

Shri Santaji Shikshan Vikas Sanstha's

## SANTAJI MAHAVIDYALAYA

Wardha Road, Nagpur Affiliated to R. T. M. Nagpur University, Nagpur Accredited 'A' Grade by NAAC

# Institutional Distinctiveness

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Name - Services during Crisis

### Background

The College aims to strive towards upliftment and welfare of the poor and downtrodden class. In March 2020, lockdown was declared suddenly and the offline classes had to be suspended. The havoc created by the pandemic caused health and traumatic psychological problems amongst the students. Their attention on academics got wavered. In this kind of a situation of emotional turmoil it became absolutely necessary to provide the support and appropriate mentoring for the sake of ensuring their composure and stability of mind. Some of the college teachers had also fallen victim to Corona.

#### Activities undertaken in the session 2021-2022

- 1. Students Mentoring during Lockdown In view of this situation an additional mentor was appointed for the students to look after the psychological needs of the students who were living under constant fear. The teachers appointed as mentors were the ones residing near the college. Most of the students came from these areas. The students were asked to contact the teacher residing close to their place of residence in case of emergency. Regular mentoring of students has been done through interactions and appeals/letters by the university/college to remain calm and stress free.
- 2. Covid-19 prevention vaccination camp The College Health Care Committee and NSS organized Covid-19 prevention vaccination camp in association with Health Department of Nagpur Municipal Corporation on 21st September, 2021 and 1st November, 2021. Students and their family members and people residing in nearby areas were invited to get vaccinated. 77 people were vaccinated during the drives.



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3. RTPCR Test Drive - On 5th January, 2022 an RTPCR test drive was undertaken for teaching and non-teaching staff and students in association with Health Department of Nagpur Municipal Corporation. 126 persons were tested on this occasion.

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4. Webinar on 'Covid-19 Infection, Prevention and Control' -



Learning Resource Centre organised a webinar on Covid-19 Infection, Prevention and Control on 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Dr. Abhijeet Ambaikar, General Physician was the uest speaker of the programme. In his talk he elaborated about the precautionary measures to be taken in Covid -19 Pandemic. Total 14 participants participated in the webinar through zoom platform.

5. Department of Botany organized an Online Power Point Presentation Competition On 'Uses of important medicinal plants during pandemic Covid-19' on 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2021. 11 students took part in the competition. Students had prepared the power point presentations and uploaded on the google classroom and presented the ppt in a zoom meeting provided by the teachers.



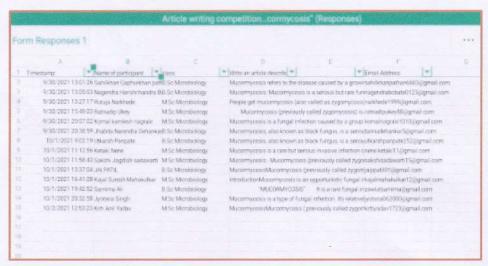
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6. Department of Microbiology organized an Essay competition on 'Vaccination is the key to beat Covid 19' Conducted through online mode on 18th October, 2021. 23 students of the college participated in this competition. The essay competition was judged on the basis of student's vocabulary, presentation and creativity. The purpose of the competition was to encourage the students to enhance their thinking and writing skills and also to raise awareness about vaccination. The registration link for joining the competition was as given below:

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7. On the occasion of Fungal Awareness Week, Department of Microbiology organized an Article Writing Competition on Mucormycosis through online mode on 27th September, 2021. This competition was organized in online mode where all the students uploaded the articles on google forms provided by the organizers. Departmental teachers provided guidance to the students for preparing articles about mucormycosis, its causes and treatment. 14 students participated in this event.



8. Department of Hindi organized a Poster Making competition on 'Covid Vaccination and Precautions to Avoid It' on 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2022. 21 college students participated in the competition. Students presented their posters in a zoom meeting conducted by the organizing department.





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9. Department of Biotechnology organized a PowerPoint Presentation Competition on "Role of Recombinant Vaccines in Treatment of COVID 19" on 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2022. 08 students participated in the competition. The objective of organizing the competition was that the students should get knowledge of Recombinant Vaccines and its application and they should develop presentation skills and technical skills.



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