

## 7.2 Best Practices

**Title of the Practice:** Awareness to career opportunities

**The context that requires the initiation of practice** Unemployment and cut throat competition in working industry impinges to initiate this practice of career counselling. Thus Career counselling is dire need of students. Our college started this practice to help students to succeed in their future.

**Objectives of the practice are:**

1. To make students aware about different careers available
2. To help them to choose right career according to their interest, aptitude and ability.
3. To get the right guidance for taking right decision at right time.

**The Practice** Career and Counselling Cell is an integral unit of our institution. Two senior teachers are members of this cell. They time to time guide and counsel students about various career options available. Following programs were organised in this context:

1. "Wellness and Career Opportunities" on Nov. 25, 2017
2. Visit to Swami Satyanand College of Management and Technology on Feb. 22, 2018
3. Career Guidance for Government jobs on Feb. 24, 2018
4. Extension Lecture on "Business Management Alternatives" on April 07, 2018
5. A seminar-cum-workshop on "How to crack competitive Exam" on April 14, 2018

**Detail of students participated in the program**

Academic year	No. of students participated
2017-18	210

**Organisation** It is organised under the aegis of Career and Counselling Cell of the College. It is headed by two senior teachers. Program is personally cared, maintained and evaluated by Principal Madam herself.

**Obstacles faced if any and strategies to overcome** It has been tried that program should benefit maximum benefits. Both material and learning resources were required which were managed by the institution.

**Impact of the practice** The practice has impact that almost 210 students benefited from this program. It is an effect to ensure equity instead of equality alone.

**Resources Required** Following resources would help us to perform this duty in more effective way:

1. More volunteering of teachers.
2. Internal Evaluation of the program.
3. Funds to organise such program.

  
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### **Title of the Practice: Strengthening Ties with Community.**

**The context that requires the initiation of practice** To cultivate a sense of social responsibility among the students and inspire them for community services. Our college initiative this practice community service is exactly what it sounds like – services that one does to benefit the community. It is evident that educational institution and community should work closely with each other to meet their mutual goals. The college tries to provide plenty of opportunities for those with particular skills to apply them to community services.

**The Practice** Institution organised following programs under NSS department of the college. NSS department comprised of a senior faculty member and NSS students who have joined NSS Voluntarily.

1. Free medical check-up camp on Dec. 27, 2017.
2. One day camp at village "Kirtangarh Thande" on April 21, 2018.

### **Detail of students participated in the program**

Academic year	No. of students participated
2017-18	170

**Organisation** It is organised by NSS department of the college. Mrs. Savita Rampal is the head of NSS department. Programs were cared, maintained and evaluated by her personally.

**Obstacles faced if any and strategies to overcome** It has been tried that program should benefit and develop the sense of service to community among them. Though material and learning resources were required but that were managed by the institution and NSS department together. Initially, students have apprehension about the purpose of camp but later they have a sense of satisfaction.

**Impact of the practice** The practice has following impact:

1. Society and students faith with each other enhanced a lot.
2. It was an effort to bring society close to the institution.
3. Confidence of teachers in this venture has gone miles ahead.
4. Appreciation of the villagers and confidence in the institution.

**Resources Required** Following resources would help us to perform this duty in more effective way:

1. More volunteering of students.
2. More funds can work wonder.
3. Continuity and internal evaluation of the program.



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