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BEST PRACTICES OF THE COLLEGE:

Our college has adopted a number of Best Practices over the years. Two among them are explained below:

Best Practice No. 1: Adoption of a village and training the students to undertake agricultural activities:

The main aim of the above practice is:

- To help the residents of the adopted village to grow rice by undertaking agricultural activities on the barren land.
- To teach to the students the dignity of labour.
- To introduce the students to the various agricultural activities.
- To give exposure to the students about the problems faced by the farmers in their day to day life.

The Context

Our college aims at providing holistic education to the students wherein both curricular and co-curricular activities are given equal importance. Though majority of our students come from agricultural background, they do not get any opportunity to learn the various activities involved in the cultivation process. At the same time, undertaking extension activities will help the students to realise the social responsibility. In this connection, in order to give exposure to the students about these two issues the college adopted this best practice.

The Practice

During the year, the college adopted a village in the jurisdiction of Konaje Gram Panchayat under the leadership of Dr. Naveen K. The students worked in the barren fields and prepared the fields for cultivation by removing weeds and wild plants. Then they along with the villagers conducted the agricultural operations such as farming, sowing and then harvesting and final production of rice. They extended their service every Sunday in order to reap good crop. Out of the total output 30 was given to the owners of the land and the remaining was used by the college for mid-day meals.

Evidence of Success

It is happy to note that the students enjoyed every bit of work and they put in their heart and soul into this extension activity. The villagers also were very happy with the work attitude of the students. The efforts were well appreciated by everybody.

Problems Encountered and Resources Required

Uncertainty of rains and lack of finance posed some problems to this practice. However, due to the support of generous people the practice was successful.

Best Practice No.2. Providing mid-day meals at concessional price of Rs.5 only

The main aim of the above practice is:

- To help the poor students in getting food at a very low cost.
- To bring about awareness among the students about the value of food.
- To imbibe the team spirit among the students.

The Context

Since we have students coming from far off places, they are not able to bring food from home and at the same time, eating outside the college is a costly affair. Hence many students skip their lunch, which will cause lack of concentration in studies. So, in order to help the students to provide food at a low price, the practice of mid-day meals was adopted by the college.

The Practice

Initially, the rice grown by the students through agricultural activities in the adopted village was used to start with the mid-day meals. The students were taking turns to assist in the preparation of food, serving and cleaning. All students were content with the quality and quantity of the food provided to them under this scheme.

Evidence of Success

All students who could not afford to eat outside were very happy to get the food at such a concessional price. Since, no student was with empty stomach, it helped them to concentrate on their studies till the evening without any disturbance.

Problems Encountered and Resources Required

Availability of funds to provide the meals is a challenge for this practice. However, with the aid of generous people the college will be able to continue with this practice in future too.


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