



## **Best Practice-2**

**1. Title of the Practice:** Annual Prize Distribution and Farewell Function of the Students of B.A. Semester-VI

**2. Duration (Year of Inception-Year of Discontinuation):** 2023-2024

**3. Objectives of the Practice:** Students of our college come from rural-remote area and economically backward sections of the society. Special achievements and skills are inevitably required in college students. Hence a program was started where students participate in programs according to their skills and talents. In order to encourage them to participate more and more the following year they are distributed prizes. Every year the institute arranges annual prize distribution Programme during the Farewell Ceremony of the students of B.A.

**4. The Context:** The college encourages students to participate in the various programmes arranged throughout the year. The rankers in different competitive activities are encouraged through their felicitation during the significant event of the Farewell Ceremony which is auspiciously graced motivational presence by the President of Shree Gozaria Kelavani Mandal and other dignitaries, who distribute prizes. The prizes distributed to the rural girl-students representing needy families have obviously played a major role in adding to the number of participations in the activities the following year. College students get benefitted from the application of various skills in them through participating in the various activities. The institute provides a platform for skill development in them.

**5.The Practice:** Students get an opportunity to enhance their talents through various cultural performances on stage in the presence of dignitaries, villagers, parents, alumni, members of the college and present students. This day is organized in the month of February-March every year. Students participate in various cultural activities like welcoming the guests through the relevant dance, singing the prayer and farewell song in the presence of dignitaries and thereby shows the fruitfulness of the yearlong institutional emphasis on the participation in the various activities.

The Committee of the Cultural Affairs prepares the students for the performance and gives enough practice for fifteen days before the celebration of Annual Prize Distribution and Farewell Function of the Students of B.A. Semester-VI. Students come out with excellent performance on stage. They get a great opportunity to show their talents and enhance their abilities. They become more confident and can perform better in the activities of the following year with previous experience of last year's Annual Prize Distribution intact in their co-curricular consciousness. In this way Annual Prize Distribution along with the Farewell Function of the Students of B.A. Semester-VI plays a very significant role not only for the out-going students of B.A. Semester VI but for those of B.A. semester II and IV also.



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The college distributes prizes, awards and trophies to students with special achievements during the whole year. The activities include the academic as well as the co-curricular ones, sports activities, the ones as part of N.S.S., and Departmental activities. Students feel honored by this kind of encouragement. They feel that their special achievements and skills are rewarded. They are important assets of the organization. Throughout the year students strive to excel in academic, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. A healthy competitive environment is created for better progress and better performance among students. So they come to the college regularly and participate in various activities and programs of the institute and the ones organized by the universities as per their skills and talents. The criteria for awarding students are as follows;

- **Academic Activities:** Top three students, who have performed their best in university examinations of the previous year, are awarded trophies and certificates.
- **Cultural Activities:** Certificates and trophies are awarded to the students who excel in activities of the N.S.S. Unit and the competitive programmes arranged by the Committee of Cultural Affairs throughout the year.
- **Sports Activities:** Shields and certificates are awarded to the students who have excelled in sports and athletics at college level and inter college level.

Sometimes the organization gets donations for the encouragement given to the participants of the various co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. In case of no availability of donations the organization raises funds on its own. This event benefits the organization through the development of different skills in students, many of which may play a major role in securing employability for the students. The college has gained a kind of recognition among the villagers and people of the surrounding area. They have a good impression of the college. So the college easily gets more students for the first year.

**6. Evidence of Success:** Adequate practice is planned for fifteen days before Annual Prize Distribution and Farewell Function of the Students of B.A. Semester-VI. The appointment an expert for the certificate programs throughout the year is one of the conspicuous aspects. The program is taught to students through the experts. Such skills awaken the latent talents in them. Annual Prize Distribution and Farewell Function of the Students of B.A. Semester-VI has motivated many students to participate in various programmes, which obviously adds to the opportunities of employment.



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**7. Problems Encountered and Resources Required:** The college consists mostly of students who have completed school education and enrolled in college, but due to rural background they have hardly any exposure to participate in certain programs meant for the said day. Hence, they are known to have less interest in adding to their skills of cultural and other co-curricular activities meant for the day.

### **8. Notes: (Optional)**

Annual Prize Distribution and Farewell Function of the Students of B.A. Semester-VI imparts confidence in students about their success. Hence students feel like coming regularly for practice and participation in various activities throughout the year. Hence the personality of students develops all round. The problem of indiscipline is decreasing year by year. Students study diligently and our college results are better than the results of the university and nearby colleges.



  
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