

7.3 INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS

Institutional distinctiveness :

The college came into existence in 2002. Our motive is to always work with dedication to enlighten ourselves and to the society's betterment. So, we have evolved with some humble deeds to promote a holistic teaching learning environment. Our management has an ideology "education for all" which is deep rooted in our institution in various ways. Our institution is providing quality education intertwining traditions with technology and morality with modernization. Our institute has been catering to the needs of middle and lower class by giving the facility to take admission as low as rupees 500 as an initial payment and many times students are given 3 years to complete the fees, this is mainly because our institution believes education is more important and equal opportunities need to be provided to everyone for the growth. Our college follows the principle of " No donation" for any course. Adding to this, many students who are unable to pay the fees even after allocating them extra time receive fee concessions from the management.

A voluntary scheme of" Shri Mahalaxmi krupaMofatann dhanyavitran Yojana" is the name of the project initiated by Dr. Vijay Narayan pandit (general secretary of L.D .Sonawane College) and handled by management and staff of the college, funds collected from members registered voluntarily to serve the society, the contribution by each member is rupees 1000 per month. 30 families from the economically backward section every month receive the benefits of this scheme. This scheme aims towards fulfilling the daily nutritional requirements to the poor unprivileged population in the form of food supplies and basic necessities. A donor centric approach has been adopted where attempts have been made to reduce inequalities and injustice towards the unprivileged in society.

Our college has carried out a voluntary program where faculty members and college management have sponsored the education for unprivileged students by donating books in the nearby villages.

Through NSS College has conducted a survey in Annabhau Sathe Nagar to know about the literacy and population details and other related information about their village.

In this way the College and its entire team of teaching and support staff under the able guidance of Chairman strived hard to inculcate research culture in the College. As a result many of the leading newspapers have started publishing the news of the College. The teachers of the surrounding colleges, parents and students have been appreciating the efforts of the college and its incremental growth in a period of very short span of time.