMC(M)</u> | M. C. Rajendran | 26,681 | 3.73% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | V. Appavu Chetty | 20,125 | 2.81% | |
| <u>TNP</u> | C. Selvam | 12,215 | 1.71% | |
| | Margin of victory | 25,540 | 3.57% | -12.44% |
| | Turnout | 7,15,771 | 59.42% | -6.42% |
| | Registered electors | 12,26,879 | | 4.39% |
| | PMK gain from TMC(M) | Swing | 4.87% | |

General Elections 1998

1998 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|
| PMK | K. Pary Mohan | 341,917 | 55.04% | |
| <u>TMC(M)</u> | P. Theertharaman | 2,42,490 | 39.03% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | P. Venkatesan | 14,788 | 2.38% | |
| <u>UCPI</u> | P. K. Pattabiraman | 10,018 | 1.61% | |
| <u>BSP</u> | C. Jayaseelan | 5,693 | 0.92% | |
| <u>RJD</u> | A. Gopal Inamurasu | 3,185 | 0.51% | |
| | Margin of victory | 99,427 | 16.00% | -2.83% |
| | Turnout | 6,21,241 | 54.42% | -11.41% |
| | Registered electors | 11,75,234 | | |
| | PMK gain from TMC(M) | Swing | 12.38% | |

General Elections 1996

1996 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|---------------|-------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|
| TMC(M) | P. Theertharaman | 297,166 | 42.65% | |
| <u>INC</u> | M. P. Subramaniam | 1,65,920 | 23.82% | -27.36% |

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|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------|--------|
| <u>AIIC(T)</u> | K. Ramamurthy | 1,63,484 | 23.47% | |
| <u>MDMK</u> | P. Krishnan | 28,633 | 4.11% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | C. Chinnasamy | 12,495 | 1.79% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | A. Gopal Inamurasu | 8,283 | 1.19% | |
| <u>BJP</u> | P. S. Arumugam | 6,060 | 0.87% | |
| Margin of victory | | 1,31,246 | 18.84% | -5.07% |
| Turnout | | 6,96,696 | 65.83% | 0.86% |
| Registered electors | | 11,22,427 | | |
| <u>TMC(M) gain from INC</u> | | Swing | -8.52% | |

General Elections 1991

1991 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | <u>±%</u> |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|-----------|
| <u>INC</u> | <u>K. V. Thangkabalu</u> | 322,138 | 51.17% | |
| <u>PMK</u> | <u>P. D. Elangovan</u> | 1,71,649 | 27.27% | |
| <u>JD</u> | R. Manickam | 1,39,919 | 22.23% | |
| <u>DMK</u> | M. Kandasamy | 1,25,365 | 19.91% | -2.80% |
| <u>THMM</u> | M. Annamalai | 3,055 | 0.49% | |
| Margin of victory | | 1,50,489 | 23.90% | 7.26% |
| Turnout | | 6,29,532 | 64.98% | -3.53% |
| Registered electors | | 10,05,354 | | |
| <u>INC gain from AIADMK</u> | | Swing | 4.65% | |

General Elections 1989

1989 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | <u>±%</u> |
|----------------------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| <u>AIADMK</u> | <u>M. G. Sekhar</u> | 315,921 | 46.52% | -16.81% |
| <u>PMK</u> | B. D. Elangovan | 2,02,901 | 29.88% | |
| <u>DMK</u> | M. Kandasamy | 1,54,220 | 22.71% | |
| Margin of victory | | 1,13,020 | 16.64% | -12.09% |
| Turnout | | 6,79,098 | 68.51% | -2.23% |
| Registered electors | | 10,08,221 | | |
| <u>AIADMK hold</u> | | Swing | -16.81% | |

General Elections 1984

1984 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|
| <u>AIADMK</u> | <u>M. Thambidurai</u> | 333,427 | 63.33% | |
| <u>CPI</u> | <u>Parvathi Krishnan</u> | 1,82,175 | 34.60% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | <u>P. V. Devakumarvarma</u> | 10,854 | 2.06% | |
| Margin of victory | | 1,51,252 | 28.73% | 11.01% |
| Turnout | | 5,26,456 | 70.74% | 15.32% |
| Registered electors | | 7,80,371 | | |
| <u>AIADMK gain from DMK</u> | | Swing | 7.79% | |

General Elections 1980

1980 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|
| <u>DMK</u> | <u>K. Arjunan</u> | 209,603 | 55.55% | |
| <u>JP</u> | <u>G. Bhuvarahan</u> | 1,42,732 | 37.83% | |
| <u>JP(S)</u> | <u>K. Nallasamy</u> | 13,794 | 3.66% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | <u>C. Ganesan</u> | 5,020 | 1.33% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | <u>Kandhan</u> | 2,525 | 0.67% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | <u>Thangaraj</u> | 2,188 | 0.58% | |
| Margin of victory | | 66,871 | 17.72% | -8.82% |
| Turnout | | 3,77,330 | 55.42% | -9.29% |
| Registered electors | | 6,94,088 | | |
| <u>DMK gain from INC</u> | | Swing | -4.70% | |

General Elections 1977

1977 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------|----|
| <u>INC</u> | <u>Vazhappady K. Ramamurthy</u> | 239,908 | 60.25% | |
| <u>INC(O)</u> | <u>P. Ponnuswami</u> | 1,34,222 | 33.71% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | <u>P. Kalianna Gounder</u> | 19,034 | 4.78% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | <u>T. V. Anganna Chettiar</u> | 4,999 | 1.26% | |
| Margin of victory | | 1,05,686 | 26.54% | |
| Turnout | | 3,98,163 | 64.70% | |
| Registered electors | | 6,31,245 | | |
| <u>INC win (new seat)</u> | | | | |

General Elections 1951

1951–52 Indian general election : Dharmapuri

| Party | Candidate | Votes | % | ±% |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|
| <u>Independent</u> | N. Satyanathan | 66,216 | 35.69% | |
| <u>INC</u> | K. Subramanian | 61,570 | 33.18% | 33.18% |
| <u>Independent</u> | R. K. Gurunatha Chettiar | 34,432 | 18.56% | |
| <u>Independent</u> | M. C. Natesa Chettiar | 23,327 | 12.57% | |
| Margin of victory | | 4,646 | 2.50% | |
| Turnout | | 1,85,545 | 51.53% | |
| Registered electors | | 3,60,076 | | |
| <u>Independent</u> win (new seat) | | | | |

See also

- Dharmapuri
- List of constituencies of the Lok Sabha

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