## Rayat Shikshan Sanstha"s

## Prof. Dr. N. D. Patil Mahavidyalaya, Malkapur-Perid Tal. -Shahuwadi, Dist. -Kolhapur Institutional Distinctiveness

✓ Imparting Education to the Students from Hilly and Socioeconomically Backward Sections:

## **Vision and Mission:**

- To strive for the development of enlightened and humane society through purposeful teaching, learning, research and extension programmes for the attainment of social justice, national integration and human values.
- We are committed to provide quality education to the students from hilly, rural and socioeconomically backward sections to make them employable, self reliant and responsible citizens of our nation.

Keeping in view the above vision, Prof. Dr. N. D. Patil Mahavidyalaya has been established in Malkapur in 1992. It belongs to a hilly and remote region of Shahuwadi Taluka of Kolhapur District. The region has heavy rainfall and much forest land. Therefore, it has many educational and social challenges. As it is the only college providing science education along with arts and commerce in this area, the college receives its students strength from 91 villages out of total 133 villages in Shahuwadi Taluka. Much of the student strength hails from poor and deprived classes of the region. There are poor transportation facilities that make their educational journey difficult. In order to have a multifaceted development of these students, the college has been performing with the above vision.

- 1. College has been creating enabling academic atmosphere in our college. It provides not only UG courses such as B.A., B. Com. and B.Sc. but also PG course M.A. in Hindi.
- 2. It offers professional and skill oriented education through its short term courses such as Spoken English personality Development, TCS Sponsored 'Campus to Corporate' course, A Certificate Course of Nursery A Certificate Course in Guide Ship in Biodiversity and Adventure Tourism, Tailoring, Bags Making, Jewelry Designing so as to groom them for their future careers.
- 3. College has well qualified research oriented teaching staff that makes a sound use of ICT in their teaching learning evaluation. The teachers use different innovative teaching learning methodologies like Experiential learning participative learning, Communicative Approach, quiz technique, Jerk technique etc. in teaching. Besides, various departments

- conduct student centric methods for active involvement of the students in the teaching-learning process.
- 4. College has 'Competitive Examination Guidance Center' that inspires our students to go for civil service examinations. As our students are quite rural, they require much mentoring in academic and stress related issues. Hence college runs 'Mentor-Mentee Scheme'. It is not only college authorities but also our teachers personally give financial assistance to poor and needy students.
- 5. College strives to provide the best platform for the talented students in the form of cultural committee and gymkhana. IQAC has been promoting the research culture in the college. Teachers are motivated to conduct research activities and participate in FDP programmes.
- 6. Students of our college participate in the small research project activities and *Avishkar*, university level competition that grooms their research attitude.
- 7. College has been conducting extension programmes through NSS. In the current academic year, NSS has organized 10 activities such as Road Safety Awareness, Beti Bachao Beti Padhao, Swach Bharat...Swasth Bharat and Eradication of Superstition etc. It has organized 07 day camp at Chanwad-Shahuwadi (District-Kolhapur). Moreover, NSS department organized Blood Donation camp and Health Checkup Camp. Lead College Committee has been organizing two workshops every year that address locational and advantages and disadvantages.
- 8. Also NCC Unit of our college has organized activities such as parades, drills, 'Tree plantation', *Swacchata Pakhawada* (Swaccha Bharat Abhiyan), 'Trekking Camp', 'Drill and Demonstration of Disaster Management', 'Cleanliness Camp' at Ninai Parale Dam to create awareness about plastic-free environment and Blood Donation Camps
- In the academic year 2019-20, two one day workshops on the theme 'E-Learning Resources in Higher Education' and 'Creation of Trained Human Resources in Metallurgy and Allied Industry' were organized.
- 10. In this year, Geography Department organized One Day Farmer's Gathering on the theme 'Modern Technology to Increase Milk Production'.



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