

SNDT College of Home Science, Pune INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (I.Q.A.C.)

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PERSPECTIVE PLAN 2020-2021

The present Perspective Plan has been prepared for the period of 2021-2022 by taking into consideration the quality indicators. The Principal, College Development Committee, IQAC committee and Head of the departments, provided the guidelines for preparing the plan. It was discussed thoroughly in the IQAC meetings. Inputs from all stakeholders, their expectations, policies, vision, mission and goals of the college have been used as the base in formulating the perspective plan.

The IQAC proposes the following plan of action to achieve the goals and objectives listed in the perspective plan for the academic years 2021-2022:

A. Academic Initiative

- 1. Propose to start Blended courses, Add on and Bridge courses.
- 2. Proposal for MSc Program in Biodiversity- Conservation and Management will be sent to the University and further to Director of Higher Education for approval.
- 3. Propose to organise workshops for training of school teachers.

B. Upgradation of Infrastructure:

- 1. The new programs that have been introduced have increased the student strength considerably and also those being proposed will increase the student strength. Considering this necessary infrastructure will be provided.
- 2. Increased number of programs and batches offered by Food Science and Nutrition department will result in increased occupancy of department laboratories. The college proposes to set up additional laboratories for the Food Science and Nutrition department.
- 3. The Gym and Fitness centre that was established in the college building by the university requires major renovation and repairs. This work shall be taken up to make the Gym and Fitness centre fully functional. The facility will be available to all the students and staff members on the campus.
- 4. Meditation point to be set up for relaxation of students and staff members and yoga sessions will be held regularly.
- 5. An enclosed recreation area to be built outside the administrative office for students.
- 6. Plant for filtered water supply for the college to be set up.
- 7. The college premises shall have Wi-Fi installed. This will be made available to all students and staff members.
- 8. The security of college buildings will be upgraded by installing closed circuit cameras in all classrooms, laboratories and corridors.
- 9. Electronic display system and public address system to be installed.
- 10. Proposal to apply for Hostel Fund- Proposal to be sent to UGC.

C. Research and Consultancy

- 1. Staff members and students will be encouraged and motivated to do research. Student and teachers research journal will be published.
- 2. Funding shall be provided by the college to teachers participating in workshops, seminars and symposiums.
- 3. Project discussion group to be formed for teachers and students.

- 4. Post Graduate student research projects to be sent for competitions.
- 5. Consultation services by Nutrition department- Workshops and Training programs for people and institutions in and around Pune.

D. Green Initiative

- 1. Setting up Ganga Maa Mandal (gardens of medicinal and nutritional plants and trees) in association with the Maharashtra Council of Agriculture education and Research.
- 2. "Urban Forest" to be developed in association with Eco Factory Foundation. This will inculcate environment consciousness and health awareness on the campus.
- E. Strengthening Inclusion: Increased "Inclusion of Students with Special Needs" is proposed

F. Employment and Entrepreneurship Initiative

- 1. Proposal to set up Incubation Centre will be sent to UGC and RUSA.
- 2. Organize the Employment Meet.

G. Mental and Physical Well-being Initiative

- 1. Making Yoga as the integral part of the time table.
- 2. Propose appointment of professional counsellor.