

SHREE GURU GOBIND SINGH JI GOVERNMENT COLLEGE ,
PAONTA SAHIB
ANNUAL REPORT 2020-2021

Established in the year 1994, Shri Guru Gobind Singh Jee Government College Paonta Sahib has earned its name after Shri Guru Gobind Ji ,the tenth Sikh Guru who sojourned here between 1685-1689.It is believed that he spent most of his time here meditating and experiencing spiritual bliss.He wrote many religious books here and then went to Anandpur Sahib to establish the Khalsa Panth .The Gurudwara houses a museum which contains antiques and weapons used by Guru Gobind Singh during his stay.

The college campus is spread over 16 acres of land in village Shubh Khera at a distance of 1.5km from the bus stand . The college has a large playground.The spacious and fully air conditioned library is equipped with more than 9000 books and has digital accessibility through N -List , funded by UGC as college component under UGCINFONETDigital Library Consortium. The campus is under CCTV surveillance and has Wi-Fi system for online connectivity. The college is affiliated to Himachal Pradesh University (HPU),Shimla and recognised by the University Grants Commission(UGC) of India, New Delhi. The college provides undergraduate degree courses in BA/B Com/BSc; professional degrees in BCA/PGDCA and post graduate degree in English ,Economics, Political Science, Hindi and Commerce.

The college achieved B++ grade in its first NAAC accreditation cycle for its quality oriented approach and potential for growth in Academic session 2016-17and received infrastructure grants of 1.5crores under RUSA .Three departments of the college in the science faculty namely Botany, Chemistry and Zoology have been awarded financial support under star college scheme of the Deptt. of Biotechnology,Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt of India.

2020-2021

Academic and Administrative Status

The achievements of an institution largely depend upon the Academic and administrative staff of that institution. An educational institution can grow by the united efforts of these two important pillars.

1). Detail of sanctioned posts: (Total 60)

S.No.	Posts/subject	Sanctioned post	Regular	Cont.	PTA	Vacant
1	Principal	01	01	-	-	-
2	English	04	04	-	-	-
3	Hindi	-	03	-	-	-
4	Sanskrit	01	01	-	-	-
5	Public Administration	01	-	-	-	-
6	History	01	01	-	-	-
7	Sociology	01	01	-	-	-
8	Political Science	01	01	-	-	-
9	Physical Education	01	-	01	-	-
10	Geography	-	01	01	-	-
11	Mathematics	02	02	-	-	-
12	Music (vocal)	01	01	-	-	-
13	Music (instrumental)	01	01	-	-	-
14	Physics	-	02	-	-	-
15	Zoology	-	02	-	-	-
16	Botany	-	02	-	-	-
17	Chemistry	03	01	02	-	-
18	Economics	04	03	01	-	-
19	Computer Science	-	-	01	-	-
20	Commerce	-	02	01	-	-

2. Office staff: The status of posts

S.No.	Posts/subject	Sanctioned Post
1	Superintendent (Grade II)	01
2	Senior Assistant	01
3	Librarian	01
4	Senior Lab Assistant/ Attendant	02
5	Junior Lab Assistant/ Attendant	03
6	Clerk	02
7	Store Keeper/ Clerk	-
8	Lab Attendant	02
9	Peon	07
10	Night Watchmen	-
11	Animal Collector	01
12	Tabla Instructor	01

3. Self financed Department (information Technology)

The department of information technology has been running in the college for the last twelve years on Self Financed business .The various parts of this department has been appointed on temporary basis.

The status of posts is as follows :

Sr.No.	Name of the post	Post filled (temporary)
1	Academic posts	02
2	Laboratory	01
3	Peon	01
4	Sweeper	01

Category wise students strength 2020-2021

Category	Boys	Girls	Total
Schedule Caste	204	246	450
Schedule Tribe	05	04	09
OBC	330	402	732
Different by abled	-	-	-
General	470	529	999
Total	1009	1181	2290

Academic achievement only the students of final year / semester who have completed the course / degree

Sr.No.	Class	Total (approved)	Passed	Pass %age
1	BA IIIrd year	303	274	90.4%
2	B.Sc. IIIrd year	71	59	83.09%
3	B.Com IIIrd year	60	50	83.3%
4	B.C.A.	30	24	80%
5	PGDCA	13	01	10%
6	M.A. English	04	01	25%
7	M.A. Hindi	09	05	55.5%
8	M.A. Economics	13	05	38.4%
9	M.Com.	17	15	88.2%

Students enrolled in 2020-2021 .

Faculty	Class	Boys	Girls	Total
Arts	B.A. 1 st year	187	252	439
	B.A. 2 nd year	265	336	601
	B.A. 3 rd year	106	197	303
Commerce	B.Com. 1 st year	66	66	161
	B.Com 2 nd year	81	81	238
	B.Com 3 rd year	29	32	61
	B.Com 3 rd year			
Science	B.Sc. 1 st year	66	78	144
	B.Sc. 2 nd year	87	87	174
	B.Sc. 3 rd year	19	76	71
Computer Science	B.C.A. 1	10	15	25
	B.C.A. II	20	12	32
	B.C.A. III	15	14	29
	P.G.D.C.A.	01	12	13
M. A.English2 nd Sem		Nil	04	04
		02	11	13
MA English 4 th sem				
M. A. Hindi IIsem		02	13	15
		Nil	10	10
MA HINDI IV SEM				

M. A. Economics II SEM		Nil Nil	04 02	04 02
N. MA Economics IV SEM				
M. Com.IISem		05	10	15
M Com IV sem		03	15	18
MA Pol.Science		02	11	13

Transfers/Promotions/Deputations/Superannuation

- Smt. Rekha Devi ,Asstt Professor(Hindi),Ms Bharati Asstt Professor (Physical Education) and Sh Naresh Batra Supt Grade II joined this college in this session.
- Sh. M.S.Gandhi Associate Professor (Physics),Dr Zafar Ali Asstt Professor (Physical Education), Sonia Mohil Asstt Professor (Sociology) and Sh Ashraf Ali ,Supt Grade II were transferred from the college.
- Ms Devendra Gupta Associate Professor (Hindi) superannuated in April 2021.

Academic Staff Achievements:

1). Rinku Aggarwal attended One Month Faculty Induction Programme conducted by UGC-HRDC, Shimla 12.07.2021 to 10.08.2021

2). Dr.Usha Joshi Sharma attended Two weeks's Refresher Course conducted by UGC-HRDC, Shimla from 14.09.2020 to 26.09.2020

Participated as speaker in one day National Webinar on Gender Equality and Women's Right organized by GURJAR Kanya Gurukul Mahavidyalya Devdhar, YAMUNANAGAR, Haryana on 15.02.2021

3).Dr. Pushpa Yadav attended four Week Induction/Orientation Programme for “Faculty in Universities/Colleges/Institutes of Higher Education” Organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, Univeristy of Delhi (Passed with A+ Grade)from 18.05.2021-17.06-2021

4).Dr. Dipali Sharma Bhandari attended Refresher Course on Indigenous Knowledge and Ethics conducted by UGC-HRDC, HPU, Shimla from 31.08.2020-12.09.2020

She also attended In Depth: an International 5- day E- Learning Workshop on Language, Literature and Theory organized by Department of English and Cultural Studies Panjab University Chandigarh from 06.06.2020-10.06.2020

Dr. Dipali Sharma Bhandari attended online course on "Readings from Indian Aesthetics"organised by NIAS, Bangalore from 17.08.2020 to20.08.2020

5). Dhanmanti Kandasi :Online FDP on Plant Developmental Biology of 4 weeks duration from Swaym NPTEL,IIT ROORKEE from14.9.2020-09.10.2020

Online certificate course on Environmental and occupational hazards of 12 weeks duration from Swaym IGNOU15.2.2021-30.6.2021

6).Dr Arun Kumar Dafraik attended A Multi Disciplinary International Workshop "A New World Order: Resilience and Reinvention" 18th to 24th December 2020

One Day Webinar on " Role of English Language and Literature After NEP 2020" organized by Grand Academic Portal and ELTAI-Shimla Chapter17th August 2020

Presented a paper entitled "Importance of Multilingualism as a New Normal" in Multi Disciplinary International Conference "A New World Order: Resilience and Reinvention" 25th to 27th December 2020

7) . Dr Sunil Kumar attended Online Refresher Course In Chemistry For Higher Education proctored examination held on 16.02.2020

Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College,University of Delhi

8).Kanta Chauhan attended One Month Faculty Induction Programme conducted by UGC-HRDC, Shimla 24/02/2021 to 25/03-2021

9).Inder Bhagat attended One Month Faculty Induction Programme conducted by SERET solan

10).Swami Nath Two weeks online refresher course in Economics from JNU 08/03/21 to 20/03/21

11) . Dr. Jagdish Chauhan attended an Online Workshop on "Assessment and Accreditation Process of NAAC" organised by Dhote Bandhu Science College and RUSA, Govt of Maharashtra on dated 15th June 2020.

Attended One Day National Webinar and Seminar on "National Education Policy 2020: Challenges, Suggestions and Implementation, organised by KDCGovt Degree College Jaisinghpur, Kangra (HP) on dated 29 March 2021.

Participated on Two Days National Webinar organised by IQAC Govt College for Women Madlaunda Panipat , Govt College Safidon (Jind) and Israna Panipat). on dated 28-29 April 2021.

Attended National Webinar on "NAAC Related Quality Enhancement & Assurance Strategies(With reference to revised guidelines) organised by Govt College Chamba (HP) on dated 30th September 2020.

Students Activities

NSS

- 5.06.2020 Plantation drive On the occasion of World Environment Day, The unit participated in plantation drive and planted 20 plants in college campus and also laid the foundation of NSS Vatika in the campus.
- 6.06.2020 One Day Plantation drive Plantative drive in collaboration with Rotary Club Paonta Sahib was organised in which 10 plants were got implanted in the college ground and campus.
- 07.2020 PLANTATION DRIVE Volunteers participated in plantation drive sponsored by Bharat Vikas Parishad Paonta Sahib . The drive was inaugurated by Honourable MLA Chaudhary Sukhram, Chairman, BVP. 15 Bouganville were planted adjacent to boundary wall alongwith 15 plants of Amla, Kachnaars in the ground.
- 13.08.2020 Independence Day Painting on wall with Messages and Beti Bachao, Beti padhao messages

- 24.09.2020 NSS Foundation Day as One day camp One day camp of NSS Volunteers was organised to paint the flower pots, clean the gardens in the Cleanliness drive along with the painting of wall with Messages on boundary walls adjacent to gate was organised. Moreover an inspirational talk on Gandhian Philosophy by Dr. Pradeep Distt. Forest Officer Nahan was organised online in which Principal Dr. Veena Rathour graced the chair with her presence
- 7.11.2020 College level Pre-RD Selection camp Two candidates were selected to participate in Distt. Level Pre-RD Selection camp.
- 9.11.2020 Distt. Level Pre-RD Selection Camp Four candidates were selected for participation in state level Pre-RD Selection camp to be held at GC Sanjauli on 12.11.2020.
- 08.03.21 Women's Day celebration the unit organised various cultural programmes including Kavi Sammelan, Group Song and solo song and dance performances. The female College teachers were facilitated by the College Principal with a rose stick.
- 26.03.2021 General House Volunteers were divided into several groups and different themes were given to them to work. e.g. Educate the Slum Children, Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao etc. The session included a motivational speech from Dr. Veena Rathour Principal of the college. Prof. Sulaxna Converner of Women Development Cell also addressed the students regarding women Empowerment.

Star College Scheme

Department of Biotechnology (DBT) has accorded the financial support of rupees 63 lakhs for three years to three department's viz.

Botany, Chemistry and Zoology of this college.

Objectives of Star College Scheme:

- To strengthen the academic and physical infrastructure for achieving excellence in teaching and training.
- To enhance the quality of the learning and teaching process to stimulate original thinking through ‘hands-on’ exposure to experimental work and participation in summer schools.
- To promote networking and strengthen ties with neighboring institutions and other laboratories.
- To conduct specialized training programmes for faculty improvement for optimizing technical capabilities.
- To increase capabilities of core instrumentation resources by procuring new equipment and upgrading of existing facilities.
- To provide access and exposure to students to research laboratories and industries in the country.
- To help in devising standard curricula and Standard Operating Procedures(SOP’s)/kits for practical.
- To provide better library facility to students and teachers.

Scholarships

A number of scholarships are available for the eligible and deserving students.

StateSponsoredScholarshipSchemes

- IRDP Scholarship Scheme
- HP University Scholarship
- Kalpana Chawla Chhatravriti Yojana
- Central Government Sponsored Scholarship Schemes
- Post Matriculation Scholarships for SC/ST students
- Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme to OBC students

- Maharishi Balmiki Chattravriti Yojana
 - Post Merit Scholarship Scheme for Students belonging to Minority Community
 - Post-Matric Scholarship for Students with Disabilities
 - Maulana Azad Scholarship for Girl Students
 - INBA Scholarship for NCC Students
 - INSPIRE Scholarship-for Science students
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Chaudhary SherJungMemorialScholarship: This Scholarship of Rs.2000/-per student(one girl and one boy student) from each faculty of Arts ,Commercea and Science is given to two meritorious students from economically weak families to encourage them.

Library

The College has spacious and fully air conditioned library that is equipped with more than 9000 books and has digital accessibility through N -List .

National Service Scheme (NSS)

The college has two NSS units. Aimed at developing student's personality through community service, NSS is a voluntary association of young people in Colleges, Universities working for a campus-community (esp. Villages) linkage.The programme aims to instilling the idea of social welfare in students, and to provide service to society without bias.

Rovers and Rangers

The college has one unit of Rovers and Rangers each.It is a voluntary non-political youth organization wherein students are trained to assist during natural disasters and ordinary life-situations. It helps its

members to have all-round development and become responsible individuals contributing to the society,nation and the world at large.

NCC

The NCC wing for Girls has been introduced in the college from the session 2020-21 onwards.Dr. Pooja Bhati is the NCC Officer of the Girls Unit.

SPORTS

Sports have taken many a stride where one can attain name and glory. In order to encourage students in this direction, our college provides facilities for indoor and outdoor games. Students are encouraged to participate in games of their preference and prepare for inter-college tournaments organized by Himachal Pradesh University to earn name and fame and establish themselves in sports also.

MENTOR CELL

The Students are encouraged to interact with their teachers regarding their problems which may be academic, non-academic or personal. Appropriate help and guidance are provided to cater to the needs of students. It is also an essential and integral part of IQAC.

BHANUJA :THE YEARLY PEREIODICAL

In order to encourage creative abilities among the students, the college magazine Bhanuja is published annually. It consists of a number of sections and each section has one staff & one student editor. Students are asked to contribute original authored poems,articles,stories,memories,experiences and soon giving it a literary tinge.It also exhibits a panoramic summary of year long activities in the form of pictography.

PAHAL :The Cultural Function

Preservation of cultural heritage gives strength to the society. The society in turn nurtures cultural programs with us to.Keeping in view the importance of cultural function,college celebrates cultural

festival in the form of a programme called PAHAL with great excitement. This provides a platform to students to exhibit their skills in cultural activities like dancing, singing and various other genres. During this function students prepare cultural activities like dancing singing and various other genres.

College Students Central Association:

The College Students Central Association is formed every year as per the rules laid down by Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla from time to time. Presently the selection for various posts of this association is done through merit i.e.in direct selection mode.

Parents Teachers Association

To encourage community participation in education Parent Teachers Association(PTA)under section 2.33to2.33.7 of the HP Education Code,2001,has been established.Itisanon-politicalbody for better coordination and interaction between parents and teachers forimprovementofacademicstandardsandinfrastructuralfacilitiesoftheco llege.

SELF FINANCING COURSES

Other than routine traditional faculties of Science, Humanities and Commerce the college has thrown open other important courses including BCA and PGDCA to cater to the needs of technologically fast growing society. These self-financing courses are under control of the college level Higher Education Institute Society(Regd.).

IGNOU Study Centre - 1133 G.C. Paonta Sahib is running various educational and vocational programmes.All IGNOU courses are recognized by the Govt.ofIndia &bythe UGC.No migration and no agelimit are required forIGNOU courses.