GMN COLLEGE, AMBALA CANTT

MENTOR-MENTEE REPORT

Mentoring is pertinent as it empowers the students with both academic as well personal support, motivation and encouragement thereby leading to success on graduate school and beyond. Considering these benefits, a list of mentor-mentee was prepared where each teacher in the college was allotted a group of students to provide such personal guidance to each student.

The mentor-mentee class was conducted on February 25, 2020 in the college premises. The teachers openly discussed the following topics with the students.

- 1. Moral values
- 2. Importance of classes/ assignments
- 3. Importance of examinations
- 4. Personal grievances, if any

The various responses emerged from this shared interaction between the mentors and mentees which are summarized below in the form of demands, suggestions and appreciation.

I. DEMANDS

- Addition of updated subject books in the library especially for science subjects.
- Extension of issuing period for library books.
- Installation of more lights and fans in the classrooms.
- Increase in educational trips.
- Establishment of a cricket academy in the college.
- Addition of choices in the canteen menu.
- Separate common rooms for boys.
- Permission for holding farewell celebrations for outgoing batches.
- Improvement in the online admission system.

II. SUGGESTIONS

- Washroom cleaning twice a day.
- Separate fee/ fine window for boys and girls.
- Reduction in parking fare and other fines.
- Intimation of fine imposition to the ward's parents.
- Modification in the timetable to enable students to attend the first lecture.
- Active involvement of the mentors in arranging for summer training opportunities especially for BBA students.

III. APPRECIATION

- Updated teaching methods.
- Infrastructural facilities.
- Upgraded library facilities.
- College house examinations for revision purposes.

Bearing in mind the aforementioned submissions, it may be concluded that the feedback received from the mentor-mentee class was quite encouraging and promising but at the same time it gives us the opportunity to further strengthen the relationship between the mentor and mentee to be more effective.