

BEST PRACTICES

PRACTICE 01

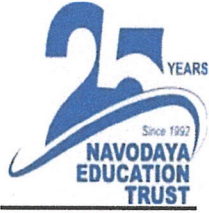
Title of the practice- EDUCATION BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Objective-

- To help students & gain at par knowledge.
- To provide students an exposure to the community platform.
- To develop their skills and knowledge and execute it to daily practice.
- To upgrade the knowledge of each subject and its recent advances.

Context- Education outside the classroom provides learning opportunities, valuable real world career experiences. Participation in this, positively impacts academics. Former students and Interns have a competitive advantage over other job seekers. It instills reliability, responsibilities and enables students to gain new skills.


Practice- This institution NAVODAYA- THE CAMPUS OF POSSIBILITIES is situated in North Karnataka in the HYDERABAD-KARNATAKA REGION. As it shares borders with the neighbouring states like ANDHRA PRADESH, TELANGANA and MAHARASTRA it is feasible for the institution to give a platform for the renowned speakers from other states to share their knowledge and skills for the betterment of the students. Participation of students and the staff in extra-curricular activities allows the students to learn the value of teamwork, individual and group responsibilities, competition and a sense of culture and diversity. Education beyond the classroom opportunities provide the staff with students to bring a fresh perspective and ideas. It drives the students and connects learning with interests, talents, passions and aspirations. The CONTINUED DENTAL EDUCATION (CDE) and the CONFERENCES makes the students to actively participate in the design of their learning, owns and is responsible for their learning that includes their voice and choice on how and what they learn. It also identifies the goals of their learning plan and

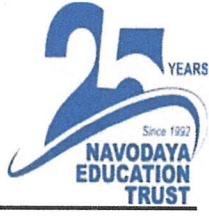


benchmarks as they progress along their learning path with guidance from teachers. It builds a network of peers, experts and teachers to guide and support their learning by acquiring skills to select and use the appropriate technology and resources. It makes the student a self-directed, an expert learner who monitors the progress and reflects on learning based on mastery of content and skills.

Evidence of success:

- Students have improved their self confidence and are clear with the concepts of the subject.
- More number of students are benefited in a single educational platform.
- CDE and the HANDS-ON COURSES demonstrates mastery of content in a competency-based system.


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Practice 2

Title of the practice- ATTUNEMENT IN EDUCATION...

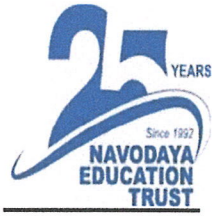
Objective-

- To organise educational and recreational activities for the students
- To propose activities to the administration that would improve the quality of interaction of the students in the institution.
- To provide a platform for their strengths and to showcase their talents and potentials.
- To INSPIRE & ELEVATE all the students in co-curricular activities and to have harmony among students.

Context- Student clubs and its activities are a great way to find where you belong in a social community and also helps to find your niche among the students with similar interests and goals. Extra-curricular activities and other social gatherings allows everyone to pursue their current interests and passion and perhaps even helps to find those which are hidden too. Students develop social skills, clubs facilitates students to meet, mix and work together with other students from different backgrounds in a diverse environment.

Practice- Student clubs and organisations in the Navodaya Dental college is a unique way of personality development which helps them sharpen their communication skills, public speaking, participation and sense of belongingness through different activities. It allows the students to work in group, plan events and participate in the campus activities. It allows the students by taking on the leadership roles and gives the opportunity to develop their leadership, teamwork and communication skills. It helps to understand and appreciate human diversity, demonstrate global and cultural competency, practice civic responsibilities, model social justice, serves the community and also contributes to environmental sustainability. These clubs teaches to develop the life skills, builds self-esteem, develops self-confidence and resilience and counter negative emotions of stress, shame and fear.


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The different clubs in the Navodaya institutions are-

1. CULTURAL CLUB
2. PHOTOGRAPHY AND TREKKING CLUB
3. ZENITH ASPIRANTS- THE SCIENTIFIC CLUB
4. ART AND LITERARY CLUB
5. THE RISING SPORTS AND YOGA CLUB

Club activities assist students to cultivate a sense of unity and working with others in reaching the same goals. Students can gain access to the special events allowing them to enjoy unique experiences and create lasting memories. These events often provide opportunities for members to socialise, network and engage in activities that they are passionate about, enriching their overall club experiences. These activities often attract individuals which share interests, enabling them to network, collaborate and establish valuable relationships both personally and professionally.

Evidence of success:

- Cultivated a sense of unity and working with others in reaching the same goals.
- Improved qualities of students like the leadership quality, self confidence, communication skills and teamwork.
- It extended their social networks and provided them with new skills and abilities.


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