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# OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL KARANJIA AUTONOMOUS COLLEGE, KARANJIA DIST- MAYURBHANJ, PIN- 757037 (ODISHA)

(NAAC RE-ACCREDIATED-B) ESTD - 1964

# **BEST PRACTICE-I**

Title of the Practice:- <u>Education with balanced Environment through Mega Plantation Programme.</u>

Objective:-

A balanced Environment is very essential part for every developing countries in the World. As a responsible educational organization this institution has been taking suitable steps for maintaining a green environment within the locality.

#### Context:-

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Education/knowledge without a good environment is fruitless. Karanjia Autonomous College is situated near Similipal Bio Sphere and Tiger Reserve and the present status of this Bio Sphere is in a very alarming condition due to illiteracy of the tribal people of the locality. Hence it is highly necessary to preserve the National Park along with its expansion with planting more saplings.

#### Practice:-

This institution undertook for massive plantation of saplings within the locality for the last 03 years in collaboration with Divisional Forest office, Karanjia (under Forest, Environment and Climate change Department, Govt. of Odisha. This institution plants about five thousand saplings every year. This year the NSS Volunteers and some faculty members panted more than 5000 saplings in reserve forest, Ankura under Karanjia N.A.C.

#### **Evidence of Success / Outcome:-**

The outcome of the practice is that the student community who are future of the nation are directly involved in the Socio-academia and environmental thrust area to a remarkable increase of forestry within this locality. Now the college has already created a beautiful greenery in the village of Sarubali under Karanjia NAC by planting more than 5000 saplings in 2022 and this institution has also created a green environment at village Sukruli under Sukruli block by plating more than 5000 saplings in 2023. And more than 5000 saplings in reserve forest, Ankura under Karanjia N.A.C.

Sl No.	Programme	Venue	Date
1	Mega Plantation Programme	Ankura, Karanjia	04.08.2021
2	Mega Plantation Programme	Sarubali, Karanjia	05.07.2022
3	Mega Plantation Programme	Near Fire Station, Sukruli	06.07.2023
4	Mega Plantation Programme	Reserve Forest, Ankura	05.07.2024

#### Problems encountered and resources required:-

A number of problems are faced to protect the planted saplings due to lack of awareness among the local people and shortage of manpower to protect it. Financial resource is an important obstacle for this educational institution to make success of the plantation drive independently. So the college always look for a collaborative agency to help us for success of this massive campaign.

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# **BEST PRACTICE-II**

Title of the Practice:-

<u>Education with Social responsibility by organsing a Mega Health Checkup-Cum-EYE Camp (Cataract Surgery)</u>

### Objective:-

Good health is a vital requirement for a healthy society. To maintain it, this institution regularly organises mega health checkup camps in collaboration with different health care agencies like Mahatma Gandhi Eye hospital, Rasgobindpur, Bhumika Eye hospital, Jaraka including Sub-divisional headquarters hospital, Karanjia. The objective of this programme is to eradicate blindness from the tribal people.

#### Context:-

This institution can't achieve our target without a healthy society. As this locality is a tribal dominated one and about 65% people are tribals and illiterate, they are unaware about their health. They are always dependent upon their traditional method of treatment of diseases. After organising Mega Health Checkup camps remarkable changes among the people of this locality have taken place.

#### Practice:-

This institution has been practicing this method for last 04 years for the benefit of tribal as well as non-tribal people of this locality since 2020-21. About 400 hundred cataract surgeries were done in the health camps in phased manner. Now, the people of this locality are expecting us about the next date of mega health checkup camps.

## **Evidence of Success / Outcome:-**

The outcome of this practice is very encouragable and fruitful. About 300 Cataract Surgery with distribution of free glasses, free medicines among the needy patients have been done. The people of the village Ankura, Sarubali, Rasamtala and different wards of Karanjia NAC under Panchpir Sub-Division, Karanjia of Mayurbhanj district and some people of Saharpara under Keonjhar district have been benefitted by the health camps.

SI No.	Programme	Venue	Date
1	Mega Health Checkup-Cum- EYE Camp (Cataract Surgery)	Karanjia & Rasagobindpur	20.10.2021 to 04.11.2021
2	Mega Health Checkup-Cum- EYE Camp (Cataract Surgery	Karanjia & Rasagobindpur	13.10.2022 to 15.10.2022
3	Mega Health Checkup-Cum- EYE Camp (Cataract Surgery	Karanjia & Jaraka	01.04.2023 to 03.04.2023
4	Mega Health Checkup-Cum- EYE Camp (Cataract Surgery	Karanjia & Jaraka	29.10.2023 to 30.10.2023

#### Problems encountered and resources required:-

A number of problems were faced to conduct the Mega Health camp due to shortage of funds and unavailability of required number of attendants. Everything was managed by the NSS & YRC volunteers dedicatedly for the larger interest of the innocent, unaware tribal people. This Institution is always dependent upon the other health care agencies for smooth conduct of Mega health camps.

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Title of the Practice:- Introduction of Santali language as a major core and an elective subject.

## Objective:-

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Since tribal languages and cultures constitute an inherent part of Indian heritage in general and Odishan heritage in particular, the primary objective is to promote Santali language and literature and to preserve their cultural heritage. In view of it, the institution has introduced Santali Language as a new elective subject since 2021-22 and major core subject since 2023-24. Karanjia Autonomous College is the only institution in Odisha under MSCB University which has a department of Santali for the purpose of teaching at U.G. stage. The main objective of the department is to preserve, encourage & to publish literature in Ol Chiki scripts (Santali).

#### Context:-

According to UNESCO, many languages are on the verge of extinction from the world. Besides, STs constitute 22.85% of Odisha's population in general and 58.7% in Mayurbhanj district in particular. Therefore preservation of tribal languages in Odisha is very relevant. Besides, Santali has the Ol Chiki script and is included under Schedule VII of our Constitution. Before the introduction of Ol Chiki script, the Santalis used to write in various languages such as Odia, Bengali and Hindi. The real challenge is to publish them in Ol Chiki scripts and introduce Santali as a subject in U.G. stage for the larger interest of the tribal community.

#### Practice:-

The institution has already introduced Santali language as an elective subject since 2020-21 and as a Major Core subject since 2023-24. At present many tribal students are interested to take their admission in Santali subject. The institution recruited 02 Nos. Santali faculties to run the department.

## **Evidence of Success/Outcome:-**

The department of Santali of this institution is presently engaged in teaching Santali language at U.G. stage and at present about 13 students have taken their admission. More students are expected to take admission in Santali language from the next years.

### Problems encountered and resources required:-

The institution is facing a lot of difficulties to procure the qualified faculties through the recruitment process conducted by the institution. The institution is also facing several difficulties for evaluation of Answer scripts of the examinations by the external examiners. Apart from that, inadequate financial resources and lack of publication in Ol Chiki scripts are creating a vacuum to fulfill our aims and objectives.

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