## B.B.D. GOVERNMENT COLLEGE, CHIMANPURA (SHAHPURA), JAIPUR

# 7.2.1. **Best practices (2018 – 19)**

# 1. Title of the practice: STRENGTHENING SKILLS.

## The context that required the initiation of the practice:

Being a rural area college, most of the students belong to illiterate and financially weak families. The students thus are unaware of the future prospects available for them. They need to be motivated and guided so that they can be better prepared for future opportunities as regards to higher education and jobs. It has been observed that those students who were consulted by our faculty have shown good performance in proceeding for higher education.

## Objectives of the practice:

The sole objective of the practice was to motivate and groom our students for enhancing their knowledge and skills that are required in employment sectors available for them. Numerous amends were made by faculty and the institution in order to improve employability of our students and endeavour to prepare our students for future opportunities. Also these programs would transform them into a ready to face the world in their transitory phase of education to employment.

### The Practice:

- A career counselling cell was constituted and functioned proficiently to continuously guide, motivate and groom the students for improving and enhancing their skills, required in the job industry.
- Industrial visit was organized for the students of final year to get firsthand knowledge about the operations of an industry.
- Students were guided to prepare strong curriculum vitae. Their bio-data was screened and they were trained to improvise the same.
- Mock interviews were conducted with the help of faculty and other experts from industries.
- Self employment fair was organized so as to promote entrepreneurial talent of the students.
   It was an incredible success with a massive participation of college students.
- One day workshop on Fundamentals of e-learning was organized to enhance the knowledge of students in the field of e-learning and entrepreneurship skills.

### Obstacles faced and strategies adopted to overcome:

The main obstacle faced by the student's proceeding for higher education was the unwillingness of the parents to send their wards especially the girls due to their financial and social bindings. Thus along with the students the faculty members approached the parents of such students and were able to convince them about the safety and security of their children to some extent. The teachers were successful in their mission.

### Impact:

More and more students were inspired to proceed for higher education. The drop down percentage for successive classes showed a marginal down fall. The enrolment of the students showed a remarkable increase in student's number. Students were motivated to prepare for various competitive examinations and some were inspired to join police, insurance and banking services. However the exact data regarding the benefit could not be ascertained due to certain limitations.

## Resources required:

The faculty members motivated their students by regular interactive counselling sessions. The local personals from non-technical and banking organization were invited to the college campus for motivational lectures where the resources available in the college were best utilized.

# 2. Title of the practice: BEAUTIFICATION AND CLEANLINESS OF THE CAMPUS

# The context that required the initiation of the practice:

Saving our planet, lifting people out of poverty, advancing economic growth...These are one and the same fight. We must connect the dots between climate change, water scarcity, energy shortages, global health and food security. Solutions to all the above problems are plantation. Plantation of flowers and trees is not only good for Oxygen and environment it is also a good way to beautify the surroundings. Large area is available in and around the college premises.

# **Objectives of the practice:**

The main objective for the plantation drive carried out in and around the campus was to create a clean and green environment for the staff and students of the college. The beauty of the college premises would undoubtedly act as positive energy boosters for all. Since the approaching 1 km route to the college was devoid of greenery so it gave a deserted look to the institution thus it was decided to plant trees on the pathway.

#### **Practice:**

- Plantation of flowers and trees is not only for Oxygen and environment it is also a
  good way to beautify the surroundings. Thus initiative was taken to beautify the
  college premises by planting ornamental flowers and shrubs in front area of the
  college around the Statue of Babaji.
- The maintenance of the plants in the one kilometre area, on the way to college, was also taken up.
- Maintaining cleanliness is the essential part of healthy living. The students were sensitized to keep their surroundings clean and tidy.
- Numerous dust bins were fixed in the campus and students were motivated to use them to throw garbage. The age-old habit of spitting in the corridors was strictly prohibited thus improving the overall ambience of the college.

## **Obstacles faced and strategies:**

Due to paucity of water some planted shrubs and ornamental plants could not survive the intense heat which resulted in their death. Thus the college administration decided to supply water to the planted trees by arranging tankers to supply water to ensure their survival. The college beautification committee was directed to monitor the demand and supply of water.

## Impact of the practice:

A green cover was developed with the efforts of the students of the college under the supervision of faculty members. The green plants added to the beauty of the campus. The age old habit of spitting in the corridors was strictly prohibited thus improving the overall ambience of the college.

## **Resources required:**

The institution had to purchase plants from the nursery for which finance had to be arranged externally due to limitation of funds available in the college development committee. Finance was also required so arranged for water tankers due to limited water available in the institution. The faculty members generously contributed to meet the demand in this endeavour.

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