# **BEST PRACTICES**

# 1. Qualitative And Quantitative Up gradation Of Library As Well As Promotion Of Virtual Learning

## **Objectives:**

- ✓ To provide remote access to a variety of national and international content.
- ✓ To inculcate the habit of reading among children as well as to provide documents to supplement teaching and learning.
- ✓ To collect, organize and collate print and digital information and Disseminate at the point of care and for future.

#### **Context:**

Library plays a crucial role in college education and virtual learning by providing access to a vast array of resources including books, journals, data bases and multimedia materials. They serve as hubs for research, study and collaboration, Offering students and faculty a quiet space to concentrate and engage with information. Libraries are indispensable in facility the acquisition of knowledge and fastening academic success in both traditional and online learning environment.

#### **Practice:**

In qualitative and quantitative up gradation of library our college has provided Wi-Fi facility in library and maintained a full setup for reading for girls as well as boys. Special reading room has been provided to students. In library a special and separate setup for teachers is maintained. Each year a large number of books (text books as well as competitive books, magazines) are added to library. Library development committee meets every year to make improvements in library. College has subscribe to various e-journals, e-shodh sindhu, Shodhganga membership, e-books, Databases, N-list/INFLIBNET and large number of CDs and DVDs of educational content. College has set up E-resource centre within library with 8 computers equipped with Wi-Fi, internet facility.

#### **Problems faced:**

Being a small college generation of funds is the biggest problem encountered us. Training the staff to cop up with installation of software as well as operating the system was another problem.

# 2. Financial and Non Financial Support To Girl Students.

# **Objectives:**

- ✓ To promote education in rural areas
- ✓ To participate in the initiative of women empowerment

#### **Context:**

Girl education is crucial for achieving gender equality, promoting economic development and breaking the cycle of poverty, when girls are educated, they are more likely to contribute to their communities, participate in the workforce and make informed decisions about their health and family planning. Educated girls tend to marry later have fewer children and invest more in their children's education, creating a positive ripple effect for future generations. Additionally educating girls empowers them to advocate for their rights and pursue their ambitions, aspirations leading to more prosperous societies.

#### **Practice:**

College has established scholarship committee to help students in completing their graduations. Time to time information regarding scholarships and the eligibility criteria are informed to students. Apart from this fee concession is also a practice in college. Book Bank facility is a highlight point of the college through which books are provided especially to girl students for the whole course. Every year a large collection of textbooks is arranged for the students. Library development committee makes arrangements for the textbooks, magazines, newspaper for the up gradation of knowledge of students.

# **Impact of Practice:**

Despite of having a girl college in neighborhood number of girl student has increased year by year in our college. This has lower down the drop out ratio of students.

#### **Hurdles Faced:**

Arrangement of funds is the major problem in providing financial assistance to students. But even then College has managed to provide financial and non financial aid to students.

# 3. Environmentally Sustainable Campus

# **Objectives:**

## > Inspiring Innovation:

To encourage the development and adoption of innovative, practices and approaches that promotes environmental sustainability and resilience.

### **Educating future generation:**

Instill environmental awareness and value in children and youth to ensure that future generations are equipped to address environmental challenges and contribute to a more sustainable future.

#### **Context:**

The need for environmental sustainability arises from the urgent necessity to preserve our planet's resources, ecosystems and biodiversity for current and future generations. It's essential for mitigating climate change, protecting natural habitats, ensuring access to clean air and water and promoting social equity and economic stability. Without sustainability practices, we risk Irreversible damage to the environment and jeopardizing the well being of all lives on earth. Our students, faculty members and administrative staff are involved in implementing eco friendly practices.

#### **Practices:**

- > Plantation drive
- ➤ Awareness rally on green planet
- > Competition on best out of waste
- Save electricity campaign
- Swachhata Abhiyan
- ➤ Slogan writing competition
- ➤ Cleanliness camps in college
- ➤ Ban on use of polythene
- > Lectures on sensitization and cleanliness
- > Essay writing competitions
- > Slogan writing competitions
- > Painting and rangoli making competitions

# 4. Environmental movement

## **Objective of the Practice:**

- > To promote understanding towards conservation of environment and natural resources
- ➤ Fostering appreciation and respect for the natural world and It's ecosystems, biodiversity and services they provide to humanity.

## Context that required for the initiation of the practice

Environmental awareness is crucial because it help individuals and societies understanding the impact of their actions on the environment. It promotes sustainable practices, conservation efforts and the protection of ecosystem, biodiversity and natural resources for future generation. Additional, heightened environmental awareness can lead to policy changes, technological advancements and community initiatives aimed at mitigating environmental degradation and addressing Global challenges like climate change, pollution and Habitat destruction. So a need was felt to create awareness among the students as well as society.

#### **Practice:**

College has conducted various programs with the help of Eco club, NSS and NCC volunteers, students and faculty members of college. At the initial stage one day camp, general awareness drive on conservation of environment and cleanliness and plantation were organised in college campus as well as in local area. Large number of students participated and carried forward the message to nearby villages and locality. College administration to help from banks Government and non government organizations for support and participation. NSS, women cell, Eco club, tobacco club organised various competitions on environment awareness like poster making, poem recitation and rally's on green environment safe environment.

# **Obstacles Faced And Strategies Adopted:**

The problems faced during the campaign were lack of motivation among learners, local people and their emphasis on just theoretical knowledge. Our volunteers faced lack of engagement from the local parties where green environment campaign were organised.

#### **Impact of the Practice**

Although we faced obstacles in the path of our initiative but even then we can proudly say that our campaign, our efforts brought a change in the mind set of students and local public. We started at institution level and slowly we got success in reaching at nearby villages and became able to make a great change in their mind sets. Students took training in camps organised under swachh Bharat mission for community service. Our practices successfully held in building an alignment and integration between the thinking and doing. We believe that if such kind of practices could be launched at grass root level then only citizens of the country can bring a great change and we can make our Earth a green planet clean planet.

## 5. Out Reach Program

#### **Objective:-**

Outreach programs are conducted for making a rapport between college students and society at large. We conduct rallys for creating awareness in the society on social issues, problems their causes, their impact on health and environment and how to cure them.

#### **Context:**

India being a young country so we believe that its only youth who can be a changing factor in our society and nation at large. To make youth aware about poverty, unemployment, child labour, drug addiction, caste system. We believe that nuked natak, awareness rallys, one day, seven days camps, speech competitions and such other activities should be organised. these practices also helps in creating leadership skills, teamwork skills.

#### **Practice:**

NSS units, NCC units, women cell, eco club, Tabacco club, Swachhta Action Plan committees of our college works enthusiastracely to plan and conduct awareness camps and activities on regularly basis to make students aware on social issues and finding out the solutions. NSS units have made a practice to conduct one day and seven days camps every year. Eco club, Tobacco club and Swachhata Action plan club regularly organize oath ceremonies and poster making competitions. Students participate in sensitization programs, students learn self less service, team work and leadership skills.