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Criterion 7: Institutional Values and Best Practices
Institutional Distinctiveness

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Declaration

This is to declare that the information, reports, true copies, and numerical data etc. furnished in this file as supporting documents is verified by IQAC and found correct.

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The distinctiveness of our institute appears in the weightage given to women empowerment. Our college has a large number of students from nearby villages. The number of girl students is more. Most of the students are from rural and poor background. Our college identify their talent and encourage them as per our mission statement, "To nurture the culture of quality education and strengthen the youth to be the part of Nation building movement". Our college gives exposure to the girl students to get an opportunity to participate in every curricular, extracurricular and extension activities very actively. As the result, enrolment of girl students is increasing every year in comparison of boy students. Our college is bound to be the part of Nation building movement. Empowerment of women is need of the day as no nation can progress without women empowerment. Empowerment is considered to be a means for creating social environment in which vital decisions may be taken and choice could be taken to bring social transformation. It strengthens the innate ability through acquiring knowledge, power and experience. The empowerment of women has become one of important issues of current period. It is considered that women should stand equal to men in terms of education, livelihood, health and all other parameters. The education of women plays an important role in the advancement of society. In the words of Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru, "If you educate a man you educate an individual, however, if you educate a woman you educate a whole family. Women empowered means mother India empowered" Education is a milestone of women empowerment because it enables them to respond to the challenges, to confront their traditional role and change their life. It assists in bringing equality and works as a means to improve their status within family, society and politico-economic system.

Our college ensures empowerment of women in following terms:

All P.G. programs: Our college is a single institution in Arvi region providing post graduation facility in Humanity, Commerce and Science. We have M.A. in Home Economics, Political Science and Marathi, M.Com. and M.SC. in Computer Science and Chemistry. Due to poverty and conservative attitude parents were reluctant to send their daughters to distance place for education after graduation. As result, most of the girl students had to stop education and stay at home. But due to P.G. education facility in our college the dropout rate of girl students is decreased prominently.

Pupil Guardian Scheme (Dattak-Palak Yojana): The College is located in the vicinity of villages. Most of the girl students are the wards of farmers and labors. The girl students are prominently beneficiaries of this scheme They suffer financial crisis. Hence staff decided to adopt financially weak students in the ratio 1 teacher: 1 needy student.

Following table indicates number of beneficiaries and outcome of the scheme.

Sr.	Session	No. of	Fund	Outcom	Outcom
No.		Beneficiari	Disbursed	e (Pass)	e (Fail)
		es	(in Rs.)		
1	2021-22	47	55,573/-	47	00
2.	2020-21	54	43,147/-	54	00
3.	2019-20	54	1,80,689/-	54	00
4.	2018-19	41	74985/-	34	07
5.	2017-18	25	42600/-	22	03

95% of beneficiaries of this scheme are girl students.

Certificate courses: Certificate courses are used to bridge the gap between different phases of academic study or to provide additional professional training and qualifications. The certificate courses in our college have wide variety of subjects in Arts, Humanities, Business, Biological and Life Sciences, Computer science. These courses are job oriented and provide a wide range of skills to an individual so that he can perform well. It helps in enhancing the confidence level of an individual. Having a prior knowledge of the job responsibilities provided by these courses helps an individual to easily adapt to the work environment and quickly advance in his career.

Safety and security: College entrance is guarded 24/7 with security. The huge building of college is surrounded by compound wall. The college is 24/7 under CCTV surveillance. The Vishakha and Discipline committees keep regular watch on college premises. College has made available common room for girls and ladies washroom with vending machine.

Counseling: The college organizes the woman empowerment programs for making girl students confident enough to fight the battle of life. Various eminent woman personalities are being invited for the guidance on several issues. Special seminars on health related issues and Gender inequality, sensitivity and malnutrition are also organized by various departments of the college.

Health Checkup Program:

- Regular health check-ups reduce the risk of falling seriously ill.
- There are better chances of the treatments or cures working well when there are regular health check-ups.
- Regular health check-ups make it easier to maintain good health.
- Giving your doctor a good idea of your health history can make diagnosis easier and more accurate.
- It also helps people to be aware of the latest threats and precautions for health.
- Regular health check-ups have a great advantage of detecting lifethreatening health conditions in the early stages when they are treatable.

Following are the Programs conducted in Five years for girl students:

- a. Self-employment program on 4/9/2017
- b. Workshop on obstacles faced by working women on 09/03/2019
- c. Workshop on 'Nutrition' on 12/10/2019
- d. Guest lecture on "legal awareness among the girl students" on 13/03/20
- e Guest lecture on "Women Empowerment" on 08/03/21
- f. National level webinar on "Gender inequality, sensitivity and malnutrition" on 21/02/21
- g. Extension activity on gender inequality on 25/02/22

g. "Women Authored book Exhibition"

Through NSS, Learn and Earn scheme, various departmental activities etc. mainly girl students get a platform to develop their academic as well as professional, cultural, social consciousness and responsiveness