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## **Institutional Distinctiveness**

#### <u>Vision</u>

Providing quality education in emerging fields to produce knowledgeable and cultured human resource, contributing to the process of national development

### <u>Mission</u>

- Upliftment of rural masses through appropriate education
- To empower the socially, economically and educationally marginalized sections of the rural society of the region.
- To augment a new generation of students for contributing to the future knowledge economy



- To achieve academic excellence of higher education.
- To bring higher educational opportunities within the reach of the under privileged section of society and girls.
- To inculcate value based education to empower the youth for development of the nation.
- To develop an overall personality of the students by giving ample exposure in co-curricular and extracurricular activities.
- To develop nexus between educational institution and society for mutual benefits by socio-Economics and culture transformation through higher education.

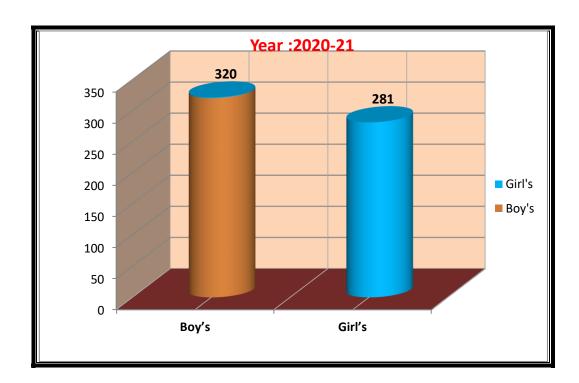
# Improvement of Socioeconomic Status of Students

Our institute is situated in drought prone rural area, where all the students are coming from the background of economically backward and subsistence farmer's family. Moreover with studying the student profile details we found that most of the students are coming from reserved category. The nearby area is almost illiterate who didn't give any attention on education; moreover girl's marriages are doing early by their parents. Our institute has decided to focus on these issues. So staff of our institute meets the peoples in nearby villages and aware them about the importance of education. Staff of our institute always counsels them to make allow education to girl's students. Our institute is situated in the area where up to 10 km range there is no any undergraduate college.

- With focusing all these issues our college is offering an undergraduate course for arts, commerce and science stream. In the beginning of the academic year all staff members are divided into some of the nearby villages to meet the parents. The staff convinces the parents regarding the education of their child. Our college has nearly 50:50 % ratios for girls to boys as shown in chart 1. From chart 1 it is clearly observed that the number of girls student increases with academic year.
- As the students profile of this college tells that 80% students are from reserved category. So college is very keen in providing these students scholarship. Institute provides scholarship to reserved category students.

Moreover, second chart shows that the open to reserved category ratio.

- The library of the institution has several books for students and it remains open at night time also for the needy student as well.
- The institution provides the Earn and learn scheme for the needy students. Institute also encourages these students by giving them best girl and boy student doing good job in earn and learn scheme in prize distribution ceremony every year.



#### Chart 1. Girls to boys ratio from academic year 2020-21

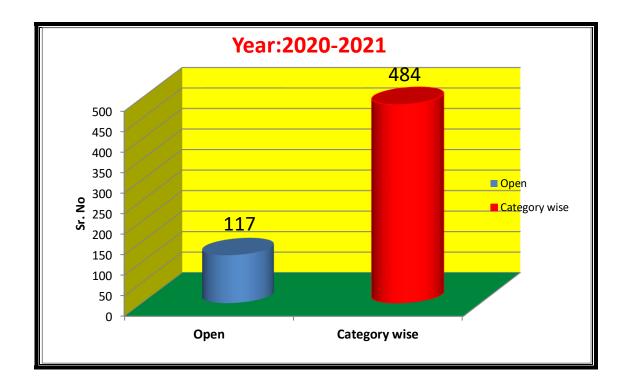


Chart 2. Open to reserved category ratio from academic year 2020-21