V.P.M's B.N. Bandodkar College of Science (Autonomous), Thane

Best Practice 2020-21

Best Practice-2

Title: Focused preparatory sessions prior to cocurricular competitions

Objectives of the Practice: To make students aware about the formats and specific

requirements of different academic competitions.

Context: While students are taking part in various regular annual competitions, if they are

made aware of competition, the criteria of judging, knack of better scoring to enhance

chances of winning can increase significantly.

The practice:

Faculty at BNBCS made focused efforts to train participants of various competitions through

special group guidance sessions by previous winners, one on one interactive sessions. During

the sessions a mock competition is conducted through which the students acquire various

skills like presentation, query handling, quick connect, challenging one's ability.

Impact of Practice / Evidence of Success:

With the focused efforts the institute could show its best performance by generating

maximum entries in university level research convention (17 entries) and three projects

getting selected for finals and also winning second position in final round. In various other

competitions students won 52 prizes

Resources required and Problems encountered:

Enthusiastic teachers need to plan these guidance sessions.