

ANNUAL COLLEGE REPORT

GOVERNMENT COLLEGE BAROTIWALA GLIMPSES OF THE SESSION 2024-25



"The Purpose of education is to build a strong character with deep values, a sense of responsibility, and the ability to think critically". A.P.J. Abdul Kalam



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Echoes of Achievement and Visions of Tomorrow

Principal's Reflections: Charting a Path of Excellence and Growth

As we bring another remarkable academic year to a close at Government College Barotiwala, I am filled with a profound sense of pride and gratitude. This Annual College Report is not merely a summary of activities; it is a narrative that encapsulates our collective commitment to academic excellence, innovation, and holistic development.

Our students have exemplified resilience, creativity, and enthusiasm throughout the year. Their participation in various academic, cultural, and extracurricular activities—ranging from vibrant club initiatives, competitions to community outreach programs—has not only enriched their personal growth but also brought accolades to our institution. Their achievements are a reflection of their hard work and the unwavering support of the staff members.

The tireless efforts of our esteemed faculty members and administrative staff deserve special recognition. Their dedication in creating an environment of learning, inclusivity, and curiosity has been the cornerstone of our success.

This report unfolds the story of a year filled with challenges that were met with determination, milestones that were achieved through perseverance, and a vision that was shared by all. As we look forward to the upcoming academic year, I am confident that we will continue to reach new heights, embrace new opportunities, and set even higher standards of excellence.

Thank you for your dedication, support, and belief in the values that make Government College Barotiwala a beacon of learning and growth.

Best wishes for a year of greater success and fulfilment.

Dr Anjori Sharma
Principal

Vision and Mission of Government College Barotiwala

VISION

‘विद्ययामृतश्नुते’ The vision statement of our college truly exhibits the real meaning of education which aims at “attainment of divine elixir through education”. College aims at providing excellent educational opportunities to students while equipping them with knowledge skills in their chosen streams and providing opportunities for students to realise their full potential and thus shape them into future leaders, entrepreneurs and above all responsible global citizens

MISSION

तस्यैतपो दम कर्मति प्रतिष्ठा By focusing on the three essential pillars of education—discipline,

harnessing the mind’s potential, and fulfilling one’s duties—the mission aligns with the vision of empowering students to become innovative leaders who contribute positively to a rapidly changing world. Our mission supports the above vision by committing to the holistic development of students, emphasizing critical thinking, effective communication, and creativity within a safe and supportive environment. In meeting the needs of our demographically diverse students, we uphold the values of equality, integrity, and accountability, aiming to shape students as socially responsible citizens who respect gender equality, human rights, and ecological sustainability. We prepare students to adapt to the global landscape and pursue diverse career paths, nurturing their creative potential and encouraging critical thinking.

Overview of the College Landscape

- Government College, Barotiwala came into existence through HP Govt. notification EDN -A- Kha (1)-1/2015 dated 29 May 2015. It became functioning on 10 June 2015 with the beginning of the academic session 2015-16.
- The college was functioning at Government Senior Secondary School Barotiwala for almost 7 years. The new campus building was inaugurated in September 2022 by the then Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Jai Ram Thakur in Buranwala, Barotiwala. The classes became functional from April 2023 at new building after inauguration of classes by Hon'ble CPS Sh. Ram Kumar Chaudhary.
- Presently, the college provides education in Arts and Commerce streams with the help of well qualified, experienced and committed teaching staff. The programmes are being run in accordance with H.P. University, Shimla guidelines and directions of the state Government.
- The college has a total number of 12 sanctioned posts in teaching faculty and out of these 01 is lying vacant. In non-teaching staff the college has 11 sanctioned posts and out of which 08 are filled and 03 are lying vacant.
- Dr Tripta Sharma, Associate Professor in Hindi Department retired on 31st May 2024 .Her dedication and contributions were applauded and she was honoured for her invaluable service to the institution and the department.
- Dr Shyam Singh Thakur joined the Hindi Department of College on 30th July, 2024.

- Dr Isha Dhiman, Department of Commerce joined Govt .PG College Nalagarh and Dr Vaishalee Singh joined GC Barotiwala on 2nd August 2024 in the Commerce Department.

Academic Excellence

Academics in college creates a platform for practical application, critical thinking and holistic development of students.

Our students have shown invariably positive results in University exams and have consistently exhibited academic improvement. During the year 2023-24, a total of 319 students were enrolled, out of which 100 were boys and 219 were girls. In B Com 2 and 3, as well as B A 2 and 3, the results were 100%. Total pass percentage of the whole college students was 85.19%, more than 20% students secured "A" grade.

Sr. No	Class	Total	Pass	Fail	Pass Percentage
1.	BA 1 st	77	56	21	72.72%
2.	BA 2 nd	30	30	0	100%
3.	BA 3 rd	43	43	0	100%
4.	B Com 1 st	59	41	18	69.49%
5.	B Com 2 nd	30	29	01	96.66%
6.	BCOM 3 rd	31	31	0	100%

Athletic and Sporting Ventures

Sports and games serves as a platform for students to develop essential life skills such as teamwork, leadership, discipline, and resilience. Through participation in various sports and athletic events, students not only enhance their physical fitness but also develop a spirit of healthy competition and sportsmanship.

The much-awaited Annual Athletic Cum Sports Meet 2024-25 of Government Degree College, Barotiwala, was held with great enthusiasm and fervour on the 20th and 21st of December 2024.

Day 1: 20th December 2024

The first day began with a March Past by the students, showcasing discipline and unity. This was followed by the Oath Taking Ceremony, where participants pledged to uphold the spirit of sportsmanship. Dr Anjori Sharma officially declared the meet open, signalling the beginning of the events. Excitement filled the air with the Kabaddi Match and Cricket Match, which saw active participation from students and vibrant support from the audience.

Day 2: 21st December 2024

The second day focused on track and field events, including the thrilling 100m, 200m, 400m, and 800m races. The field events—Long Jump, Shot Put and Discus Throw—displayed the students' determination and talent. The meet concluded with the Prize Distribution Ceremony, where winners were awarded for their outstanding performances.

The following table shows the results of the Annual Athletics cum Sports Meet:

Sr. No	Games	1 st Position	2 nd Position	3 rd Position
1.	100 mtr Race Girls	Nikita	Roshni	Archana Yadav
2.	100 mtr Race Boys	Shashi	Uttam Kumar	Vikas Kumar
3.	200 mtr Race Girls	Nikita	Roshni	Sheetal
4.	200 mtr Race Boys	Pramod	Mohd Kaif	Mridul
5.	400 mtr Race Girls	Nikita	Rajni	Sakshi
6.	400 mtr Race Boys	Nirmal	Pradeep	Sukhwinder
7.	800 mtr Race Girls	Reema Kumari	Meena	Sukhveer
8.	800 mtr Race Boys	Nirmal	Yogesh	Vishal
9.	Long Jump Girls	Nikita	Sukhveer	Bittu
10.	Long Jump Boys	Mohan	Pramod	Yogesh
11.	Shot Put Girls	Pushpa	Sukhveer	Sheetal
12.	Shot Put Boys	Mohit	Mukesh	Vikas
13.	Discuss Throw Girls	Sukhveer	Pushpa	Nilu
14.	Discuss Throw Boys	Mukesh	Mohit	Lavish

Nirmal was declared Best Athlete in boys and Nikita was declared Best Athlete in girls. Two teams Uttam Syndicate And Lavish Strikers participated in the cricket match in Uttam Syndicate won the match. There were two teams of Kabbadi out of which team B won the Match.

Winners received their well-deserved accolades and cheers .



IQAC

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell under the able supervision of Dr Vaishalee Singh is putting efforts in planning, guiding and monitoring Quality Assurance (QA) and Quality Enhancement (QE) activities of the colleges. IQAC is developing and applying quality benchmarks for academic and administrative activities of the institution. The departments conduct and carry out the activities as per the institutional procedures. The IQAC has also brought improvement in strategies in facilitating the learner-centric environment towards quality education and faculty development.

SAR (SELF ASSESSMENT REPORT SESSION 2023-24)

Government Degree College Barotiwala employs a robust Internal Ranking System to evaluate and improve its academic and administrative performance. This system is structured around seven key criteria to ensure continuous improvement, academic excellence, and holistic institutional development. By emphasizing accountability and sustained growth, the college aligns its operations with the evolving demands of higher education.

The Directorate of Higher Education, HP, initiated an Internal Ranking of Himachal Pradesh State colleges, where 7 criteria were set up having different scores and every college was asked to prepare an Internal Self-Assessment Report (SAR), which was further to be inspected by a Cluster level committee. Dr Vaishalee Singh played a pivotal role as the overall coordinator for SAR, ensuring seamless execution and effective leadership.

A team of Cluster level committee visited our college on 21-11-2024 for physical verification of SAR under the chairpersonship of Dr. Sunita Sharma, Principal, GC Arki.

SAR- Score Awarded to the college by the Cluster Level Committee was as follows:-

1. Teaching Learning 84/140
2. Student Support, Services and Progression 124/280
3. Infrastructure & Resources 104/160
4. Institutional Management 147/220
5. Best Practices, Innovation and Institutional Distinctiveness 36/80
6. Faculty Profile & Research Activities 29/100
7. Miscellaneous 26/120

Total Score 550/1100

The College secured 32nd position out of 66 colleges among Tier – 3 institutions in the state highlighting our dedication to academic excellence and commitment to continuous growth.

The Committee recommended enhancing transparency in communicating students' academic performance, increasing awareness of scholarship schemes, and implementing comprehensive record-keeping practices for institutional activities. Additionally, the committee suggests expanding industry collaborations and organizing placement drives to improve student employment opportunities.



National Service Scheme (NSS)

National Service Scheme popularly known as NSS, the scheme was launched in the Gandhi centenary year, 1969 and was aimed at developing the personality of students through community service . The college has 100 volunteers for the NSS unit in the current year 2024-25 as per the guidelines given by Himachal Pradesh University. Guided by the strong leadership of the NSS Program Officer Prof Krishna Prakash and Office Incharge Mr Naveen the unit drives impactful initiatives during the session 2024-2025:

1. Celebration of “Har Ghar Tiranga” (August 14, 2024)

The NSS Unit of Government College Barotiwala commemorated the Har Ghar Tiranga initiative with various activities. An introductory session was conducted for newly inducted volunteers, followed by an awareness rally within and around the campus to emphasize the significance of the national flag. Additionally, a plantation drive under the Ek Boota Maa Ke Naam campaign, an initiative by the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, was undertaken to promote sustainability. The event concluded with the singing of patriotic songs to celebrate the spirit of nationalism.

2. Creation of a Wall Magazine (August 31, 2024)

NSS volunteers showcased their creativity and social awareness by developing a Wall Magazine featuring diverse themes such as Save the Earth, Road Safety, Ek Boota Maa Ke Naam, Importance of Yoga, Independence Day, and Nature. This initiative aimed to disseminate important messages among students, and the efforts were well appreciated by faculty and peers.

3. Discussion on “The Role of Teachers in a Changing Environment” (September 4, 2024)

On the occasion of Teachers' Day, the NSS Unit organized a discussion emphasizing the evolving role of educators in the digital age. NSS Coordinator Prof. Krishna Prakash elaborated on how teachers are no longer just knowledge providers but also mentors and motivators.

Dr. Anupama Pathak highlighted the importance of value-based education, while Mr. Naveen stressed discipline as a key factor for success.

4. Awareness Program on International Ozone Day (September 16, 2024)

In collaboration with the Research and Innovation Cell, the NSS Unit conducted an awareness session on International Ozone Day. Students delivered speeches on the importance of ozone conservation, while Prof. Krishna Prakash and Dr. Anupama Pathak elaborated on the scientific aspects of ozone depletion and preventive measures. The event witnessed the participation of over 100 students.

5. Poster-Making Competition on “Swachhta Hi Seva” (September 17, 2024)

To promote cleanliness and environmental consciousness, a Poster-Making Competition was organized under the Swachhta Hi Seva campaign. More than 25 students participated, showcasing their artistic expression and commitment to cleanliness.

6. NSS Day Celebration (September 24, 2024)

The NSS Unit marked NSS Day with cultural performances, including Natti, Bhangra, Gidda, solo dances, and patriotic songs. A thought-provoking play on Save the Girl Child was performed by volunteers, emphasizing the importance of gender equality and female empowerment.

7. Campus Cleanliness Drive (September 28, 2024)

As part of Swachhta Hi Seva Pakhwada, the NSS Unit, in collaboration with Rovers & Rangers, organized a one-day special camp to clean the college premises. Volunteers took a cleanliness pledge and actively participated in clearing classrooms, offices, corridors, and outdoor spaces. The drive also involved plastic waste collection and bush trimming.

8. Fire Safety Awareness Program (October 15, 2024)

A Fire Safety Awareness Program was conducted by the Disaster Management Committee in association with the Baddi Fire Station. Fire Officer Mr. Hemraj and his team demonstrated fire-fighting techniques, the use of fire extinguishers, emergency evacuation procedures, and preventive measures. The program educated around 150 students on fire hazards and disaster preparedness.

9. Motivational Talk (October 23, 2024)

A Motivational Talk was organized featuring Inderpal, a BA final-year student selected for the Indian Army, and alumnus Shashi Kant, now a successful entrepreneur. They shared insights on perseverance, hard work, and gratitude toward mentors. Faculty members also encouraged students to pursue their goals with determination.

10. Reel-Making Competition on Chhath Puja (November 7, 2024)

To celebrate Chhath Puja, a Reel-Making Competition was conducted, focusing on the cultural and religious significance of the festival. Students from Bihar, Jharkhand, and Uttar Pradesh participated enthusiastically. The winners were Uttam (BA III), Priya (BCom III), and Jyoti (BA II).

11. Vigilance Awareness Week and Declamation Competition (October 28 – November 3, 2024)

In collaboration with the State Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Bureau, a Declamation Competition was held on Nation's Prosperity Through a Culture of Integrity. Twelve students, including participants from Government College Nalagarh, delivered speeches on ethical behavior, accountability, and national development. Inspector Sachit Kalia addressed the gathering, highlighting the role of vigilance in governance.

12. World AIDS Day Awareness Rally (December 2, 2024)

To mark World AIDS Day, NSS volunteers organized an awareness rally to educate the community about HIV/AIDS, its prevention, and the importance of reducing stigma. The rally was aimed at promoting responsible behavior and healthcare awareness among students.

13. Orientation on Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue (December 3, 2024)

An orientation program on Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue – National Youth Festival 2025 was conducted. Students were introduced to the four stages of the festival, with a special emphasis on the Viksit Bharat Quiz. PowerPoint presentations were used to ensure clarity, and links to the quiz were shared to encourage participation.

14. Seven-Day NSS Special Camp (December 29, 2024 – January 4, 2025)

The Seven-Day NSS Camp focused on Youth for My Bharat and Youth for Digital Literacy and involved 48 volunteers. The daily schedule included yoga sessions, fieldwork, and awareness campaigns. Volunteers engaged in campus cleaning, pothole filling, road safety awareness, and plastic waste disposal. The camp also featured guest lectures on life skills, discipline, and women's rights.

A significant initiative was the adoption of Ward No. 3 of Barotiwala Panchayat, where an eye check-up camp was conducted, along with community interactions and cleanliness drives. Cultural evenings and traditional games fostered camaraderie among participants.

The camp concluded with a valedictory ceremony, where volunteers shared their experiences, and mementos were distributed as a token of appreciation. NSS Program Officer Prof. Krishna Prakash commended the volunteers' dedication to social service, emphasizing the transformative impact of such initiatives.

These NSS activities reflect the unit's commitment in creating social responsibility, environmental sustainability, ethical leadership, and community engagement among students.



Road Safety Club

The Road Safety Club aims to cultivate a culture of responsible and safe driving practices among college students in Himachal Pradesh. By engaging students in educational and interactive activities, the club seeks to reduce traffic-related incidents and create a community that values road safety and adheres to traffic rules.

Under the adept supervision of Prof Pallavi Chauhan the club consistently achieves its objectives. Different activities were organised to raise awareness and promote a culture of safe driving:

1. The First Annual Orientation / Enrolment Meet of the Road Safety Club for the academic year 2024-25 was successfully held at on 31st August 2024. The event commenced at 1:30 PM in Room No. 001, with enthusiastic participation from students and faculty members. The key objectives of the Road Safety Club were thoroughly discussed during the orientation. The primary goals were outlined - Creating a Safer Environment, Making Himachal Accident-Free and Students were informed about various upcoming workshops and campaigns that the club will organize. The meet concluded with an open discussion where students shared their ideas and expressed their commitment to the cause. The orientation served as a solid foundation for the club's activities in the coming year, setting the tone for an active and impactful campaign on road safety within the college and the broader community.

2. Road Safety Club of Government Degree College, Barotiwala, organized a declamation / debate competition on 16th November 2024 at 11:30 a.m. in Room L2. The event saw enthusiastic participation of students, who showcased their critical thinking and speaking skills on topics related to road safety.

The debate and declamation competition under the Road Safety Club provided students with a platform to articulate their thoughts and raise awareness about road safety issues. Through critical discussions and persuasive speeches, participants enhanced their communication and public speaking skills while developing a deeper understanding of road safety rules, challenges, and solutions.

3. The Road Safety Club of Government Degree College, Barotiwala, successfully organized a Poster Making and Slogan Writing Competition on the theme "Road Safety" on 7th December 2024. The Poster Making and Slogan Writing Competition on "Road Safety" provided students with a platform to creatively engage with critical societal issues, creating awareness about traffic rules, safe driving practices, and accident prevention. Through active participation, students enhanced their ability to communicate impactful messages effectively, honed their artistic and linguistic skills, and developed a deeper understanding of their role as responsible citizens.

4. A quiz competition focusing on the theme of Road Safety was conducted on 26th December 2024 at 11:00 AM in Lecture Hall 2 (L2) of Government Degree College, Barotiwala. Five shortlisted teams participated in the event, showcasing their knowledge and awareness of road safety rules and measures. The competition was designed to promote awareness about responsible road behavior and the importance of safety on roads.

5. As part of the Road Safety Month observed by the Directorate of Transport in January 2025, an online essay writing competition was organized to encourage awareness about road safety. Given that January coincides with the winter vacation period in colleges, the competition was conducted in a virtual format, ensuring wider student participation. A total of 41 essays were submitted by students, reflecting their understanding of road safety measures and their commitment to responsible citizenship.

The competition provided students with an opportunity to engage in critical thinking and research on road safety, enhancing their awareness of traffic rules, accident prevention strategies, and the role of responsible driving behaviour in ensuring public safety. Additionally, the online format facilitated greater accessibility and flexibility, allowing students to participate from different locations without academic disruptions. This method also encouraged digital literacy, independent learning, and time management skills, reinforcing the effectiveness of virtual platforms in academic activities.



Career Guidance and Placement Cell

A Career Counselling and Placement Cell in a college serves the primary purpose of guiding students in choosing suitable career paths by assessing their interests, skills and aspirations.

At the same time the cell facilitates connections of students with potential employers through Industrial visits , Internships and Campus placement drives.

The career counselling and placement cell of Barotiwala College has been actively functioning as per the SOPs and guidelines set for the colleges and is thriving under the skilled supervision of Dr Suneela Sharma.

Following activities have been organised by the cell:

1. Registration of student- members for the session 2024-25. About 70 students from BA final year and BCom final year have been registered as members of the cell.

2. Industrial trip by our team for MOUs

The trip aimed to establish collaborative ties between Government College Barotiwala and local industries, fostering mutually beneficial partnerships.

Industries Visited:

1. Prime Steel Industries
2. Park Pharmaceuticals
3. Alive Health Care
4. National Laboratories
5. Biomagic Enterprise
6. Agrestal Organic Living India Pvt .Ltd.
7. Nirmal Spinning Mills

Key Insights

- Engaged in insightful discussions with industry representatives regarding potential collaboration avenues, including internships, workshops, and recruitment opportunities.
- Witnessed first-hand the operations and work culture of each organization, providing valuable insights for future partnership.
- Future Workshops: The company expressed interest in conducting career guidance workshops at our college.
- Industrial Trips: They were open to hosting our students for industrial visits to provide practical insights.
- Internships: Discussion on providing internship opportunities for our students.
- Recruitment: Potential participation in recruitment drives

3. Memorandum of Understanding for Industrial Collaboration for skill enhancement and employability with three Industries;-

- a) Vrindavan Ayurveda Chikitsalam, Baddi,
- b) Agrestal Organic Pvt.ltd,
- c) Nirmal Spinning Mills, Baddi

4. Invited lectures

There have been two invited lectures by experts in the fields of Media and literary writers so far and two more are in the pipeline:-

1. Communication and Income Generation through Radia, by Hardeep Chandpuri , Media personality.
2. Communication Skills: A Driving Force Behind Successful Career, a lecture by Professor Praveen Kumar, retired Principal.

5.. Knowledge sharing and Career Counselling Lectures

- a) Jio Associate Trainee Programme on September 26,2024.
- b) HCL Tech-BEE Early Career Counselling and Training Programme conducted by HCL Company on September 27, 2024.
- c) Wellness Industry and Career Opportunities, a lecture by team from Vrindavan Ayurveda Chikitsayam, Barotiwala on November 25, 2024.
- d) Think Global Act Local: Entrepreneurship Skills , a lecture conducted by team from Agrestal Organic Private limited on November 27, 2024.
- e) Textile Designing and Fashion Technology, a lecture by team from Nirmal Spinning Mills, Barotiwala on December 7, 2024.

6. Industrial visit to Vrindavan Ayurveda Chikitsayam by 31 students of the college on 18th December,2024.

The career guidance and Placement Cell remains committed to enhancing students' employability and preparing them for the competitive job market. Through strategic collaborations, skill development workshops and comprehensive counselling, the cell continues to empower students to achieve their career goals.



करियर काउंसलिंग और प्लेसमेंट सेल के छात्रों ने वृद्धावन चिकित्सालय का दौरा किया



हिनायल दत्तक ब्यूटी बरोटीवाला

राजकीय कलेज बरोटीवाला के करियर काउंसलिंग और प्लेसमेंट सेल ने अपने छात्रों के लिए वृद्धावन चिकित्सालय बद्दी का औद्योगिक दैरा आयोजित किया। इस दैरे का उद्देश्य छात्रों को स्वास्थ्य सेवा और कल्याण उद्योग के बारे में व्यावाहारिक ज्ञानकारी प्रदान करना था। इस दैरे में कुल 31 छात्रों ने भाग लिया, जिनके साथ डॉ. मुनीला और

■ स्वास्थ्य सेवा व कल्याण उद्योग के बारे में व्यावरणिक ज्ञानकारी की हासिल

प्रा. पल्लवी भी थीं। दैरे के दौरान, छात्रों को विभिन्न विधायों का व्यापक दैरा कराया गया, जिनमें घट आपस, विलिंग, कार्मिंग, बीटीकलेल, गार्डन, आयुर्वेद, ने चुरोपीथी, बेलनेस, थोग, फिजियोथेरेपी शामिल थे। छात्रों को इन विधायों के व्यापकांग के बारे में ज्ञानकारी

की गई। उन्हें वृद्धावन चिकित्सालय में उपलब्ध बैटरीलिंग अवसरों के बारे में भी जाना गया। डॉ. धर्मेंद्र लीशेपिंग ने छात्रों को समग्र स्वास्थ्य प्रवाजों के महत्व पर जोर दिया, जबकि डॉ. मोपाल ने स्वस्थ जीवन जीने पर एक जानवारीक अनुदियोग। वह दैरे पक समूह अनुभव था, जिसमें छात्रों को स्वास्थ्य सेवा बोत्र की परिचालन परिसीलनता और करियर के अवसरों की मूल्यवान समझ प्रदान की।



कॉ. बी.एन. : बरोटीवाला कालेज के छात्र सत के द्वारा जानकारी लीते हुए।

उद्यमशीलता कौशल पर सांझा की अंतर्रुद्धि

बरोटीवाला, 27 नवम्बर गया और उन्हें निर्देशित किया गया (ट्रावर)। द्वितीय कालेज बरोटीवाला कि बैजिक निर्मात में उड़ापियाँ कैसे के कानून काउंसलिंग और प्लेसमेंट अपना सकते हैं ये इस उद्योग के सेल ने एकाउटल ऑफिसिन लिविंग भौत पुरुषकृत नैवारों कैसे प्राप्त ग्राहन लिएपेंड बद्दी के प्राप्त कर सकते हैं। इस सत्र का उद्देश्य निदेशक राजीव शर्मा के साथ छात्रों को व्यावहारिक ज्ञान से सशक्त एंट्रीट्रिप सत्र आयोजित किया। बनाना और उन्हें व्यक्तिगत किकास

उन्होंने आधिकारिक क्षेत्रों में और सत्र विकास दोनों में योगदान सकारात्मक लिए। आवश्यक करते हैं आधिकारिक प्रधानमंत्री ने उद्यमशीलता की शैल पर बहुमूल्य के लिए ऐसी करना था। इस मौके अंतर्रुद्धि सांझा की। सत्र के दौरान पर प्रियोनि डा. अंबेगी शर्मा और छात्रों को बैजिक रूप उद्योग में करियर काउंसलिंग और प्लेसमेंट सेल के संयोजक मनूद रहे।

Discipline committee and Anti- Ragging cell

Discipline and Anti-Ragging Cell in a college is established to maintain order on campus, prevent incidents of ragging and address any disciplinary issues that may arise, by educating students about appropriate behaviour. The purpose of the cell is essentially creating a safe and respectful learning environment for all students.

The Discipline committee and Anti-ragging cell of Government College Barotiwalal lead by Dr Suneela Sharma took the following initiatives:

1. All members of the cell, taking random rounds and checks on the activities on campus.
2. Slogans highlighting the rules of Code of conduct for college students were displayed at the college entrance in Canteen outside girls common room and various strategic points in the college campus.
3. Notices about electronic surveillance and code of conduct were displayed in and around the college campus.
4. Students were directed to digitally register their oath against ragging on the digital platform provided by the H.P. state government.
5. Random checking of the cards of the students was conducted throughout the year to ensure that outsiders could not enter the college campus.
6. A Nukkad Natak was performed in the college campus on September 19, 2024, two sensitise, the students about the laws against ragging and ragging as a punishable offence in education, educational institutions. All the students took an oath against the practice of ragging

in the college after the performance of the play. Students displayed the slogans and charts prepared by them on this occasion.

Anti- Drugs Club / Drug Prevention Squad

Anti-Drug Club has been tirelessly working for several years, organizing awareness campaigns, lectures and counselling sessions to create a drug- free environment and promote students' overall well-being. The following activities have been conducted under the insightful directions of Dr Shalini Dharmani:

1. Formation of Anti-Drug Club

A student-led Anti-Drug Club was formally established on 02/09/2024, comprising 12 enthusiastic members. The club executive committee was elected for the smooth functioning of the cell.

2. Lecture on Anti-Drug Awareness

A guest lecture was organized in collaboration with Red Ribbon Club on 12/09/2024, featuring Sh. Suresh Kumar, a renowned expert in substance abuse prevention. The speaker delivered an engaging presentation, covering types and effects of commonly abused substances , drugs and risks of HIV/AIDS, risk factors and warning signs of addiction, strategies for resistance and coping mechanisms and available resources for support and rehabilitation.

Scholarship Committee

The scholarship committee under Dr Shishu Bala undertook various activities to create awareness among students. A special lecture titled "National Scholarship Portal (NSP) and Scholarship Schemes: An Introduction" was organized to provide an overview of available opportunities. Additionally, the scholarship committee delivered lectures in classrooms to further inform students about the available scholarship options. In academic session of 2024-25, a total of eight applications were verified under various scholarship schemes.

Rovers and Rangers

Our college has one unit each of Rovers and Rangers functioning under the competent guidance of Prof Visheshar Lal and Dr Niti Gupta.

The goal of the Movement is to help young people grow and reach their full potential in body, mind, social skills, and spiritual well-being. This includes becoming responsible members of society and making positive contributions to local and global communities.

The Rovers

The Rovers unit of our college has actively participated in a variety of activities during the academic session 2024-25, showcasing their dedication, discipline, and spirit of service.

1. Mock Drill on Fire Safety on 15/10/2024: A mock drill on fire safety was organized in

collaboration with the Disaster Management Committee. The event aimed to equip students with practical knowledge and preparedness to handle fire-related emergencies. On this occasion, a team from Fire Station Baddi visited the college and graced the occasion.

2. Nipun Testing Camp: Our Rovers enthusiastically participated in the Nipun Testing Camp held at the State Training Centre (STC) Rewalsar from 10/11/2024 to 14/11/2024. This camp provided them with an opportunity to enhance their skills and achieve higher proficiency in Rovering.

3. Pre-RDC Parade Selection Camp: A group of 5 Rovers represented the college at the Pre-Republic Day (Pre-RDC) Parade Selection camp at STC Rewalsar from 27/11/2024 to 01/12/2024. One of our students was selected for the State Level Republic Day Parade Preparatory Camp also.

4. State Level Republic Day Parade Preparatory Camp 2025: A proud moment for the college came when one of our Rovers was selected for the one-week Republic Day Camp (RDC) Parade 2025 held at Shimla from 20/01/2025 to 26/01/2025.



The Rangers

1. Under the Swachhta Pakhwada, on 30th September 2024 a one-day cleanliness drive was jointly organized by the NSS unit and the students of Rovers and Rangers in Government College Barotiwala. During this drive, the students cleaned the college grounds and all the departments and collected the garbage and disposed it off. The bushes around the campus were cut and the plastic and other garbage spread there was also collected.

2. Fire Safety Awareness Programme on 15th October 2024, which is Conducted In collaboration with Disaster Management Committee . A fire safety awareness program was organized by the Disaster Management Committee, NSS and Rovers and Rangers unit of Government College Barotiwala. On this occasion, a team from Fire Station Baddi led by Fire Officer Hemraj conducted a mock drill. Live demonstration of the use of fire extinguishers, demonstration of firefighting equipment and tools, simulation of emergency evacuation procedures, and practical training for students were organized. The program was aimed at educating students about the importance of fire prevention and safety measures. Students and all teachers participated in the program, which covered important topics such as common causes of fire, fire prevention measures, types and use of fire extinguishers, and emergency evacuation procedures. In this program, students of NSS and Rovers and Rangers participated in the mock drill.

3. On the occasion of World AIDS Day (1st Dec.2024), Rangers unit of conducted a meaningful awareness campaign. This initiative aimed to educate the community about HIV/AIDS, its prevention, and the need to eliminate stigma associated with the condition. The students distributed informative pamphlets in areas surrounding the college campus and nearly residential localities. They engaged with residents by explaining the content, addressing misconceptions, and highlighting resources for support and care.

4. The Unit successfully organized a grand Food Fest on 23rd December 2024. The event was held in the college premises and witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, faculty, and staff. The fest featured a variety of food stalls offering diverse cuisines, from traditional dishes to modern delicacies, prepared by the students.

The Food Fest was not only a platform for showcasing culinary and organizational skills but also a celebration of teamwork and cultural diversity. It received immense appreciation from attendees, making it a memorable event.

5. The unit organized an Art and Craft Fest on 31st December 2024. The event showcased a variety of handmade art and craft items created by the rangers students.

6. Six Rangers cadets attended the State level Republic Day Parade Selection Camp at STC Rewalsar, from 26th November to 01st December,2024.



Red Ribbon Club

Red Ribbon Club is a movement started by the Government of India in Schools and Colleges through which, students will spread awareness over HIV/AIDS. The Red Ribbon Club at GC Barotiwala actively worked throughout the year to promote awareness about HIV/AIDS and health related issues under the proficient directions of Dr Ina. The club engaged students and staff at building a healthier and more informed community by conducting the following activities:

1. Club Enrollment and Orientation

The academic year began with a membership drive in August 2024, which saw enthusiastic participation from students. A total of 42 students were enrolled in RRC (Including president, Vice president, secretary and Joint secretary). To mark the beginning of the new academic year, the club organized its First Annual Orientation Meet on 30th August, 2024. The event provided an overview of the club's mission, objectives and activities. Students and members were introduced to guidelines provided by HPSACS and NACO and were encouraged to follow their official social media handles for updates and educational sources.

2. RRC-Training Sensitization / workshop

RRC Incharge of the college, Dr. Ina Rani, with two peer students **Attended RRC-Training Sensitization/ workshop** on 06-09-2024 at conference Hall , BMO Office Nalagarh, District Solan.

3. Workshop on HIV/AIDS and related health issues: Removing Myths and misconceptions

On 12-09-2024, a workshop was organized to observe International Youth Day. The workshop featured Ms. Anjana Sharma, ICTC counsellor Baddi, who delivered an insightful session on HIV/AIDS awareness and debunked common myths surrounding the disease. Mr. Suresh Sharma, project manager at Plan India NGO, discussed the critical correlation between drug abuse and HIV/AIDS, emphasizing prevention and rehabilitation. The event saw active participation from 102 students, fostering awareness and encouraging stigma-free discussions on these crucial health issues.

4. FLASH MOB/ PLAY

A flash mob/play and awareness campaign by RRC GC Barotiwala was organized on 23-09-2024 to observe International Youth Day at GDC Barotiwala campus and one in Barotiwala market (public place). The performance included a 5- minute dance routine, showcasing the importance of health awareness, safe practices and youth leadership.

5. REEL MAKING COMPETITION

In the month of October 2024 a reel making competition was organized as part of ongoing efforts to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS. The themes were: HIV Testing, Toll free Helpline 1097 and any other topic related to awareness on HIV/AIDS. Students were encouraged to create videos that were both informative and engaging. Entries were evaluated based on creativity, message clarity and on the basis of relevance. Sanjay singh stood first, Sujit kumar Sharma stood second and Uttam kumar, Priya kumari and Babita kumari stood third in this competition.

6. Pamphlet Distribution Activity:

On the occasion of World AIDS Day (01-12-2024) , a pamphlet distribution activity was organized by RRC GC Barotiwala. The members and students distributed informative pamphlets in areas surrounding the college campus and nearby residential localities. They engaged with residents by explaining the content, addressing misconceptions, and highlighting resources for support and care.

7. Information and Demo of Toll-Free Helpline 1097 and information about following the social media handles of HPSACS and NACO.

A session was conducted on 04-12-2024 to educate students about the AIDS Helpline 1097, which provides confidential support and guidance related to HIV/AIDS. A live demonstration of how to use the helpline was presented, showcasing the process of calling, the types of information available and the confidentiality maintained during the interaction. Students were guided on how to like and follow the official social media handles of HPSACS and NACO.

8. Walk with message on HIV

On 06-12-2024, the RRC GC Barotiwala organized a WALK WITH MESSAGE ON HIV as part of World AIDS Day Campaign. The walk aimed to spread the message of prevention, awareness and eliminating stigma associated with HIV/AIDS. Participants carried banners and playcards with messages like: Know your Status: Get tested , Stop Stigma: Spread Love, Prevention is better than cure.

Participants gathered in college campus after the walk to create symbolic Red Ribbon. Volunteers pinned red ribbons on students, faculty and staff to express solidarity and support for the cause.



Eco Club- Earth Bound

Located in the heart of an industrial area, our college stands as a beacon of hope amidst challenges of pollution and rapid urbanization. Though relatively new, our institution is firmly rooted in the rich ecological heritage of Himachal Pradesh. The surrounding beauty and biodiversity serve as both an inspiration and a call to action to address the pressing environmental challenges we face.

The Eco Club named "**EARTH BOUND**" – a platform dedicated to cultivating an eco-conscious culture within our college community is flourishing under the visionary leadership of Dr Vaishalee Singh. The Club has registered 52 students of the college by far in the year 2024-25 and serves as a beacon of environmental stewardship and inspires others to join in preserving the natural beauty of our region. The following initiatives were taken in this session:

1. TREE PLANTATION (2/08/2024)

In an initiative to contribute towards environment sustainability and green cover enhancement in our community, a plantation drive was initiated in collaboration with E & C Company LTD. on 2nd August, 2024 in the college campus.

2. AN EXTERNAL LECTURE ON "VULTURE CONSERVATION AND BREEDING" (01/10/2024)

To raise awareness about wildlife conservation and the critical plight of vultures nearing extinction, an external lecture was organized. The session featured experts from the Vulture Conservation Breeding Centre (VCBC) in Pinjore, Haryana.

VCBC, a collaborative effort between the Haryana Forest Department and the Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS), is dedicated to rescuing and preserving three endangered vulture species: the White backed Vulture, the Long-billed Vulture, and the Slender-billed Vulture. This vital initiative aims to prevent their extinction and ensure their survival for future generations.

3. SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROJECT (Dec, 2024)

As part of the HIMCOSTE project, our eco club has taken the initiative to manage the college's biodegradable solid waste. We have prepared a compost pit, where earthworms, solid waste of the canteen, rotten and dry leaves of the campus and cow dung fertilizer will be used to create organic fertilizers. The fertilizer so produced will be utilized to nourish the plants on our college campus.





Debate Club “Samvad”

Department of Political Science, and the Department of History of Government College, Barotiwala, established a debate club named "Samvad," functioning under the able guidance of Prof Krishna Prakash and Prof Visheshar Lal. The club aims to develop critical thinking and scientific temperament among students. On 26/10/2023 a debate on "*Pollution Problem and Solutions*" was organized under the aegis of the club.

College Wall Magazine “Expressions”

The magazine aims to offer students an open platform to express their creativity freely through articles, poems, photos, slogans, and posters. To oversee the publication process, an editorial board was formed. Prof Krishna Prakash and Prof Visheshar Lal play a key role in the activities of the Wall Magazine.

On August 31, 2024, the NSS volunteers of Government College Barotiwala demonstrated their creativity and social consciousness by designing a Wall Magazine featuring diverse themes of societal importance. This initiative aimed to foster awareness and engagement among students while providing a platform for artistic and intellectual expression.

The Wall Magazine, crafted using chart paper, encompassed a variety of significant themes, including environmental conservation (Save the Earth), road safety awareness, the tree plantation initiative (Ek Boota Maa Ke Naam), the importance of yoga, Independence Day, and nature. Each theme was carefully selected to reflect pressing social and environmental concerns, encouraging students to think critically and contribute positively to society.

This activity not only highlighted the creative abilities of the NSS volunteers but also reinforced their commitment to addressing key social issues. The initiative received widespread appreciation from faculty members and students, recognizing it as an effective medium for promoting awareness and fostering a sense of responsibility among the student community.

College E - Newsletter

This session the college launched the first biannual e-newsletter named “Reflections”, a platform dedicated to highlighting the dynamic activities, achievements, and milestones of our institution. This newsletter will be published twice a year, capturing the vibrant essence of our academic sessions.

Under the meticulous preparation and guidance of Dr. Anupama S. Pathak, Associate Professor, Department of English, the newsletter brings together data, reports, and photographs from various departments, cells, and committees. This newsletter serves as a testament to the efforts done by everyone and highlights the continuous strides we make towards excellence.

The inaugural edition covers events and accomplishments from July to December 2024, offering readers a comprehensive glimpse into the vibrant life at G.C. Barotiwala.

Electoral Literacy Club

At Government College, Barotiwala, the Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) was established with the aim of educating and informing students about elections, the electoral process, voter registration, voting patterns, practices, and issues in India. Prof Visheshar's able guidance propels the success of the club.

The Club organized a “Voter Awareness and Registration Drive” on 13/11/2024 .This initiative aimed to educate students about the importance of their voting rights and encourage active participation in the democratic process.

During the drive, numerous new voters were successfully registered online on the spot, ensuring their inclusion in the electoral roll. The event highlighted the significance of informed voting and empowered the youth to contribute to the nation's democratic framework.

The club remains committed in creating electoral awareness among students and preparing them to be responsible citizens of the country.

CSCA Elections

The elections of CSCA were held this year on merit basis. Total 28 members constitute the CSCA. Ashiya (President), Nikita (Vice – President), Akriti Kainth (Gen Secretary) and Sanjay Singh (Jt. Secretary) were elected to govern the body. The elections were conducted very smoothly under the adept leadership of Dr Anupama S. Pathak.

CSCA Oath Taking ceremony was held on 20th November 2024. Executive members and the Office bearers swore in to be the CSCA for the session 2024-25 and assured the students that they would be the voice of all and work for the betterment of college. The function was presided over by the Principal with all the staff members.

Parent Teacher Association (PTA)

The Parent Teacher Association plays a crucial role in colleges in promoting a collaborative and supportive educational environment between parents, teachers and the educational institution. D Shishu Bala oversees and ensures the smooth and effective functioning of the PTA with dedication and expertise.

A new executive of PTA was formed in Government College, Barotiwala on 13th October 2024, for the session 2024-25. The following members were elected unanimously to the Executive Body: 1. President. Sh Manoj Kumar Pandey 2. Sr. Vice President Sh Dharmender 3. Vice President Smt Kanchan 4. Secretary Dr Shishu Bala 5. Joint Secretary Sh Hari Singh 6. Treasure Dr Vaishalee Singh 7. Chief Advisor Kesar singh. 8. Members Dr Anupama Pathak, Prof Krishna & Dr Ina.

Old Students Association (OSA)

The Old Students Association serves as a formal organization of alumni, making connections between former students and their alma mater. The association aims to provide a platform for alumni to engage with the institution, share their professional experiences, and contribute to the development of the college community. Under Dr Ina's astute leadership. OSA continues to excel in creating academic excellence and support among graduates.

A General House Meeting of the OSA was convened on April 25, 2024. The primary agenda of the meeting was the election of the Executive Body of the association. The meeting was presided over by the Principal, Dr. Anjori Sharma, who also served as the patron of the association.

Following deliberations, the executive body of the Old Students Association (OSA) was elected unanimously as follows: Patron: Dr. Anjori Sharma (Principal), President: Amisha, Vice President: Vishnu Dutt Sharma, Secretary: Harish, Joint Secretary: Priyanka Mehta and Treasurer: Suraj

This newly formed executive body is committed to strengthening the relationship between alumni and the institution by organizing interactive programs, knowledge-sharing sessions, and initiatives for institutional growth. The OSA will continue to serve as a bridge between past and present students, fostering a sense of belonging and lifelong engagement with the college.

Women Cell

The role of Women Cell is to enlighten the women students and employees about their legal rights and to strive towards the empowerment of the women through the promotion of gender amity and programs concerning women welfare. The cell prospers under the exemplary mentorship of Dr Anupama Pathak.

Research and Innovation Cell

The Research and Innovation Cell serves as a dynamic platform to foster a culture of academic inquiry, creativity, and knowledge advancement. The cell is committed to promoting high-quality research and encouraging innovative practices among faculty and students.

Teachers are continually encouraged to attend refresher courses, FDPs, and training programs to stay updated with emerging trends in their respective fields. The cell also motivates educators to organize and participate in workshops, conferences, and research initiatives, thereby strengthening the institution's academic standing. Research and Innovation Cell steers and supports various cells and committees in the college, facilitating the seamless execution of activities and initiatives. Under the leadership of Dr. Anupama Pathak, the convenor of the cell, the Research and Innovation Cell remains committed to scholarly excellence, critical thinking, and a transformative research ecosystem within the institution.

The Cell organised an Awareness Program on International Ozone Day on September 16, 2024 in collaboration the NSS Unit . Students delivered speeches on the importance of ozone conservation, while Prof. Krishna Prakash and Dr. Anupama Pathak elaborated on the scientific aspects of ozone depletion and preventive measures. The event witnessed the participation of over 100 students.

Educational Excursion

An educational trip to Manikaran and Kasol was organized on 4th and 5th December with the objective of enhancing students' understanding of history, culture, and ecology through experiential learning. It provided students with a holistic learning experience that combined cultural, historical, and environmental education. By visiting significant sites such as the Manikaran Sahib Gurudwara, the ancient Shiv Temple, and the ancient Ram Temple, students gained a deeper understanding of India's rich religious and mythological heritage. Observing the natural hot springs offered insights into geothermal phenomena and their practical applications. Additionally, the nature walk along the Parvati River highlighted the importance of biodiversity and ecological conservation, while interactions with local communities exposed students to sustainable living practices and cultural diversity. The trip instilled values of teamwork, leadership, and interpersonal skills, making it an enriching academic and personal experience for all participants. A group of 48 students embarked on the trip, with Prof Pallavi and Prof Visheshar serving as faculty supervisors for the two-day excursion.



Infrastructural Development

As part of our ongoing commitment to enhancing the campus experience for students and staff, the College endeavours to take strides in infrastructural development. One of the most noteworthy additions is the inauguration of the new College Canteen, which officially opened its doors on 1st August 2024. It provides a comfortable and welcoming space where students, faculty, and staff can relax, interact, and engage in meaningful conversations outside the

classroom. The canteen also offers a variety of nutritious and affordable food options, ensuring that the dietary needs of our diverse college community are met.

Library

College Library serves as a centralized hub of information, providing resources, support and space for intellectual growth and development. The college has a library that is in progress and is evolving with the Librarian Mrs Kamlesh Sharma providing capable direction .The Library currently has 1355 books. The college subscribes 07 Newspapers, 07 Magazines and 01 Journal. 200 new books were purchased this year and 3 Acs were also installed in the library. In an effort to enhance the infrastructure and functionality of the college library, the following items have been procured:

1. Book Cases – 3 units
2. Almirahs – 5 units
3. Newspaper Stand – 1 unit
4. Magazine Stand – 1 unit
5. Notice Board – 1 unit
6. Table for Librarian – 1 unit
7. Tables for Students – 10 units

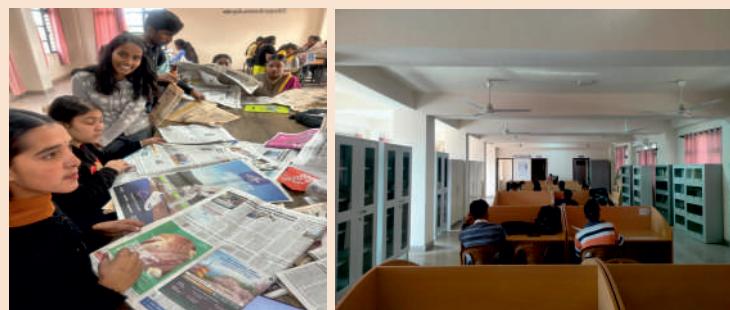
These acquisitions aim to improve the organization of reading materials, facilitate better access to resources, and create a conducive environment for both students and staff within the library.

Library Grading Report:

The library grading of Government Degree College, Barotiwala was conducted on 5th September 2024. A committee constituted by the Director of Higher Education, Shimla, carried out the evaluation. The committee members included:

- Dr.Rajinder Kumar Kashyap , Principal, GC Dharampur
- Dr. Rajinder Verma, Principal, GC Rajgarh
- Mr. Anil Kumar, Librarian

Following the evaluation, our college library was awarded Level I grading by the Director of Higher Education, Shimla.



Diverse Engagements

- **Orientation Program** for BA / B Com first year students was organised on 13th August 2024 to make them aware of the College rules, activities, Clubs, CBCS- UGC (RUSA) and other issues. Information about the scheme of courses for the award of Bachelor's degree in Arts and Commerce was given . Various other aspects like CSCA, , Anti -Drugs Club ,general rules of conduct, PTA, Swayam Portal ,College Magazine, Leave rules, Disciplinary issues, etc were introduced to students. The event aimed to familiarize the new students with the college environment, academic curriculum and the faculty members.

- **Hindi Diwas** -To commemorate the declaration of Hindi as an official language in India and to promote the use of Hindi, Hindi Diwas was celebrated in the college on 14th September, 2024. The students actively participated in Poetry Recitation, Essay Writing, Elocution and Slogan Writing Competition. Students from different classes unleashed their creative ideas on the Importance of Hindi language. The event helped to promote the importance of Hindi language and encouraged the students to take pride in their mother tongue.
- **Guest Lecture by Department of Commerce**- The Department of Commerce hosted a guest lecture on “Stress and Mental Health: Effective Coping Strategies,” delivered by Dr. Anviksha Jagota, MBBS, on October 11, 2024. The session was attended by students from both the Commerce and Arts faculties. Engaging and interactive, the lecture provided insightful tips on managing stress and fostering mental well-being.
- **Workshop By Department of Commerce**

In November 2024, the department organized a seven-day workshop on filing income tax returns for individuals and corporations, supplemented by YouTube-based lectures. This initiative aimed to equip students with practical knowledge and skills in tax compliance, covering key aspects of income tax regulations applicable to both residents and non-residents. Through a combination of interactive sessions and digital resources, participants gained a comprehensive understanding of tax filing procedures, enhancing their proficiency in financial compliance and regulatory frameworks.

- **Celebration of Constitution Day by the Department of Political science**

On the occasion of “Constitution Day” on 26 November 2024, a special awareness session was organized focusing on the fundamental principles and ideals enshrined in the “Preamble of the Indian Constitution”. The objective of this session was to develop a deeper understanding of constitutional values among students and faculty members of the college.

The program was graced by Dr. Anupama Pathak and Ms. Krishna Prakash, who extensively discussed the significance of the ‘Preamble’ and highlighted the core principles of ‘justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity’, which form the foundation of Indian democracy. They also emphasized the relevance of these values in contemporary times.

As well as during this session, “Mr. Naveen Singh”, the Nodal Officer of the “Electoral Literacy Club”, provided valuable information to students about the “voter registration process” and encouraged them to actively participate in the democratic system. On this occasion eight new voters were successfully registered.

At the end the students and faculty members” reaffirmed their commitment to the “Indian Constitution” by taking an “oath on the Preamble”. Through this oath, everyone pledged to uphold and protect the values and principles enshrined in the Constitution.

- **“Youth Parliament 2024” – A Discussion on ‘Uniform Civil Code in India: Issues, Challenges, and Opportunities” by the Department of Political science**

The discussion covered multiple dimensions of UCC, including its impact on ‘religious freedoms, gender justice, India’s diversity, personal laws, minority rights, and cultural coexistence’. Students actively participated in the debate, presenting diverse perspectives on whether UCC would create ‘legal uniformity or conflict with India’s

pluralistic traditions'.

The event concluded with an open-floor discussion, where students voiced their opinions and explored possible solutions to reconcile legal uniformity with cultural pluralism. The program provided an insightful platform for students to critically engage with an important constitutional debate, enhancing their understanding of contemporary legal and social issues.

Achievements Beyond Boundaries: Staff Accomplishments & Milestones

Dr. Anjori Sharma, Principal

1. Member of the committee that conducted a physical verification of the library resources and facilities of G.D.C. Rajgarh, G.D.C. Pajhota in the district of Sirmaur, GDC Arki, and G.D.C. Jainagar in the district of Solan, Himachal Pradesh from 02-09-2024 to 03-09-2024.
2. Successfully completed a five-day training program on Office Procedure and Financial Administration conducted by HIPA Fairlawns, Shimla, from October 7, 2024, to October 11, 2024.
3. Served as a member of the committee that conducted a physical inspection of Government College Nalagarh on October 26, 2024, to review the works done and purchases made using the RUSA Grant (2.0) worth .50 Crore.
4. Attended the Principals' Conference from November 30, 2024, to December 1, 2024, at Peterhof, Chaura Maidan, Shimla.
5. Performed the duties of subject expert in Sociology as part of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for the promotion under the Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) for Assistant Professors in Government Colleges of Himachal Pradesh from December 16 to December 18, 2024.



Dr. Shyam Singh

1. Participated in the *National Seminar on Hindi Drama and Research Methodology* organized by SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai on December 2-8, 2024.
2. Participated in the *National Webinar on Unleashing Your Inner Self in Expressing Art and Journalism* Organized by Gokul Global University, Gujarat, in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development on October 14-26, 2024.

Dr Suneela Sharma

1. Dr Suneela Sharma Associate professor, Department of English acted as a Resource person in the In- service training program for school lecturers in English on 17th September 2 024 organised by state Council of educational research and training, Himachal Pradesh, Solan, H.P W.e.f.16.09.24 to 21.09.24.
2. She presented a research paper titled-“ Future Dynamics of Artificial Intelligence in English” at the 18th International and 54th Annual Conference organised by ELTAI and jointly hosted by the Assam Global University, Guwahati w.e.f. 23rd October to 26th October 2024.
3. Dr Suneela Sharma served as a Chairperson for the Paper presentation session in the 18th International and 54th Annual conference of Eltai jointly hosted by ELTAI and the As sam Global University , Guwahati and Sonarpur College Assam.
4. A poem composed by Dr Suneela Sharma titled “On the Banks of Renuka”, was published in the book titled “Shrine songs on Temple tales “an Anthology of verses on Myths and Folklore of Himachal Pradesh edited by Abhyudita . G. Singha was published in 2024.

Prof Krishna Prakash

1. Attended six day faculty development programme online mode (16/12/24 to 21/12/24) organised by Internal Quality Assurance Cell of St. Bede's College, Shimla (NAAC Re-Accredited A Grade) on “Enhancing Quality Assurance in Higher Education: Insights into NEP 2020 and NAAC's Binary Accreditation Framework
2. Attended NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitisation Programme under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme University of Grant Commission from 12-23 December, 2024 on online mode organised by Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme Ramanujan College Delhi (Accredited A** by NAAC).
- 3.Attended one week faculty development programme (FDP) “e-Content Development and MOOCs” (14th - 18t January, 2025) organised by Maharaja Agrasen University (NAAC Accredited).

Pallavi Chauhan

1. Participated in the Refresher Course (RC-350) on Ecological Adventure Travel, Health, Hospitality & Cultural Tourism (ID) w.e.f. 02.09.2024 to 14.09.2024 UGC - MMTTC HPU Shimla.

2. Participated in 2 day International Conference on Digital Transformation & It's Impact on Business, Economy & Environment : Sustainable Development Goals held on 29 & 30 November 2024 & presented a paper entitled Decoding Patriarchy: Digital Perspectives on Feminist Resistance in The Color Purple, organised by Rabindranath Tagore Govt Degree College Sarkaghat Distt Mandi HP.
3. Attended one week faculty development programme (FDP) on "e-Content Development and MOOCs" (14th - 18th January, 2025) organised by Maharaja Agrasen University, under the aegis of Electronics & ICT Academy, NIT Patna.

Dr Ina Rani

1. Presented a paper in International conference on Exploring Climate Sustainability: Opportunities and Challenges, organized by S.D.W.G. Govt. College Beetan, Una, dated 26-27 July 2024.
2. Attended one day RRC Training/ Sensitization Workshop on 06-09-2024 at BMO Office Nalagarh, organized by Health and Family Welfare Department office of CMO Solan(HP)
3. Attended one day online workshop on E-Filing of ITR-2 (Excel Utility) on 21-09-2024 by Department of Commerce , Govt. degree College, Jawali, Distt. Kangra (HP)
4. Attended 12th NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme, organized by the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Shri Ram College of Commerce, under the MMTTPC of Ministry of Education, Govt. of India dated: 19-28th September 2024
5. Presented a paper in National conference on The Impact of Sustainable Tourism in a changing world: Challenges and Opportunities, organized by Arts and Commerce Department under the aegis of IQAC Cell, Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, Govt. Degree college Dharampur, Distt. Mandi (HP)
6. Attended a refresher course in Commerce and Management organized by UGC-MMTTC, University of Jammu in collaboration with Department of Commerce, University of Jammu. w.e.f. 18-11-2024 to 30-11-2024

Dr Niti Gupta

Attended 10 Days NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme w.e.f 28th August 2024 to 06th September 2024. MM- TTC : Ramanujan College Delhi.

Mr Naveen Singh

Attended 6 days in- service training program for JOA (IT) held at SCERT Solan from 29th July, 2024 to 3rd August 2024.

