

Institutional Distinctiveness (2022-23)

Holistic development of students

Government College Banjar is working with the higher aim of holistic development of students to groom them as socially conscious, professionally oriented, rationally humanistic and vocally expressive citizens of India.

The college has strength of 986 students (Girls 582, Boys 404), coming from diverse socio-economic strata and possessing varying levels of aptitude. They are pursuing different academic programs with diverse expected outcomes, and their future careers are dependent on their varying abilities and interest. The college provides learning in a systematic way to develop a natural aptitude in the students. Teaching-learning activities focus on providing the best possible knowledge to students in the chosen course to prepare them for their future careers. Multifarious co-curricular, extra-curricular, and extension and outreach activities are finely balanced with regular studies. The NSS unit, NCC wing, Rovers & Rangers, Eco-energy club, Eco club, women's cell, career guidance and placement cell, CSCA and the various subject societies are actively involved in the organisation of such activities for instilling a profound sensitivity among students towards their surroundings. The college maintains good infrastructure and ICT facilities.

Thus, an encouraging environment has been created for the overall development of the students so that they may become resourceful storehouses of knowledge with the motivation to work for the society, and to pass the acquired knowledge to the underprivileged sections of society as well as future generations.

The college works successfully in making qualitative higher education accessible to all socio-economic backgrounds, such that students from rural areas get equal opportunities. The students of different academic streams have imbibed sensitivity towards higher goals and have learnt to work in unison for social good. Extensive co-curricular, extension and outreach activities are held round the year, and the profound initiative in decision-making through the participative management practices of the college have shaped the students' personalities. Gender sensitization, equitable study environment, the balanced incorporation of different activities in studies and the functioning of teachers as preceptors and guides have helped in achieving holistic development of students. The success of the college students in academics, their enthusiastic participation in related activities, and growth as socially conscious and morally humanistic persons will go a long way in providing the country with a much needed and responsible human resource.

Web links:

https://gdcbanjar.edu.in/pdf/Annual_Report_2022_23.pdf

<https://gdcbanjar.edu.in/pdf/magazine2022-23.pdf>

Achievements/outcomes:

University Merit:

One student named Shaurya Sharma (Physics major) B.Sc. III year secured 1st ranks in the overall merit list of Himachal Pradesh University in the science.

National Level Examination:

Roll No	NET-JRF/JAM
HP08010199	Samriti Negi (Life Science NET)
HP10000005	Bandana Kumari (Life Science NET)
HP06000603	Mukesh Bhardhaj (Eng /NET)
HP04010731	Dimple Chauhan (Maths)
PH810A063	Shaurya Sharma (IIT-JAM) AIR 540

Number of students progressing to higher education during the year 2022-23

Name of student enrolling into higher education	Program graduated from	Name of institution joined	Name of programme admitted to
Yukta Thakur	B.Sc (Zoology)	H.P.U Shimla	M.Sc (Zoology)
Kanika Sood	B.Sc (Zoology)	Govt. P.G college Ghumarwin, Bilaspur (H.P.U affiliated)	M.Sc (Zoology)
Hutashan	B.Sc (Zoology)	Career Point University, Hamirpur	M.Sc (Zoology)
Shaurya Sharma	B.Sc (Physics)	IIT Mandi	M.Sc (Physics)
Priya Thakur	B.Sc (Physics)	S.P.U Mandi.	M.Sc (Physics)
Tajendra	B.Sc (Physics)	S.P.U Mandi.	M.Sc (Physics)
Naveen Bhamashi	B.Sc (Maths)	Central University of Himachal Pradesh	M.Sc (Maths)
Gavishti Negi	B.A (English)	Govt. College Kullu (H.P.U affiliated)	M.A (English)
Vinay Chauhan	B.A (English)	Regional Center Dharamshala, H.P	M.A (English)
Manisha Thakur	B.A (Pol. Science)	HPU Shimla	M.A (Pol Sci.)
Tanu Devi	B.A (Pol. Science)	Govt. College Kullu (H.P.U affiliated)	M.A (Pol Sci.)
Kajal	B.A (Pol. Science)	Govt. College Kullu (H.P.U affiliated)	M.A (Pol Sci.)
Nisha	B.A (Pol. Science)	Govt. College Kullu (H.P.U affiliated)	M.A (Pol Sci.)
Susham Lata	B.A (Pol. Science)	Govt. College Haripur, Manali (H.P.U affiliated)	M.A (Pol Sci.)
Isihita	B.Sc (Chemistry)	S.P.U Mandi.	M.Sc (Chemistry)
Jyotiraditya Thakur	B.Sc (Chemistry)	M.L.S.M Sundernagar, (affi. SPU)	M.Sc (Chemistry)

Pass percentage of Students during the year 2022-23

The results of outgoing classes of all faculties (arts, commerce and science) are much higher than the overall result of the affiliated university.

Year	Program Code	Program Name	Number of Students Appeared in the final year	Number of Students Passed in the final year	Pass Percentage
2022-23	N.A	B.A	196	140	71.4%
2022-23	N.A	B.Com	17	17	100%
2022-23	N.A	B.Sc	34	33	97%
		Total	247	190	77%

Clubs and Societies Achievements

1. Cadet Jyotiraditya and Yuvraaj secured first position in tent pinching competition in NCC 239 transit camp at pandoh
2. The NCC unit of the college also secured first rank in the culture competition in same camp
3. The college NCC unit was also declared overall best unit in ACT camp 235
4. NSS volunteer named Omrita attended state level pre-RD camp and North Zone Pre-RD camp at L.P.U Phagwara, Punjab.
5. NSS volunteer Naresh kumar and Himani Negi participated in national unification camp held Punjabi university Patiala (Punjab)
6. Rover, Khemraj, Ranger Himani Thakur and Veena Rai are selected for state level republic day parade.

Activities:

Name of the activity	Organising unit/ agency/ collaborating agency	Name of the scheme	Year of the activity	Number of students participated in such activities
Lecture on 'Vishv Guru Bharat'	NSS	Dr. Duni Chand delivered a lecture on 'Vishv Guru Bharat' as part of the Ghar-Ghar Tiranga Abhiyaan on 8 August 2022.	2022	200
Afforestation Drive	NSS	300 saplings of 'Rakhal' were planted in the college campus	2022	125

		on 10 August 2022 as part of an afforestation drive		
Prabhat Feri, Tiranga-Yatra and India's Cultural Heritage	NSS	Prabhat Feri, Tiranga-Yatra and programs on India's Cultural Heritage were organized as part of the Ghar-Ghar Tiranga Abhiyaan on 12 August 2022	2022	150
Lecture on 'Azaadi 2.0'	NSS	Mr. Ishan Marvel delivered a lecture on Azaadi 2.0 as part of the Ghar-Ghar Tiranga Abhiyaan on 13 August 2022	2022	120
Independence Day	NSS, NCC and Rovers & Rangers	Independence Day celebrations in the college campus on 15 August 2022	2022	520
Independence Day	NSS	18 NSS volunteers participated in sub-divisional level program for celebrating Independence Day on 15 August 2022	2022	18
Disaster Mock Drill	NSS and NDRF	NSS volunteers participated in a mock drill organized by NDRF on 9 September 2022	2022	110
Cleanliness Campaign for Hindi Diwas	NSS	A one-day cleanliness campaign was conducted by NSS on the occasion of Hindi Diwas on 14 September 2022	2022	128
Ozone Day	NSS	Ozone day was celebrated on 16 September 2022	2022	90
NSS Foundation Day	NSS	NSS Foundation Day was celebrated on 24 September 2022	2022	132

Awareness campaign and Cultural Program	NSS	Awareness campaign and Cultural Programs were organized on 26 November 2022 at Bala village, which was adopted by NSS unit.	2022	126
Pre-RD Camp	NSS	Volunteers Dheeraj (BA, II year) and Omrita (BSc, III year) represented the college in district-level pre RD camp at GC Panarasa on 28 November 2022. Omrita also went on to represent the college at state-level pre-RD camp and North-Zone pre-RD camp held at Lovely Professional University, Phagwada.	2022	2
Food exhibition, nutrition rally and cultural program	NSS	Food exhibition, nutrition rally and cultural programs were organized on 31 November 2022 as part of Nutrition Month	2022	180
Four-day national-level NSS program and training	NSS	16 volunteers participated in a four-day national-level NSS program and training conducted at Rajeev Gandhi Youth Development Institute, Chandigarh.	2022	16
Seven-day special residential camp	NSS	Seven-day special residential camp for NSS volunteers was held from 24 to 30 September 2022	2022	132

National Unity Camp	NSS	Volunteers Naresh Kumar and Himani Negi (both from BA, III year) represented the college at National Unity Camp held in Punjabi University, Patiala.	2022	2
Four-day National Conference in Leh	NSS and Ekikrit Himalayi Prayaas	Volunteers Tarzan Bharti and Usha Thakur, along with NSS Coordinator Dr. Sarwan Kumar, participated in a four-day national conference on environment and waste management held in Leh from 9 to 12 October 2022.	2022	2
Nipun Testing Camp	Rovers & Rangers	Rover Khemraj and Rangers Anjali Thakur, Neelam Devi and Shweta Thakur participated in Nipun Testing Camp held at State Training Centre, Rewalsar from 30 August to 4 September 2022	2022	4
Awareness campaign regarding Scouting	Rovers & Rangers	Awareness campaigns regarding scouting were held by Rovers and Rangers at GSSS Banjar, Manglor, Chanon and Balichowki during the month of September 2022	2022	36
Pre-RD Camp	Rovers & Rangers	Rovers Khemraj and Nikhil Thakur along with Rangers Anjali Thakur, Pawna Devi, Jaya Devi, Himani Thakur and Veena Rai participated in pre-RD	2022	7

		Camp held at State Training Centre, Rewalsar from 16 to 21 November 2022		
Agni Shaman Mock Drill	Rovers & Rangers, Agni Shaman Kendra Banjar	Rovers and Rangers participated in a disaster management mock-drill in November 2022	2022	29
RD Camp	Rovers & Rangers	Rover Khemraj and Rangers Himani Thakur and Veena Rai participated in RD camp held at Rajeev Gandhi Govt. College Kotshera from 18 to 27 January 2023. Thereafter, these students were selected for state-level Republic Day parade in Shimla.	2023	3
World Aids Day	Red Ribbon Club	Debate, Slogan-writing, painting, etc. competitions were organized as part of World AIDS Day on 1 December 2022	2022	276
Interactive session on 'Communication Skills in English	Career Counseling & Placement Cell	TEFL/TESOL trainer, Mr. Bhupesh Kumar conducted an interactive session on the topic of 'Importance of English Communication in Present Time' on 29 August 2022	2022	220
Website Development Program	Career Counseling & Placement Cell; SOUL Education and Welfare Society	Mr. Mahendra delivered a lecture regarding the career opportunities related to Website Designing on 12 October 2022. 20 Students registered for the ensuing two-	2022	166

		week workshop on web-development.		
Lectures on Civil Services Exams and Ikigai	Career Counseling & Placement Cell	Dr. Duni Chand and Mr. Ishan Marvel delivered lectures on civil services exams and 'ikigai' (finding one's ideal career/life path' respectively on 10 March 2023.	2023	175
Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyaan	Women's Empowerment Cell	Essay-writing, poster-making, painging, etc. competitions were organized as part of 'Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyaan' on 15 November 2022	2022	127
Health check-up and awareness camp	Women's Empowerment Cell	Led by Dr. Satish Chauhan, a medical team conducted blood group and haemoglobin tests for 150 students along with spreading awareness related to health and hygiene on 6 March 2023	2023	150
Lectures on Mental Health and Menstrual Hygiene	Women's Empowerment Cell; Regional Hospital Kullu	On 9 March 2023, Dr. Satyavrat Vaidya delivered a lecture on depression and mental health while Dr. Reema Ghai spoke about menstrual hygiene and awareness.	2023	245
Slogan-writing, poster-making and declamation competitions	Road Safety Club	Slogan-writing, poster-making and declamation competitions were organized on the subject of road safety on 11 March 2023	2023	134
Road Safety Program	Road Safety Club; DSP Banjar	A program on road safety was conducted	2023	260

		in the college on 23 March 2023 with DSP Banjar, Mr. Khazana Ram as the chief speaker		
Program on rapid action and disaster management	Disaster Management Cell, NDRF	On 9 September 2022, an NDRF team led by Inspector Mr. Shashi and SI Mr. Anil Kumar conducted a workshop and mock-drill related to CPR, Bleeding, firefighting, earthquake response, etc.	2022	288
Hindi Diwas	Hindi Department	Essay-writing, elocution, calligraphy and quiz competitions were organized as part of 'Hindi Diwas' on 14 September 2022. Dr. Duni Chand, Dr. Shravan Kumar and Dr. Leena Vaidya also read their original poems.	2022	210
Constitution Day	Political Science and Public Administration departments	Elocution, recitation, essay-writing, poster-making, painting and slogan-writing competitions were organized on 26 November 2022 to celebrate Constitution Day.	2022	245
International Archaeology Day	History Department	History students delivered presentations on various historical aspects on 15 October 2022. A quiz on historical events was also organized on the same day to celebrate International Archaeology Day.	2022	175

**Competitions by
Literary Society****Literary Society**

Elocution, recitation, essay-writing, poster-making, quiz, rangoli and sculpting competitions were organized on 7 September 2022 by Literary Society of the college.

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Students selected for Shrinivas Ramanujan Students Digital Scheme of H.P Govt

The eleven meritorious students from batch 2022 of the college were awarded laptop/tablets under Shrinivas Ramanujan Students Digital Scheme of H.P Govt.

Tablet distribution list of meritorious students during April 2022

Sr.No	Name of student	Father Name	Address	Roll No	Phone No
1.	Dipka Kumari	Sh.padam Singh	Vill. Khamrada P.O. Chether banjar	1190060067	98050-43985
2.	Nita Devi	Sh. Sohan Singh	Vill. & P.O. kot khamradha teh aut	1190060184	78070-76869
3.	Kuldeep Singh	Sh.Durga Singh	Vill-Thachadhar P.O Gadagusain Balichowki	2190060015	78078-08571
4.	Janvi Sharma	Sh. Mitter Dev Sharma	Vill.Sidhwan PO.Teh Banjar	2190060011	82195-17962
5.	Priyanka	Sh.Pal Singh	Vill.Seri P.O. Thachi	2190060032	70180-80010
6.	Nishant Thakur	Sh. Tek Chand	Vill . kathuan P.O.Chehani	2190060021	78761-74005
7.	Poonam	Sh.Desh Raj	Vill.Latipri P.O Bahu banjar	2190060026	86270-87285
8.	Lalita	Sh.Surender	Vill.P.O.Bahu banjar	2190060017	86290-03121
9.	Twinkle Thakur	Sh.Chuni Lal	Vill.Teel PO Bachhoot	3190060035	88944-79720
10.	Deepa Devi	Sh.Narotam Chand	Vill.sharai Po Manglore	3190060007	88949-12373
11.	Neha Thakur	Sh. Ram Lal	Vill.Konsha PO Deohari	3192120007	98058-20202


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