

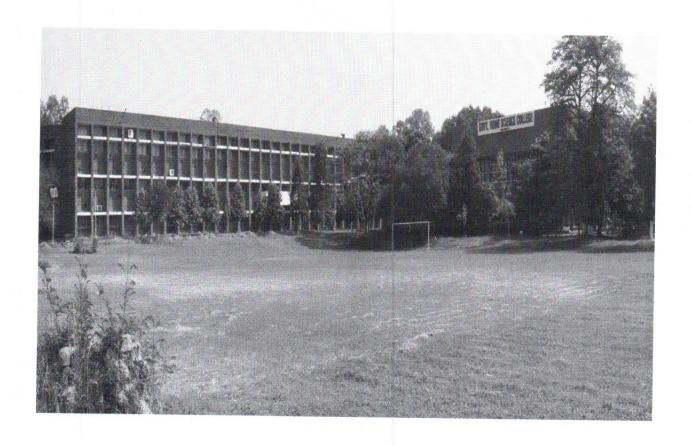
## GOVT.HOME SCIENCE COLLEGE, CHANDIGARH NAAC GRADE:A

Ranked 46th in All India NIRF Ranking 2022 by Ministry of Education

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND ACADEMIC REPORT (2018-2019)

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Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) contributes significantly for institutionalizing the quality assurance strategies and processes. It reviews teaching learning process, structures & methodologies of operations and learning outcomes at periodic intervals. In this direction, the IQAC committee in coordination with the various Heads of Departments, conducted an Annual Administrative and Academic Audit in a systematic way to review the quality of academic process in the institution. Along with this, the administrative audit evaluated the efficiency and effectiveness of the administrative procedures.

A Peer Review Audit Team was constituted to carry out a detailed and comprehensive assessment using a pro forma, on various parameters.

## **KEY FINDINGS:**

- The overall pass percentage in all the courses was found to be more than 90%.
- The Department meetings for the smooth conduct of various academic and administrative activities were conducted on regular basis.
- Ph.D. coursework was initiated as per UGC guidelines in the Departments of Foods and Nutrition, Human Development &Family Relations and Clothing &Textiles and along with enrolment of 12 scholars.
- The Department of Foods and Nutrition promoted, advocated and supported Governments key flagship program Poshan Abhiyaan. Various activities in convergence with hospitals such as Fortis, PGIMER, Department of Social Welfare, NGOs, Chandigarh Administration and other departments were conducted to spread the message of healthy eating.
- To focus on student placement and entrepreneurship, the Placement cell of the college worked diligently towards providing various platforms for the students to help initiate their own startups like Garima Madan from B.Sc. IDRM, initiated her startup by the name 'Arts Villa'.
- The Department of Clothing and Textiles successfully conducted training for 70 beneficiaries in dyeing, printing, embroidery and stitching under the Deen Dayal Antyodya Yojana, National Urban Livelihood Mission for Skill Training and Placement of Urban Poor beneficiaries. A grant of Rs. 22.5 lakhs mobilized from Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh, was utilized for the said purpose.

- Department of Botany organized Van Mahotsav and Akshay Urja Diwas under the environment society – Harita, to encourage the students to use renewable sources of energy.
- The various departments of the college took the initiative to organize 'Home Science Fest' at a mega level to give an opportunity to the students to showcase their skills. It also provided a platform to spread important messages like nutrition awareness through Poshan Pakhwada, legal awareness by State Legal Authority.
- No pendency in work of establishment clerk and accountant was observed.
- The faculty undertook training for ICT organized by Society for Promotion of IT in Chandigarh (SPIC).
- The Department of Foods and Nutrition designed a new diploma course entitled 'Post Graduate Diploma in Sports Nutrition'. The course was duly approved through Board of Studies and Inspection team from Panjab University, Chandigarh. But due to faculty crunch, the college could not initiate the course.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS/ FEEDBACK:**

- More emphasis should be given on research by conducting workshops on issues of utmost importance such as Intellectual Property Rights and Research Methodology.
- Faculty should be encouraged to attend faculty development programs, orientation programs and refresher courses on time to time basis.
- Coaching classes for UGC NET should be conducted for the post graduate students.
- The departments in the college should maintain their own libraries to facilitate the staff and students in the department.
- Faculty should apply for more research projects and focus on patenting their innovative products, ideas and formulations. In this direction......

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