



## Criteria - V

### Student Support and Progression

*“Education is simply the soul of a society as it passes from one generation to another”*

**G. K. Chesterson**



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### 5.1 Student Mentoring and Support

#### 5.1.1. **Does the institution publish its updated prospectus/ handbook annually? If “yes” what is the information provided to students through these documents and how does the institution ensure its commitment and accountability?**

Yes, the College provides up-to-date information about the various activities to all the students through prospectus. It provides a nutshell view of all activities conducted by the college in the true sense. The history of the College is given in short in the prospectus. It informs students about the various courses available in the College, the different departments, the faculty and their qualifications. The prospectus gives information regarding admission procedure, rules and regulations pertaining to attendance, examination, discipline and various facilities provided by the College for the students. A senior faculty under the guidance of the Principal monitors the effective implementation of the information provided and commitment given to students through the prospectus in letter and spirit. The same information, which is published in the college prospectus, is also uploaded on the College website.

#### 5.1.2 **Specify the type, number and amount of institutional scholarships/ free ships given to the students during the last four years and whether the financial aid was available and disbursed on time?**

The College provides financial assistance to deserving students. Financial assistance, incentives and cash awards to meritorious students are given by the college out of its own funds. The students belonging to weaker socio- economic back grounds are provided with **Scholarships**. In the academic year 2011-12 **free ship facility** was given to 44 students to the tune of Rs.1, 50,575 in addition to the free ship facility given by self-finance section. This is in addition to the scholarship given to BC/OBC students. Financial aids are also made available to the students of ST/SC and OBC in the form of post merit scholarships through Social Welfare Department of the Government. The college also provides **Book Bank facility** to the needy students every year. There is a Students ‘Aid Fund in the College.



**Table 5.1**  
**Free ship Facility**

Year	Class	No. of Students	Amount
2011-2012	F.Y.B.Com.	16	59,120
	F.Y.B.A.	02	7,390
	S.Y.B.Com.	15	52,125
	T.Y.B.Com.	04	11,100
	T.Y.B.A.	01	2,775
	T.Y.B.Sc. (C.S.)	06	17,765
	S.Y.B.Sc. (C.S.)		
	F.Y.B.Sc. (C.S.)		
	S.Y.B.Sc. (I.T.)		
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>			<b>1,50,575</b>

### Book Bank Facility

The Students' Aid Fund Committee is formed in the beginning of the academic year. The committee invites applications from needy students; interviews are held to evaluate their financial status and arrive at a conclusion as to how many of them are really in need of book bank facility offered by the College. Based on the recommendations of this committee, books are distributed to students.

**Table 5.2**  
**Books Borrowed By Students under Students Aid Fund**

Academic year	Class	Students	Total number of borrowers
2008-09	F.Y.B.Com	17	
	S.Y.B.Com	10	
	T.Y.B.Com	<u>16</u>	43
2009-10	F.Y.B.Com	12	
	S.Y.B.Com	15	
	T.Y.B.Com	<u>17</u>	44
2010-11	F.Y.B.Com	15	
	S.Y.B.Com	12	
	T.Y.B.Com	08	
	F.Y.B.A	05	
	S.Y.B.A	<u>03</u>	43
2011-12	F.Y.B.Com	22	
	S.Y.B.Com	19	
	T.Y.B.Com	04	
	F.Y.B.A	02	
	S.Y.B.A	<u>02</u>	49



2012-13	F.Y.B.Com	26	
	S.Y.B.Com	41	
	T.Y.B.Com	17	
	F.Y.B.A	01	
	S.Y.B.A	02	
	T.Y.B.A	06	93

All the funds and aids were made available and were disbursed in a time bound manner.

### 5.1.3 What percentage of students receives financial assistance from state government, central government and other national agencies?

Our College has a linguistic minority status – Gujarati. Only very few percentage of students, who are eligible for financial assistance from State Government, Central Government and other agencies take admission in our college due to this reason. However, the College provides financial assistance to students from very poor socio-economic background through various schemes like Book Bank Facility, Free ship, Student Aid Fund, etc.

The number of students availed the scholarships from the government agencies in the reserved category went up from 57 (approximately 2.1%) during 2008-09 to 75 (approximately 2.7%) during 2009-10 and further to 84 (approximately 3.1%) during 2010-11. During the 2011-12, 84 (approximately 3.1%) students got the benefit from government agencies. In Handicapped category during 2010-11 and 2011-12, 14 students have received scholarships respectively.

### 5.1.4 What are the specific support services / facilities available for?

- ✦ Students from SC/ST,OBC and economically weaker sections
- ✦ Students with physical disabilities
- ✦ Overseas students
- ✦ Students to participate in various competitions / National and International
- ✦ Medical assistance to students: health care, health insurance etc.
- ✦ Organizing coaching classes for competitive exams
- ✦ Skill development (spoken English, computer literacy, etc.,)
- ✦ Support for “ slow learners”
- ✦ Exposures of students to other institutions of higher learning/ corporate/ business house etc
- ✦ Publication of student magazines



Specific support services available for students

✦ **Students from SC/ST,OBC and economically weaker sections**

All **Free ship facilities** offered by the government is made available to SC, ST, and OBC students. Students from poor economic backgrounds are provided with facilities like Fees installments, book bank facility, and free counseling facility.

✦ **Students with physical disabilities**

Students with **physical challenges** are given facilities like, Eduvision laboratory, lift facility, arranging for classrooms nearer to lifts, special cubicles for writing exams, ramp at entrance, writers and extra time for completing exam papers.

✦ **Overseas students**

At present there are no overseas students enrolled in the College. However the College is open to the idea of admitting overseas students in future when international educational tie ups will be made. As and when overseas students join, the college will provide all necessary support including hostel facilities which are available with various religious trusts and Colleges located nearby the campus.

✦ **Students to participate in various competitions/National and International**

Various committees are formed to mobilize and encourage the students to participate in competition at national and international levels. The college arranges coaches to train the students and provide enough infrastructure to support them. Special doubt clearing sessions are held to help such students. Students are encouraged to participate in both co-curricular and extra-curricular activities such as NSS, NCC, sports and cultural activities.

✦ **Medical assistance to students: health care, health insurance etc.**

Medical facility is given to all the students and all of them are covered under Group Medical Insurance scheme. We have a panel of three doctors at our disposal to deal with any medical emergency. In addition to this, we have one medical practitioner in our staff. First Aid boxes are kept in the main administrative office, office of self financed section and in Gymkhana to meet any unforeseen medical emergencies.

✦ **Organizing coaching classes for competitive exams**

We have MKES Management and Research institute associated with our College which provides coaching for competitive programs like CA, CS, GRE, and CAT. Special seating and reading facility is made



available in the library for the students appearing for various competitive exams.

✦ **Skill development (spoken English, computer literacy, etc.)**

To improve the English speaking skills among the weaker students the Department of English is organizing spoken English classes on regular basis. Spoken English classes are conducted by self finance sections as well. Tutorials of smaller batches are also being conducted regularly. College has many computers available to students as well as teachers. We also have a separate cyber area in the library with internet facility. Add-on-courses are being successfully conducted for Functional English, Travel and Tourism Management, Child Care and Child Developments well as Computer Applications. Many students enjoy the benefit of the above UGC recognized Add- On Courses introduced in our College.

✦ **Support for “slow learners”**

The College has introduced remedial classes for the weaker students. Mentor meetings and excellent teacher- learner communication that prevails in the campus helps to identify slow learners who are given informal assistance to improve their academic competence. During exams half an hour extra time and the facility of a writer as per the University norms is provided to slow learners. Extra hours are devoted by the faculty to help them to understand the difficult modules in the syllabus.

✦ **Exposures of students to other institutions of higher learning/ corporate/ business house etc**

Various workshops, talks and guest lectures are arranged by the College under the banner of career guidance and placement cell and other departments. Famous personalities and industrialists are invited regularly for guest lectures. Our students get the benefit of sharing their invaluable expertise. The College also arranges industrial visits to leading corporate houses for the practical exposure. The PG students are motivated to participate and present research papers in various national and international seminars, conferences and workshops.

✦ **Publication of student magazines**

The College encourages students to be the part of all college publications such as Khandwala Times (Quarterly), Niharika (Annually) and other research publications by Khandwala Publishing House (KPH). Their creative talents are pooled and tapped in all College publications. In fact, students are kept in the editorial teams of College publications.



### **5.1.5 Describe the efforts made by the institution to facilitate entrepreneurial skills, among the students and the impact of the efforts**

For the development of **entrepreneurial skills** among the students adequate theoretical and practical exposure is provided by inviting well known experts from industry and premier institutions. Students are made known about various career opportunities available. Our alumni are also invited to interact and guide their juniors. Special lectures are organized by alumni. The Placement Cell, Commerce Department, BMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS and Microbiology arrange several industrial visits. Such visits provide practical knowledge to the students about the present business and employment scenario. Students are involved in each and every activity organized by the college. Their service is utilized in order to facilitate entrepreneurial skills in them. Intercollegiate festivals such as Springz, Zesty, Pravaah, Mirage, Montage, Medrove, Kiran etc; intra-collegiate youth festivals and seminars, workshops, conferences are conceived by the college; organized jointly by teachers and students under the guidance of the Principal. The Placement Cell encourages outgoing students to visualize the starting of their own enterprises. The Placement Cell assesses the needs of entrepreneurs and prepares a comprehensive training module to equip the outgoing students with necessary skills.

Many of the students enrolled in our college appear for CA exams (CPT, IPCC). Our Accountancy Department recommends students for Article ship to CA's and for vacancies in good CA firms.

### **5.1.6 Enumerate the policies and strategies of the institution which promote participation of students in extracurricular and co-curricular activities such as sports, games, Quiz competitions, debate and discussions, cultural activities etc.**

Following committees are formed to motivate the students to participate in sports, games, quiz, debate and cultural activities;

- ✦ Students' council
- ✦ Gymkhana
- ✦ Planning forum
- ✦ Gandhian Studies Centre
- ✦ University cultural competition.
- ✦ Arts' circle
- ✦ NCC
- ✦ NSS
- ✦ English Literary Association



- ✦ Gujarati SahityaMandal
- ✦ Marathi Wangmay Mandal
- ✦ Mathematics club
- ✦ Commerce Association
- ✦ Drama club
- ✦ Social cell
- ✦ Music club
- ✦ Commerce association
- ✦ English literary association

The students participating in the above activities are provided with additional academic support such as extended dates for submission of assignments and projects, special coaching if required and attendance concession as per university provision. They are also encouraged by giving appreciation certificates and awards at the end of the academic year. There is a provision of additional examination given to students those who miss their exams due to NCC, NSS, and sports and on medical grounds. 10 grace marks are given to the students as per the university norms. During practice hours the students are provided with snacks, uniforms and any other material required for such activities.

**5.1.7 Enumerating on the support and guidance provided to the students in preparing for the competitive exams, give details on the number of students appeared and qualified in various competitive exams such as UGC-CSIR-NET, UGC-NET, SLET, ATE/CAT/GRE/TOFEL/GMAT/Central / State services, Defense, Civil Services, etc.**

The College directs the students planning to appear for competitive exams such as UGC-CSIR-NET, UGC-NET, SLET, ATE/CAT/GRE/TOFEL/GMAT etc. to the UGC sponsored schemes run by the University of Mumbai. Young buzz organized by the BMS section of our college helps the students appearing for GRE/TOFEL exams. Mehul Sushil Vyas of BMS – 2009 batch made us proud by clearing **UPSC Main Exam** on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2013. The Mathematics and Statistics Department conducts Ramanujan Quiz Competition for the students to improve their mathematical abilities.

**5.1.8 What type of counseling services are made available to the students (academic, personal, career, psycho-social etc)**

There is a Counseling Cell in the College under inchargeship of a counselor. The counselor assists students to overcome the various problems encountered by them at the college level. The availability of trained counselor is made known to students by their mentors through





the periodically conducted mentor meetings. Active parental involvement is also sought where the issues related to families that are affecting the students are discussed. **Cognitive Behavior Therapy, Rational Emotive Behavior Therapy, Art Therapy** and **HTP** are the techniques used by the counselor. Counseling services made available to the students are:

- ✦ **Academic Counseling:** Issues related to stress and depression due to self induced or parental pressure is helped with. Students are helped with time-table management and learning techniques.
- ✦ **Personal counseling:** Relationship issues, family issues interaction between students and parents, helping them to interact with each other.
- ✦ **Career related counseling:** Students are given knowledge about the various careers and opportunities available suitable to their attitude.
- ✦ **Psycho- social counseling:** The types of cases handled in the college include anger management, anxiety, depression and OCD's.

**5.1.9 Does the institution have a structured mechanism for career guidance and placement of its students? If “yes”, detail on the services provided to help**

The Placement Cell of the aided section and the Career Guidance Cell of the self-financed section provides career guidance to students, organizes lectures and invites companies for campus recruitment. The career corner of the library helps the students in getting up-to-date knowledge about the job opportunities available within the country and outside. Seminars are conducted by industry experts to provide information about jobs available to a fresh graduates and the expected salary. Various training workshops on soft skills such as Resume Writing, Mock Interview, Group Discussion and Corporate Grooming are conducted. Aptitude tests and onsite recruitment drives are carried on. Feedback is given to students on how they have performed in the interview as given by the company.



**Table 5.3  
Placement Records**

Sr. No	Company	2009-10 Attended	2009-10 Selected	2010-11 Attended	2010-11 Selected	2011-12 Attended	2011-12 Selected	2012-13 Attended <sup>*</sup>	2012-13 Selected <sup>*</sup>
1	Navkar Recruitm Ent					150	42		
2	Infosys Bangalore					60	57		
3	Andromed a Marketing Pvt Ltd					15	12	25	10
4	Wipro Technolog ies Ltd	63	15	56	27				
5	Tata Consultan cy Services			65	20				
6	HDFC Standard Life Insurance			45	15			40	5
7	Eureka Forbes			30	14				
8	Kotak Mahindra Insurance	22	15					25	5
9	Tata AIG Insurance Company	16	10						



**5.1.10 Does the institution have a student grievance redressal cell? If yes, list (if any) the grievances reported and redressed during the last four years**

Yes, there is a student grievance redressal cell in the College.

Grievances are communicated to teachers by the students in the mentor meetings in a prescribed format, conducted by the College. The problems reported by the students are reported to the Principal through the mentor-in-charge and suitable actions are taken.

Grievances addressed in the last four years are:

- Provision of sufficient number of computers with internet in the library.
- Provision of laptops to each department.
- Provision of mobile mike system to individual teachers.
- Housekeeping was told to clean washrooms and classrooms more frequently.
- Blackboards, benches and fans are repaired timely as per the Problem Reporting Forms.

**5.1.11 What are the institutional provisions for resolving issues pertaining to sexual harassment?**

The College believes in nipping in the bud, the problems arising out of sexual harassment in the College premises. We have Women's Development Cell, Students' Grievance Cell and Students' Counseling Center to deal with such issues. Issues pertaining to sexual harassment can also be dealt with seriously under the aegis of local managing committee (LMC) as well.

**5.1.12 Is there an anti-ragging committee? How many instances (if any) have been reported during the last four years and what action has been taken on these?**

Yes, the college has an Anti Ragging Committee

Banners reflecting the dangers of ragging and related activities are displayed in the campus prominently and are being highlighted in the mentor meetings.



### **5.1.13 Enumerate the welfare schemes made available to students by the Institution.**

Various welfare schemes are being adopted for the betterment of students of our college.

- ✦ The induction programme clearly presents the welfare schemes available to the students
- ✦ Details about scholarships, free ship, book bank facilities are mentioned in the college prospectus.
- ✦ The mentors guide the students to be beneficiaries of the welfare schemes.
- ✦ The College counselor reaches out to the students formally and informally.
- ✦ The Placement Cell extends its services to the students in career guidance, organizes lectures concerning career planning and invites companies for campus recruitment.
- ✦ The Grievance Redressal Cell actively interacts with the students to help them sort out their grievances.
- ✦ Women Development Cell enhances the understanding of the other gender.
- ✦ Scholarships, awards, cash-prizes and felicitations are given to the meritorious students on 15<sup>th</sup> of August every year.
- ✦ For students belonging to the economically underprivileged sections free ships and book bank facilities are given.
- ✦ Through Earn while you Learn programme introduced in our college 5 students are given employment every year.
- ✦ Students facing problems in payment of fees can opt for payment of fees in installments.
- ✦ Students with excellent attendance records are felicitated.

### **5.1.14 Does the Institution has a registered Alumni Association? If yes, what are its activities and major contributions for institutional, academic and infrastructure development?**

The College has an alumni association. The alumni association organizes seminars/ workshops for current students in their final year of graduation to enable them to make a smooth transition from College to corporate. Students are made aware of the employment scenario in the business world. Alumina based on their experience guide their juniors to equip them to cope to the external environment.

Guest Lectures from entrepreneurs are regularly held. Alumni who have set up their own businesses are continuously assisting the college in imparting knowledge to budding entrepreneurs. We have a yearly



reunion where past students get an opportunity to meet and interact with each other and help in strengthening of the bond between themselves and with the teachers. To re affirm their continuing relationship with the college; the teachers are felicitated on Teachers Day by the past students. Alumni9999 organizes tours for the students. They also give sponsorships for inter-collegiate festivals.

## 5.2 Student Progression

### 5.2.1 **Providing the percentage of the students progressing to higher education or employment (for the last four batches) highlights the trends observed.**

Since our College is a campus offering students academic leeway up to PhD, students desirous of undergoing higher education always look forward to our College for higher education. Though our College is known as an institution offering numerous undergraduate courses, the number and relevance of post-graduate courses have increased in recent years. The students enrolled in our College are basically from Gujarat and Rajasthan and are mainly from the business communities who would like to continue their traditional businesses after their graduation. However, many of them are encouraged to go for professional courses like C.A, C.S etc simultaneously with the traditional B.COM course. The quality education imparted to them by the college encourages them to pursue higher education in reputed universities and other higher educational institutions in India and abroad. Many students approach the college for and obtain recommendation letters in order to continue their higher studies in foreign Universities.

**Table 5.4**

#### **List of Students from the College Applied for Courses Abroad**

<b>Year</b>	<b>No. of students</b>
2010-11	17
2011-12	17
2012-13	11

Nowadays industry also seeks the merit and conduct certificates of the candidates from the College during their studies before employing them. Many of our past students approach our college in order obtain such recommendation certificates.



### Students' progression to various courses from the aided section

The available data in the College indicates that nearly 50% of the students passing out pursue their own business as majority of the students come from business families. The following is the list of students who opted for higher education after graduation from our college.

**Table 5.5**  
**List of Students' Progression to Various Courses from the Aided Section**

Courses:	No of students (2011-12)	No of students (2012-13)
MMS course	05	09
MFM course	04	-
PGD in planning & Entrepreneurship	01	-
B.Ed. Programme	10	14
B.P.Ed.	03	-
1 <sup>st</sup> year L.L.B. Course	44	34
Diploma in Forensic Science	01	-
M.A.Part-I	05	18
M.Com Part-II	155	31
MBA	-	02
PGDM	-	08
PGDJC(Hindi)	-	01
MCA	-	03

### Students' progression in the self financed section:

In the self financed section as many as 66% of the students undergo post graduation after under graduation. Around 9% of them are employed through campus interviews and 4% of them are employed by other agencies. Around 21% of the students are self-employed from the unaided section.

**Table 5.6**  
**Students Progression**

Students Progression	Against% enrolled
UG to PG	66%
PG to M. Phil.	--
PG to PhD	--
Ph.D. to Post-Doctoral	--
Employed	4%
Campus selection	9%
Other than campus recruitment	
Entrepreneurship / Self-employment	21%



**5.2.2 Provide details of the programme wise pass percentage and completion rate for the last four years (cohort wise/ batch wise as stipulated by the University)? Furnish programme - wise details in comparison with that of the previous performance of the same institution and that of the college of the affiliating University within the city/district.**

The programme wise pass percentage for the last four years is as follows:

**Table 5.7  
Result Statistics**

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		B.COM.	B.A.	BMS	B.Sc (IT)	B.Com.(A /F )	( B /I )	BMM	BSc(CS)	B.Sc. (Micro)	B.Com. (F/M)
2007 – 2008	Appeared	449	81	102	56	54	53	49	41	--	--
	Distin.	--	--	14	4	46	49	9	--	--	--
	I Class	264	18	52	20	--	2	26	1	--	--
	II Class	131	46	14	13	2	--	5	11	--	--
	Pass Class	8	12	12	3	5	--	6	--	--	--
	Total Passed	403	76	92	40	53	51	46	12	--	--
	%	89.76	93.83	90.20	71.40	98.10	96.20	93.90	29.30	--	--
	UOM %	59.62	78.51	81.20	65.20	95.00	93.50	94.20	71.60		
2008 – 2009	Appeared	456	100	110	58	59	59	45	48	--	--
	Distinction.	--	--	14	--	50	51	11	--	--	--
	I Class	285	25	66	39	1	3	31	5	--	--



	II Class	130	64	6	2	1	---	2	24	--	--
	Pass Class	12	5	3	2	3	4	1	1	--	--
	Total Passed	427	94	89	43	55	58	45	30	--	--
	%	93.85	94.00	80.90	74.10	94.80	98.30	100.00	62.50	--	--
	UOM %	58.26	76.08	83.90	60.60	94.90	93.50	95.90	64.70		
2009 – 2010	Appeared	527	87	113	117	57	59	52	65	14	--
	Distinction.	--	--	32	1	54	51	8	--	--	--
	I Class	369	17	63	42	--	3	39	7	6	--
	II Class	123	44	4	30	--	---	3	34	7	--
	Pass Class	3	16	1	8	3	4	2	1	--	--
	Total Passed	495	77	100	81	57	58	52	42	13	--
	%	94.29	88.51	88.50	69.23	100.00	98.30	100.00	64.60	92.90	--
UOM %	63.67	72.12	81.60	51.11	95.20	95.70	94.90	52.50	63.80	--	
2010 – 2011	Appeared	509	85	117	117	54	57	55	47	22	58
	Distinction.	--	--	49	3	50	37	33	--	--	53
	I Class	330	25	37	60	2	16	20	14	2	5
	II Class	130	39	5	21	--	2	--	25	11	--
	Pass Class	11	12	4	8	--	1	1	3	--	--
	Total Passed	471	76	95	92	52	56	54	42	13	58
	%	92.53	89.41	81.19	78.63	96.29	98.24	98.18	89.36	59.09	100.00
	UOM %	62.96		81.57	49.13	95.53	94.81	94.31	55.34	55.34	95.83
2011 – 2012	Appeared	535			88	64	61	61	44	31	51
	Distinction.	349	--		--	--	--	7	--	--	--
	I Class	134			57	60	57	46	2	8	48
	II Class	37			7	1	2	5	22	17	2
	Pass Class	--			11	1	2	1	--	1	1
	Total Passed	520			75	62	61	59	24	26	51
	%	97.20			85.22	96.87	100%	96.72	54.54	86.66%	100.00
	UOM %	81.53			51.22	93.85%	94.40	91.32%	49.38	61.34%	97.63





The performance of our College is always been way ahead of that of the University. Our performance has always been outstanding in the various examinations held by the university from time to time. Some of our students have made us proud by securing ranks at the university exams.

#### **Ranks and academic achievements of students:**

- ✦ One of our students **Ms Prema Jaykumar**, who has been in the college at B.Com and M.Com level, bagged the 2<sup>nd</sup> Rank and 1<sup>st</sup> Rank at the University respectively. She further made us proud by securing the **1<sup>st</sup> Rank at the All India CA Exams** held in November 2012.
- ✦ Mr. Vishal Chouhan got the **25<sup>th</sup> Rank** in the same exam.
- ✦ Mr. Vaikunth Jha secured the 5<sup>th</sup> Rank in the TYB.Com University exams in 2011-12. He has also secured the **38<sup>th</sup> Rank** in the All India CA Exams held in November 2011.

#### **5.2.3 How does the institution facilitate student progression to higher level of education and /or towards employment?**

The Career Guidance Cell looks after students' progression to higher level of education and provides ample opportunities of placement to students through campus interviews by various companies. Career Guidance Cell arranges trainings for students in soft skills, HR, CV writing and also provides materials for competitive examinations. Teachers advice students as and when need arises on a one-to-one basis.

#### **5.2.4 Enumerate the special support provided to students who are at risk of failure and drop out.**

The students who are weak in studies and at risk of failure are provided with special care and protection in the teaching- learning process. The initiatives taken by the College in connection with this include remedial teaching, doubt-clearing sessions as well as arranging to solve old question papers. Based on their performance in solving question papers, teachers advise them and guide them to adopt the best method of study suitable for them. With regard to students who drops out re admission is given whenever and wherever it is possible. For students with genuine problems attendance concession is being given so that they can continue their studies.



### 5.3 Student Participation and Activities

#### 5.3.1 List the range of sports, games, cultural and other extracurricular activities available to the students. Provide details of participation and programme calendar.

In sports and games, chess, badminton, judo, various inter collegiate as well as intra-collegiate competitions, intercollegiate table-tennis tournament; cricket tournaments at college level, at university level as well as state level competitions are made available to our students.

Apart from regular co-curricular activities like NSS, NCC, Student's council, NK ICE our students take part in a host of other extracurricular activities as well. Gandhian Studies Centre, Marathi wangmay mandal, Springz, Kiran, Umang, Medrove, Aagaman etc are some of the worth mentioning activities adopted by our college for student participation and progress. The chronology of the range of student activities at zonal, inter-collegiate, university, state level as well as national level can be observed from the following schedule.

**Table 5.8**  
**Chronology of the Range of Student Participation in Activities**

Year 2008-09			
Event	Name	Level	No
Cultural	Drama	University	29
Cultural	Dance	University	11
Cultural	Literary Arts	University	07
Cultural	Fine Arts	University	07
Cultural	Kiran	InterCollegiate	3000
Cultural	Mirage	InterCollegiate	3200
Cultural	Quest	InterCollegiate	500



Cultural	Pravaah	InterCollegiate	1000
Cultural	Zesty	InterCollegiate	1100
NK ICE	Performing/Literary/ Fine Arts	IntraCollegiate	116
Student' Council	Springz	InterCollegiate	200
Students' Council	All Day's Celebration	IntraCollegiate	2014
Students' Council	Annual Day	IntraCollegiate	65
Students' Council	Farewell Function	IntraCollegiate	125
NSS	Camp ( Zilla Parishad School, Virar)	InterCollegiate	44
NCC	Month long training for independence Day	college level	40
NCC	12 days Annual training camp	Zonal Level	16
NCC	Ganpati Visarjan	Zonal Level	07
NCC	National camps	National Level	02
NCC	NCC Day camp	Zonal Level	08
NCC	B-Certificate exam	National Level	05
Gandhian Studies Centre	Peace Exam	IntraCollegiate	90
Gandhian Studies Centre	Non-Violence Day	IntraCollegiate	100



<b>Year 2009-10</b>			
<b>Event</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>No</b>
Cultural	Drama	University	25
Cultural	Dance	University	11
Cultural	Literary Arts	University	08
Cultural	Fine Arts	University	07
Cultural	Kiran	Inter-Collegiate	500
Cultural	Mirage	Inter-Collegiate	2450
Cultural	Quest	Inter-Collegiate	500
Cultural	Pravaah	Inter-Collegiate	1200
Cultural	Zesty	Inter-Collegiate	1300
<b>Planning Forum</b>	<b>Elocution</b>	<b>IntraCollegiate</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Planning Forum</b>	<b>Essay Writing</b>	<b>IntraCollegiate</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Planning Forum</b>	<b>Poster Making</b>	<b>IntraCollegiate</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>NK ICE</b>	<b>Performing/Literary/ Fine Arts</b>	<b>IntraCollegiate</b>	<b>153</b>
<b>Students' Council</b>	<b>Springz</b>	<b>InterCollegiate</b>	<b>225</b>
<b>Students' Council</b>	<b>All Day's Celebration</b>	<b>IntraCollegiate</b>	<b>2104</b>
<b>Students' Council</b>	<b>Annual Day</b>	<b>IntraCollegiate</b>	<b>78</b>



Students' Council	Farewell Function	Intra-Collegiate	180
NSS	Camp ( Zilla Parishad School, Virar)	Inter-Collegiate	
NSS	Blood Donation Camp	Inter-Collegiate	200 units of blood
NCC	Month long training for independence Day	College Level	50
NCC	12 days Annual training camp	Zonal Level	13
NCC	B-Certificate exam	National Level	09
NCC	C-Certificate exam	National Level	07
NCC	Trekking Camp	State Level	05
GandhianStudiesCentre	Peace exam	Intra-Collegiate	90
GandhianStudiesCentre	Non-Violence Week and Film-show Bapu Ne Kaha Tha	Intra-Collegiate	120

Year 2010-11			
Event	Name	Level	No.
Cultural	Drama	University	26
Cultural	Dance	University	01
Cultural	Literary Arts	University	08
Cultural	Fine Arts	University	07
Cultural	Kiran	InterCollegiate	1012



Cultural	Mirage	InterCollegiate	2100
Cultural	Quest	InterCollegiate	1000
Cultural	Pravaah	InterCollegiate	1300
Cultural	Zesty	InterCollegiate	1400
PlanningForum	Elocution	IntraCollegiate	13
PlanningForum	Essay Writing	IntraCollegiate	19
PlanningForum	Poster Making	IntraCollegiate	10
PlanningForum	Quiz Competition	IntraCollegiate	10
NK ICE	Performing/Literary/ Fine Arts	IntraCollegiate	139
Students' Council	Springz	InterCollegiate	450
Students' Council	AllDay's Celebration	IntraCollegiate	2087
Students' Council	Annual Day	IntraCollegiate	80
Students' Council	Farewell Function	IntraCollegiate	160
NSS	Camp Zilla Parishad School, Virar	InterCollegiate	50
NSS	Blood Donation Camp	InterCollegiate	189 Units of blood
NCC	Month long training for independence Day	College Level	40
NCC	12 days Annual training camp	Zonal Level	06
NCC	Ganpati Visarjan	Zonal Level	20
NCC	B-Certificate exam	National Level	14
NCC	C-Certificate exam	National Level	04



NCC	Republic Day Camp	State Level	05
NCC	Combined Annual Training Camp	National Level	02
Gandhian Studies Centre	Skit		25
Gandhian Studies Centre	Certificate Course	Intra-Collegiate	100
Gandhian Studies Centre	Hiroshima Day Pledge	Intra-Collegiate	25
Gandhian Studies Centre	Martyr's Day	Inter-Collegiate	30

Year 2011-12			
Event	Name	Level	No.
ArthUtsav		InterCollegiate	100
Cultural	Drama	University	24
Cultural	Dance	University	--
Cultural	Literary Arts	University	08
Cultural	Fine Arts	University	07
Cultural	Kiran	Inter-Collegiate	1012
Cultural	Quest	Inter-Collegiate	1000
Cultural	Zesty	Inter-Collegiate	1600
Planning Forum	Elocution	Intra-Collegiate	20
Planning Forum	Essay Writing	Intra-Collegiate	14
NK ICE	Performing/Literary/ Fine Arts	Intra-Collegiate	194
Students' Council	Springz	Inter-Collegiate	500



Students' Council	All Day's Celebration	Intra -Collegiate	2166
Students' Council	Annual Day	Intra -Collegiate	115
Students' Council	Annual Day	Intra -Collegiate	150
Students' Council	Farewell Function	Intra -Collegiate	225
NSS	Camp ( Zilla Parishad School, Virar)	Inter-Collegiate	46
NSS	Blood Donation Camp	Inter-Collegiate	157unitsofblood
NCC	Month long training for independence Day	College Level	65
NCC	12 days Annual training camp	Zonal Level	29
NCC	B-Certificate exam	National Level	07
NCC	C-Certificate exam	National Level	04
NCC	Trekking Camp	State Level	14
NCC	National Camp	National Level	03
NCC	NCC Day Camp	State Level	21
NCC	Republic Day Camp	State Level	27
NCC	Combined Annual Training Camp	National Level	14
Gandhian Studies Centre	Peace exam	Intra-Collegiate	162
Gandhian Studies Centre	U.G.C. Sponsored National Seminar	Inter-Collegiate	60
Gandhian Studies Centre	Poisor Padyatra	Intra-Collegiate	120
Gandhian Studies Centre	Hiroshima Day Pledge	Intra-Collegiate	1700
Gandhian Studies Centre	Certificate Course	Intra-Collegiate	100





Year 2012-13			
Event	Name	Level	No.
ArthUtsav		InterCollegiate	150
Students' Council	Springz	InterCollegiate	600
Students' Council	All Day's Celebration	Intra Collegiate	2147
Students' Council	Aagaman	Intra Collegiate	2147
Students' Council	Annual Day	Intra Collegiate	150
Students' Council	Farewell Function	Intra Collegiate	350
Students' Council	Tour Organized	Intra Collegiate	125
NSS	Camp Zilla Parishad School, Virar	InterCollegiate	53
NSS	Blood Donation Camp	InterCollegiate	121 units of Blood
NCC	Month long training for independence Day	College Level	54
NCC	12 days Annual training camp	Zonal Level	20
NCC	National Camp	National Level	01
NCC	Trekking Camp	State Level	02
NCC	NCC Day Camp	State Level	02
NCC	Republic Day Camp	State Level	04
NCC	Combined Annual Training Camp	National Level	03
NCC	B-Certificate exam	National Level	20



NCC	C-Certificate exam	National Level	02
Gandhian Studies Centre	Peace Exam	Intra-Collegiate	140
Gandhian Studies Centre	Hiroshima Day Pledge		1700
Gandhian Studies Centre	Cloth-Bag Exhibition-Cum-Sale	Intra-Collegiate	1500
Gandhian Studies Centre	Certificate Course	Intra-Collegiate	100

**Program Calendar of Activities:** The following is the month-wise activity calendar of all the major committees of the college.

### June

- ✦ NSS: Enrollment drive
- ✦ NCC: Enrollment drive
- ✦ Gandhian Studies Centre: Enrollment drive
- ✦ Industrial Visit of TYBMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS
- ✦ A scheduled meeting of Students of Organizing Committee of all the programmers with the Principal
- ✦ Career Development Cell organizes an orientation programme for parents of T.Y.B.Sc-IT/CS
- ✦ Training in group discussion to be organized for MBA aspirants by Career Development Cell

### July

- ✦ Orientation Programme for FYBCOM/FYBA fresher's by the Principal
- ✦ NSS: Training and awareness programs -paper bag making (a year round ongoing activity)
- ✦ NCC: Training parade for Independence Day Function
- ✦ Gandhian Studies Centre: Commencement of Certificate Course
- ✦ Inter collegiate Mumbai University cultural competitions.
- ✦ Mentor Meeting with parents
- ✦ Students' Council: Formation of Students Council and Election of General Secretary (GS)
- ✦ Orientation week will be organized for FYBMS/BAF/BBI/BMM/BSc-IT/CS/Microbiology
- ✦ Fresher's party to be arranged for TYBMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS/Microbiology
- ✦ Social Cell to organize an orientation programme
- ✦ Social Cell to organize a Rachis Sale
- ✦ Industrial Visit of SYBMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS
- ✦ Workshops to be organized on soft skills by Career Development Cell



### August

- ✦ NSS: Hiroshima (Peace rally), Independence Day celebrations
- ✦ NCC: Independence Day parade, and enrollment to various units of other colleges.
- ✦ Gandhian Studies Centre: Hiroshima Day Non Violence pledge
- ✦ Students' Council: **Aagaman**: The Intra collegiate Youth festival
- ✦ Planning Forum: ArthUtsav: An Inter collegiate Economics Fest
- ✦ Students' Aid Fund:
- ✦ Students' Council : Friendship day, Rainbow Week
- ✦ Intercollegiate seminar Kiran and Quest to be organized
- ✦ BMM plans to organize a Boot Camp for aspiring writers
- ✦ Workshops to be organized on resume writing and interview preparation by Career Development Cell
- ✦ Mock interviews to be conducted by Career Development Cell
- ✦ Social Cell will organize a guest lecture to brief the girl students about breast cancer.

### September

- ✦ NSS: Blood donation drive/Support to local police for Ganpati immersion, NSS day celebrations.
- ✦ NCC: Participation in various camps.
- ✦ Mentor Meeting
- ✦ Students' Council : Aagaman (Intra-college youth festival), Rose day
- ✦ Social Cell to organize a cleanliness drive after Ganesh Utsav
- ✦ Graduate Employability Assessment programme to be conducted by Career Development Cell

### October

- ✦ Semester/term end exams
- ✦ NSS: Rural camp
- ✦ Gandhian Studies Centre: Social Awareness Programme in commemoration of Gandhi Jayanti Day

### November

- ✦ NSS: Cleaning and awareness drive in adopted area (an ongoing activity)
- ✦ NCC: NCC day training parade at units.
- ✦ Students' Council : Traditional day

### December

- ✦ Disaster management Training
- ✦ Annual Sports Meet
- ✦ Students' Council : Week-long celebration of days (Student initiated), Weeklong tour
- ✦ College Annual Day
- ✦ Social Cell will organize a visit to the Old Age Home
- ✦ Annual Sports Meet



- ✦ Intercollegiate Festivals Mirage, Pravaah , Montage and Zesty to be organized

### January

- ✦ NSS: Yuva Jagran
- ✦ NCC: B certificate and C certificate examinations.
- ✦ Mentor Meeting with parents.
- ✦ Students' Council: Springz
- ✦ Long Tour and Industrial Visit to be arranged for BMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS/Microbiology
- ✦ Social Cell: a visit to an orphanage
- ✦ Social Cell: village visit

### February

- ✦ NSS: Consumer Guidance
- ✦ Gandhian Studies Centre: Gandhi Vichar Prachar Examination
- ✦ Mentor Meeting
- ✦ Annual Prize Distribution Function
- ✦ Students' Council: Farewell Function for TY students, tie and sari day
- ✦ Industrial Visit of FYBMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS
- ✦ Career Development Cell to organize its annual corporate festival Udaan
- ✦ Social Cell plans to organize a newspaper and stationary drive

### March

- ✦ Year end and University Exam Schedule
- ✦ NSS: Dairy filling and accounts finalization
- ✦ Farewell party for TYBCOM/BA TYBMS/BAF/BBI/BFM/BMM/BSc-IT/BSc-CS
- ✦ Besides this the students keep participating in various Intercollegiate cultural

### Activities conducted regularly throughout the year

- ✦ Children's Movie Club to screen films with a social message for MKES, NL and other nearby schools.
- ✦ Guest lectures for various programmes
- ✦ Career Development Cell organizes industrial interface regularly
- ✦ Career Development Cell organizes campus and on-site recruitment drive as when the need arises



**5.3.2 Furnish the details of major student achievements in co-curricular, extra-curricular and cultural activities at different levels: University/State/Zonal/National/International etc. for the previous four years.**

Details of major students achievements in co-curricular and extra-curricular and cultural activities at different levels:

**Table 5.9  
NK-ICE/ NKDC- Special Prizes/Awards**

Sr.N	Year	Name	Level	Event	Prize/Award
1	2008-09	Hardik Thakkar	IPTA-State	Drama	Certificate of merit
2	2008-09	Dhara	IPTA-State	Drama	Certificate of merit
3	2008-09	Harshit Savla	University - Zonal	Creative Dance	Bronze Medal
4	2009-10	Ms.Viral Tank	Chitralekha-National	Drama	Best Actress
5	2009-10	Karan Lukha	IPTA-State	Drama	Best Actor
6	2009-10	Filoni Kanani	University - Zonal	Elocution	Bronze Medal
7	2010-11	Ritika	IPTA-State	Drama	Best Actor
8	2010-11	AmritaAgawam	Inter collegiate	PPT Presentation	Best paper presenter
9	2011-12	Parth Desai	IPTA-State	Drama	Best Director
10	2011-12	Parth Desai & team	IPTA-State	Drama	Silver Medal
11	2011-12	Mayur Sharma	IIT- National	Drama	Bronze
12	2011-12	Amruta Agrawal	International	Research paper presentation	Best paper
13	2012-13	Hardik Dedhia	University-Zonal	Drama	Best Actor
14	2012-13	Foram Mehta	University-Zonal	Drama	Best Actress
15	2012-13	Viral Shah	IPTA-State	Drama	Certificate of merit
16	2012-13	Foram Mehta & team	University-Zonal	Drama	Silver Medal
17	2012-13	Mayur Sharma	India - Fest National	Drama	Bronze Medal
18	2012-13	Mayur Sharma	Bangalore National	Drama	Silver Medal



**Table 5.10  
Gymkhana Awards**

Year	Name	Event	Level	Prize
2008-09	Mr. Chavan Mayur	Carom Singles/ Doubles	University of Mumbai	Bronze/Gold
2008-09	Mr. Prajapati Deep	Carom Doubles	University of Mumbai	Gold
2008-09	Mr. Mehunkar Pushkar	Triple Jump/ High Jump	University of Mumbai	Silver/ silver
2008-09	Mr. Mehunkar Pushkar	High Jump	State Level	Gold
2008-09	Mr. Moily Ishan	Long Jump	University of Mumbai	Silver
2009-10	Ms. Save Pranita	100 mts Run	University of Mumbai	Gold
		4x 100 mts Relay	Inter-University	Gold & Silver
		100 mts Run	National Level	4 <sup>th</sup> Place
2009-10	Mr. Moily Ishan	Long jump	University of Mumbai	Silver
		Triple jump	University of Mumbai	Bronze
2009-10	Mr. Mehunkar Pushkar	Long jump	University of Mumbai	Bronze
		Triple jump	University of Mumbai	Silver
2009-10	Ms.Goyal Deepika	High jump	University of Mumbai	Gold
		High jump	Inter-University	Silver
2009-10	Mr. Yadav Ganesh	Judo	University of Mumbai	Bronze
2009-10	Ms. Vishwakarma Geeta	Judo	University of Mumbai	Silver
2010-11	Ruchika Ghag	400 mt Run	University of Mumbai	Gold
		400 mt Hurdles	University of Mumbai	Gold
		4×100 mt Relay	Inter- University	Gold
		4×400 mt Relay	Inter- University	Gold



2010-11	Ms. Save Pranita	100 mt Run	University of Mumbai	Gold
2010-11	Ganesh Yadav	Judo	University of Mumbai	Silver
2010-11	Jeegar Valera	Lawn tennis	University of Mumbai	Bronze
2011-12	Ms. Save Pranita	100 mts Run	University of Mumbai	Gold
2011-12	Mr. Yadav Ganesh	Judo	University of Mumbai	Bronze
2011-12	Mr. Chavan Mayur	Carrom	University of Mumbai	Bronze
2012-13	Ms Vandana Nayak	Long jump	University of Mumbai	4 <sup>th</sup> Place
2012-13	Ms Vandana Nayak	100 mt Hurdle	District Level	1st Place
2012-13	Ms. Save Pranita	100 mt Run	University of Mumbai	Gold
2012-13	Mr. Ghadge Amrut	Archery	University of Mumbai	Gold

**Table 5.11**  
**Chronology of the Range of Student Participation in Activities Self – Finance Section**

Year	Name	Level	Event	Prize
2008	Viral Dharod	Intercollegiate Festival - Dhanukar College	Overall	Best College, Best Runners Up Performing College, Best Fine Arts, Best Management, Best Contingent Leader
2008	Viral Shah	Intercollegiate Festival - Dhanukar College	Overall	Best Assistant Contingent Leader
2008	Kanchi Jain	Intercollegiate Festival - Sathaye	Cultural	Ms. Synergy



		College		
2008	Viral Dharod	Intercollegiate Festival - Sathaye College	Overall	Best Performing College, 2nd Runners Up Best College, Best Cultural, Best Contingent Leader
2008	Pratik Podar	Intercollegiate Festival - Mithibai College	Overall	Best College, Best Management College, Best Contingent Leader, Mr. Colosseum
2008	Ronak Shah	Intercollegiate Festival - Mithibai College	Overall	Best Assistant Contingent Leader
2008	Kanchi Jain	Intercollegiate Festival - Mithibai College	Culturals	Ms. Colosseum
2009		Intercollegiate Festival - Mithibai College	Overall	Best College, Best Performing Arts College
2010		Intercollegiate Festival - Hinduja College	Overall	Best College, Best Management, Best Arts, Best Sports, Best Cultural, Best College Leader, Best Performing College, Best Treasure Hunt, Best Fashion Show
2011	RohitGada	Intercollegiate Festival - Hinduja College	Overall	Best College, Best Contingent Leader
2011	Jeeya Susan Bejo	National Institute of Event Management		Event Managers of the Year
2011	Aditya Kumar Rai	National Institute of Event Management		Event Managers of the Year





2012		Intercollegiate Festival - Mithibai College	Culturals	Best Dance Team
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**Table 5.12**  
**Chronology of the Range of Student Participation in Activities – NCC**

Year	Achievements
2008-09	Cadet Chintan Talajia made us proud by representing our college in the Republic Day parade held at New Delhi on 26 Jan.2009
2010-11	Cadet Vishal Yadav bagged the best cadet award from the NCC unit of Patkar College, Goregaon
2011-12	Cadet Ramnarayan Gupta participated in the Republic Day parade held at New Delhi on 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan.2012. Cadet Vishal Yadav was the Parade Commander at all Maharashtra level in the NCC Day Camp and function. Cadet Sunny Singh, Cadet Vikas Vishwakarma and Cadet Shivani Singh and Cadet Ashishkumar Yadav have won the best cadet awards from their respective units.
2012-13	CWO Sunny Singh won the prestigious <b>Best Cadet Award from His Excellency PRESIDENT OF India</b> and Cadet Akhilesh Prajapati won the <b>prestigious Best Leader Award from His Excellency PRESIDENT OF India</b> for their outstanding contributions in the Republic Day parade held on 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan.2013. Cadet Jugal Vyas bagged the Best cadet award and Vikas Vishwakarma won the best turnout award from KES unit. Cadet Sonia Pandey won Best cadet award and cadet Ashish Singh won special award from Ismail Yusuf college unit.

**Table 5.13**  
**Chronology of the Range of Student Participation in Activities - Dramatics**

Year	Name of the event	College/institute/ Organization/festival	Achievements
2011-12	Flash drama	Umang (Narsee Monjee college)	1 <sup>st</sup> in elimination round & 1 <sup>st</sup> in finals
	Hindi one act play	Mumbai university Youth competition	1 <sup>st</sup> in zonal



Hindi skit	Mumbai university Youth competition	1 <sup>st</sup> in zonal
Hindi skit	Mumbai university Youth competition	Consolation in finals
One act play	IPTA(Indian people theatre association)	2 <sup>nd</sup> in finals
One act play	INT(Indian national theatre)	Qualified for finals
One act play	Mood indigo (IIT, Powai)	5 <sup>th</sup> in India
Street play	Mood indigo (IIT, Powai)	4 <sup>th</sup> in India

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- ✦ Miss Sheetal Shivmrut Yadav of SYBA won the First prize (Cash of Rs 2000/-) , in the Hindi Essay writing competition organized by Gandhi Samarak Nidhi and Mani Bhavan Gandhi Sanghralaya, Mumbai in 2008 on the topic HIND SWARAJ.
- ✦ Miss Afroz Baig of TYBA Economics won an **Encouragement Prize** in the Elocution Competition organized by Gandhi Smarak Nidhi and Mani Bhavan Gandhi Sanghralaya on September 26, 2011.
- ✦ The First Prize for Paper presentation by Students at the National Seminar Gandhi in the New Millennium -Issues and Challenges organized by the UGC-sponsored Gandhian Studies Center was bagged by the team comprising of Disha Ashar & Shoeb Mustafa from MA Economics – I & Afroz Baig from TYBA Economics from the host college.
- ✦ On September 3, 2011 four students won prizes in Essay-Writing and Quiz in the Inter-collegiate competition organized by the Gandhian Studies Centre of Maniben Nanavati Women's College, Vile Parle.

#### 5.3.3 How does the college seek and use data and feedback from its graduates and employers, to improve the performance and quality of the institutional provisions?

Alumni association conducts meetings of past students and their suggestions and feedback are conveyed by the professor-in charge to the Principal for the effective implementation of the same for quality enhancement of the college. Besides this, parents' feedback is collected during mentor meetings and solutions are drawn after careful analysis of the same. Regular students are also encouraged to report



their problems through **Problem Reporting Forms** distributed during mentor meetings. Career Guidance Cell discusses needs with the companies coming for interviews. Nowadays industry seeks the merit and conduct certificates of the candidates from the college during their studies before employing them. Many of our past students approach our college in order obtain such recommendation certificates. We gather vital feedback from such students to improve the academic atmosphere in the college.

**5.3.4 How does the college involve and encourage students to publish materials like catalogues, wall magazines, college magazine and other material? List the publications/ materials brought out by the students during the previous four academic sessions.**

The college provides ample opportunities for students to involve themselves in publishing magazines and other newsletters. Our students are accommodated in the editorial team of **Khandwala Times** (the college newsletter) **Niharika** (the college magazine) as well as the brochures of springs, Kiran, Umang, Udan, Pravaah, Zesty, Medrove, mirage, Quest etc. In fact these magazines are shining examples of the reflections of their creative thinking and creative dynamism. Every year students contribute articles in English Hindi, Marathi and Gujarati in these magazines and newsletters. They also publish their drawings, sketches and poems in them.

**5.3.5 Does the college has a Student Council or any similar body? Give details on its selection, constitution, activities and funding.**

The college has a duly constituted Students' Council as per the provisions of the University from time to time. The General Secretary of the students' council is elected by the class representatives. The students' council is constituted strictly according to University provisions. The general secretary is elected by the college on the date specified by the University for the same. The council includes representatives from members of NSS, NCC and ladies representative. on the date prescribed by the university for the same. The college maintains complete transparency in the formation of the Students' Council. The students' Council takes care of all students' activities such as participation in various intra-collegiate, inter-collegiate, University and state level competitions. Annual day programme, farewell function etc are being celebrated under the aegis of Students council. Some activities are funded by college and some are self-funded.



### 5.3.6 Give details of various academic and administrative bodies that have student representatives on them.

Students 'Council, Planning forum, NSS, NCC, Springz, Kiran, Udaan, Mirage, Medrove, Gandhian studies centre, Arts circle, Gujarati Sahitya Mandal, Marathi Wangmay Mandal, Women's Development Cell etc are some of the important bodies in which ideas of student representatives are invited and these ideas play an active role in the activities conducted by these bodies.

### 5.3.7 How does the institution network and collaborates with the Alumni and former faculty of the institution.

The institute networks with Alumni by using Telephone, e-mail, Face book, periodic meetings of office bearers and a yearly get-together of ex-students. The Alumni has got its own website and an effective social net working as well. Copy of Khandwala times is made available by the college in its website for regular intimation of information.

#### Any other relevant information

- ✦ Our college always concentrates on the academic and overall development of the students. Through the various committees the college ensures that students can capitalize on their talents. Our college provides an opportunity to the learners to showcase different talents along with their academic performances.
- ✦ Our Management has started the PG Courses on non-grant basis and meets the expenses to run such courses.
- ✦ One of our students **Ms Prema Jaykumar**, who has been in the college at B.Com and M.Com level, bagged the 2<sup>nd</sup> Rank and 1<sup>st</sup> Rank at the University respectively. She further made us proud by securing the **1<sup>st</sup> Rank at the All India CA Exams** held in November 2012.
- ✦ Mr. Vishal Chouhan got the **25<sup>th</sup> Rank** in the same exam.
- ✦ Mr.Vaikunth Jha secured the 5<sup>th</sup> Rank in the TYB.Com University exams in 2011-12. He has also secured the **38<sup>th</sup> Rank** in the All India CA Exams held in November 2011.
- ✦ Mehul Sushil Vyas of BMS – 2009 batch made us proud by clearing **UPSC Main Exam** on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2013.



- ✦ **Memorial Rolling Trophy -Inter-Collegiate Table Tennis Tournament** organized by our college regularly for 14 years continuously and started in September, 1997 as **Golden Jubilee** celebrations of our Independence Day.
  
- ✦ Our Ex-student **Mr. Sushant Bangera** participated in **South Asian Games** at Colombo - Sri Lanka in Triple Jump event and got 4<sup>th</sup> place.
  
- ✦ CWO Sunny Singh won the prestigious **Best Cadet Award from His Excellency President of India** and Cadet Akhilesh Prajapati won the **prestigious Best Leader Award from His Excellency president of India** for their outstanding contributions in the Republic Day parade held on 26<sup>th</sup> Jan.2013.