Best Practices 2018-19

1. Title of the Practice

Renovation and upgradation of infrastructure as well as for the purchase of new

equipments to facilitate teaching learning process

Objectives of the Practice

The objective for seeking grant from RUSA was the renovation and upgradation of

infrastructure as well as for the purchase of new equipments to facilitate teaching

learning process in the institution.

The Context

To meet the challenges of contemporary education that include technology enabled

classrooms and other rooms by revamping the college infrastructure as per action

plan submitted to MHRD, GOI. Rupees two Crore Infrastructure Grant was

sanctioned by Rashtriya Uchchtar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA)

The Practice

The college has submitted its Institutional Development Plan under RUSA

Infrastructure Grant scheme 2.0 under MHRD, Govt. of India and was sanctioned Rs.

2 crore vide SPD RUSA, Chandigarh Administration vide letter no. 756-SPD-RUSA-

UT-2013 dt. 9.8.2018 for the purpose of renovation and upgradation of infrastructure

as well as for the purchase of new equipments. Out of this amount Rs. one crore was

released and the college has taken a number of initiatives to revamp the college

infrastructure as per action plan submitted to MHRD, GOI.

Evidence of Success

The college added all required infrastructure to meet the challenges of the present

education system. After the utilization of the grant the objectives have been achieved

successfully. The college offers tech-based tools to enhance academics and campus

life.

Problems Encountered and resources required

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As competition for prospective teachers increases, amenities that may seem expensive

can become worthwhile investments made in response to consumer demand.

2. Title of the Practice

Disabled friendly Chandigarh Audit

Objectives of the practice

To make Chandigarh first disabled friendly city

The Context

The Chandigarh administration assigned the task to the college to conduct a survey

for to bring into light the extent to which the Chandigarh is disabled friendly so as to

take the necessary action accordingly. The survey includes conducting an audit of the

community facilities such as pathways, junctions, footpaths, bus shelters, crossings

and public transportation and to plan accessible buildings, parks, playgrounds,

schools, colleges, hospitals, recreational areas, public toilets for the disabled.

The Practice

NSS volunteers along with the program officer attended the orientation and

participated in the disable friendly Chandigarh Audit as part of an endeavour of the

UT administration to make Chandigarh first disabled-friendly city.

Evidence of Success

The volunteers provided authentic and useful data to Chandigarh administration to

make necessary changes to make the city more disabled friendly.

Problems Encountered and resources required

No problems encountered during the audit as the administration was very

cooperative and extended a great to make this venture a success.

2. Title of the Practice

Self-Defence Training Program

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Objective of the Practice

The aim of the Self-defence programe was to make girl students physically stronger, mentally alert and emotionally stable to handle the situation in emergency to save and protect their own dignity and to be skilful enough to help the other people in need.

The Context

The three week long self-defence training program was organized for the college with the motive to reduce the women-related crime incidence for the girl students of the college. The training was organised by the NSS Units of the college in collaboration with the Chandigarh Police Women Self-Defence team under the project 'SWAYAM'.

The Practice

More than 100 students of B.Ed and M.Ed were trained for the self-defence skills. The team consisted of Mr. Balram Malik, Ranjan Devi, Gurmeet Kaur and Meena Devi. The trainers in the first day first session of the training elaborated the objective of 'SWAYAM' the self-defence technique. They explained why the importance is to learn the defence techniques by giving the reference of the cases against the crime and attacks on women in the past and in present with the reference of the TV News and News Paper , Social Media etc. The students can decrease the number of the crimes in future by learning self-defence skills and it can be helpful in protecting their dignity.

Evidence of Success

On the day of valedictory students demonstrated the self-defence skills learned during the training program and given their positive reflexes on the training program.

Problems encountered and resources required

It was observed that the participants were not ready because of lack of strength, stamina and interest in the beginning but slowly and steadily they took interest in the learning of the skills as they realized that this is essential and the skill to be learned is the need of the hour.

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