



## KRISHNA CHAITANYA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCES

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### 7.2.1 – Describe at least two institutional best practices

#### **BEST PRACTICE I:**

##### **GREEN PRACTICES AND HEALTH SERVICES:**

The College installed a 400 KV capacity solar power system in the College that caters to the half of the energy requirement. It is also replacing the conventional lights with the energy efficient LED lights. The College also makes special efforts for solid waste management, Rain water harvesting unit and the optimal use of water resources. The College has hundreds of trees and plants maintaining a green campus.

The College has a clinic and the Doctor visits twice a month. College has an understanding with a Hospital which is ten minute away from the Campus to cater to any emergency service. The First Aid Boxes are placed in all the Departments and Hostels. The College facilitates health insurance for all the students and strictly maintains a 'No smoking' and 'No Drugs/Alcohol' Policy in the campus.

#### **BEST PRACTICE II:**

##### **Mentoring system:**

The mentoring system is designed to assist the students in academic and general issues they face during the four year period of the degree. A faculty member is assigned as a mentor for a group of 15 to 20 students in the first year itself. The mentoring is conducted in a structured way. The mentor and the students meet at least one hour in every week as per the schedule in the time table. The mentor counsels the students in not only the issues related

academics but also some of their personal issues and a proper guidance and support is provided to ensure the comfort of the students in the campus. In the cases where advanced counseling is needed, the student is referred to the psychological counselor. The mentors also participate in the class review meetings and discuss about the students with the teachers of the class.

OR

Title of the Practice:-Students Associations of Department and College.

Goal: To develop personality, communication skill, awareness about different types of entrance exams and interview, and to develop skill to qualify various competitive exams.

1. To develop awareness about sports and physical fitness.
2. To conduct useful courses and technical seminars workshops as per the current industry need.
3. To organize various activities like programming contest, technical quiz, debate competition, personality contest etc. that will not only enhance the technical abilities and knowledge among the students, but also builds the overall personality skills of the students.
4. To organize events like project competition, paper presentations etc.
5. To develop awareness about participation in different events held at state, national and international level.

3. The Context:

1. It is platform for students to participate actively in the activities conducted by students' associations.
2. Each department of college has its own students' association and college also has its own students' association called as students Council||.

3. These associations are working on methods of for the students, by the students and from the students|| means these associations are made by students for student's development.

4. In the association students may works as volunteer on post such as Chairman/president, Vice President, Joint Secretary, treasurer, Ladies representatives and Executive members. They are selected from students by inviting applications from interested students.

#### 4. The Practice:

1. After formation of association the activities are planned for a semester. While making plan different suggestions from student and faculty members are considered in a meeting. For every activity a team is formed including a faculty and students. The team is responsible for conducting the activity.

2. Students associations are planning for at least 18 activities each year and such activities are sports, technical activities and non technical activities.

5. Evidence of success: The Students who are participating in activities are appreciated with certification and prize. Attendance of participating students is maintained with the signature of event in charge. Notices have been circulated through college about conduction of activities so that students can take active part in activities.

1. Students involvement: Students are actively participating in different activities, it makes a positive improvement in students like personality development, communication skills, management skills, programming skills etc.

2. Teamwork: As students and faculty work together, it builds team spirit among students. It also helps for faculty since students are having innovative ideas. Bonding is formed among students and faculty. It helps in many perspectives for students.

6. Problems Encountered and Resources required:

1. Students are hesitating to take part in activities because of lack of confidence and daring.
2. Feeling burden of academics to participate in activities.
3. To motivate students for participation is challenge



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