

# **GOPABANDHU SCIENCE COLLEGE, ATHGARH**

## **BEST PRACTICES 2016-17**

### **TITLE OF THE PRACTICES - ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

1. The Main objective is to lead a healthy life which is only possible if the surrounding is clean and well-protected. So, the slogan Go Green Live green.
2. The environment protection awareness among the students is of paramount importance. So, awareness of energy saving, cleanliness, hygiene is incorporated.

#### **CONTEXT**

1. Each student is made conscious about caring and nurturing the surrounding through various awareness programs. This literacy drive has great impact in the long run.

#### **PRACTICE**

Each student has been imbued with the idea of keeping the surrounding clean. The novel idea of devoting some time to keep the campus clean is well practised by the students.

Apart from the college administration, the students participate in disposing plastic items, polythene, food wrappers, dried leaves, twigs, papers etc. into the dustbins which are further disposed by recycling them.

**KEEP GREEN:** Massive plantation drive is undertaken by the students during the VANA MAHOTSAVA week. A small garden is maintained in front of the library. Herbal medicinal plants are planted in the herbal garden of the Botany Department. Conservation of energy is also practised by switching off all the electrical gadgets when not in use.

#### **EVIDENCE OF SUCCESS**

1. The campus is kept clean. Students are groomed up to become good and conscious citizens with proper mannerism.
2. A good medicinal garden with rare useful and herb exists in the science block.
3. Students are conscious of using herbs in food, as medicines and cosmetic purpose from different plants

#### **PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED AND RESOURCES REQUIRED**

1. High temperature and high humidity is a hurdle for all types of plant cultivation.
2. Shortage of man power in maintaining the garden.
3. Non-availability of funds is a great constraint.

#### **NOTES**

This environmental protection drive has drawn the media attention and consciousness in the public. Healthy remarks and appreciations have poured in from all sections of the society. This external cleanliness has had its reflection in the inner cleanliness development of the students. There is continuous learning through sustainable innovations. It develops values based aesthetic practice.

# **TITLE OF THE PRACTICE - INTERACTIVE PROGRAMS - STUDENTS AND EXPERTS FROM DIFFERENT FIELDS**

## **OBJECTIVES**

1. To invite eminent personalities from different workshop life
2. A direct exposition to the students which has lasting impression on them.
3. To share their feelings with these great personalities.
4. To overcome the inhibition of fear and timidity.
5. Development of the curiosity and inquisitive ability.

## **CONTEXT**

Traditional classroom teaching and formal seminar are not sufficient to develop the soft skills of the students. Students coming from this semi-urban background have various limitations. interaction with such learned personalities from different walks of life boost their moral courage, confidence, knowledge and goes a long way in the overall development of their personality.

## **THE PRACTICE**

It helps both the students as well as the faculties to enhance their knowledge on that particular area with utmost care and attention. Various experts like scientists, doctors, social workers, defense personnel, forest officers, business experts, bank managers, psychologists, police officials are invited. The deliberations have a great impact on the students.

## **EVIDENCE OF SUCCESS**

1. Value based knowledge is infused in the students.
2. Performance levels of the students have increased in different competitive examination.
3. Students have developed the thirst for knowledge.

## **PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED AND RESOURCES REQUIRED**

1. Requirement of more funds to meet the challenge of the programme.
2. with heavy workload, due to shortage of staff, time management poses a problem in conducting frequent interactive programs.
- 3 Heavy syllabus and examination poses another threat to conduct such programs.

## **NOTES**

Programs are organised occasionally which do not suffice the queries of the students coming from semi urban background. So, efforts are being taken to organise these programs regularly to enable the students to heighten their confidence and act as eye-opener on various subjects.