

JAGADGURU GANGADHAR COLLEGE OF COMMERCE



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7.2.1: Describe two best practices successfully implemented by the Institution as per NAAC format provided in the Manual

BEST PRACTICE – I

Mahamajjan-Cleaning of Statues of National Heroes in and around Hubballi-Dharwad on the eve of Karnataka Rajyotsava.

BEST PRACTICE – II

Digital Literacy Week

BEST PRACTICE I

1. Title of the practice: Mahamajjan-Cleaning of Statues of National Heroes in and around Hubballi-Dharwad on the eve of Karnataka Rajyotsava.

2. Objective of the practice:

- To instill civic sense, social responsibility and patriotism.
- To inculcate respect for National Heroes and Values in the young minds.
- Creating awareness regarding clean and green environment.
- Preserving the national heritage.

3. The Context:

Students being concerned with their studies and career, it is incumbent on the teaching community to involve the students in the socially responsible activities and selfless service. It is our duty to pay homage and respect to the national heroes and follow their teachings in their desire to be the good citizens of the nation.

4. The Practice:

A day prior to the National importance, our NSS volunteers enthusiastically march towards the statues of the National Heroes at public places across the city. The Institution provides resources required for the cleaning purpose such as Water tank and other materials. The NSS Volunteers along with Programme Officers will visit to Municipal Corporation Office and the Commissioner will provide help and assistance in the cleaning process by sparing labor.

5. Evidence of Success:

The students voluntarily involved in the practice with great zeal and enthusiasm. On the eve of the said day of national importance. The Students along with NSS Programme Officers gather the necessary equipments and go to the targeted places. First the statues are dry cleaned with the cloth and later on cleaned with mild soapy water and wiped dry. On an average our volunteers clean 5-6 statues every time. The next day morning they will join the Municipal Authorities in the function organized, remember the teachings and great deeds of the National Heroes.

6. Problems Encountered and Resource Mobilization:

As the student who participate in the Mahamajjan activity miss the classes on that day, however, the concerned teachers will engage a special class for those who have participated in the above activity. The expenses incurred for the same event will be borne by the Institution.

BEST PRACTICE II

- 1. Title of the practice: Digital Literacy Week.
- 2. Objective of the practice: With rapid urbanization and fast growing technology the Department has conducted an awareness programme called as "Digital Literacy Week" which focuses on enlightening the growing up buds into computer literates.
- 3. **The Context:** This practice is initiated with a view to provide an insight into the technical realm thereby alighting the participants to purge into the technological aspects without any hazels globally.
- 4. The Practice: As an IQAC Initiative the Department of Computer Science & Czar's Club on the institute organizes the above mentioned event for a period of five consecutive amongst the government and backward schools with minimum of facilities of technology available there. Being student centric the members of the club them-selves take active part in the programme. From school to school to explain the importance of technological education and how it helps them to establish their career with the help of charts and little available systems.
- 5. Evidence of Success: The participants have acquired knowledge about the importance of technology and its usage in day to day life and its prime role in stabilizing their careers.
- 6. **Problems encountered and the Resources required:** It has been observed that or encountered that after the awareness programme the participants, do not put the knowledge gained into practice.