

YEARLY STATUS REPORT - 2021-2022

Part A

Data of the Institution

| 1.Name of the Institution | Dhenkanal Autonomous college |
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| • Name of the Head of the institution | Prof. Ranjit Kumar Pradhan |
| • Designation | Principal |
| • Does the institution function from its own campus? | Yes |
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| • Phone No. of the Principal | 06762224420 |
| • Alternate phone No. | 9438324660 |
| • Mobile No. (Principal) | 9438324660 |
| • Registered e-mail ID (Principal) | principaldklcol@yahoo.in |
| • Address | Office of the Principal , Dhenkanal Autonomous College |
| • City/Town | Dhenkanal |
| • State/UT | Odisha |
| • Pin Code | 759001 |
| 2.Institutional status | |
| • Autonomous Status (Provide the date of conferment of Autonomy) | 01/04/2002 |
| • Type of Institution | Co-education |
| • Location | Urban |

• Financial Status

UGC 2f and 12(B)

| 4.Was the Academic Calendar prepared for that year? | Yes | | |
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| 3.Website address (Web link of the AQAR (Previous Academic Year) | <u>http://www.dhenkanalcollege.nic.</u> n/igac.html | | |
| • IQAC e-mail ID | iqacdkl@gmail.com | | |
| • Mobile No: | 9937390878 | | |
| • Phone No. | 06762224420 | | |
| • Name of the IQAC Co-ordinator/Director | Dr. Prasanta Kumar Parida | | |

• if yes, whether it is uploaded in the Institutional website Web link:

5.Accreditation Details

http://www.dhenkanalcollege.ac.in
/igac_information.php

| Cycle | Grade | CGPA | Year of Accreditation | Validity from | Validity to |
|---------|-------|-------|--------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Cycle 1 | B++ | 81.15 | 2004 | 16/09/2004 | 15/09/2009 |
| Cycle 2 | B++ | 2.83 | 2017 | 23/01/2017 | 22/01/2022 |

6.Date of Establishment of IQAC

01/09/2014

7.Provide the list of Special Status conferred by Central and/or State Government on the Institution/Department/Faculty/School (UGC/CSIR/DST/DBT/ICMR/TEQIP/World Bank/CPE of UGC, etc.)?

| Institution/ Depart ment/Faculty/Sch ool | Scheme | Funding Agency | Year of Award with Duration | Amount |
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| Dhenkanal Autonomous College, Dhe nkanal,Odish a | OHEEP | World Bank | 10/03/2022 | 3200000 |

8. Provide details regarding the composition of the IQAC:

• Upload the latest notification regarding the <u>View File</u> composition of the IQAC by the HEI

9.No. of IQAC meetings held during the year 02

- Were the minutes of IQAC meeting(s) and Yes compliance to the decisions taken uploaded on the institutional website?
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10.Did IQAC receive funding from anyNofunding agency to support its activities during
the year?No

• If yes, mention the amount 5000

11.Significant contributions made by IQAC during the current year (maximum five bullets)

Feedback Collected From the students, Teachers and alumni and used for the development of the institution

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12.Plan of action chalked out by IQAC at the beginning of the academic year towards quality enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the academic year:

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13.Was the AQAR placed before the statutory Yes body?

• Name of the statutory body

| Name of the statutory body | Date of meeting(s) |
|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Executive committee | 01/10/2021 |

Yes

14.Was the institutional data submitted to AISHE ?

• Year

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Dhenkanal Autonomous College is affiliated to Utkal University, Bhubaneswar. The University adopted the CBCS pattern from 2017-18. As per the CBCS pattern, the university offers several self-learning and value based non CGPA courses of interdisciplinary nature. 'Values and Good citizenship' and 'Ethical Values for student life', 'Issues relating to women', 'Issues of Drug, Tobacco and Alcohol Addiction' especially 'Ethics and values' and ' Environmental science and Disaster management' are the non-credit courses for First year students of all disciplines. 'Communicative English' and 'Quantitative Ability and Logical Thinking' for second year students and ' as well as 'Interview and presentation skill through Project Viva ' are non-credit courses for final year's students of all disciplines. Our University is likely to implement NEP 2020 and will offer multidisciplinary courses. As per the regulations and guidelines of university, we will follow the same.

16.Academic bank of credits (ABC):

As per the National Education Policy 2020, the Academic Bank of Credit (ABC) is going to implement by the university to facilitate academic mobility of students. Dhenkanal Autonomous College is also adopting the policy guidelines for the appropriate credit transfer. The Institute has been following the pattern of CBCS adopted by the university. The university has informed the institute about the necessary action for implementation of ABC. The faculties of our institute instructed the stakeholders regarding the same. The University is likely to conduct the workshop/ seminar for implementation of ABC. The institute will appoint a faculty member as Nodal officer for the execution of guidelines given by the university.

17.Skill development:

Dhenkanal Autonomous College has adopted a policy to run skill development programmes for the overall development to mitigate the requirement of 21st century skills in the society. Our institute has been running Career Oriented Courses Quantitative Ability and Logical thinking and English communication and personality. These skill based courses were successfully completed during the last five years. We are also interested in developing new skill development programmes for the upcoming years.

18.Appropriate integration of Indian Knowledge system (teaching in Indian Language, culture, using online course)

The institute actively engaged in spreading the rich heritage of our country and traditional knowledge in the fields of arts, literature and culture. We adopted three language systems for running the programmes of UG and PG. We use English as an international language, Hindi and Odia as the national language as well as state / regional language in our curriculum. We specialize in Marathi, Hindi and English literature. All the Humanity subjects are taught in bilingual mode i.e, Odia and English. To preserve and spread Indian culture and tradition we organized various activities such as traditional day celebrations, Odia Bhasa Divas, Sashtriya Sanskrit Divas, Rangoli, classical dance competition, Various festivals etc. We inculcate Indian culture and values through the participation of students in university level youth festivals.

19. Focus on Outcome based education (OBE): Focus on Outcome based education (OBE):

Our institute has adopted the CBCS pattern of Utkal University since 2015-16 for PG and UG Course. As per CBCS guidelines, the university reconstructed the syllabi of all the programmes. In restructured programmes university included the outcomes in the form of objectives of the courses and programmes. We discuss with the student regarding the course and program outcomes at the end of the academic year. We verify these outcomes by various attainment methods

| 20.Distance education/online education: | | |
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| Distance education, or distance learning, is a field of education that focuses on pedagogy, technology, and learning systems that aim to provide education to students who are not physically present at site. Realising the need of the time, Dhenkanal Autonomous College is planning to start distance education very soon. | | |
| Extended | d Profile | |
| 1.Programme | | |
| 1.1 | | 19 |
| Number of programmes offered during the year: | | |
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| Institutional Data in Prescribed Format | | <u>View File</u> |
| 2.Student | | |
| 2.1 | | 1852 |
| Total number of students during the year: | | |
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| 2.2 | | 474 |
| Number of outgoing / final year students during the | he year: | |
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| 2.3 580 | | 580 |
| Number of students who appeared for the examinations conducted by the institution during the year: | | |
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| 3.Academic | | |

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| 3.1 | | 19 |
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| Number of courses in all programmes during the | year: | |
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| 3.2 | | 42 |
| Number of full-time teachers during the year: | | |
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| 3.3 | | 69 |
| Number of sanctioned posts for the year: | | |
| 4.Institution | | |
| 4.1 | | 301 |
| Number of seats earmarked for reserved categorie GOI/State Government during the year: | s as per | |
| 4.2 | | 45 |
| Total number of Classrooms and Seminar halls | | |
| 4.3 | | 193 |
| Total number of computers on campus for academic purposes | | |
| 4.4 | | 5400000 |
| Total expenditure, excluding salary, during the year (INR in Lakhs): | | |
| Par | t B | |
| CURRICULAR ASPECTS | | |
| 1.1 - Curriculum Design and Development | | |
| 1.1.1 - Curricula developed and implemented have global developmental needs which are reflected in Specific Outcomes (PSOs) and Course Outcomes Institution. | Programme Out | comes (POs), Programme |

Dhenkanal Autonomous College lays constant emphasis on designing curricula that reciprocates local/regional/national/global developmental needs, envisages Institutional/Departmental Vision and Mission as well as incorporates stakeholder's feedback.

•The curriculum is updated by respective departments keeping in view contemporary changes and societal demands in alignment with UGC model curriculum along with guidelines of Utkal University.

•Outcome Based Education (OBE): Specified Program Outcomes(POs), Program Specific Outcome(PSOs) and Course Outcomes(COs) has been reflected in the syllabi of respective departments.

•Ample subject combinations/electives are offered under UG/PG programs enabling students to choose courses of their interest and to ensure academic flexibility and to equip them with professional skills.

•Programs focusing on relevant local/regional/national/global elements are reflected as PO and PSOs. B.Sc.: Conceptual //IT literacy/skill development needs, B.A.: Historical/contemporary art/culture/societal components, B.Com.: Commercial/organizational aspect.

•All PG programs are also reflected with Advanced competencies in physical and Life sciences ; Literature and allied needs/historical/geographical/ social/political/gender issues and values in M.A. in History; Economical and management aspects/ Community development needs in M.Com, Extension activities instil social responsibility and activities under NSS/NCC/YRC provide first-hand experience to the students.

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1.1.2 - Number of Programmes where syllabus revision was carried out during the year

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| Minutes of relevant Academic Council/BOS meeting | No File Uploaded |
| Details of syllabus revision during the year | <u>View File</u> |
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1.1.3 - Number of courses focusing on employability/entrepreneurship/ skill development offered by the Institution during the year

02

| File Description | Documents |
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| Curriculum / Syllabus of such courses | <u>View File</u> |
| Minutes of the Boards of Studies/ Academic Council meetings with approval for these courses | No File Uploaded |
| MoUs with relevant organizations for these courses, if any | No File Uploaded |
| Any additional information | No File Uploaded |

1.2 - Academic Flexibility

1.2.1 - Number of new courses introduced across all programmes offered during the year

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| Minutes of relevant Academic Council/BoS meetings | No File Uploaded |
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1.2.2 - Number of Programmes offered through Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)/Elective Course System

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1.3 - Curriculum Enrichment

1.3.1 - Institution integrates cross-cutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment and Sustainability, and Human Values into the curriculum

•The programmes of Dhenkanal Autonomous College have integrated crosscutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human values, Environment and Sustainability.

Almost all P.G. Programmes integrate these issues as independent courses. For example, Environmental science, Corporate Governance and Business Ethics(M.Com), Business Environment (MBA), Biofertilizers, Mushroom Cultivation (Botany), Natural Resource Management, Environmental Chemistry (Chemistry), Ecology (Zoology),Gender and Development(Pol. Science) etc.

•The courses related to gender issues aimed at promoting gender equality and focus on women empowerment are also implicitly or explicitly imparting in the Department of History, Economics, Commerce, Political Science, Psychology, philosophy.

•The topic covers Gender Sensitivity (UNESCO MODULE) ,women in Indian History, women in Indian Culture, education of Women, Feminism, Women and Law ,violence against women, Gender and Development Women's organisation and movement, Women Entrepreneurship, etc.

•The courses related to environment covers topic like Global Warming, Environmental Policy, Environmental Protection, Disaster Management, Solid Waste Management, and so on are directly or indirectly included in the programme of Business Management.

•Almost all programmes integrate and teaches professional ethics.

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| Upload the list and description of the courses which address issues related to Gender, Environment and Sustainability, Human Values and Professional Ethics in the curriculum | No File Uploaded |
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1.3.2 - Number of value-added courses for imparting transferable and life skills offered during the year

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| List of value-added courses | No File Uploaded |
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1.3.3 - Number of students enrolled in the courses under **1.3.2** above

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| List of students enrolled | No File Uploaded |
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1.3.4 - Number of students undertaking field work/projects/ internships / student projects

278

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| List of programmes and number of students undertaking field projects / internships / student projects | <u>View File</u> |
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1.4 - Feedback System

1.4.1 - Structured feedback and review of the A. All 4 of the above syllabus (semester-wise / year-wise) is

obtained from 1) Students 2) Teachers 3) Employers and 4) Alumni

| File Description | Documents | |
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| Provide the URL for stakeholders' feedback report | http://www.dhenkanalcollege.ac.in/iqac_inf ormation.php | |
| Upload the Action Taken Report of the feedback as recorded by the Governing Council / Syndicate / Board of Management | <u>View File</u> | |
| Any additional information | <u>View File</u> | |

1.4.2 - The feedback system of the Institution comprises the following A. Feedback collected, analysed and action taken made available on the website

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TEACHING-LEARNING AND EVALUATION

2.1 - Student Enrollment and Profile

2.1.1 - Enrolment of Students

2.1.1.1 - Number of students admitted (year-wise) during the year

667

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2.1.2 - Number of seats filled against reserved categories (SC, ST, OBC, Divyangjan, etc.) as per the reservation policy during the year (exclusive of supernumerary seats)

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2.2 - Catering to Student Diversity

2.2.1 - The institution assesses students' learning levels and organises special programmes for both slow and advanced learners.

Key Markers to identify Slow and Advanced Learners:

•Students' attentiveness within classes is judged through continual QA sessions, and timely tutorials and their responses are evaluated through regular feedback on pedagogical strategies and informal interactions with peers and teachers.

•Use of multiple classroom assessment techniques including tests, classroom participation, and assignments to gauge students' learning levels.

•Independent observations of teachers too help identify advanced learners.

Following special efforts for advanced learners

•Encouragement to seek membership of professional bodies, publish articles, improve presentation skills and guidance to develop clear career goals.

•Supplying reading material beyond the prescribed curriculum to develop critical understanding.

•Enhancing difficulty level of Projects to challenge them.

Special Programmes for Slow Learners:

•Conduct extra classes, provide Study Material and E-resources.

•Personal attention, encouragement, and close correction of written work.

•Bilingual explanations in class to clarify doubts.

•Remedial teaching during tutorials.

•Regular parent-teacher meetings include all stakeholders in students' progress.

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2.2.2 - Student - Teacher (full-time) ratio

| Year | Number of Students | Number of Teachers |
|------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 20/05/2022 | 1852 | 72 |

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2.3 - Teaching- Learning Process

2.3.1 - Student-centric methods such as experiential learning, participative learning and problemsolving methodologies are used for enhancing learning experiences:

•Participative and Experiential learning can succeed when students enjoy the closeness to the teacher.

•The teachers of the college believe that the first step to effective teaching is to establish a connection with students. With patience and communication skills, teachers facilitated activities that enrich the learning experience of the students.

•Interactive classes, with quizzes, flip-teaching, blended classrooms, brainstorming sessions, group discussions and impromptu games are methods being used by faculty.

•Teachers amalgamate their content and methodology with expectations of students in order to achieve a positive teachinglearning environment to ensure that students experience best teaching practices for a well-rounded knowledge of the concepts.

•Teachers use a wide range of methodologies like PowerPoint presentations, online resources, and audio-visual material on Google Classroom. All attempts are made to ensure that sense of collaboration is cultivated among students

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2.3.2 - Teachers use ICT-enabled tools including online resources for effective teaching and learning

•Post pandemic era has taught us to adopt blended learning methods in teaching. All the Teachers of Dhenkanal Autonomous College use ICT enabled tools for effective teaching-learning process.

•Adept at using IT-enabled learning tools, teachers use PowerPoint presentations e-books, videos, and cinematic resources.

•Faculty members enhance their ICT skills by attending courses and workshops. Some teachers have recorded lectures on YouTube.

•Multiple e-resources include recordings of video lectures and PPTs have been prepared by the faculty for the students' benefit. Today, the internet provides a rich trove of study materials that can help students improve their understanding of various topics.

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2.3.3 - Ratio of students to mentor for academic and other related issues

2.3.3.1 - Number of mentors

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| Upload year-wise number of students enrolled and full-time teachers on roll | No File Uploaded |
| Circulars with regard to assigning mentors to mentees | No File Uploaded |
| 2.3.4 - Preparation and adherence to Academic Calendar and Teaching Plans by the institution | |
| •Dhenkanal Autonomous College prepares academic calendar in the beginning of the academic year during first week of the June month before reopening of classes and after summer vacation. | |
| \cdot The academic calendar contains tentative dates for admission, | |

•The academic calendar contains tentative dates for admission, internal and semester examination for UG and PG courses along with date of commencement of classes of each wing.

•The result is published within 45 days after completion of exam and is strictly adhered to the date mentioned in academic calendar •

•The academic calendar also reflects the tentative number of teaching days starting from June to May of next year. During the session 2021-2022, we got 239 working days and out of it, 39 teaching days were utilized to conduct internal assessment and term end examinations .

•Celebration of cultural week, sports and election to different offices of college union and other association are scheduled from the beginning of academic year. Usually, we always adhere to the academic calendar except some special undone situations.

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| Upload the Academic Calendar and Teaching Plans during the year | <u>View File</u> |
| 2.4 - Teacher Profile and Quality | |

2.4.1 - Number of full-time teachers against sanctioned posts during the year

42

| File Description | Documents |
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| Year-wise full-time teachers and sanctioned posts for the year | <u>View File</u> |
| List of the faculty members authenticated by the Head of HEI | No File Uploaded |
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2.4.2 - Number of full-time teachers with PhD/ D.M. / M.Ch. / D.N.B Super-Specialty / DSc / DLitt during the year

22

| File Description | Documents |
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| List of number of full-time teachers with PhD./ D.M. / M.Ch. / D.N.B Super-Specialty / D.Sc. / D.Litt. and number of full-time teachers for 5 years | <u>View File</u> |
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2.4.3 - Total teaching experience of full-time teachers in the same institution: (Full-time teachers' total teaching experience in the current institution)

209

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| List of teachers including their PAN, designation, Department and details of their experience | <u>View File</u> |
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2.5 - Evaluation Process and Reforms

2.5.1 - Number of days from the date of last semester-end/ year- end examination till the declaration of results during the year

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| List of Programmes and the date of last semester-end / year-end examinations and the date of declaration of result | <u>View File</u> |
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2.5.2 - Number of students' complaints/grievances against evaluation against the total number who appeared in the examinations during the year

26

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| Upload the number of complaints and total number of students who appeared for exams during the year | <u>View File</u> |
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2.5.3 - IT integration and reforms in the examination procedures and processes including Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) have brought in considerable improvement in the Examination Management System (EMS) of the Institution

•Dhenkanal Autonomous College has taken numerous steps to reform the examination procedures and processes and integrate Information Technology into the evaluation system . IT integration into question paper setting, automation of examination registration, generation of hall tickets, It integration of Internal Assessment process, publication of results and Mark List generation are some of the reforms that have improved the college's Examination Management efficacy .

•The college has a dedicated examination section and also hired a confidential firm for student registration, generation of examination Roll numbers, admit cards, preparation and publication of results of all students enrolled for various programmes .

•Examination section collects department wise students data and prepares Manual Nominal Roll through IT integration and sends it to the firm .

•Student transcripts and certificates are digitally available through the National Academic Depository (NAD). complete office automation •Exam section submits lists of pass outs of UG and PG courses to Utkal University.

•Complete automation and IT integration has improved examination management system.

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2.6 - Student Performance and Learning Outcomes

2.6.1 - Programme Outcomes and Course Outcomes for all Programmes offered by the institution are stated and displayed on the website and communicated to teachers and students

The stated Programme and Course Outcomes of the Programmes offered by the institution are jointly approved by Odisha State Higher Education Council and Utkal University, Odisha .

•The Course Outcomes (COs) are clearly defined for each subject. The college follows the Choice Based Credit System . This curriculum allows students to choose courses across subjects as core and elective subjects.

•The college offers both Honours and Programme courses. For Honours courses, students need 136 credits.

•The following methods are used to create awareness of COs and POs:

1.Website: The Programme Outcomes and the Course Outcomes for all courses are clearly mentioned on college website.

2.Student Orientation: The students are made aware of these Outcomes in the Orientation.

3.PTM: Parent Teacher Meetings create awareness in the parents about the Learning Outcomes.

4.Departmental Meetings and Programmes: Teachers regularly reiterate the COs and POs with their students in departmental interactions. 5.Classes: Teachers are aware of the need to work towards achieving these Outcomes, and make sure to reinforce the Programme Outcomes and Course Outcomes to the students in the class.

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2.6.2 - Attainment of Programme Outcomes and Course Outcomes as evaluated by the institution

The syllabus of the college specifies the learning outcomes for each course. Programme outcomes are general guidelines, whereas Course Outcomes are specific to the course and subject.

•Teachers evaluate attainment of Course Outcomes and Programme Outcomes through the evaluation system and individual assessment of the students.

•Teachers collect information for measuring the attainment of outcomes by using direct and indirect methods. Direct attainment can be studied by result analysis of college examinations. Result analysis is displayed in the annual report, with lists of students who have won academic prizes.

•Record of results of all courses, and regular faculty meetings identify and rectify problems. Result analysis helps teachers improve their teaching. Performance of students in assignments and tests helps determine the extent of student learning, e.g, a bridge course may be suggested for weak students.

•Indirect attainment is obtained by studying other parameters like project work. Teachers monitor results and internal and external assessment trends and use this analysis for ensuring CO and PO Attainment.

•Feedback surveys help determine student progression. The ultimate aim of institutions in the attainment of POs and COs is to guarantee that students are industry-ready with the necessary skills for success in professional life.

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2.6.3 - Pass Percentage of students

2.6.3.1 - Total number of final year students who passed in the examinations conducted by Institution

474

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| Upload list of Programmes and number of students appear for and passed in the final year examinations | <u>View File</u> |
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2.7 - Student Satisfaction Survey

2.7.1 - Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) on overall institutional performance (Institution may design its own questionnaire). Results and details need to be provided as a weblink

http://www.dhenkanalcollege.ac.in/iqac information.php

RESEARCH, INNOVATIONS AND EXTENSION

3.1 - Promotion of Research and Facilities

3.1.1 - The institution's research facilities are frequently updated and there is a well-defined policy for promotion of research which is uploaded on the institutional website and implemented

•Dhenkanal Autonomous College provides all necessary infrastructural facilities and a conducive environment to promote research activity in the campus. Due to limited resources, the institute may not be able to fund all the research activities taken up by the faculty and students.

•Faculty are encouraged to apply for various funding agencies and pursue their research. However, Dhenkanal Autonomous College is ready to provide seed funding or partial funding based on the merit of proposals submitted by faculty.

•The faculty are encouraged to present their ideas / project proposals before the research committee for getting the sanction of seed funding in accordance with institute guidelines.

•The faculties are given freedom to choose the research area of their choice and guidance is given to seek funding from various funding agencies and industries.

•DAC encourages the faculty by providing incentives for presentations and publication in reputed conference proceedings.

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| Upload the Minutes of the Governing Council/ Syndicate/Board of Management related to research promotion policy adoption | No File Uploaded |
| Provide URL of policy document on promotion of research uploaded on the website | Nil |
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3.1.2 - The institution provides seed money to its teachers for research

3.1.2.1 - Seed money provided by the institution to its teachers for research during the year (INR in lakhs)

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| Minutes of the relevant bodies of the institution regarding seed money | No File Uploaded |
| Budget and expenditure statements signed by the Finance Officer indicating seed money provided and utilized | No File Uploaded |
| List of teachers receiving grant and details of grant received | No File Uploaded |
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3.1.3 - Number of teachers who were awarded national / international fellowship(s) for advanced studies/research during the year

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| e-copies of the award letters of the teachers | No File Uploaded |
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3.2 - Resource Mobilization for Research

3.2.1 - Grants received from Government and Non-Governmental agencies for research projects, endowments, Chairs during the year (INR in Lakhs)

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| e-copies of the grant award letters for research projects sponsored by non-governmental agencies/organizations | No File Uploaded |
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3.2.2 - Number of teachers having research projects during the year

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3.2.3 - Number of teachers recognised as research guides

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3.2.4 - Number of departments having research projects funded by Government and Non-Government agencies during the year

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3.3 - Innovation Ecosystem

3.3.1 - Institution has created an ecosystem for innovations and creation and transfer of knowledge supported by dedicated centres for research, entrepreneurship, community orientation, incubation, etc.

•The college has striven to provide for an improved and viable infrastructure for innovation ecology, and has therefore focussed on organising seminars and workshops on entrepreneurship and community orientation with a steady regularity.

•At the same time, the members of the faculty have continued to hone their research through publications in established national and international journals.

•To prepare the students as future innovators, critical thinking and social engagement was promoted and students were encouraged to engage with case studies and field-based projects.

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3.3.2 - Number of workshops/seminars conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), Entrepreneurship and Skill Development during the year

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3.4 - Research Publications and Awards

| 3.4.1 - The Institution ensures | D. | Any | 1 | of | the | above |
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| implementation of its Code of Ethics for | | | | | | |
| Research uploaded in the website through the | | | | | | |
| following: Research Advisory Committee | | | | | | |
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| Ethics in the research methodology course | | | | | | |
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| Code of Ethics for Research, Research Advisory Committee and Ethics Committee constitution and list of members of these committees, software used for plagiarism check | No File Uploaded |
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3.4.2 - Number of PhD candidates registered per teacher (as per the data given with regard to recognized PhD guides/ supervisors provided in Metric No. 3.2.3) during the year

3.4.2.1 - Number of PhD students registered during the year

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| URL to the research page on HEI website | Nil |
| List of PhD scholars and details like name of the guide, title of thesis, and year of registration | <u>View File</u> |
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3.4.3 - Number of research papers per teacher in CARE Journals notified on UGC website during the year

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| List of research papers by title, author, department, and year of publication | <u>View File</u> |
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3.4.4 - Number of books and chapters in edited volumes / books published per teacher during the year

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3.4.5 - Bibliometrics of the publications during the year based on average Citation Index in Scopus/ Web of Science/PubMed

3.4.5.1 - Total number of Citations in Scopus during the year

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| Bibliometrics of the publications during the year | No File Uploaded |

3.4.6 - Bibliometrics of the publications during the year based on Scopus/ Web of Science – h-Index of the University

3.4.6.1 - h-index of Scopus during the year

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| Bibiliometrics of publications based on Scopus/ Web of Science - h-index of the Institution | <u>View File</u> |
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3.5 - Consultancy

3.5.1 - Revenue generated from consultancy and corporate training during the year (INR in lakhs)

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3.5.2 - Total amount spent on developing facilities, training teachers and clerical/project staff for undertaking consultancy during the year

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| List of training programmes, teachers and staff trained for undertaking consultancy | No File Uploaded |
| List of facilities and staff available for undertaking consultancy | No File Uploaded |
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3.6 - Extension Activities

3.6.1 - Extension activities carried out in the neighbourhood sensitising students to social issues for their holistic development, and the impact thereof during the year

•During post covid periodseveral sensitisation and awareness programmes for students were conducted through the various community-oriented programmes and activities byNCC , YRC and NSS. To encourage fitness and to help all to get freedom from obesity, anxiety, laziness, stress disease etc , all the three Units of College organised Fit India Freedom Run 2.0 .To spread the message of volunteerism and community service, NCC and NSS units conducted blood donation camps during the year. Youth Red Cross unit organised cluster level study cum training camp for YRC volunteers .NSS unit observed Swatchha Pakhwada , Gandhi Jayanti and Clean India Programme, Rastriya Ekta Diwas, World AIDS day, Poshan Abhiyan Programme, National Girl Child Day, World No Tobacco Day etc while conducting series of students awareness seminars, meetings , rallies and others. alsoadopted a nearby village named as Borapada Khamar to improve their life cycle and livelihood. As a Nodal college of Dhenkanal district, we coordinate Youth Red Cross activities of 25 affiliated colleges and hold regular workshops and train volunteers.NSS unit conducted district level leadership training programmes along with district level debate/ song/ dance competitions.NCC unit organised Disaster Reduction programme and Swachh Bharat programme .

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3.6.2 - Number of awards and recognition received by the Institution, its teachers and students for extension activities from Government / Government-recognised bodies during the year

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3.6.3 - Number of extension and outreach programmes conducted by the institution through NSS/NCC/Red Cross/YRC, etc. during the year (including Government-initiated programmes such as Swachh Bharat, AIDS Awareness, and Gender Sensitization and those organised in collaboration with industry, community and NGOs)

24

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3.6.4 - Number of students participating in extension activities listed in 3.6.3 during the year

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3.7 - Collaboration

3.7.1 - Number of collaborative activities during the year for research/ faculty exchange/ student exchange/ internship/ on-the-job training/ project work

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3.7.2 - Number of functional MoUs with institutions of national and/or international importance, other universities, industries, corporate houses, etc. during the year (only functional MoUs with ongoing activities to be considered)

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| e-copies of the MoUs with institution/ industry/ corporate house | <u>View File</u> |
| Details of functional MoUs with institutions of national, international importance, other institutions etc. during the year | <u>View File</u> |
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INFRASTRUCTURE AND LEARNING RESOURCES

4.1 - Physical Facilities

4.1.1 - The Institution has adequate infrastructure and physical facilities for teaching-learning, viz., classrooms, laboratories, computing equipments, etc.

All departments of college are well-equipped with teaching facilities with adequate number of class rooms, seminar and committee rooms, faculty rooms, laboratories, office room, etc.

•The college has 66 classrooms with sizes ranging from 400 sq ft to 1000 sq ft.

•All the departments in general have computers, LCD projectors, printers, internet facilities and other accessories to facilitate ICT-enabled teaching.

•The college has 05 Wi-Fi enabled air-conditioned computer labs with power backup and a comprehensive set up that includes 02 server, printers, 100 MBPS of internet bandwidth and secured Wi-Fi connectivity access points.

•College has 14 Science labs, 01 computer science , 01 psychology,

01 professional studies computer lab, 01 central computer lab and 01 language laboratory.

•With smart class rooms, library e-resources, and other ICTenabled facilities, college is being transformed into a digital campus.

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4.1.2 - The institution has adequate facilities for cultural activities, yoga, sports and games (indoor and outdoor) including gymnasium, yoga centre, auditorium etc.)

Along with academic activities, Dhenkanal Autonomous College also gives enough emphasis on extra and co-curricular activities such as sports and games, athletics, yoga, meditation, cultural activities, paintings, annual literary magazine, reports, wall magazine, departmental seminar bulletins, etc which take care of our quality of life and aesthetics.

•The college organises Annual Athletics Meet to promote sportsmanship. It also hosts intra and inter college athletics meets throughout year.

•Our students enthusiastically participate in indoor games like Table Tennis, Chess, Judo, powerlifting and Yoga competitions.

•We invite renowned and accomplished cultural and literary icons to campus for regular talks and during the prominent days celebrations like International Women's day, AIDS day, International Yoga Day etc.

•The Nanak Bhavan auditorium with 600 capacity, where cultural competitions and events are held regularly.

•Trophies and certificates are also given to the winners to keep them motivated.

·College has a well-equipped Gymnasium Hall.

•Both Boys and Girls hostels are equipped with indoor game facility and playground for outdoor games.

•We also invite spiritual persons to speak in the Reading Room , where faculty, staff and students participate in large numbers.

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4.1.3 - Number of classrooms and seminar halls with ICT-enabled facilities

14

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| Upload Number of classrooms and seminar halls with ICT enabled facilities (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

4.1.4 - Expenditure for infrastructure augmentation, excluding salary, during the year (INR in Lakhs)

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4.2 - Library as a Learning Resource

4.2.1 - Library is automated using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS)

More than 60,000 books and journals are available in the college library .

•The college library is e-enabled automized in the latest software

and it has a Network Resource Centre.

•The books in the library are digitalized.

•Every department has their own seminar library for easy accessibility to students and faculty members.

•Library resources are used to augment the teaching- learning process by using journals, books

•In a bid to promote reading, research and innovation uninterruptedly, the college has provided Air-conditioned Reference library for students and staff on first floor of library building. The reference section of the library comprises a large collection of Reference Books, Encyclopaedias, Dictionaries, science , literary and Management Journals.

•Adding more to it, Reading Room, adjacent to library building provides newspapers, magazines, story books, competitive exam magazines for updating knowledge on current affairs.

•Reading room conducts debate, group discussion, essay writing sessions as well for communication improvement of students.

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| 4.2.2 - Institution has access to e-journals e-ShodhSindhu Sho Membership e-books Database access to e-resources | dhganga | E. None of the above | |
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4.2.3 - Expenditure on purchase of books/ e-books and subscription to journals/e-journals

during the year (INR in lakhs)

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4.2.4 - Usage of library by teachers and students (footfalls and login data for online access)

4.2.4.1 - Number of teachers and students using the library per day during the year

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| Upload details of library usage by teachers and students | <u>View File</u> |
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4.3 - IT Infrastructure

4.3.1 - Institution has an IT policy covering Wi-Fi, cyber security, etc. and has allocated budget for updating its IT facilities

The IT infrastructure of Dhenkanal Autonomous College is maintained by trained and experienced professionals. It is the epicentre of all network and application needs of the College.

•Dhenkanal Autonomous College has good IT facility with a comprehensive policy and committee in place . It works in collaboration with NIC of State Government .

•The five well-equipped, fully air-conditioned computer laboratories are upgraded periodically to ensure the optimum use of the available infrastructure which consists of a backbone LAN cable network, Wired and Wi-Fi equipment, network switches, 20 secured Wi-Fi access points, 2 Servers and Internet Facility of 100 Mbps provided by Matrix Computer Centre .

•The Examination and Finance sections of the college are automated to a large extent.

•All computers have Microsoft and Linux operating system. The institution's computing facilities (hardware and software) include, 193 systems with good configurations, Computer-student ratio: 1:10, dedicated computing facilities, servers, VLAN etc

•Other equipment includes 36 air conditioners to maintain 193 computers in various laboratories (for students' usage) as well as for administrative purpose, 50 printers, the ICT equipment of multimedia projectors, LCD, wall-mounted screens, 03 smart-boards, 05 Public Address System.

•The College Library is automated with Smart library software, a web-centric version and provides unlimited access to more than 6000 e-journals and over 100000 e-books through high-quality electronic databases. Our college uses various Software like Tally, Web-tel, HRMS in the Accounts department.

•The institution aims at paperless administration by using appropriate e-Office management system. The college encourages ICT enabled teaching-learning practices to promote innovation and effective learning .

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4.3.2 - Student - Computer ratio

| Number of Students | Number of Computers |
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| 1852 | 193 |

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4.3.3 - Bandwidth of internet connection in the Institution and the number of students on campus

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| Details of bandwidth available in the Institution | <u>View File</u> | |
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| 4.3.4 - Institution has facilities f development: Faci for e-content development Med Audio-Visual Centre Lecture C System (LCS) Mixing equipment software for editing | lities available lia Centre lapturing | E. None of the above |
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4.4 - Maintenance of Campus Infrastructure

4.4.1 - Expenditure incurred on maintenance of physical and academic support facilities, excluding salary component, during the year (INR in lakhs)

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4.4.2 - There are established systems and procedures for maintaining and utilizing physical, academic and support facilities – classrooms, laboratory, library, sports complex, computers, etc.

Dhenkanal Autonomous College is a well-structured organization governed by Acts, Statutes, Ordinances, and Regulations mentioned by UGC .

•The College follows appropriate systems and procedures for proper utilisation and maintenance of institutional facilities Academic Council and Executive Committee of college play significant role in managing, maintaining and functioning of daily affairs of the college .

•General Electrical department (GED), Public Works Department(PWD) are attending daily complaints of civil, water, electric, masonry, carpentry, gardens etc.

•All new construction works financed by the State Government and RUSA are handled directly by the Government through PWD. The Development committee of college looks after maintenance of all assets and infrastructure such as, academic and support facilities of Laboratory, Library, Sports facility, computer maintenance and class room facilitation .

•College purchases are routed through Gem Portal with a view to promote paperless and cashless transactions and also to enhance transparency and speed.

•Salary and other financial transactions are made through digital payments.

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STUDENT SUPPORT AND PROGRESSION

5.1 - Student Support

5.1.1 - Number of students benefitted by scholarships and freeships provided by the Government during the year

640

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| Upload self-attested letters with the list of students receiving scholarships | <u>View File</u> |
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5.1.2 - Number of students benefitted by scholarships and freeships provided by the institution and non-government agencies during the year

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| 5.1.3 - The following Capacity I and Skill Enhancement activiti organised for improving studer capabilities Soft Skills Languag Communication Skills Life Skil Physical fitness, Health and Hy Awareness of Trends in Techno | es are nts' ge and lls (Yoga, giene) | |
| File Description | Documents | |
| Link to Institutional website | Nil View File | |
| Details of capability development and schemes | | |
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5.1.4 - Number of students benefitted from guidance/coaching for competitive examinations

and career counselling offered by the institution during the year

submission of online/offline students' grievances Timely redressal of grievances

330

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| Number of students benefited by guidance for competitive examinations and career counseling during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |
| 5.1.5 - The institution adopts the mechanism for redressal of stud- grievances, including sexual ha ragging: Implementation of gui statutory/regulatory bodies Cro- awareness and implementation with zero tolerance Mechanism | dents' rassment and idelines of eating of policies |

| through appropriate committees | | |
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| Minutes of the meetings of students' grievance redressal committee, prevention of sexual harassment committee and Anti- ragging committee | <u>View File</u> | |
| Details of student grievances including sexual harassment and ragging cases | No File Uploaded | |
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| 5.2 - Student Progression | | |
| 5.2.1 - Number of outgoing stud | lents who got placement during the year | |
| 42 | | |
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| Self-attested list of students placed | <u>View File</u> | |
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| 5.2.2 - Number of outgoing stud | lents progressing to higher education | |
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| Details of students who went for higher education | <u>View File</u> | |
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5.2.3 - Number of students qualifying in state/ national/ international level examinations during the year

5.2.3.1 - Number of students who qualified in state/ national/ international examinations (e.g.: IIT-JAM/NET/SET/JRF/ GATE /GMAT /CAT/ GRE/ TOEFL/Civil Services/State government examinations) during the year

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5.3 - Student Participation and Activities

5.3.1 - Number of awards/medals for outstanding performance in sports and/or cultural activities at inter-university / state /national / international events (award for a team event should be counted as one) during the year

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| e-copies of award letters and certificates | <u>View File</u> |
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5.3.2 - Presence of an active Student Council and representation of students in academic and administrative bodies/committees of the institution

The college engages students through various co-curricular and extracurricular activities along with academics. Working towards their holistic development, college encourages wide participation

•Dhenkanal Autonomous college has a student's union/council where various office bearers and functionaries are elected through student elections. However, since 2019 student elections have been banned in all the educational institutions of Odisha by a Government Order.

•However, student research, academic, literary, cultural and sports activities are routinely conducted in various departments and hostels, thus encouraging students to develop team work, organizational skills and diversify and appreciate various arts and culture.

•Students are also actively involved in organization of department seminars and webinars, NSS activities, debating and topical essay competitions etc. •Student representatives are nominated to take part in important department and college decision-making activities as well as to understand and solve their problems, grievances and suggestions on different aspects of the academic and co-curricular activities.

•Various academic and extracurricular activities where students bodies are represented include editorial board members of annual magazine, grievance redressal cell, sports council, cultural council, discipline committee etc.

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5.3.3 - Number of sports and cultural events / competitions organised by the institution

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| List of sports and cultural events / competitions organised per year | No File Uploaded |
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5.4 - Alumni Engagement

5.4.1 - The Alumni Association and its Chapters (registered and functional) contribute significantly to the development of the institution through financial and other support services

The alumni of the college are its valuable assets and administration reaches out to them regularly to keep communication channels open with them.

•Through Alumni Meets, the college continues inviting old students and keeps a track of their achievements. On their part, the alumni too show active interest in sharing their experiences with their juniors through talks, guest lectures, and participation in seminars or workshops organized by the college.

•The college maintains an archive of the career of its alumni after they have graduated from the institution, through an Alumni Form available on college website.

•To further encourage participation of alumni in college activities, an official Whatsapp group has also been created by the college. At the Departmental level too, there is a consistent effort to organize meetings and activities like seminars and webinars for promoting dissemination of knowledge where alumni have been actively involved.

•On certain important occasions, some of the prestigious alumni have also graced the college as Chief Guests. Engagement between college and alumni has been beneficial on multiple fronts.

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| 5.4.2 - Alumni's financial contribution | Ε. | <2 | Lakhs |
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GOVERNANCE, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

6.1 - Institutional Vision and Leadership

6.1.1 - The governance of the institution is reflective of an effective leadership in tune with the vision and mission of the Institution

Vision : To be a centre of excellence and eminence by imparting comprehensive education to develop a young generation physically, mentally, intellectually, and ethically; promoting the holistic growth of its stakeholders; and contributing to the transformation of society through continuous innovation in education, research, and creativity.

Mission: Our mission is to achieve academic excellence through innovative teaching and learning practices, to provide a context of learning that enhances professionalism, humanism and social responsibility, to ensure learner-friendly, progressive and democratic ambience. With the able guidance of the Governing Body, the Principal takes decisions and delegates responsibilities to faculty and staff for effective and efficient functioning of the college to realise its set goals. The faculty members are delegated responsibilities through staff council committees. Vision and Mission of the college is in focus while planning college and society activities. Faculty and students are encouraged to organize and join respectively short term courses aimed at capacity building, employability and imbibing human values. The IQAC assists the principal in formulating policies to ensure the college is imparting quality education and procedures are established for transparent and smooth administration. Teachers are encouraged to organize as well as participate in refresher courses, conferences, seminars, workshops etc to update their knowledge in their respective fields.

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6.1.2 - Effective leadership is reflected in various institutional practices such as decentralization and participative management

•Dhenkanal Autonomous College follows a bottom up approach in all its governance and policy making.

•Principal and Administrative Bursar meet students, faculty and staff on a regular basis. The administration facilitates everything with a positive attitude within the stipulated rules and regulations for smooth functioning of the college.

•Staff council meetings are held frequently on matters related to curriculum design, research and other academic as well developmental activities, and decisions are made which are communicated to the appropriate higher authority.

•Whenever required, the administration makes an on the spot visit and assessment to come to a quick decision. The administration tries to build confidence of its stakeholders in its leadership and listens to grievances on a regular basis.

•Distinguishing faculty as senior or junior is done away with, and many young faculty members are given the opportunity to lead departments and other college affairs independently. •Students are allowed to take part in departmental seminars and other administrative committees. Students are becoming members of their stream based society and they are conducting cultural events throughout the academic calendar that include Fresher's party, College fest, Farewell and many more.

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6.2 - Strategy Development and Deployment

6.2.1 - The institutional Strategic/ Perspective plan has been clearly articulated and implemented

The long term goal of the college is to emerge as a centre of excellence in terms of teaching, learning and research activities involving students from the less-privileged community and society. The institutional Strategic plan is effectively deployed.

•All efforts are being made to create a pleasing and conducive academic ambience to attract meritorious students for higher studies. The strategic plan of the college is planned so that the college can develop and strive towards success in a systematic manner.

•The integration of Information, Communication and Technology (ICT) based pedagogy in the teaching learning process had been successful. Most of the classrooms now have Wi Fi facilities available.

•A number of scholarships, fee waivers are available for the students of economically backward sections, for equal and equitable opportunity, so that lack of funds or poverty never stands as an obstacle to pursue higher studies.

•In order to encourage research, teachers are provided with all infrastructural facilities and funding through different agencies. Teachers are encouraged to undertake consultancy projects and involve in collaborative research with other institutions of eminence.

•Several training programs and workshops are organized for the employees in order to develop their professional efficiency.

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6.2.2 - The functioning of the various institutional bodies is effective and efficient as visible from the policies, administrative set-up, appointment and service rules, procedures, etc.

The activities of the Dhenkanal Autonomous College are effectively managed by its well-defined functional units.

•The establishment office is responsible for the day-to-today general administration, planning and implementation. It also deals with appointment, promotion, salary, superannuation, and service rules relevant to different categories of employees as laid down by the State Government. Promotion of teachers under CAS are being implemented as per the relevant UGC Regulations.

•The Finance section takes care of all financial aspects such as preparation of budgets, salary, income tax deposits, all kinds of payments, project funding, etc. Procurements are done through GeM in order to maintain transparency. The HRMS software platform is being used to handle all external financial transactions for efficient recordkeeping and traceability.

•The Examination section plays a very crucial role in the conduct of examinations, results processing and timely publication of results. The examination section is headed by the Controller of Examinations, and is assisted by two deputy Controllers, and a number of support staff.

•The Academic Council is responsible to ensure smooth conduct of teaching and learning processes of all departments in the campus.

•IQAC of the college is an important body , it has been set up as per UGC guidelines. It is helping college administration to formulate, maintain, regulate and control different policies of the college for the best interest of students and faculties.

•Several committees are framing policies for various activities like, student discipline, Anti-Ragging, Sexual Harassment, admission, purchase, development, grievance redressal and others.

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| 6.2.3 - Implementation of e-governance in | E. | None | of | the | above |
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6.3 - Faculty Empowerment Strategies

6.3.1 - The institution has effective welfare measures for teaching and non-teaching staff and avenues for their career development/ progression

Every year, the performance of the teachers is adjudged through an annual appraisal system wherein through a prescribed format a teacher submits his/her academic achievements in terms of teaching and research outputs, upgradation of professional skills through orientation programs, refresher courses, faculty development programs, research guidance, research publications, organizing and participation in workshops, conferences etc., as well as involvement in curricular & extra-curricular activities. This is evaluated by the Principal of college, Commissioner and Director of Higher Education Department.

•The College contributes funds for the employees GPF/CPF/NPS and group insurance.

•Dhenkanal Autonomous college has formed Staff Club of teaching staffs with a purpose to promote friendly sphere and holistic approach in workplace. It conducts idea exchange, cultural programmes periodically, ceremony of welcome and farewell to teaching staffs, facilitation to achievers as well.

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6.3.2 - Number of teachers provided with financial support to attend conferences / workshops and towards payment of membership fee of professional bodies during the year

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6.3.3 - Number of professional development / administrative training programmes organized by the Institution for its teaching and non-teaching staff during the year

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6.3.4 - Number of teachers who have undergone online/ face-to-face Faculty Development Programmes during the year: (Professional Development Programmes, Orientation / Induction Programmes, Refresher Courses, Short-Term Course, etc.)

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6.4 - Financial Management and Resource Mobilization

6.4.1 - Institution conducts internal and external financial audits regularly

All the financial transactions are regularly audited by a group of internal Auditors and records are maintained after their satisfactory report. He conducts periodical visits to the college and examines all books of records and financial statements.

•The Auditor ensures that the Accounts branch of the college maintains the books in strict compliance with the guidelines of CAG. The whole process of auditing involves a careful scrutiny of the balance sheet of the college along with receipts and payments of the respective year. Any query, questions raised by auditors are promptly dealt and addressed.

•Permission is secured from the principal for all upcoming expenses which is submitted to the accounts branch for release of funds. Emphasis is placed upon e-payment wherever feasible. After documentary evidence in the form of invoice, vouchers or receipt duly compiled in the form of an expense statement is submitted.

•Committees/societies/ departments forward their yearly budget and activity proposal for approval from the concerned departments and the Governing body of the College.

•Thus, efforts are made to maintain transparency in the financial procedures and spending as per the laid down norms.

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6.4.2 - Funds / Grants received from non-government bodies, individuals, and philanthropists during the year (not covered in Criterion III and V) (INR in lakhs)

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6.4.3 - Institutional strategies for mobilisation of funds and the optimal utilisation of resources

Dhenkanal Autonomous College receives funds from different funding agencies such as World Bank, UGC-RUSA, and Higher Education Department of the State Government under different infrastructure development projects.

•The college also offers self-financed courses to mobilize funds to undertake different developmental activities.

•Alumni also contribute to support specific projects of the college .

•The available infrastructural resources such as office space, buildings, equipment, and all other facilities within the campus are used optimally, ensuring that the available resources are never underutilized.

•Efforts are constantly being made to incrementally augment new infrastructure in terms of buildings, scientific labs, library facilities, expansion of internet connectivity, hostel facility etc.

•Collaboration with industry and different private organizations are also being planned to create resources for common use and to

support research activities.

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6.5 - Internal Quality Assurance System

6.5.1 - Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has contributed significantly for institutionalizing quality assurance strategies and processes visible in terms of incremental improvements made during the preceding year with regard to quality (in case of the First Cycle): Incremental improvements made during the preceding year with regard to quality and post-accreditation quality initiatives (Second and subsequent cycles)

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell is committed to its responsibility of ensuring quality in the academic activities of the college.

•IQAC conducts feedback surveys of various stakeholders like students, parents, alumni, employees to ascertain their level of satisfaction about working environment, course curriculum, usefulness of seminar library, teaching quality , infrastructure and learning resources available in the college. The feedback is analysed by the college IQAC team.

•It has its representation in all academic bodies of the college to suggest quality aspects to be incorporated while framing syllabi, rules and regulations, policy adoption, etc.

•It keeps track of the performance of students in various examinations and suggests remedial measures wherever necessary.

•It evaluates the academic performance of teachers which plays an important role during career promotions.

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6.5.2 - The institution reviews its teaching-learning process, structures and methodologies of operation and learning outcomes at periodic intervals through its IQAC as per norms

Dhenkanal Autonomous college has appointed qualified teachers and supporting staff against vacancy for smooth functioning of teaching and other works.

•A number of communication skill development programmes have been added in CBCS curriculum like certificate course on Sanskrit Language, Diploma in Sanskrit Language under Non Formal Sanskrit Education Centre, communicative English for UG students.

•We have upgraded 14 more classrooms with LCD projection and recording for uploading the classes on different E-platforms .

•College has communicated to the Higher Education Dept. Govt. of Odisha regarding recruitment for physical education teacher (P.E.T.) for promotion of sports activities in campus.

•College has encouraged teaching staff to apply for major and minor research schemes of UGC to promote research culture in the institution.

 $\cdot \mbox{College made all efforts to introduce life, soft and need based skill programmes .$

•We have made special arrangements in boys and girls hostels on several aspects including quality food supply, opening of reading room facility , maintenance of hostel building and infrastructures for the convenience of inmates.

•We have developed a badminton and volleyball court in the boys and girls hostel campus. We have opened one open gym.

•College building is maintained by the public works department, Govt. of Odisha. For all PG courses available in our institutions , we have feeder programmes at UG level.

•Alumni Association of the college is regularly visiting college

campus to review and suggest developmental works , coming under their purview of the college.

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| 6.5.3 - Quality assurance initiatives of the institution include Regular meeting of the IQAC Feedback collected, analysed and used for improvement of the institution Collaborative quality initiatives with other institution(s) Participation in NIRF Any other quality audit recognized by state, national or international agencies (such as ISO Certification) | | B. Any 3 of the above | | |

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INSTITUTIONAL VALUES AND BEST PRACTICES

7.1 - Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

7.1.1 - Measures initiated by the Institution for the promotion of gender equity during the year

In the college administration, women are well represented in senior functionary positions. In this way, our college is promoting gender equity in campus through observation of days conducting seminars on gender sensitivity issues and opening sexual harassment cell .

•Female students of college exceed the number of male students.

Dhenkanal Autonomous College is taking enough measures to build confidence among female students. .

•Some of the reasons for high enrolment of female students can be attributed to the safe and secure campus and affordable residential facilities, 24 hour security in the Ladies hostels, access to a rich library with both physical resources, a democratic teaching learning-mentoring system and a highly motivated faculty who induce ambition in them.

•The college believes in gender equity and has an encouraging number of female non-teaching and teaching staff apart from the large number of female students.

•College has created career opportunities for girl students in NCC Airforce, NSS wing, NCC army and YRC.

•We celebrate National and International Girl Child Day, Women's Day, Mothers' Day, Yoga day, Law Day and other women related awareness campaigns and programmes like seminars and workshops where the Chief Guest is generally a woman of repute.

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| 7.1.2 - The Institution has facili alternate sources of energy and conservation: Solar energy plant Wheeling to the Grid Se energy conservation Use of LE power-efficient equipment | l energy Biogas ensor-based | D. Any lof the above | | |
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7.1.3 - Describe the facilities in the institution for the management of the following types of degradable and non-degradable waste (within a maximum of 200 words)

The college has emphasised on setting up of solid and liquid waste management practices separately.

•All departments are keeping dustbin in their premises and promoting waste management with involvement of students.

•We have made arrangement for collection and dumping dry solid waste into waste tanks. Dhenkanal Municipalities authority is collecting the waste and transporting it to district waste recycling centre.

•Hence, at present modern methods of recycling and reuse are in process and will soon be implemented. We are going to start a new project on solid waste recycling called "waste to wealth" through commencement of vermicompost unit campus.

•E-waste such as old electronic items in non-working condition , old computer systems, batteries of inverters, xerox machines, printers, cameras, old analytical instruments have been collected from the Departments and office and are disposed of periodically as per safe environmental practices and regulations.

•Organic wastes, such as dry litter, shred leaves, kitchen wastes are being composted at residential level scales for use in gardens.

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| 7.1.5 - Green campus initiatives include | |
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| 7.1.5.1 - The institutional initiatives for greening the campus are as follows: | B. Any 3 of the above |
| Restricted entry of automobiles Use of bicycles/ Battery-powered vehicles Pedestrian-friendly pathways Ban on use of plastic Landscaping | |

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7.1.6 - Quality audits on environment and energy undertaken by the institution

| 7.1.6.1 - The institution's initiatives to preserve and improve the environment and harness energy are confirmed through the following: | Α. | Any | 4 | or | all | of | the | above |
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| Green audit Energy audit Environment audit Clean and green campus recognitions/awards Beyond the campus environmental promotional activities | | | | | | | | |

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7.1.7 - The Institution has a disabled-friendly and barrier-free environment: Ramps/lifts for easy access to classrooms and centres Disabled-friendly washrooms Signage including tactile path lights, display boards and signposts Assistive technology and facilities for persons with disabilities: accessible website, screen-reading software, mechanized equipment, etc. Provision for enquiry and information: Human assistance, reader, scribe, soft copies of reading materials, screen reading, etc.

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7.1.8 - Describe the Institutional efforts/initiatives in providing an inclusive environment i.e. tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal, socio-economic and other diversities (within a maximum of 200 words).

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The institute in its vision, mission and policy adopts equal and equitable education to all and the upliftment of the underprivileged.
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•College works conscientiously towards ensuring inclusiveness from the perspective of minority, gender, differently abled and economically weaker sections.

•Inclusiveness in Class rooms is ensured by addressing the challenge of diverse group of students. All students are encouraged to participate and express their point in an environment of mutual respect and tolerance for diversity.

•The physically disabled and visually challenged faculty and nonteaching employees and students are accommodated with utmost care and respect. We allow scribes for physically challenged students during examinations whenever it is requested.

•We celebrate Sashtriya Odia Bhasa Diwas and National Sanskrit Day by Odia and Sanskrit departments respectively. We observe all national and international days such as International Day of physically challenged persons, International Women's Day, Science Day, Vigilance Awareness Week, Environment Day, earth day, Yoga Day, Good Governance Day, Independence Day, Republic Day, Gandhi Jayanti and many others.

•In many such functions, we invite guests from various categories of society irrespective of religion, caste, creed or gender. We do not try to invoke any particular religion based prayers, but encourage and support all religious festivals.

•YRC and NSS units are promoting cultural exchanges programme among students in campus.

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7.1.9 - Sensitization of students and employees of the institution to constitutional obligations: values, rights, duties and responsibilities of citizens:

The constitution of India provides us with many prerogatives, but with responsibility. In addition to constitutional obligations, students are imparted with ethics and value system, to be upright, honest, hardworking and sincere in their attitude, studies and at work. •Fellow feeling and national duties with patriotism are the virtues that the students are inculcated with by various programs, teaching-learning, eminent speakers talking, NSS and NCC activities..

•We aim to focus our attention on improving education levels of women, persons with varied disabilities, and economically weaker sections.

•We realize the importance of creativity, innovativeness, scientific temper and self-reliance as important tools of knowledge and wealth generation.

•The college does provide an intellectual and vibrant ambience for being creative and innovative.

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| 7.1.10 - The institution has a profixed of conduct for students, teacher administrators and other staff a periodic sensitization programmeregard: The Code of Conduct is the website There is a committer adherence to the Code of Condorganizes professional ethics prostudents, teachers, administrate staff Annual awareness program Code of Conduct are organized for the code of | rs, and conducts mes in this s displayed on ee to monitor uct Institution rogrammes for ors and other mmes on the | | |

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7.1.11 - Institution celebrates / organizes national and international commemorative days, events and festivals

The institution constantly strives to create awareness in the students by observing all national and international days such as ,Science Day, Vigilance Awareness Week, Environment Day, earth day, Yoga Day, Independence Day, Republic Day, Gandhi Jayanti etc.

•NSS unit of the institution observed Swatchha Pakhwada , Gandhi Jayanti and Clean India Programme, Rastriya Ekta Diwas, World AIDS day, Poshan Abhiyan Programme, National Girl Child Day, World No Tobacco Day etc while conducting series of students awareness seminars, meetings , rallies and others .

•NCC unit of the college organised Natural Disaster Reduction programme and Swatcha Bharat programme as well.

•All the three Units of College like NSS, YRC and NCC organised Fit India Freedom Run 2.0 so as to mainten fitness and promote awareness on healthy society free from anxiety, obesity and other diseases.

•NSS unit conducted district level leadership training programme along with district level debate/ song/ dance competitions.

•Subsequently, Professional studies department organised International Womens' day in college while felicitating all women staff as well as invited Odia lady singer as chief guest of the occasion.

•We celebrate Sashtriya Odia Bhasa Diwas and National Sanskrit Day by Odia and Sanskrit departments respectively.

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7.2 - Best Practices

7.2.1 - Provide the weblink on the Institutional website regarding the Best practices as per the prescribed format of NAAC

Best practices I . Green Campus

Sustainable environment impacts students live positively. Dhenkanal Autonomous College is making intensive effort to protect, conserve and sustenance of natural resources.

Objective :

To promote eco-friendly practices, all departments have developed floral garden in front of their respective departments.

NSS wing of college has developed herbal garden with medicinal plants.

Volunteers of NCC, YRC and NSS have created a front facing green landscape in campus. It inculcate spirit of environmental care among students

College has developed rain water harvesting project.

Best Practices II . Dhenkanal Autonomous College Staff Club

It is a forum of all teaching staff of the college to conduct idea exchanges and cultural programme periodically. It creates holistic approach among staff towards the workplace.

Objective:

To enable friendly and effective interaction in the workplace.

To improve the performance of team members with a sense of

belongingness .

To foster harmony among staff, the club conducts picnic, song and musical programmes.

To encourage staff to celebrate achievements of all staff members, It conducts welcome and farewell ceremony of its members .

To encourage research in the field of academics, staff club felicitates the member, who received PhD award and other research projects.

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7.3 - Institutional Distinctiveness

7.3.1 - Highlight the performance of the institution in an area distinct to its priority and thrust (within a maximum of 200 words)

On time graduation is a major success of college.

•Students are scoring high in national entrance as well as bagging awards in state level Hockey Champion, Shooting Champion in best 30 of State and many more.

•Dhenkanal Autonomous College adopt student-centric administration for bringing paradigm shift in the landscape of knowledge management .

•We organise a number of seminars to update knowledge of students and staff.

•Extracurricular activities of NCC, NSS and YRC units are matter of glory as students and volunteers are bringing laurels to the institution.

•We arrange series of remedial classes specially for the upliftment of weaker students.

•Application of advanced technology in teaching methods like smart room, LCD projectors and other modernised tools encourage faster learning of students.

•We stress on communication skills development courses for enhancement of employability of students.

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7.3.2 - Plan of action for the next academic year

Dhenkanal Autonomous College is working to conduct more workshops and seminars on different emerging issues addressing students interest

•Student exchange programme

•Attempts to maintain ragging free campus.

•Automation of library and examination

•Multidisciplinary workshop and conference.

•Opening of new PG courses in Mathematics, Odia, Physics, Chemistry, Philosophy, Sanskrit, English, Zoology, Economics .

•Attempt to proper solid waste management in college campus

•To start rain water harvesting project.

•To add Skill development programmes in the curriculum for better employability.

•To conduct several soft skills programme.

•Faculty members are being encouraged to get funding projects relevant to the societal needs of the locality, especially the rural community .

•To upgrade existing classrooms for E-enabled teaching.

•To emphasize on cleaning and sanitation inside the campus

•Beautification of corridors with different slogans and new

gardening area.

•Opening of new self-financing courses like Biotechnology, MSC computer Science, MSW as demanded by students and alumni.

•Upgradation of auditorium with HD sound system.

•Installation of smart notice boards at different points for ensuring fast and paperless communication between management and students.