

## **Best Practice-1**

**1. Title of the Practice:** Career Guidance Programmes

**2. Goals:**

- a. To explore the hobbies and interests of the students.
- b. To help the students know different career options suitable to them.
- c. To provide career guidance to the students considering their interests.

**3. The Context:**

We are living in an age of cut throat competition. Getting a good job and living comfortably and happily is a great challenge. It has become difficult for most of the students to choose a proper career option. Unemployment is an alarming problem. Many students find it difficult to select appropriate field as their career. Therefore, it is crucial to explore the hobbies and interests of the students and guide them accordingly. Career guidance can help the students to succeed in different fields.

**4. Practice:**

All the faculties, departments and committees in the college implemented various career guidance programmes. The following career guidance activities were conducted for the students:

**A)** One day workshop on Police Pre-selection was conducted on 20/09/2019. The resource person Prof. Dadasaheb Khomne guided the students by giving important tricks and techniques for the post of police.

**B)** A short-film making training programme was conducted in the college in collaboration with TRTI Sanstha Pune and Zankar Studio Pune on 9 -10 October 2019.

**C)** The Commerce department in the college organized a career guidance programme in collaboration with Nilaya Group of Education on the topic: “How to command your dream job” on 04/12/2019

**D)** A special programme “Courses after Graduation” was conducted on 10/12/2019. Mr. Shrikant Patil guided the students and answered the queries of the students who attended the programme.

**E)** The department of Chemistry and Vignahar Sugar Factory collaboratively organized a training programme on “Soil Analysis” during 25 to 27 November 2019.

**F)** Interaction with the scientists of BARC helped the students to know the opportunities in BARC.

**G)** A Beauty Parlour Training programme was organized on 10/02/2020. In this training programme Dr. Mohini Jadhav and Mrs. Priti Meid guided the girl participants and succeeded in their attempt to highlight beauty parlor as an emerging profession.

#### **5. Evidence of success:**

These training programmes motivated the students and helped them to decide their suitable career. The training programme conducted in the college in collaboration with TRTI Sanstha Pune and Zankar Studio Pune helped the students. Three students in the college got opportunity to work in the documentary called 'Mool' due to the guidance. The students, who participated in training programme conducted in collaboration with Vignahar Sugar Factory, were benefited as they got the opportunity to analyze soil samples. It will help the farmer students in future to maintain the quality of soil for better farming.

#### **6. Problems encountered:**

The departments and committees in the college conducted training programmes for the students with the help of various NGO's. Though, attempts were taken honestly to conduct the career guidance training programme, the attendance of the students was not up to the mark.

7. Resources required: The provision of funding for conducting the career guidance programmes and availability of resource person needs to be strengthened by the university.

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## **Best Practice-2**

**1. Title of the Practice:** Social Awareness Programmes

**2. Goals:**

- a. Creating Individual awareness for good social changes
- b. Voter's awareness programme for the development of nation
- c. Implementation of various activities for social awareness

**3. Context:**

Future of any nation depends on its citizens. Ideal citizens change the face of the family, society and nation. Social awareness in the society leads towards betterment and success. Therefore, social awareness in the society is necessary for the bright future of the nation. Considering the above facts, college conducted very useful programmes for creating social awareness among the people.

**4. Practice:**

The different committees and departments in the college implemented the following praiseworthy activities for creating social awareness among the people on various issues:

**A)** Dr. Babasaheb Jaikar lecture series was conducted on 31/12/2019 and 01/01/2020. This series of lectures created social awareness among the participants by highlighting the philosophy of great personalities.

**B)** A Special camp for senior citizens was organized on 17/12/2019. Prin. Pandurang Misal and Dr. Purshottam Kale guided the senior citizens on “How to live happy life” and “Senior citizen’s health” respectively.

**C)** A workshop on legal awareness was conducted on 18/07/2019. Hon. judge of Ghodegaon court, H.J Pathan created legal awareness among the participants by highlighting different laws.

**D)** Fire brigade department’s training programme was organized in the college on 18/07/2019 along with demonstration. It helped the participants know how to manage disaster.

**E)** Tree plantation activity was implemented effectively by planting 104 samplings on the college campus and its vicinity. Even a very crucial role was performed by 107 students in the college by participating in the Gunnies World Record activity of the SPPU on 23/06/2019.

**F)** *Vruksh Dindi* activity was implemented in collaboration with Forest department. 500 students in the college participated in *Vruksha Dindi*.

**G)** Blood group and hemoglobin check-up camp was organized on 21/09/2019 for health awareness.

**H)** Voter’s awareness programme was conducted in the college and voter’s registration was done in the college. Even VVPAT machine demo was made available in the college on 10/10/2019. Five hundred students were given demo.

**I)** On the constitution day, a pledge was given to the students. Moreover, a G.K test based on the constitution was conducted in the college for the constitutional awareness.

**J)** Fit India campaign was conducted on 18 January 2020 to create fitness awareness among the students.

**5. Evidence of success:** It is observed that students are changing their outlook and becoming more conscious about personal, social, environmental and health issues.

**6. Problems encountered:** Many students don't participate in social activities willingly. After constant suggestions and motivation, they participate in social activities.

**7. Resources required:** We are satisfied with the results of our activities conducted for creating social awareness among students and people. Even though, more collaborative programmes and resource persons are required for effective implementation of the activities.