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Reports of the Activities Organized to Address Differential Student's Needs

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Various activities have been conducted by the college to address differential student's needs. These activities can be categorized into:

- 1. Academic Activities
- Activities conducted for soft-skills development
- 3. Co-curricular Activities

Academic Activities

Mentoring Program: Mentors are assigned to student-teachers upon completion of the admission process to facilitate their understanding of the coursework. Throughout the program, mentors assist and advise students on various academic tasks, internships, and projects.

The mentoring program aims to achieve the following objectives:

- Foster a supportive learning environment by building a strong bond between mentors and mentees.
- Guide student-teachers in successfully completing their theory courses, internships, and assigned projects.
- 3. Address personal issues of mentees and offer guidance when needed.

Mentoring activities are integrated throughout the coursework. Depending on the needs of studentteachers, mentors engage in activities such as:

- Providing guidance on developing lesson plans
- Conducting demonstration lessons
- Offering basic ICT training as required
- Assisting with writing effective answers
- Recommending reference books for subjects requiring additional support
- Providing support for personal issues as necessary

Workshops for Internship Activities: For internship activities, Student-teachers are oriented for various teaching skills. Micro-teaching skills, demo lessons on co-operative teaching learning,

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orientation of theme lessons, orientation of co-teaching lessons, workshops for writing lesson plans are organized every year in the college.

Remedial Learning Engagement: The college timetable allocated specific lectures for providing remedial support for various theory courses, conducted before examinations.

Provision of Academic Support: Along with mentor support, student-teachers are provided help through content enrichment programs. Content Enrichment programs were implemented to enhance comprehension of diverse concepts. These programs are organized based on the requirements of students such as workshops on "Effective Utilization of PowerPoint Presentations in Teaching and Learning", "Creating Online Lesson Plans and Addressing Challenges in Online Practice Teaching", "Training program focused on creating and leveraging Google Classroom".

Student-teachers were equipped with learning materials and resources, including references to online educational content and links to various educational websites through regularly updated library blogs.

Glimpses of Activities conducted for soft-skills development

National seminar on Digital Pedagogy-Challenges and Perspectives: On 27th October 2018, OCE, Department of Education, organized one day National Seminar on Digital pedagogy its challenges and perspectives. The event organizing secretary were Dr. Sangeeta Nath and Dr. Harjot Kaur Dhatt. Keynote speaker for the event was, Dr. Sameer S Sahasrabudhe, he introduced us to the world of digital pedagogy and its applicability in modern learning. The vote of thanks was delivered by Professor Sangeeta Nath followed by the certificate distribution.

One day workshop on Craft and skill: Oriental College Of Education, Sanpada, invited Mrs. Vidya Angholakar from Rotary Club to conduct a one day workshop on craft and skills. This workshop was actually a vocational training for students to make cloth bags and diya decoration used in Diwali. The

motive behind this workshop to enhance the creativity inside the students. Mrs. Vidya Angholakar

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instructed students on how to make cloth bags and decorate diyas. Students actively participated in this event, made beautiful cloth bags and diyas.

Campus Selection at OCE (Avalon Heights international School) The aim of education is employability. Placement cell of Oriental college of education conducted campus drive on 19th Dec 2018. Principal as well as coordinators of Avalon Heights school visited the campus. Students were facilitated for demo session and final round of interview. Finally, offer letters were rolled and majority of B.Ed students of the batch 2017-2019 got placed. It was a huge success.

Awareness Program on Digital Stree Shakti: On 9th October 2019, Women Development Cell of Oriental College Of Education, Sanpada organized an awareness program on "Digital Stree Shakti" conducted by Stree Mukti Sanghatana in collaboration with Awan Foundation. This awareness program was organized for the students of S.Y.B.Ed & F.Y.B.Ed collectively. Mrs. Sonali Patonkar, Resource Person of Stree Mukti Sanghatana, discussed about how women are unsafe & face threats in the real world, same is the case with the virtual / digital world. She briefly described about various cyber-crimes against women & gave information regarding how to prevent such scenario as well as how to report a cyber-crime. The session was concluded by sharing useful contacts & sites, helpline numbers for reporting of cyber-crimes.

Workshop on heuristic digital empowerment: A one day workshop on heuristic digital empowerment for time honoured woman in collaboration with Maharashtra State Commission for Women was organized on 20th December 2019. Mrs. Rida Rashid, was the Chief Guest for the workshop. Hnourable President Prof Javed Khan shared brief notes on how women can be digitally empowered. Ms Sunita reprentative mscwen listed several applications which can be downloaded in phone and used with ease. Participants were women invited from different institutions and nearby local areas. Thus, the workshop educated the women to be digitally empowered.

Empowering Minds The VENTEL Committee orgainsed Empowering Minds on the 18th of December. It was an online workshop aimed at fostering mental health among students and teachers, and ensuring the best implementation of the core values and beliefs of the VENTEL.

Resume Making Workshop: Resume Making Workshop was organized on 22nd January, 2023. Student-teachers were oriented about steps of constructing a resume, followed by preparation of

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resume by the participants. The workshop motivated and prepared everyone to begin their new journey in the field of education.

Glimpses of Co-curricular Activities

DAAWAT-E-KHAAS ("Food festival 2018"), APY Project OCE, organized the food festival "DaawatE-Khaas" 2018 which was organized for (APY) Anna Purna Yojna project on 24th November under the supervision of Dr. (Mrs.) Sangeeta Nath. It was organized by students of F.Y.B.Ed and S.Y.B.Ed collectively. Different food stalls with variety of dishes and delicacies were setup. Whole college was invited to the event. The preparations for the event was started by the students a week prior.

Hindi Diwas Celebration: Hindi Diwas was celebrated to commemorate the importance of our National language on 19th September 2018. The Chief Guest of the event was Dr. (Mrs.) Ratani Thakur, Principal Of Oriental College Of Education and a great litterateur in her field. The event started with speech given by S.Y.B.Ed students, followed by poem recitation competition by F.Y.B.Ed students and a small game. The Program was honored by the presence of all the staff members and students and marked the occasion as a wonderful event.

Street Play Competition: Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar Deaddiction Street Play Competition was jointly organized by Anvay De-addiction Centre, Marathi Sahitya, Sanskruti ani Kala Mandal & Nashabandi Mandal on 21st November 2019. F.Y.B.Ed students of OCE participated in the competition and bagged second prize in the Street Play Competition. They were specially invited to present their prize-winning act as a special performance at at the "Bharat Ratna Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Vyasan Mukti" street play competition organized by Nashabandi Mandal, MaharashtraRajya on 2nd December, 2019 at Fort.

VACHAN PRERNA DIWAS On the occasion of former President Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam's birth anniversary, October 15, 2021 OCE, Sanpada organized a BOOK REVIEW Program where SYBEd students reviewed their favorite books and shared their favorite quotes.

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Marathi Diwas celebration Marathi Bhasha Divas was celebrated in honor of the Marathi language and in keeping with the birth anniversary of Dyanpeeth award winner poet late V.V. Shirwadkar alias Kusumagraj. The Chief Guest at our event was Mr. Vinaykumar Aavte and Special Guest for the event was Mr. Hemant Sawant. Main focus of this celebration is to promote the Marathi culture Students participated in dance, poem and songs dedicated to Marathi language. The top rankers of the various competitions were presented with certificates.

14th Jan 2022: Traditional Day Traditional day was celebrated virtually by SYBEd students. Students dressed up in their traditional attires and shared their culture and traditions with each other through stories, presentations and experiences. It was a joyous celebration of cultural diversity.

Science Day (SPECTRA) Science Day named as SPECTRA 1&; SPECTRA 2 was celebrated on 25th & 26th February 2022 where students gave power point presentation on Indian scientists, their contribution, skit was performed by them as well. On the next day, students showcased their innovative talents on making learning resource as exhibition.

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