

# **Gurukul Mahila Arts & Commerce College Porbandar**

## **POST ACCREDITATION INITIATIVES**

NAAC recommendations made in 2007

1. The College should prepare a master plan for its future development especially in view of the major changes that are happening globally and locally with the advancement of technology, knowledge and skills.

**ATR: A proposal to establish a Rajratna Shreshtishri Nanjibhai Kalidas Mehta University has been submitted to the Arya Kanya Vidyalaya Trust in the Board Meeting held at Mumbai on 12.03.2018.**

2. Management must take appropriate steps to further increase the students' strength which had declined in the past.

**ATR: The attention of the management has been drawn to the recommendation.** In addition the institute prints pamphlets, gives advertisements in newspapers and media and also goes in for school to school and door-to-door counseling to motivate and encourage students to join Gurukul. In fact, there is a gradual increase in the number of students since 2011-12.

3. The College must promote research activities among the faculty and project work among the students.

**ATR: The College has applied for ISSN for the College Research Journal titled as Samvid-A Multi-lingual Refereed Journal.** As such the first e-issue has been uploaded on the college website.

4. The college may plan the introduction of more entrepreneurial and job oriented courses.

**ATR: From the second term 2017-18, as many as 13 short-term job-oriented and 03 Skill-development courses have been offered to the students.**

5. Faculty should be exposed to latest instructional techniques for updating their knowledge and implementing the same in day-to-day teaching learning process.

**ATR: The College has initiated FDPs from the academic year 2017-18.**

6. The college should try automation of the working of the administration. The library The Administrative set up has been automated;

**ATR: (i) Administrative Office has been computerized since 2012.**

**(ii) Computerization of the Library has been initiated since 2018.**

7. Career guidance should be strengthened and the Placement cell be established. Alumni Association should be strengthened.

**ATR: CCDC organises awareness programmes every year; Short-term Courses for preparation of competitive examinations are being conducted from the second term; Departmental**

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**interface meet have been initiated from Jan. 2018 to strengthen the alumni association.**

8. More library time should be provided to the students by extending the working hours of the library. The books of the library should be kept in the premises of the College library. More academic journals should be subscribed to serve the needs of the faculty and the students.

**ATR: The management's attention has been drawn to the matter regarding extension of Library working hours; Re-arrangement of books has been done this year. All reference books are stacked in the central library while book-bank is being stacked in the Prarthana Mandir.**

9. Home-Science labs need to be upgraded.

**ATR: The management carried out renovation work and major repairs in the college building in 2011-12 & 2018.**

10. The programmes and activities of the Hobby centre need to be expanded and strengthened.

**ATR: The practice has been substituted with the *Saptadhara* initiative of the Government of Gujarat.**

11. Computer awareness programmes should be imparted to all the students.

**ATR: Short-term Basic & Advanced Computer courses have been initiated this year.**

12. The College may take initiative to start some PG programmes.

**ATR: Proposals are being invited from the staff members.**

13. The College magazine should be revived to provide a platform for students for selfexpression and to encourage and improve their writing skills.

**ATR: Two newsletters - Gurukul Samachar (English) & Arya Kanya Gurukul Samachar Patrika (Gujarati) were initiated from 2017-18.**

14. College may take initiatives to organize state/national level seminars for the development of its faculty and providing an exposure to the students about the value of advanced academic activities.

**ATR: An International seminar on Henry David Thoreau and Indian Thought was organized by the college on 17.02.2018. It was also resolved by the IQAC to organize one district/state/national/international seminar every year.**

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**Action-Taken Report**

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4	Research culture has to be inculcated among staff and students	As many as two International Seminars and One State-level seminar has been organized by the College Since 2019. (30 <sup>th</sup> 2019: <i>The Life and After-Life of Mahatma Gandhi</i> ; 2020: <i>Sant Sahitya</i> ; 15 <sup>th</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup> January 2022: <i>Vision</i>

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5	Alumni and Parents associations have to be registered.	The process to register the Gurukul Mahila College Alumni Association is in process.
6	Canteen, drinking water, Sanitary and Medical facilities need improvement.	Canteen facility; Drinking-Water facility; Sanitary-pad disposal facility; Health Centre facility has been made available since 2019.
7	Career counseling and Placement Opportunities may be enhanced.	Career counseling facilities by way of Awareness lectures are being provided; many students are encouraged to participate in the Placement Camps organized by the Govt. of Gujarat. Last year as many as 40 students had registered.
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2	The College may plan to introduce PG programme and new UG programmes	The College has received University affiliation for MCom in 2022-23; In addition, Add-on AICSM courses in <b>CCC, Spoken English and Tally with GST</b> have been introduced this year.
3	Steps have to be taken to make complete automation of the Office and the Library	Library computerization is complete; Tally software is being used for Accounting purposes since 2021.
4	Research culture has to be inculcated among staff and students	An <b>International Seminar</b> titled as "Unravelling and Interpreting <i>The Life and Work of RajRatna Shreshthi Shri Nanjibhai Kalidas Mehta</i> " was organized on 11/12/2022; In addition, a Workshop was organized on the seminar proceedings on 06/02/2023 to select and bring out the papers in the form of a book.

5	Alumni and Parents associations have to be registered.	The Gurukul Mahila College Alumni Association has been <b>registered</b> with AKVT-Board Resolution dated 22/04/2022 bearing BOB account no 70250200001363.
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8	Separate full-fledged hostel facility may be provided.	Sincere efforts are being made in this direction. A proposal has been placed with RUSA, KCG for approval this year (07/03/2023).



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