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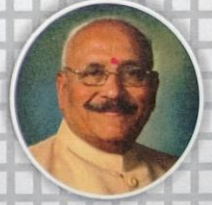
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7.3.1: Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust

Response:

Green Culture Development

The vision of the institute focuses on the green culture development and to aware community about eco-friendly environment.

Since the beginning, trees have shaped us with essential components of life, viz., food and oxygen. As we evolved, they provided additional necessities such as shelter, medicine and tools. Today their value continues to increase and more benefits of trees are being discovered as their role expands to satisfy the needs created by our modern lifestyles.

Peth Vadgaon is a small town. It is prosperous with nature. However, due to current urbanization Peth Vadgaon is changing. Therefore, plantation is very useful to sustain the health of the town. The college has taken the tree plantation project to develop awareness about environmental conservation in young generation. It is the great initiative to connect the young generation of the college with the environment.

Distinctiveness of institutional performance in imbibing environmental values

Trees are an important part of every community. Our streets, parks, playgrounds and backyards are lined with trees that create a peaceful aesthetically pleasing environment. Trees increase our quality of life by bringing natural elements and wildlife habitats into urban settings.

The main reason we like trees is because, they are both beautiful and majestic. Different species display a seemingly endless variety of shapes, forms, textures and vibrant colours. Even individual trees vary their appearance throughout the course of the year as the seasons change.

Therefore, tree plantation sessions are continuously running by the college since last five years in the month of July to contribute green culture to the society.

To make the people aware about plantation **VRUKSH-DINDI** is also held every year.

Tabular format of the plantation sessions are as follows:

Year	No. of saplings to be cultivated during the first week of July	No. of saplings to be sustain at the end of May of upcoming year	Area of plantation
2016-2017	50	36	Teli community graveyard
2017-2018	100	96	Teli community graveyard
2018-2019	80	77	Market yard
2019-2020	100	78	Latawade road
	150	127	Tanali vasahat, Narande
2020-2021	70	50	At student Home
	05	05	College Campus

Some Initiatives taken by the college for Green Culture Development:

Nirmalya Sankalan:

Every year during *Ganesh Visarjan* in the month of August or September Ganesh Talav (Pond) get polluted due to the remains of Prasada, flowers, ornaments, plastics, thermocol etc. To overcome this problem, Volunteers of National Service Scheme (NSS) and all faculty members of our college have started the programme of '*Nirmalya Sankalan*' (Collection) by collecting the all material before the immersion of Ganesh idol in the pond. This action programme becoming useful to make aware people and student towards environment and celebrating eco-friendly festivals. The collected garbage is to be separated into dry and wet waste. The wet waste then mixed with soil in the farm as organic manure.

Ban Plastic:

As plastic is non-degradable material and causes pollution, Government banned on the use of plastic. But people in their daily life are neglecting directly or indirectly such rules and regulations suggested by the Government. To overcome this problem, our institution is taking efforts continuously to practice the alternative use of plastic. To minimize the use of plastic, students who are interested in tailoring work have weaved cotton bags of different sizes and distributed them to their friends, teaching and non-teaching faculties and their neighbours. Students have taken earnings and educating experience by this action programme.

Mahawalkathon Rally:-

Institution organized 'Mahawalkathon Rally' for teaching and non-teaching faculties and students of NCC and NSS from college campus to Latawade Village for the round distance of 6 km. The purpose of this rally was to avoid honking and to aware about traffic rule. Along with this, we achieved the experience of peace, health awareness by walking some distance together.

Majhi Vasundhara - An Oath

As per the order of Ministry of Environment and Forest about taking pledge to protect our beloved earth, our institution has organized *Majhi Vasundhara* - an Oath programme for teaching and non-teaching faculties. Besides the action programme to save environment and earth, people should also attach emotionally with the environment and earth. Along with knowing and taking benefits from living and non-living beauty on the earth, we have to preserve, protect, conserve and use of natural resources sustainably.

Vanashri Puraskar:

Our beloved president of institution was honoured by *Vanashri Puraskar-2020* by Government of Maharashtra for his keen interest and continuous efforts in planting trees and caring them. He has been worked as good administrator in service of Maharashtra government. To encourage the people related with institution he has been worked in the field of environment.

No Vehicle Day:

On first Saturday of every month college organizes an important action programme known as "No Vehicle Day". By avoiding continuous use of vehicles, use of bicycle reduces environmental pollution and enhances healthiness respectively. About 80 vehicles standby on this day is a very good sign to reduce air and noise pollution. On bicycle day, students were also motivated by the college authority by distributing gifts in the form of a ball pen. Students are also being awarded for participating in "No Vehicle day/ Bicycle day".

Electric Bikes:

Our three (03) staff members and one (01) faculty are using electric bikes and car so as to minimize the use of petrol and avoid environmental air pollution. By following these

ideas other staff members also motivated and desired to buy electric bikes. Two (02) faculties are using CNG Cars to minimize the level of pollution and saving the petrol.

Photo plates of the plantation







150 Tree Plantation occurred at Tanali Vasahat, Narande



Plantation at Market yard Peth Vadgaon 2019



Plantation at Graveyard Peth Vadgaon 2018



Plantation at graveyard Peth Vadgaon 2017




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