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Shri Shivalingeshwar Shikshan Sanstha's Sankh

Shri.R.K.Patil Arts, Commerce and Science College, Sankh.

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Support Schemes to the needy students

Although, of the total enrolment, above 40% students are covered under the various scholarships, freeships provided under the government schemes, the institution being located in rural and drought prone area, the students coming from farmers and economically weaken families are faced with the financial problem of meeting the uncovered expenses under the scholarships/freeships, commuting and other incidental expenses.

At present, besides these scholarships/concessions, the institution gives the concessions in fees by way of waiving in full/part, remittance in installments, support through Student Aid Fund, financial support from faculty and staff.

To formalise the modes of concessions and informal way of providing financial aid which are in place; and to enhance the spectrum of the financial support to the needy students coming from economically weaker families; thereby enabling them to pursue higher studies, the Institution proposes to initiate the 'Institutional financial support scheme with the objective of providing financial support to the needy students, covering the uncovered part of the college fees, commuting cost and incidental expenses borne by the students.

Shri R. K. Patil Arts, Commerce and Science College Sankh, Tal:- Jath, Dist: Sangli is branch of Shri Shivlingeshawar Shikshan Sanstha, Sankh, Tal-Jath is established HEI in vicinity to cater educational needs of nearby students. This Sanstha was founded by visionary educationalist Dr. R. K. Patil. College was established in year 2018 to impart education to students of economically backward, underprivileged section of society and agricultural background. Total strength of College is 523; out of 65 % are girl students. It has been reiterated that College is shaping up physically and mentally through public participation. CDC, IQAC and all stakeholders are constantly working through various programmes and activities. A good yardstick of institutional success is alignment of its behaviour and initiatives with its vision and mission.

Areas of Priority and Thrust -

- College has clearly mentioned in its vision of overall development through quality education in context of global knowledge society.
- College in past and in present is to help students grow into better human beings with ability to transform within.
- College's admission policy too is reflective of this broad vision.

Quality infrastructure for quality education:

College is expanding its infrastructural facilities with changing time. Each and every stakeholder feels free to suggest ideas for development of College.

It is promise of College to empower rural youth with quality education.

To make this dream come true, it has been running twenty seven short term and add-on certificate courses for students.



College has a spacious and well equipped ground with all gymnastic equipments. It is open for every youth of Sankh at free of cost.

- It is aim of our College to embolden talent of students and let m emerge.
- This can be achieved only through systematic education which College is providing.
- This College has tried to uplift lives of poor girl students who are not able to get education at Taluka as well as District place.
- Major population is involved in agriculture sector and primary source of income of villagers is farming.
- Farmers are very innovative and hardworking people.
- Crops cultivated here in this area are ginger, guava, tomato, turmeric, sugarcane etc.
- Most students come to this College from very distant and remote places.

Scholarships:

- College has been implementing se schemes for scholarships and financial assistance to uplift economically weaker and meritorious students.
- Some of Schemes are in operational since establishment of College in 2018.

Objective:

To provide financial assistance to meritorious students from low income families to meet a part of day-to-day expenses while pursuing higher studies.

Procedure:

- College has constituted a Scholarship and Freeships Committee that recommends students who deserve scholarship and freeships during Academic Year.
- Committee maintains all records relating to same.
- Rank Holders in each class are promoted to apply for these scholarship schemes.
- Every year, Exam Committee forwards list of First Rank Holders to Scholarship and Freeships Committee.
- Exam Committee identifies First Rank Holders from First Year and Second Year across all programs of B. A., B.Sc. and B.Com.
- Scholarship and Freeships Committee presents a letter of appreciation to students deserving scholarship.
- Certain philanthropists including members of Organizing Board, in their individual capacities, have assisted students who are financially poor but are strong academically and/ or talented in extra-curricular activities.
- With objective of overall development of student, members of Scholarship and Freeships Committee recommend these students to Principal.
- Principal approves this educational scholarship.
- College provides letter of appreciation to private individuals for supporting our students' education.
- Scholarships and Freeships are provided to deserving students.
- Details regarding se scholarships will be put up on Notice Board from time to time.
- Applications for following awards, scholarships and free ships for students are forwarded by College to concerned authorities.

Following are schemes:

Government Scholarships and Freeships:

These scholarships and freeships are given under Social Justice and Special Assistance Department by Central Government and to SC, ST, NT, OBC etc. students. Purpose is to provide financial assistance for education, to reduce drop out ratio, to create passion for higher education, to bring m in mainstream of education etc. It gives benefit of Tuition Fees. It needs valid caste certificate, income certificate, caste validity certificate, UID Card, SSC/HSC marksheets; ration card, nationalized bank account details.

Rajarshi Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj Shikshan Shulkh Shishyavrutti Scheme:



er this scheme of Directorate of Higher Education, scholarship is applicable to economically weaker ctions. Family income of students should be below rupees 8 lakh. Student admitted under General category is eligible for this. He/she should be resident of Maharashtra.

Central Sector Scholarships:

Scheme is in operational since 2008. Objective of scheme is to provide financial assistance to meritorious students having family income of less than Rs.6 lakh per annum, to meet a part of day-to-day expenses while pursuing higher studies.

Students Aid Fund (SAF):

This is scheme of College to grant financial assistance to poor students encouraging them for all round development. Committee is constituted which invites applications from needy students. Students should produce income certificate of parents to Committee. On basis of financial background, regular attendance and academic progress, Committee recommends distributing amount to these students.

Shivaji University, Kolhapur's Merit Scholarships:

To enhance reputation of affiliating University, they have given contribution. Students who come from remote, rural and hilly areas should not be deprived of education. So for education inspiration, University has started 'Shivaji University Merit Scholarship' from 1998-1999.

This scheme has been started by affiliating Shivaji University, Kolhapur to provide financial assistance to rural, hilly are students of Colleges.

Shivaji University, Kolhapur Insurance Scheme for Students, Parents and Staff:

This is a scheme or policy launched by University for students, parents, teachers and administrative staff of Colleges. In case of death of a student/ teacher/administrative staff, his/her nominee gets a compensation of 150000/-. In case of death of parent, a student can get a compensation of 75000/-. If an arm/leg/eyes/ of a student/parent/teacher/administrative staff get damaged, he/she can get 25000/- to 1, 50,000/- rupees. To get this fund a student should pay rupees 50 at time of admission. Teaching and non-teaching staff should pay rupees 200 and 100.

Outcomes:

- It has helped to increase number of girl students to enroll for Higher Education.
- It has boosted their performance in University examinations.
- It has helped them to fulfill educational expenses.
- It has reduced financial burden and resulting in overall development.
- Students' attendance has been increased.
- These scholarships helped to continue Post Graduate studies.
- This has helped bring them in mainstream of Higher education.

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