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### **BEST PRACTICE: 1**

#### **1. Title of the Practice: Career counseling and Mentoring centre for students**

#### **2. Objectives:**

The objectives are:

- To achieve the vision of the institution viz., to develop all round personality of the students on progressive lines.
- To provide a continuous learning process for students
- To make the students aware of the competition in various walks of life
- To create competitive environment for success in life

#### **3. Principle and concept:**

- To broaden knowledge, skills, and abilities
- To improve decision making skills
- To maximize career opportunities
- To promote job placement

#### **4. The context:**

Students' background i.e. catering to different socio-cultural and economic diversity necessitates mentoring being opted as one of the best practices by the institution. Name of life itself is the competition. The college is situated in rural area. The college shoulders the responsibility to let the students know the competitive world. The absence of institutionalized system of having proper system of mentoring, guidance and counseling in the region along with the obvious fact that most of the students are from remote areas and first generation learners makes it imperative on the part of the institution to provide mentoring.

#### **5. The Practice:**

The college has independent Career Counseling Centre for students preparing for competitive exams. The college has provided independent space; independent library, independent study rooms for girls and boys studying in canter. The results of this activity were found to be fruitful.

### **6. Evidence of Success:**

Improvement in mentees discipline, interaction and communication skills, knowledge and many students of the institution placed in academic field.

Sr.No	Number of benefited students by career counseling activities	Number of students passed and placed.	Department where placed
1	100	30	In different schools and colleges

### **7 Problems encountered and resources required:**

Several problems such as poverty, factors affecting the mobility of students such as lack of conveyance transport.

### **Best Practice: 2**

1. Title of the Practice: Mission Green

2. Objectives:

- To inculcate environmental values and consciousness amongst learners, faculty and society.
- To ensure the protection of environment through organic manure

3. Context

Over usage of artificial fertilizers and mismanagement of natural resources. In order to control the devastating environmental changes; public awareness regarding environmental issues is served through the green initiatives and practices taken in the institute. The challenge lies in changing the attitude of the use-and-throw culture; by inculcating the tradition of recycling.

#### 4. Practice

This process is mainly required to add **nutrients** to the soil. Compost is a natural fertilizer that allows an easy flow of nutrients to the growing plants. The earthworms are mainly used in this process as they eat the organic matter and produce castings through their digestive systems.

#### 5. Evidence of success

After the 24th day, around 4000 to 5000 new worms are introduced and the entire raw material is turned into the vermin compost.

#### 6. Problem:

1. Time-consuming and takes six months to convert the organic matter .
2. Releases a very foul odor.
3. high maintenance.