

Institutional Distinctiveness

The college's main goal is to impart education to improve society. Similar to a lighthouse, the institution directs the ideology of fostering a robust human resource that is equipped with material, intellectual, moral, and spiritual resources. The organization keeps disseminating knowledge with equality and impartial attitude. As the institution is the co-ed one in this semi-urban area, college teaches both girl and boy students to understand the importance of both male and female in nation building. In order to enhance the quality of the institutions' academic offerings, two streams are offered to the student – arts and commerce. There are different subjects offered with internal choices. For tackling the need of future, computer classes are also offered. For the students' overall development talks by guests and different academicians are conducted. These programs are the main means of delivering the practical experience required for university curriculum as well as in their personal growth. As a result of the institutes' extension and outreach programs, which include first aid training, yoga, meditation, and other topics, students, are consistently involved in blood donation, tree planting, aids awareness, and Swachhta Abhiyan in different villages. These efforts are aimed at instilling moral, human, and spiritual values in students. Students of college take part enthusiastically in zonal, university, district, state and college level academic activities. As DAV College, Pundri is surrounded by many villages, so students which come from these rural areas get a chance to learn basic knowledge of how to groom them academically as well as personally.

As these students get admission to attain professional success in their future, so the distinctive part of an educational institution should imparting education as it remains an important benchmark factor for institutional achievement, so the main objective of college here is the satisfaction of students. Thus the College focuses on cultivating students' curiosity, interest, optimism, and passion for learning both within and outside of the classroom. Furthermore, the institution is devoted to increase student participation to guarantee that students obtain the necessary skills and competencies to build their physical, social, and emotional skills. Students participate in co-curricular and extension activities such as sports, quizzes, speeches/debate, poster making, slogan/essay writing competitions and cultural events, which are often conducted at the college and university level. The College promotes leadership abilities among students by organizing events and appointing class representatives to subject societies, committees, and clubs. The overall goal is to build learning environments that enable and motivate students to engage in active learning through effective teaching and ICT utilization.

Another focus of the college is to the field of women's empowerment. For this reason, the institution places a high emphasis on increasing and strengthening women's participation in education, as education is the only key to unlock a variety of potential elements for women's empowerment, prosperity, development, and welfare. The institute has equipped itself with all current technology to protect the safety and security of female students on campus. As a result, CCTV cameras have been put at strategic sites and locations to monitor all activity in the college. The anti-ragging cell also actively works with its attentive mechanism to prevent any act that might be classified as sexual harassment, eve teasing, or similar. Different cells also conduct poster competitions and programmes on social concerns such as crime against women, domestic abuse, female foeticide, value of the girl child, and so on.

DAV College, Pundri follows the prophetic vision of Mahatma Hasraj, who in newly built nation, India, brought the idea of introducing education with Western and Indian ethics. As Mahatma Hansraj Ji was an Indian educationist and a follower of Arya Samaj Movement founder, Swami Dayanand, so DAV College also follows the ideas of Swami Dayanand. Satyarth Praksh by Swami Dayanand, has remained a source of motivation and knowledge for the college. College keeps copies of Satyarth Praksh in college library for students and has a tradition to honors academicians, guest lecturers and students with the holy book. In the continuation of following the tradition of DAV, college has a Yagshala, where every session starts with a Yag by principal along with teachers and students.

The National Cadet Corps is a nationwide organization that trains college students in human values and ethics. It also develops a youthful talent pool of potential future military personnel who may serve their country. Student cadets from the NCC unit of the college take part in a variety of local and national events. Along with serving as student volunteers in events like the Plus Polio Campaign and Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao on International Yoga Day, some of these include Adventure Camp, Army Attachment Camp, Basic Leadership Camp, Combined Annual Training Camp, Drill March Past Parade on Independence Day, International Yoga Day Celebrations, March Past Parade Republic Day, RD Camp, and National Integration Camp. NSS unit of the college conducts activities like Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao and Swachhta Abhiyan which helps our students in understanding the value of these initiatives in bringing change in the society. NSS one day camp teaches students to work in collaboration with others and to understand the importance of unity. Seven days camp of NSS teaches students to develop a civic and social responsibility skill. It teaches them to understand their position in society and its needs. These day-night camps boost students' self-esteem, sense of responsibility, and empathy for others' needs. The value of green initiative also get recognition and motivation by IQAC every year and execution of various initiatives like drives for Tree plantation, Say No to Plastic and Cleanliness Drives get place in college's every year plan.