G.M.N. College, Ambala Cantt., Haryana



Institutional Perspective/Strategic Development Plan Academic Year 2017-2022

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Introduction

Education plays a very vital role in the development of nation. Higher education is developing very fast in basic as well as professional areas. Higher education is a matter of concern even today.

Through seven eventful decades of its history, Gandhi Memorial National College, Ambala Cantt has celebrated the quest for expanding landscapes of learning and critical thinking. Today, this college is recognized as a premier institution of higher learning that nurtures intellectual and academic striving, vibrant curricular activities, outreach initiatives and civic engagement. The college offers a unique combination of resources where community of inspired faculty and talented students learn and grow together to share the dynamic energy field. It is a place not only of teaching but collaborated scholarship reinforcing a very special interaction between students and faculty.

After partition, a great visionary and philanthropist Sh. Jaswant Rai with other eminent associates planted the seeds of D.A.V. College, Rawalpindi at Ambala which flourished into G.M.N. College in 1948. Having had a modest beginning in a building with thatched roofs, today the college has a whole range of infrastructural facilities such as high-tech seminar rooms, Smart Class Rooms, Arts, Science and Commerce block, well-equipped laboratories, departmental rooms equipped with computers and internet facilities, gymnasium, fully automated library, E-library, sprawling sports fields. The college has become a byword for academic and extracurricular achievements. The dynamic, enlightened and supportive Managing Committee comprising of members from industry, medicine, academic and administration is constantly engaged in taking the college to newer heights of excellence. Its alumni occupy distinguished positions in almost all spheres of society -Government, Banking, Finance, Academics, Sports, Armed Forces, Business and Media. The college believes in the motto "Be the First and be with the First".



After the visit of NAAC peer team in academic year 2017-18, the college prepared the perspective plan considering the following aspects intune with the vision and mission of the college

Vision:-

To impart qualitative value-based education and to reinvent itself constantly in the context of ever changing scenario so as to create a happier and growth oriented society.

Mission:-

- 1. To pursue and disseminate knowledge with commitment to all the sections of society.
- 2.To create and provide opportunity for the overall development of students that can transform the society too.
- 3. To evolve skilled human resource of higher caliber.
- 4. To revive high ideal of student-teacher relationship so as to inspire the youth to have yearning for acquiring knowledge and professional skills.
- 5.To imbibe the ideals of Gandhian Philosophy amongst the youth in order to instill in their minds high moral values, instinct for social justice, awareness and equality.
- 6.To uplift the mind, body and soul of the new generation of the society.



Perspective Plan

2017-2022

1. Curricular Aspects

- Introduction of new certificate courses/programs, short term skill development courses, value added courses etc.
- To maintain the academic excellence through various audits like AAA etc.
- > Introduction of NCC as an elective subject at Under Graduate level.

2. Teaching-Learning and Evaluation

- > Modification and enhancement of ICT infrastructure
- > Introduction of more smart classrooms
- ➤ More E-content development
- > Use of different software tools in teaching-learning process as well as in administration
- > Implementation Mentor- mentee system
- ➤ Encouragement to teaching as well as non-teaching faculty for updation of knowledge through participation in various courses (orientation/refresher/short term)
- > Reforms in continuous internal evaluation (CIE) for better results

3. Research, Innovation and Extension

- > Establishment of incubation centre for creativity and knowledge transfer
- > To seek the maximum research grants through various government and non-government agencies
- > To organize conferences /seminars/workshops etc.



- > To motivate and encourage students as well as faculty to participate in various research activities
- > To organize IPR workshops
- > To encourage students for participations in various co-curricular and extension activities like NSS, Sports, cultural etc.
- > To conduct various extension programmes for community engagement
- > MOU and linkages with other institutes, industries etc.

4. Infrastructure and Learning Resources

- > Total computerization of college library with INFLIBNET
- Enhancement of infrastructure facilities (more smart class rooms, ICT enabled classrooms etc.)
- > Modification in CCTV in college premises
- > Upgradation of administrative office and IQAC room
- > Enhancement of sport facility
- > Modification of drinking water facility
- > To develop the physical facility for differently abled students (Ramp facility)

5. Students support and progression

- > To provide scholarship of various government and non government agencies to students
- > To register Alumni Association
- > To organize large number of capability enhancement programmes such as career counseling, soft skill development, personal counseling, yoga- meditation etc.
- > Encouragement of students for participation in competitive examination
- > To arrange workshops/guest lectures regarding preparation of competitive examination
- > To encourage students for higher education

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- > To arrange campus interview for graduated students
- > To provide free internet and Wi- Fi facility to students and faculty with high speed
- > Book bank scheme for the students

6. Governance, Leadership and Management

- > To provide quality education to students as per vision and mission of institute
- > Implementation of e-governance in institute
- > To arrange training programmes for teaching as well as non-teaching faculty
- > Felicitation of teaching and non teaching for their extra ordinary work
- > To encourage students and faculty by providing funds for participation in various activities like conferences/seminars /workshops etc.
- > To make quality initiatives through IQAC for academic development as well as promoting quality culture.

7. Institutional values and Best Practices

- > To arrange gender equity programmes
- > To celebrate the national, state, district as well as institutional importance days
- > To arrange the different programmes for local community and their development
- > To impart human values and professional ethics
- > To maintain clean and green campus through green practices
- > To arrange various programmes regarding save environment

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