

# P.G.D.A.V. College

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#### 7.2 Best Practices

#### **Best Practices-I**

## **Enhancing Student Engagement and Academic Excellence through Comprehensive Infrastructure Development**

The primary objective of this best practice is to provide all students with an enriched learning environment by upgrading campus infrastructure and services. The underlying principles include fostering student success, innovation, and inclusivity.

The institution recognized the need to modernize its infrastructure and services to meet the evolving expectations and needs of students. This development aimed to create a dynamic and inclusive learning environment.

The institution embarked on a multi-faceted approach to infrastructure development. This included the creation of the "Swami Dayanand Sports Complex," with world-class facilities and hosting international cricket events. Additionally, the college invested in versatile sports infrastructure, modernized its non-teaching office, introduced a lift for inclusivity, expanded library resources, established a state-of-the-art computer lab, added an environmental lab and renovated the staff room. A newly built canopy, and sunshade enhanced student comfort. The institution's bilingual website ensures effective communication. These initiatives were designed to meet the needs of all students, creating an enriched academic and extracurricular environment.

The institution witnessed an increase in student participation in sports and extracurricular activities, with a marked improvement in performance. The comprehensive library resources and computer lab have seen increased utilization and positive feedback. The environmentally focused curriculum and the dedication to sustainability have created environmentally conscious graduates. The institution continues to attract students with these enhanced facilities.

Funding was a significant challenge, as these developments required a substantial investment. Additionally, managing the complexity of these projects was at times daunting.

The success of this best practice is transferable to other institutions seeking to create a holistic and engaging educational environment. The institution values excellence, innovation, and sustainability as it continues to work towards providing the best possible experience for its students.

Our institution is guided by the values of excellence, innovation, and sustainability, which drive our commitment to providing a rich and inclusive educational environment for all students.

#### **Best Practices-I**

# **Enhancing Student Engagement and Academic Excellence through Comprehensive Infrastructure Development**

• Swami Dayanand Sports Complex



• First Swami Dayanand T-20 Day - Night Tournament



• The first T-20 Swami Dayanand Saraswati Tournament.



• Under-19 cricketers from England for their practice sessions.



• Flood-lit cricket ground, football ground, basketball and volleyball courts and facilities for indoor games such as table tennis, carrom and chess.



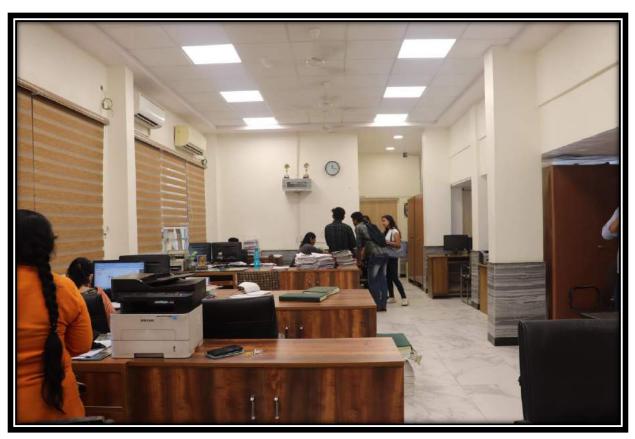




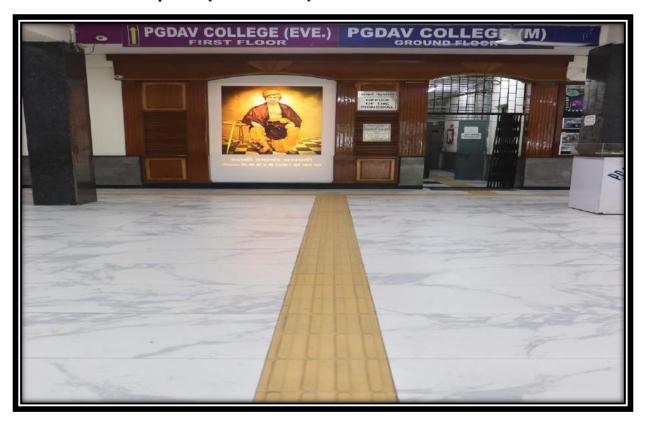




• A revamped non-teaching office



- A compassionate approach towards differently-abled individuals
  - **❖** Tactile pathways to seamlessly link all classrooms



• Lift-An embodiment of inclusivity and convenience



• New OPAC for Netlib Access



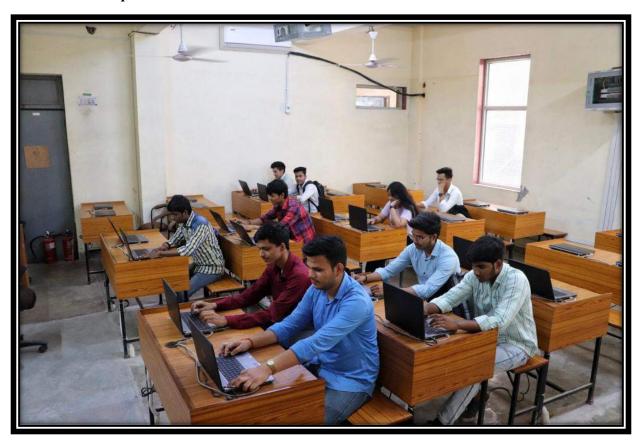
• Kiosk for registering footfalls



• New Conference Room integrated with smart TV and other ICT tools.



• New computer lab





• New Environmental Lab

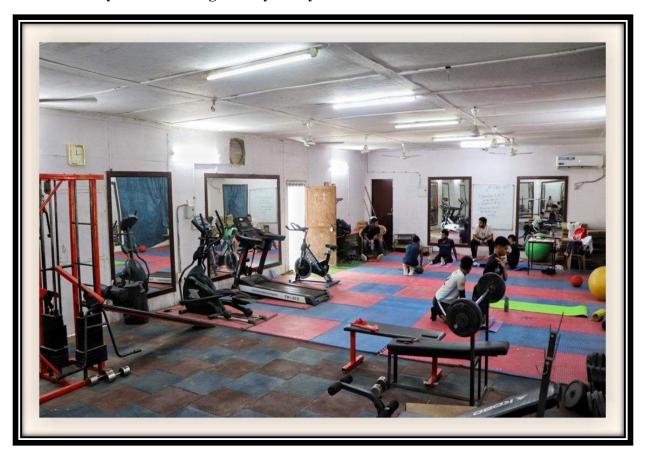


#### • Revamped staff room





• New Gym for fostering healthy lifestyles and holistic future



• Verdant garden serving as a natural classroom



• A newly built canopy offers a shaded and sheltered area for students to sit and relax



• A newly constructed sun shade has been built, adding aesthetic beauty to the college



• Certificate of "Sustainable Campus" under MGNCRE



Awarded as "Zero Waste Management College"



#### **Best Practices-II**

### Harmonizing Modern Scientific Education with India's Civilizational Ethos: Achievements and Initiatives

To offer a balanced education that integrates traditional values with modern pedagogy, fostering academic excellence, inclusivity, and holistic development.

The institution aimed to bridge the gap between traditional values and contemporary education while addressing the evolving needs of students.

The college has incorporated traditional practices like the Hawan tradition, Vedic literature & Vedic mathematics workshops, and promoting Yoga, alongside modern academic offerings with National and International collaborations along with educational trips to ensure modern relevance.

The institution has achieved remarkable academic results, with a 100% pass percentage in many courses, high CGPAs, and accolades in various competitions. International and national collaborations have enriched academic offerings, while traditional practices resonate with students and the community.

Budget constraints were a challenge. Resources required included financial support for infrastructural development, faculty training, and maintaining traditional practices.

The success of this practice is transferable to other institutions looking to strike a balance between tradition and modernity. The institution values inclusivity, academic excellence, and its cultural heritage, fostering an enriched educational environment for all.

P G.D.A.V. College (M) stands by the values of inclusive education, academic excellence, and cultural preservation, which guide our commitment to holistic development and the betterment of our students and society.

#### **Best Practices-II**

Harmonizing Modern Scientific Education with India's Civilizational Ethos: Achievements and Initiatives at P G.D.A.V. College (M), University of Delhi

• The tradition of Hawan



• Celebration of International Yoga Day



 Speech by- Shri V. Muraleedharan, Union Minister of State for External Affairs & Parliamentary Affairs of India on India's G20 presidency- "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam"







International Collaboration: MoU with the University of Tyumen, Russia

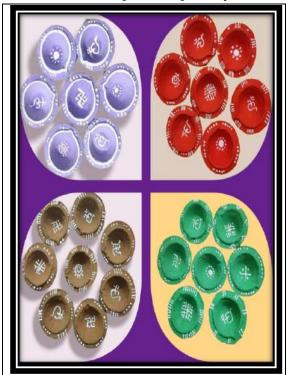


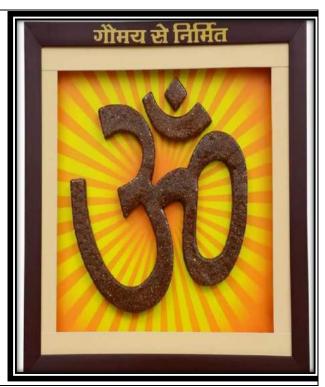
National Collaboration: MoU with Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur



#### • Entrepreneurship Projects at PGDAV

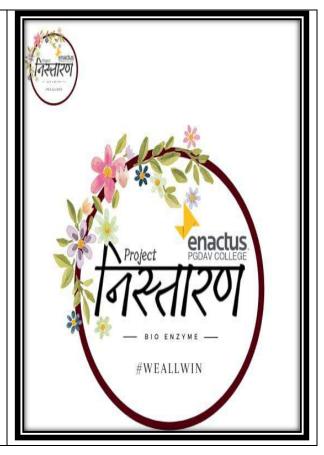
Project Shriji Gavya





• Project Nistaaran





#### • Project Gulaabo







#### • Project Sughandh



#### • Project Prakriti





#### • Project Surbhi





#### • CADEC, an entrepreneurship cell of PGDAV





# पीजीडीएवी कॉलेज में रहेगा विद्यार्थियों के लिए विशेष फंड

## फीस भरने में असमर्थ छाज-छाजाओं को मिलेगा लाभ

नई दिल्ली, (पंजाब केसरी)ः कोरोना की दूसरी लहर ने सभी को प्रभावित किया है। ऐसे में बीते साल से छात्रों की पढाई ऑनलाइन माध्यम से जारी है। डीयू के पीजीडीएवी कॉलेज (प्रातः) ने कोविड से प्रभावित जरूरतमंद विद्यार्थियों के लिए विशेष फंड का प्रावधान किया है। इसके चलते कॉलेज स्टाफ अपनी इच्छानुसार आर्थिक मदद दे सकता है। पीजीडीएवी कॉलेज (प्रातः) की प्राचार्या प्रो. कृष्णा शर्मा की देखरेख में यह पहल की गई है। यूं तो हर बार कुछ छात्र आर्थिक कारणों से फीस भरने में असमर्थ होने पर फीस माफ या छूट देने का अनुरोध करने आते हैं, लेकिन कोरोना में अनेक छात्र-छात्राएं और उनका परिवार प्रभावित होने से अछते नहीं रहे। प्रो. शर्मा ने बताया कि कॉलेज स्टाफ के साथ कोरोना की स्थिति को देखते विचार विमर्श कर विशेष फंड रखने का निर्णय लिया गया. जो कि जरूरतमंद छात्र-छात्राओं की फीस भरने में ही इस्तेमाल किया जाएगा।



प्राचार्या प्रो. कृष्णा शर्मा

#### 300 से अधिक का प्लेसमेंट

प्रो. कृष्णा शर्मा ने आगे बताया कि कॉलेज प्लेसमेंट सेल ने तो विद्यार्थियों को इंटर्निशप के अवसर और अन्य प्लेसमेंट प्रदान करने के लिए लगातार ओवरटाइम काम किया। इसके चलते ही वर्ष 2020– 21 के दौरान 300 से अधिक विद्यार्थियों को प्लेसमेंट सेल द्वारा जॉब के अनेक सुअवसर मिले। स्टिपेन्ड के रूप में सर्वाधिक 1.60 लाख रुपए मासिक का ऑफर रहा।

- Results
  - ❖ A 100 % pass percentage
  - **❖** Post Graduate students- scoring more than 9 CGPA



ISHIKA GUPTA
[B. Sc. (H) Statistics II]
Gold Medalist - DU
10 CGPA

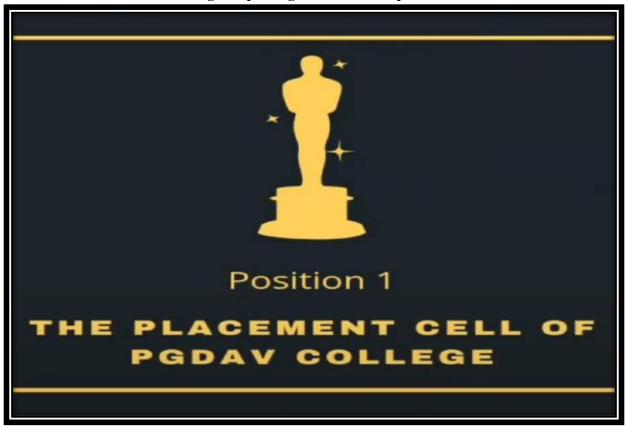
- A 100 % pass percentage in many Undergraduate courses.
- Significant number of students have secured more than 9 CGPA in University exam.
- Post Graduate students too have shown outstanding results, a few scoring more than 9 CGPA.

KASHISH [M. Com.]

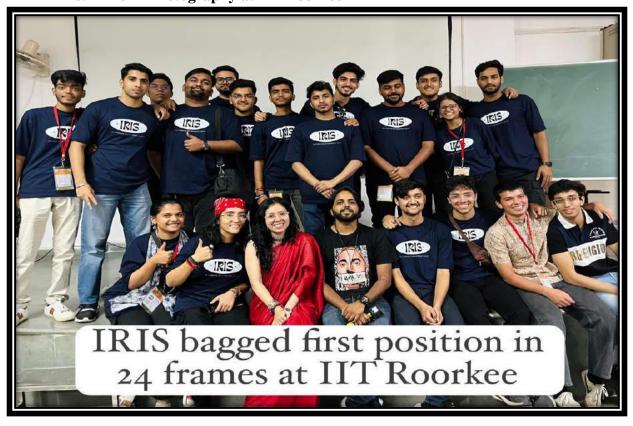
Mamta Gupta Memorial Gold Medalist
Jai Narain Vaish Prize - DU
10 CGPA



- Achievements:
- Placement Cell- The highest package of ₹ 36 lakhs per annum



• First Prize in Photography at IIT Roorkee



• Techwhiz, the IT society won 1st prize at National Institute of Fashion and Technology



 Navrang, the stage play society won second position at Mood Indigo, IIT Bombay



❖ First Prize in Bodybuilding at IIT Roorkee

