

## **Best Practice: -1**

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### **Best Practice 2023 – 24**

#### **1. Best Practice : Study Tour**

#### **2. Objective :**

- a) Biodiversity Study :
  - To observe and document various species of flora and fauna in different ecosystems of Mahabaleshwar and Kolhapur.
- b) Ecological Awareness :
  - To gain insights into the ecological significance of various habitats, including aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems.
- c) Practical Training :
  - To receive hands-on training in beekeeping and understand the importance of bees in ecosystems.
- d) Cultural and Historical Context :
  - To explore historical sites such as Panhala Fort and New Shahu Palace, linking ecological studies with cultural heritage.

#### **3. Context of the Tour :**

This comprehensive study tour aimed to enrich students' educational experience through practical exposure to biodiversity, ecology, and cultural heritage. By combining hands-on learning with historical insights, the tour provided a holistic view of the interconnections between humans and the natural world.

#### **4. Description of the Tour:**

The study tour is organized by the Department of Zoology & Research Center as part of a broader educational initiative to enhance students' understanding of biodiversity and ecology. Mahabaleshwar, known for its lush landscapes and diverse ecosystems, serves as an ideal location for field studies. The inclusion of sites like the Bee Keeping and Training Institute and Dr. Balasaheb Sawant Agriculture University highlights the practical aspects of studying ecology and biodiversity. Additionally, visits to historical and cultural sites in Kolhapur provide a comprehensive understanding of the interplay between nature and culture.

#### **5. Problems Faced :**

- Lack of Economic assistance for tour.

## 6. Supported Documents :



## **Best Practice: 2**

### **Department of Psychology**

#### **Best Practice 2023-24**

**1) Title of the Practice** - Counseling facility for students in all faculties.

**2) Objective of the Practice** -

- \* To know the psychological characteristics, of an individual
- \* To know the adjustment of the students in various fields of life
- \* To help the students in resolving their educational, social, emotional and health problem.
- \*To counsel for careers choice & personality development.
- \*To organize counseling sessions for students and parents.

**3) The Context** -

Our college students are comes for rural area. Students face various problems in his life. For example Lack of confidence, low level of adjustment, insincerity, dependency, study problem, no goal setting, mild stress & so on. The counseling cell that is run by the department of psychology. Members of this cell understands the student's socio-economic background, their educational, social, emotional & health problem and remedy them.

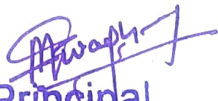
**4) Evidence of success** -

This department solves the academic and emotional problem. On 12/04/2024 "Bright Her Tomorrow", Mumbai an NGO conducted an aptitude test and counseling of 15 selected students of 10th standard from Ingalon, Rajur, Godhre, Sitewadi schools. On 17/08/2024 through this department, 30 students of "Success Coaching Classes", Junnar were counseling based on study habit and Intelligence test.

**5) Problems in countered & resources required** -

Parents do not bring their children, as there is no awareness about counseling in the society.



  
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