## Institutional Distinctiveness

A value-based education saturated with progressive educational thoughts of Mahatma Gandhi is integrated with the curriculum of the affiliating university. The staff and students come from diverse demographic background with a range of varying capabilities and orientation. Thus an effort to inculcate a value of togetherness is at the very core and at the same time it gives space to each and every stakeholder to use their potential to its fullest to ultimately create a peaceful society. This in itself explicates the vision of the institution with its unique sense of outward freedom to develop discipline within. The strong bonding with students has encouraged third generation students to opt for the college as its first preference. Students coming from all the sections of the society find an equitable place for themselves which culminates in a strengthened being with a positive vision.

This bonding also finds its roots between the stakeholders and the campus. The entire campus, which is eco-friendly, is a collective effort of the management staff and students aware of the current environmental crisis and makes every effort to construct a healthy and happy community at large. Waste segregation, waste management, water and energy conservation, plantation drives are some of the measures passionately taken up by one and all. The scope of the institution is to reduce and eliminate social, economic, cultural and other types of exclusion of human beings through the spread of information and awareness on the subject. To achieve educational innovation with a new type of social engagement. To integrate curriculum with outreach.

The solidarity within the campus finds its sublets in various activities outside the campus in the form of community engagement which in turn lead to social transformation, a distinct need of the day. Along with NGO's, voluntary organizations and individuals the college was able to reach out to distressed people affected by floods, adopted schools, offered help to disabled, spoke to boys on issues related to women and many such activities. Organizing Anti-Ragging meetings to create friendliness between students. Charity in the form of clothes, food and donation found a rich contribution from among the students. The never ending, relentless effort to enhance human capabilities in and around to promote peaceful and inclusive society of this college becomes its distinctiveness and establishes the vision of the college as an inclusive institution.

