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STAKEHOLDERS FEEDBACK REPORT
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The Internal Quality Assurance Cell of D.K.M. College for Women (Autonomous) collects centralised feedback from the students during every academic year. The feedback forms will be sent to the students, teachers, employers, parents and alumni, which helps the IQAC team to take necessary measures for the welfare of the students as well as college on the whole.

STUDENTS FEEDBACK ON CURRICULUM	
The institution collects feedback on curriculum aspects from different stakeholders such as students, alumni, parents and employers. Valuable suggestions given were considered for taking actions and were executed.	
Feed Back	Action Taken
Curriculum to include field exposure to have real time experience	Departments identified suitable places for industrial visits and field trips to get practical exposure. Internship in areas specific to give field exposure is also introduced. Historical studies and TTM have picked out places of historical and monumental importance for field trips.
Vibrant students-faculty interaction was requested.	19 smart boards were installed so that every department is equipped with one smart class

	room for ICT enabled interaction.
Students required reference books authored by foreign scholars. This would help them compare and contrast the learning standards followed in India.	Updated reference books were included in the revised curriculum by all the departments. URL links were also included for reference in the revised syllabi.
Group work involving reference and contribution were suggested by students.	Group projects were introduced as a skill-based paper and also optional paper for extra credit in many departments as a part of the curriculum. This would help the students in pursuit of higher education and research. Team building spirit is a necessity in every walk of life, be it personal or professional.
Suggested to give more hands-on training to develop skills in the respective subjects	Departments conducted workshops to give exposure to the students on hands-on training, Chemistry – soap making Zoology – Clinical Laboratory Training Commerce – Tally-9 Botany – Mushroom cultivation
Provision for extra credits was suggested	Extra credit for Internship, Certificate course, MOOC, NPTEL, mini projects, self study papers.
Suggested to include more additional subjects to meet the industry needs	Added many new courses like Business Ethics, Consumer Electronics, Nano Electronics
Suggested to conduct more awareness program, rallies, observing commemorial days	The college NSS taken incharge of organising various awareness program, rallies on special calendar and other commemorial days.
Suggested to organise diet counselling and	Department of Nutrition has undertaken

Psychological counselling	<p>providing diet counselling for staffs and students</p> <p>Department of Psychology established counselling centre to provide psychological support for staffs and students</p>
Suggested to organise many laboratory tests free of cost	Department of Biochemistry organises free vital health check up for all the staffs and students.
Food mela	Department of Nutrition and Department of Commerce conducts food mela for students and provide foods and beverages
Scope for enhancing students entrepreneurship	College organises “DKM Santhai” where the students hand made products, foods were marketed for low cost for the students.
More practical exposure is needed	Virtual site visits have been arranged and practical are conducted
Additional knowledge besides the syllabus and books is required	<p>The teachers encouraged students to register themselves for SWAYAM and Coursera.</p> <p>Students are encouraged to utilize library e-resources</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">ALUMNI FEEDBACK</p> <p>The alumni were content with the existing curriculum pattern, Emphasis can be given to hands on, capacity building and training programs are some of the suggestions of the alumni.</p>	
Employability skills may be improved	Redington, Campus Drive, Audacious foundation. The following courses is expected to increase the employability opportunities – Mushroom cultivation, Graphic and LOGO design workshop, model

	making and creative painting workshop, financial services.
More skill enhancement modules to be included	More skill-oriented courses in the form of skill based papers though Value Added Courses is being carried out.
An E-learning opportunity was suggested	Subscription to various journals. Databases like N-List and DELNET were introduced. Insisting the existing students to register for many online courses (free as well as paid).
Suggested to conduct coaching classes for NET/SET Examination	NET/SET Coaching classes for conducted during the weekends for PG students .
Students of History suggested the exposure on travel and tourism department	The students were taken on education trip to various places where archaeological contents are available.
Exhibition to be organised	Department of History took initiatives for arranging various historical exhibitions.
To include UGC NET syllabus in some papers	Department of English has included UGC NET paper for the post graduate students.
Focus on sponsored project	The number of sponsored projects has been augmented
More internship is needed	The efforts are being made to provide more opportunities of internship for the students. Internships have been made compulsory for final year UG & PG students.
Interaction with alumni is needed to know latest trends and recruitment system	Alumni meets are regularly organized at the department levels in order to provide opportunity to interact with students.

Campus recruitment training is needed from beginning of third year onwards	In order to provide campus recruitment training the reputed experienced persons from industry and academics are invited. These experienced persons provide the students with campus recruitment training. Opening school and closing school training is conducted for final year students.
More emphasis on basics of research during UG course of study	Mini- project is given as optional paper with extra credit during the VIth semester of all the courses. It is upto the departments to encourage the students to do project and gain knowledge.
It is to be noted that every Board of studies is constituted of an alumni as an integral part and thus the suggestions of the alumni are incorporated while framing the curriculum.	
<p style="text-align: center;">PARENTS FEEDBACK</p> <p>Parents meet is organised once in a semester to discuss the performance of their ward. The class teacher also orientates the parents on the activities, the training programs, placement drives, co-curricular and extracurricular activities that are arranged for the benefit of the students.</p> <p>Structured parents' feedback form is designed by the IQAC and the same is distributed to the class teachers. They in turn collect the feedback of the parents and utilise the suggestions for the advantage.</p>	
Pre placement training and mock interviews to be arranged	The career counselling and placement cell has come out with the scheme CATCH THEM YOUNG which incorporates both the requirements.
Parents wanted to encourage the students to read physical books rather than using technology for learning.	Pen drive, Foundation students were enabled with various interesting story books with picture in English department.

Training to be given to crack competitive exams	IAS Coaching class, NET/SET Coaching classes are conducted during every weekend for free of cost.
The parents are seeking different methodology of teaching for slow learners and advanced learners.	The college insist the departments to apply different methodology of teaching for advanced learners and slow members. To summarise the methodologies applied, most of the departments make advanced learners to publish journals, involve in sponsored project research, paper presentation and online courses and so on. The slow learners are motivated with additional special remedial classes other than college hours to show incremental growth gradually.
EMPLOYER FEEDBACK	
Specialized value addition course is needed in syllabus for skill orientation and personality development.	Value added courses for skill enhancement as per each programme were introduced. Special placement training is being conducted for a period of one week to all the final year UG students to face campus drive and other interviews..
Expert lectures of persons from industry will be helpful	The college is aware of the necessity of guidance persons from industry and therefore expert person from industry are regularly invited for guest lectures and to guide the students
Syllabus should give more focus on practical application	Audit courses are planned for commerce graduates. More emphasis on instrumentation, testing is provided for science graduates.
TEACHERS FEEDBACK	
Training is required for faculties	Faculty Development programs are regularly conduct in the college and teachers are

	deputed for training programs organized by other agencies/institutions/organizations. A special focus on ICT enabled teaching programmes are conducted.
Students like to learn additional skill development other than their degree.	NME is provided by all the departments for the students to choose as per the skill enhancement that one student is aiming for.
Prompt and timely counselling is needed for students	The college has ensured timely and prompt counselling sessions and the same has been arranged with the professionals.
Along with pen paper based method of teaching students can be upgraded technologically.	Additional computers were added in digital library, where the faculties take students to digital library and teach them using technology.