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Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR)

(As per Guidelines Revised in October 2013)

2016-2017





JANSEVA SAMITI SANCHALIT

Shri M. D. Shah Mahila College of Arts and Commerce

NAAC RE-ACCREDITED 'A' GRADE WITH CGPA: 3.11
(Affiliated to S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai)
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Vision

To enlighten and empower women to become instrumental in enhancing the quality of society.

Mission

- > To provide quality education without discrimination to one and all.
- > To prepare economically and socially independent, value oriented citizens.
- > To develop competent, confident and positively inclined individuals.
- $\,>\,$ To expose academically weak students to go for higher education.
- > To encourage and help economically deprived students for higher studies.



The Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) of the IQAC

All NAAC accredited institutions will submit an annual self-reviewed progress report to NAAC, through its IQAC. The report is to detail the tangible results achieved in key areas, specifically identified by the institutional IQAC at the beginning of the academic year. The AQAR will detail the results of the perspective plan worked out by the IQAC. (Note: The AQAR period would be the Academic Year. For example, July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013)

Part - A

AQAR for the year (for example 2013-14)

2016-2017

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1. Details of the mistituti		
1.1 Name of the Institution	JANSEVA SAMITI SANCHALIT SHRI M. D. SHAH MAHILA COLLEGE OF	ARTS AND COMMERCE
1.2 Address Line 1	B.J. PATEL ROAD,	
Address Line 2	NEAR LIBERTY GARDEN, MALAD (WEST),	
City/Town	MUMBAI	
State	MAHARASHTRA	
Pin Code	400064	
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Tel. No. with STD Code:	022-28824860 / 28831622	



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Mobile:

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1.3 NAAC Track ID (For ex. MHCOGN 18879)

MHCONGN10155

OR

EC/47/RAR/02

1.4 NAAC Executive Committee No. & Date:

(For Example EC/32/A&A/143 dated 3-5-2004. This EC no. is available in the right corner- bottom of your institution's Accreditation Certificate)

1.5 Website address:

www.mdsmc.ac.in

http://www.mdshahmahilacollege.ac.in/iqac/internal-quality-assurance-cell.htm

Web-link of the AQAR:

1.6 Accreditation Details

Sl. No.	Cycle	Grade	CGPA	Year of Accreditatio n	Validity Period
1	1st Cycle	B++	80-85%	2002	5 YRS
2	2 nd Cycle	A	3.03	2009	5 YRS
3	3 rd Cycle	A	3.11	2014	5 YRS
4	4th Cycle				

1.7 Date of Establishment of IQAC:

DD/MM/YYYY

15/10/2004



1.8 Details of the previous year's AQAR submitted to NAAC after the latest Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC ((for example AQAR 2010-11submitted to NAAC on 12-10-2011)
i. AQAR 14/07/2009 ii. AQAR 01/08/2010 iii. AQAR 18/08/2011 iv. AQAR 15/07/2012 v. AQAR 26/07/2014 vi. AQAR 24/09/2015
vii. AQAR 20/09/2016
1.9 Institutional Status
University State Central Deemed Private
Affiliated College Yes Vo No
Constituent College Yes No
Autonomous college of UGC Yes No
Regulatory Agency approved Institution Yes No
(eg. AICTE, BCI, MCI, PCI, NCI)
Type of Institution Co-education Men Women
Urban
Financial Status Grant-in-aid \checkmark UGC 2(f) \checkmark UGC 12B \checkmark
Grant-in-aid + Self Financing Totally Self-financing
1.10 Type of Faculty/Programme
Arts Science Commerce Law PEI (Phys Edu)
TEI (Edu) Engineering Health Science Management
Others (Specify) Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA) Bachelor of Mass Media (BMM)



1.11 Name of the Affiliating University (for the College	1.11	Name	of the	Affiliating	University	(for the	Colleges
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S.N.D.T. WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY, MUMBAI

1.12 Special status conferred by Central/ State	Government UGC/CSIR/DST/DBT/ICMR etc
Autonomy by State/Central Govt. / University	ity
University with Potential for Excellence	UGC-CPE
DST Star Scheme	UGC-CE
UGC-Special Assistance Programme	DST-FIST
UGC-Innovative PG programmes	Any other (Specify)
UGC-COP Programmes	✓
2. IQAC Composition and Activitie	<u>s</u>
2.1 No. of Teachers	11
2.2 No. of Administrative/Technical staff	1
2.3 No. of students	2
2.4 No. of Management representatives	1
2.5 No. of Alumni	1
2. 6 No. of any other stakeholder and	1
community representatives	
2.7 No. of Employers/ Industrialists	
2.8 No. of other External Experts	1
2.9 Total No. of members	18
2.10 No. of IQAC meetings held	4
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2.11 No. of meetings with various stakeholders: No. 18 Faculty 04	
Non-Teaching Staff Students 02 Alumni 02 Others 10	
2.12 Has IQAC received any funding from UGC during the year? Yes V	
If yes, mention the amount 60,000	
2.13 Seminars and Conferences (only quality related)	
(i) No. of Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops/Symposia organized by the IQAC	
Total Nos. 02 ternational National state stitution Level	02
(ii) Themes a) Training of staff in SPS package b) Sustainable quality measures in Higher Education	
2.14 Significant Activities and contributions made by IQAC	
Arrangement of workshop : On quality related aspects Enhancement of IT enabled room	

2.15 Plan of Action by IQAC/Outcome

The plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the year towards quality enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the year *

Plan of Action	Achievements		
Arrangement of Workshop on Quality Related Aspects	Workshops / Seminar Conducted a) Seminar on 'Sustainable Quality Measues in Higher Education'. b) Seminar on 'Skills of writing a Research oriented article in the field of Humanities and Social Science.' c) Workshop on 'Leadership Skills' for Class representatives, Grievance representatives, Health representatives, Discipline Incharge. d) Adding Life to Life: Unlocking Happiness		
	d) Adding Life to Life: Unlocking Happiness Genes – Empathy and Conflict Resolution.		



2. Audit of Department	External Audit of all the department.
3. Promote & encourage faculty members to attend the Seminars and Workshop	a) Four faculty member presented at BEQET competition on Towards Better Health of Young Women Students through detection and Management of Anaemia and Thalassemia.
 Promote & encourage faculty and Administrative Staff members to participate the quality related competitions. 	a) Administrative Staff presented a poster on AAA-A step Towards Total Quality Education and Won the First Prize in the NAAC sponsored National Conference on Academic and Administrative Audit at. K. J. Somaiya College of Science and Commerce.

2.15 Whether the AQAR was placed in	n statutory body Yes 🗸 No 🔃
Management	Syndicate Any other body
Provide the details of the a	action taken



Criterion - I

1. Curricular Aspects

1.1 Details about Academic Programmes

Level of the Programme	Number of existing Programmes	Number of programmes added during the year	Number of self-financing programmes	Number of value added / Career Oriented programmes
PhD	0	0	0	0
PG	02	0	02	0
UG	06	0	04	0
PG Diploma	0	0	0	0
Advanced Diploma	03	0	03	03
Diploma	03	0	03	03
Certificate	03	0	03	03
Others	01	0	01	01
Total	18	0	16	10
Interdisciplinary	0	0	0	0
Innovative	0	0	0	0

1.2	(i) Flexibility of the	Curriculum: CE	CS/Core/Elective option	/ Open options
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(ii) Pattern of programmes:

Pattern	Number of programmes
Semester	08
Trimester	0
Annual	9+1 (COP Prog. at 3 levels)

1.3 Feedback from stakeholders* Alumni (On all aspects)	Parents	Employers	Students 🗸
Mode of feedback : Online ✓	anual	operating scho	ools (for PEI)
*Please provide an analysis of the feedback in th	e Annexure		
1.4 Whether there is any revision/update of reaspects.	egulation or sy	yllabi, if yes, mentio	on their salient
Yes, the syllabi for II Year Degree course of	Arts were restr	uctured.	
1.5 Any new Department/Centre introduced of	luring the yea	r. If yes, give details	s.
NO			
			-

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Criterion - II

2. Teaching, Learning and Evaluation

2.1 Total No. of permanent faculty

Total	Asst. Professors	Associate Professors	Professors	Others
41	15	24	01	1(Principal)

2.2 No. of permanent faculty with Ph.D.

17 + 4 PG

2.3 No. of Faculty Positions Recruited (R) and Vacant (V) during the year

Asst Prof	essors	Asso Profe	ciate essors	Prof	essors	Othe	ers	Tota	ıl
R	V	R	V	R	V	R	V	R	V
0	09	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	09

2.4 No. of Guest and Visiting faculty and Temporary facult

23	17	11	
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2.5 Faculty participation in conferences and symposia:

No. of Faculty	International level	National level	State level
Attended	1	42	31
Presented	14	33	04
Resource Persons	00	01	08

- 2.6 Innovative processes adopted by the institution in Teaching and Learning:
 - 1) Study Tours to places of Academic Importance
 - 2) Visit to literary fest 3) Reading Club 4) Film Shows
 - 5) Interactive Session with eminent personality
 - 6) Inter collegiate competition 7) Workshop for Students
 - 8) Industrial Visits 9) Theater Activities 10) Street Play
- 2.7 Total No. of actual teaching days during this academic year

180

2.8 Examination/ Evaluation Reforms initiated by the Institution (for example: Open Book Examination, Bar Coding Double Valuation, Photocopy, Online Multiple Choice Questions)

a) Internal Vigilance Squad
 b)Strict rules displayed on notice board to be followed by students during examination

2.9 No. of faculty members involved in curriculum restructuring/revision/syllabus development as member of Board of Study/Faculty/Curricul

04	00	00	

as member of Board of Study/Faculty/Curriculum Development workshop



2.10 Average percentage of attendance of students

75%

2.11 Course/Programme wise

distribution of pass percentage:

Title of the Programme	Total no. of students		D	ivision		
	appeared	Distinction %	I %	II %	III %	Pass %
TYBA	402	01	11	65	0.25	77.25%
TYBCOM	303	0.5	8.25	55	0	63.75%
TYBMS	46	4	61	24	0	89.00%
TYBCA	31	18	45	20	0	83.00%
TYBMM	35	69	29	2	0	100.00%
TY BAFI	65	17	43	32	0	92.00%

2.12 How does IQAC Contribute/Monitor/Evaluate the Teaching & Learning processes:

The Academic Council of the college under the Education Excellence and Leadership Cell monitors the Teaching-learning process through the Heads of the Departments. In addition the annual audit of the academic department is conducted to assess the progress of each department.

2.13 Initiatives undertaken towards faculty development

Faculty / Staff Development Programmes	Number of faculty benefitted
Refresher courses	00
UGC – Faculty Improvement Programme	00
HRD programmes	00
Orientation programmes	00
Faculty exchange programme	01
Staff training conducted by the university	01
Staff training conducted by other institutions	01
Summer / Winter schools, Workshops, etc.	01
Others	01

2.14 Details of Administrative and Technical staff

Category	Number of Permanent Employees	Number of Vacant Positions	Number of permanent positions filled during the Year	Number of positions filled temporarily
Administrative Staff	62	10	00	00
Technical Staff	01	00	00	00



Criterion - III

3. Research, Consultancy and Extension

- 3.1 Initiatives of the IQAC in Sensitizing/Promoting Research Climate in the institution
 - · Workshop Arranged for Students
 - · Method of Research / Research designing
 - Inter departmental research competition
 - · Students presented paper on eminent authors
 - Inter collegiate research paper presentation
- 3.2 Details regarding major projects

	Completed	Ongoing	Sanctioned	Submitted
Number	00	0	0	0
Outlay in Rs. Lakhs	0	0	0	0

3.3 Details regarding minor projects

	Completed	Ongoing	Sanctioned	Submitted
Number	0	0	0	0
Outlay in Rs. Lakhs	0	0	0	0

3.4 Details on research publications

	International	National	Others
Peer Review Journals	00	02	00
Non-Peer Review Journals	00	02	00
e-Journals	00	00	00
Conference proceedings	00	10	00

3.5 Details on Impact factor of publications:

Range	X	Average	Х	h-index	х	Nos. in SCOPUS	Х	1
	2007				100.00		1000	_

3.6 Research funds sanctioned and received from various funding agencies, industry and other organisations

Nature of the Project	Duration Year	Name of the funding Agency	Total grant sanctioned	Received
Major projects	0	0	0	0
Minor Projects	0	0	0	0
Interdisciplinary Projects	0	0	0	0
Industry sponsored	0	0	0	0
Projects sponsored by the University/ College	0	1	0	0
Students research projects (other than compulsory by the University)	0	0	0	0
Any other(Specify)	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0



3.7 No. of books published i) V	With ISBN No.	00	Cha	apters in E	dited Bo	ooks 03	
ii) With	out ISBN No.	00					
3.8 No. of University Departmen	nts receiving f	funds from					
UGC-:	SAP X	CAS [Х	_	-FIST ΓSchem	ne/funds X	
3.9 For colleges Auton INSPIRE		CPE [X ny (DBT St	ar Sche	eme X	=
3.10 Revenue generated throug	h consultancy	NIL					
3.11 No. of conferences	Level	Internatio	nal	National	State	University	College
organized by the	Number			2			01
Institution	Sponsoring			ICHR			07
Histitution	agencies			UGC			-
3.12 No. of faculty served as expanding and served as expanding as expanding and served as expanding a	Internation of this year for current year from I	cional 04	Na	ational 00		Any other [01
3.16 No. of patents received th	is year						
	Type of Pat	- National Control of the Control of			umber		
	National	App			NIL		
		Gran			NIL		
	International	App			NIL NIL		
		Ann			NIL		
	Commercialis	sed Grai			NIL		



3.17 No. of research awards/ recognitions $\,$ received by faculty and research fellows $\,$ Of the institute in the year

Total	International	National	State	Universit y	Dist	College
	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	1	1

3.18 No. of faculty from the Institution who are Ph. D. Guides	3
and students registered under them	6

3.19 No. of Ph.D. awarded by faculty from the Institution	00
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3.20 No. of Resear	ch schola	ars receivii	ng the F	Fellowships (Newly	enrol	led + existing ones	s)
JRF	00	SRF	00	Project Fellows	00	Any other	00

3 21 No	of students	Participated	in NSS	events.
J. L I 110.	or students	1 al ticipatcu	III I I I J J	CVCIILS.

University level	300	State level	01
National level	01	International level	00

3.22 No. of students participated in NCC events:

University level	52	State level	52
National level	52	International level	00

3.23 No. of Awards won in NSS:

University level	00	State level	00
National level	00	International level	00

3.24 No. of Awards won in NCC:

University level	00	State level	00	
National level	01	International level	00	1



3.25 No. of Extension activities organized

University forum 00 College forum 00 NCC 05 NSS 32 Any other 11

- 3.26 Major Activities during the year in the sphere of extension activities and Institutional Social Responsibility
- a) Tree Plantation
- b) Cleanliness Drive
- c) Enrolment of Youth in Voters List
- d) Recycling of waste
- e) Intergeneration interaction _ IGI 2015-17



Criterion - IV

4. Infrastructure and Learning Resources

4.1 Details of increase in infrastructure facilities:

Facilities	Existing	Newly created	Source of Fund	Total
Campus area	5630.9 Sq.Mtr			5630.9 Sq.Mtr
Class rooms	36			36
Laboratories	04		74	04
Seminar Halls	02	-		02
No. of important equipment's purchased (≥ 1-0 lakh) during the current year.		03 LCD PROJECTOR 6 PC 2 Laptop	UGC	03 + 06 + 02
Value of the equipment purchased during the year (Rs. in Lakhs)		394943/-	UGC	394943/-
Others				

4.2 Computerization of administration and library

Administration and Library are fully computerized with supportive License Software i.e. Microsoft Campus License Agreement/ Tally ERP 9 / ISM / ETDS / SDMS / LDMS / Soul 2.0 / ESSL / Quick Heal / e Scan

4.3 Library services:

	Exis	ting	Ne	wly added	Total		
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	
Text Books	36528		382	1,20,000/-	36910	1,20,000/-	
Reference Books	4483		48	46,000/-	4164	4483/-	
e-Books	14				14		
Journals	21		28	56,000/-	31		
e-Journals							
Digital Database	62				62		
CD & Video	331				331	***	
Others (specify) UGC Books	671		274	3,00,000/-			



4.4 Technology up gradation (overall)

	Total Computers	Computer Labs	Internet	Browsing Centres	Computer Centres	Office	Depart -ments	Other s
Existing	176	120	00	10	00	36	10	00
Added	06	00	00	06	00	00	00	00
Total	182	120	00	16	00	36	10	00

4.5 Computer, Internet access, training to teachers and students and any other programme for technology

upgradation (Networking, e-Governance etc.)

Students are trained in basic Computer skills (Theory and Practical)

4.6 Amount spent on maintenance in lakhs:

i) ICT

ii) Campus Infrastructure and facilities 184776/-

iii) Equipments 117990/-

iv) Others 4163297/-

Total: 45,31,769/

65,706/-

Criterion - V

5. Student Support and Progression

5.1 Contribution of IQAC in enhancing awareness about Student Support Services

Class representatives, Health representatives, General Secretaries, Discipline Representatives, Sports GS elected from the students to enhance awareness about students support services.

5.2 Efforts made by the institution for tracking the progression

The academic departments maintain the progression attained by the students after their graduation.

5.3 (a) Total Number of students

UG	PG	Ph. D.	Others
3100	168	0	0

(b) No. of students outside the state

26

(c) No. of international students

00

Men

No	%
00	00

Women

No	%
3268	100

Last Year							T	his Yea	ır		
General	SC	ST	овс	Physically Challenged	Total	General	SC	ST	OBC	Physically Challenged	Total
3268	198	19	26	01	3024	2344	213	22	12	02	3280

Demand ratio 1.20

Dropout % 2

5.4 Details of student support mechanism for coaching for competitive examinations (If any)

We have competitive exams preparation cell. This prepares students for IAS, IPS, MPSC, Banking, Recruitment Board and other Competitive exams.

No. of students beneficiaries

101

5.5 No. of s	tudents (quali	fied in thes	e exami	natio	ns							
NET	00	5	SET/SLET	00	GA'	те [00	CAT			00		
IAS/IPS	etc 0)	State PSC	00	U	PSC [00	Ot	hers		02		
5.6 Details	of studer	nt co	unselling a	nd caree	er gu	dance							
			in the field idance of c				c issu	es and	l pers	onal is	sues		
No. o	of studen			198									
			On ca	mpus						Off	Сатр	ous	
	lumber o ganizatio Visited		Number Parti	of Stude cipated	220000	Nur Studer	nber nts Pla	TOTAL	Num	iber of	Stude	nts Pla	ced
	12		1	150			12						
) b) Spr	eadii	Beti Bacha ng Awarend Display of	ess on W				Action Committee			Company of the last of the las		i)
5.9 Studer	nts Activ	ities											
5.9.1	No. of stu	ident	s participa	ited in S	ports	, Game	es and	othe	r even	its			
S	itate/ Un	ivers	ity level	5	Natio	nal lev	rel [2	Inte	ernatio	nal le	vel	00
N	No. of stu	dent	s participa	ted in cu	ıltura	l even	ts						
S	State/ Un	ivers	ity level	32	Natio	nal lev	/el	00	Inte	ernatio	nal le	vel	00
5.9.2	No. of m	edals	/awards v	von by s	stude	nts in	Sport	s, Gan	nes an	d othe	r ever	nts	
Sports :	State/ I	Jnive	rsity level	03	Na	tional	level	00	Ir	nterna	tional	level	00

National level 00

International level

00

5.10 Scholarships and Financial Support

	Number of students	Amount	
Financial support from institution	63	525/- PER STUDENT	
Financial support from government	201	17,84,070/-	
Financial support from other sources			
Number of students who received International/ National recognitions			

5.11	Student organised,	/ initiatives
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Fairs	: State/ University level	01	National level	00	International level	00
Exhibit	ion: State/ University level	01	National level	00	International level	00

- 5.12 No. of social initiatives undertaken by the students 26
- 5.13 Major grievances of students (if any) redressed:09 (Nine)
 - 1) Grievances related to infrastructure and computers
 - 2) Cleanliness redresses



6. Governance, Leadership and Management

6.1 State the Vision and Mission of the institution

Vision

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- > To encourage and help economically deprived students for higher studies.
- 6.2 Does the Institution has a management Information System

YES

- 6.3 Quality improvement strategies adopted by the institution for each of the following:
 - 6.3.1 Curriculum Development

NII.

6.3.2 Teaching and Learning

Teaching methods such as group discussion, roll play, seminars, quiz, PPT, evaluation of short films incorporated in the Teaching learning process.

6.3.3 Examination and Evaluation

Methods such as visit report, project, presentation, open book examination, interview, viva, oral and quiz used in all process of examination and evaluation.

- 6.3.4 Research and Development
 - a) Inter-college research competition.
 - b) Training program on SPSS
 - c) Seminar on skills of writing a research oriented articles in the field of Humanities and Social Science.



6.3.5 Library, ICT and physical infrastructure / instrumentation Three rooms IC enabled 6 computers added in the library.
6.3.6 Human Resource Management
Students are trained in a) Self Defence training b) Computer literacy c) Soft skills d) Skill development e) Personality development for CR
6.3.7 Faculty and Staff recruitment
N.A.
6.3.8 Industry Interaction / Collaboration
MOU with Genius Bridge (Dept. of English) Kotak Unnati (Dept. of Economics) Ambuja Foundation Innovative Web Solutions
6.3.9 Admission of Students
Our Admission Committee orient Students about different courses
6.4 Welfare schemes for Teaching Non teaching Students Insurance
6.5 Total corpus fund generated NIL
6.6 Whether annual financial audit has been done Yes No
6.7 Whether Academic and Administrative Audit (AAA) has been done?

Audit Type	External		Internal		
	Yes/No	Agency	Yes/No	Authority	
Academic					
Administrative					



6.8 Does the University/ Autonomous College declares results within 30 days?
For UG Programmes Yes 🗸 No
For PG Programmes Yes No
6.9 What efforts are made by the University/ Autonomous College for Examination Reforms?
OMR Based Answer Sheet, Online Question papers & Internal Squad to control copying.
6.10 What efforts are made by the University to promote autonomy in the affiliated/constituent colleges?
University encourages affiliated colleges to opt for autonomy.
6.11 Activities and support from the Alumni Association
Every department conducts activities with alumni. Alumni interact with students when invited as guest speakers.
6.12 Activities and support from the Parent – Teacher Association
The Parent-Teacher Association of the college meets twice a year to discuss matters relating to teaching-learning process. The association also acknowledges the meritorious students by awarding medals and certificates to rank holders. In addition, the PTA provides financial assistance to economically weak students to enable them to continue their studies.
6.13 Development programmes for support staff
6.14 Initiatives taken by the institution to make the campus eco-friendly
Tree Plantation , Recycling of Waste



Criterion - VII

7. Innovations and Best Practices

(a)	Intra-Departmental Academic Audit
b)	Workshop on Quality Tool
c)	Seminar on Plagiarism
d)	MOUs with Industries
e)	Inculcating positive values through celebration of Gandhi Week
	e the Action Taken Report (ATR) based on the plan of action decided upon at th ng of the year
1)	AARAMBH Project : Providing free meals to Students belonging to financially weak students with low hemoglobin.
2)	the state of the s
-,	Beatification and Cleanliness
3)	11 - Workshop & Seminar Proposal forwarded to NAAC & UGC, Only one
	National Seminar approved (Dept. of English)
	To Best Practices of the institution (please see the format in the NAAC Self-study Man
	vide the details in annexure (annexure need to be numbered as i, ii,iii) oution to environmental awareness / protection
The	NCC Unit conducted tree plantation drive and beach cleaning grammes.



Literary festivals play a significant role in quenching the thirst of a literature lover and a connoisseur of art and culture. With four prime languages, namely English, Hindi, Marathi and Gujarati forming the base of the medium of instruction at Shri M D Shah Mahila College for nearly five decades, it was a natural urge to host a multi-lingual literary festival within the precincts of the college. And along with it there is always a desire to enlighten and enrich students with a rich repast of academics, sports, literary and cultural bonanza.

MEGH Literary Festival which was held between 20th and 22nd December, 2016 became a magic carpet to transport the masses into an enchanting world of dance, drama, poetry and music. With increasing number of people switching to the digital world and speaking of cloud computing, choosing MEGH (cloud) as a name for the literary festival was ironic. The aim was to wean people away from a stoic lifestyle to a delightful and soul fulfilling extravaganza of the charming world of literature.

MEGH displayed the coming together of Marathi, English, Gujarati and Hindi departments to put up a multi lingual literary festival. Highly acclaimed artistes as well as awe-inspiring personalities from society as well as from the fields of literature, theatre and music graced the festival creating an epoch-making event in the history of the college. The festival was inaugurated with a Granth Dindi led by the Vice Chancellor of SNDT Women's University Dr.Shashikala Wanjari and Principal Dr.Deepa Sharma. Dr. Ved Prakash was the Guest of Honour in the inaugural ceremony. The audience soaked in 28 varied magnetic and mesmerizing sessions. The festival culminated with a talk by the famous theatre personality and founder of Ekjute Theatre group Ms. Nadira Babbar.



8. Plans of institution for next year

- 1. Proposal for Seminars on Quality to NAAC AND UGC
- 2. MOU for CSR activities with industries and NGOs
- 3. Feedback from Parents, Alumni, Community, Management and Vendors and Suppliers
- 4. Institutional Research project on Thalassemia and Anaemia and its impact on academic achievement
- 5. Sustaining the Project AARAMBH
- 6. Skill Development programmes for Students

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Annexure I

Abbreviations:

CAS - Career Advanced Scheme

CAT - Common Admission Test

CBCS - Choice Based Credit System

CE - Centre for Excellence

COP - Career Oriented Programme

CPE - College with Potential for Excellence

DPE - Department with Potential for Excellence

GATE - Graduate Aptitude Test

NET - National Eligibility Test

PEI - Physical Education Institution

SAP - Special Assistance Programme

SF - Self Financing

SLET - State Level Eligibility Test

TEI - Teacher Education Institution

UPE - University with Potential Excellence

UPSC - Union Public Service Commission

SMT CHANDABEN MOHANBHAI PATEL BOOK BANK

GOAL:

- o To enhance reading and learning amongst students
- To increase the exposure of students to reference books
- o To reduce the financial burden of students seeking Higher Education.
- To improve the academic performance of students

CONTEXT:

Higher education demands that students have an in-depth knowledge of the subjects that they study. To achieve the same, the students have to be exposed to a wide variety of subject related books. But reference books are highly priced. The College with the mission of educating the disadvantaged has admitted a large number of students who belong to the family of first generation learners, families with a narrow approach towards girl's education, and who belong to economically weaker families. Given the background, students encounter hurdles to purchase reference books or even to purchase prescribed textbooks and to stay back in the library for longer hours to do reference work.

To overcome the hurdles faced by young students, a unique proposal was placed in front of the Management in 1985 to provide subsidized reference books to students which can be used by them throughout the academic year. The proposal was readily accepted by the Management and that led to the birth of SMT CHANDABEN MOHANBHAI PATEL BOOK BANK facility.

PRACTICE:

To implement the Book Bank facility, every year a committee consisting of senior teachers from different streams is formed. The committee invites applications from the needy students and they are asked to fill a prescribed form. For availing this facility, every student has to pay a nominal fee of Rs 50 . Under the scheme, every student is given a minimum of three books and more depending upon the requirements of the students. This facility is provided to students from all the departments of Arts, Commerce and Professional courses.

The books purchased under the scheme and given to the students are recommended by the Heads of the Departments. The books can be retained by the students for the whole of the academic year. The collected books are returned duly by the students after the exams of the second semester.

For the last twenty two years, the Book Bank facility has been providing books to the needy students. The number of students covered under this facility is growing year after year. Also there is a steady increase in the number of books distributed under the BOOK BANK scheme.

For the year 2016-17, 301 students from the Arts and Commerce stream were covered under the scheme. This facility is extended to needy students on first come first basis.

EVIDENCE OF SUCCESS:

The benefits of the scheme are both tangible and intangible. The tangible benefits are - students refer to more books, actively participate in classroom activities, enhance the presentation of their projects and this has helped to bring down the failure rate. The intangible benefits gathered from the students 'feedback is that there is an overall improvement in their level of confidence and a boost in self-esteem.. All this has created a positive impact on their academic performance

.PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED:

- Inability to satisfy the demand for books of all students.
- Reuse of books hampered due to poor maintenance of books by the students.
- · Books not returned on time
- Diminishing number of students accessing Book-Bank facilities due to alternate sources readily available.

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