# Vidya Bhawan G.S. Teachers College (CTE)
# Udaipur
# ~ *NEWS LETTER* ~

***SEMI ANNUAL NEWSLETTER*** ***July to December, 2021***

## From the Principal's Desk

*A very Happy New Year to All!*

*With this New Year, I am hoping for revitalization of spirit that brings health and happiness to all. Our newsletter is a way of keeping in touch with teachers and educationists who have been an integral part of our journey. To be sure, teachers and educationists have been partnering with us well in ensuring that our vision and mission succeeds. It is my keen desire to take the College to greater heights in academics and other aspiring areas. Our goal is to achieve the dual objectives of education, i.e. education for living and educating for making a living. Although due to Covid-19 pandemic, the work culture has also undergone a great change. We, as an institution, on our part are making all the efforts to maintain quality and ensure its implementation during these challenging times. The faculties of ours have also acquainted themselves with the technologies and are constantly upgrading their skills. We have also conducted online classes successfully. And now College has been switched to normal offline mode with all safety measures. Hope that the things will turn better; the only thing that we could do is keep trying and updating ourselves according to the need of the times!*

*With best wishes!*

*Dr. Arvind Ashiya*
*Principal*

## EDITORIALS

*As the year ends with mingled up experiences and we step into the New Year, it is the time to present before our esteemed readers, a chronicle of the activities that were held during the period of July and December 2021. As you turn the pages of the newsletter, it is hoped that you will find key inputs and gain in the process.*

*Happy reading ahead!*

## July

## TOWARDS THE EXCELLENCE

The Institution of ours is trying to put its step forward in the direction of excellence. In this regard, the College has begun a 'Tuesday Talks' programme under the stewardship of Dr. Arvind Ashiya, the Principal of the College. The motto behind initiating such programmes is to give an open platform to discuss upon the variant issues that have an impact towards the excellence of the Institution. The experts associated with Tuesday talks are Prof. Hriday Kant Dewan from Azim Premji University, Mr. Prasoon Kumar, Educational Advisor of VBS and Ms Preeti Misra, Director of VBERC. Their guidance has proved to be a boon in the journey of excellence.

On the 16th of July 2021, an online meeting with Prof. Hridaykant Deewan was organized. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss about the objectives of different committees working for the excellence of the Institution. Six major areas were identified in the previous meeting, viz. Faculty Development, Social Commitment, Research, Library, Specialized Area, and Leadership. The committees formed on the bases of these themes presented their objectives, areas and strategies.

Next meeting onwards, the discussions were held in regard to research. They were helpful in seeking answers to the research queries. Further, four research groups were formed during the discussions. All the four groups have begun to work on the following research topics:

| Research Groups | Research Topics |
|---|---|
| **Group I** | **A Study of Assessment Process in Vidya Bhawan Senior Secondary School** |
| | Dr. Farzana Irfan, Dr. Santosh Upadhyay, Dr. Shaini Varghese, Dr. Vibha Devpura |
| **Group II** | **Status of Urban and Rural ECCE Centres** |
| | Dr. Girish Sharma, Dr. Priyanka Rawal, Dr. Mukesh Sukhwal, Dr. Preeti Gehlot, Mr. Jagdish Ameta |
| **Group III** | **Status, Problems and Suggestions of Eco and Youth club operated in Government Senior Secondary Schools of Rajasthan State** |
| | Dr. Manisha Sharma, Dr. Zehra Banu, Dr. Khimaram Kak, Mrs. Meenakshi Sharma |
| **Group IV** | **A Study of Status of Sports in Vidya Bhawan Senior Secondary School** |
| | Dr. Malchand Kala, Dr. Naina Trivedi, Dr. Akhtar Bano, Dr. Jaidev Paneri |

## SIMULATION TEACHING

From the 19th to the 24th of July 2021, the simulation teaching of the defaulters was arranged in the pedagogy classes of the students. The defaulters presented or shared their videos of teaching followed to which suggestions were given for further improvement.

## TEACHING-LEARNING MATERIAL PREPARATION

The College organized TLM preparation workshop from the 19th to the 24th of July 2021. The students were instructed and guided to make individual TLMs related to their both pedagogy subjects.

## 90TH ANNIVERSARY OF VIDYA BHAWAN

Prior to Independence of the Nation, Vidya Bhawan which was established in the year 1931 completed its 90th year of the Foundation Day on the 21st of July 2021. On the said occasion, Vidya Bhawan Teachers College organized a webinar. The programme was conducted in collaboration with History department of the College. The welcome speech wa rendered by Dr. Arvind Singh Ashiya, the Principal of the College. The key speakers of the programme were Prof. Hemlata Talesara and Dr. Dharmpal Singh who were formally introduced by Dr. Zehra Banu and Dr. Manisha Sharma respectively. Prof. Hemlata Talesara reflected on the initiatives of Vidya Bhawan that made a lasting impact on the education system whether it is Open Air Session, Get Together Programme or Society Day Celebration, etc. Dr. Dharmpal Singh also shared his experiences and best practices of Vidya Bhawan. The vote of thanks was given by Ms. Meenakshi Sharma.

In the evening, an online webinar on the theme 'Future of Education and Society' was organized by Vidya Bhawan Society. The programme began with the short video showcasing the journey of Vidya Bhawan. Shri Ajay Mehta, the President of VBS introduced the key speakers of the programme. The key speakers were the eminent alumni of Vidya Bhawan viz. Justice Govind Mathur, Former Chief Justice of Allahabad High Court, and Dr. Pratap Bhanu Mehta, Public Intellectual and Former Vice Chancellor of Ashoka University.

## SCHOOL INTERNSHIP- B.ED. SECOND YEAR

From the 27th of July 2021 to the 14th of November 2021, B.Ed. second year students had their internship tenure. The motto behind having the internship tenure is to develop in students the teaching skills and to help them cope up with school set up and its work procedures.

## August

## INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

On the 15th of August 2021, on the occasion of the 75th Independence Day of the Nation, all the institutions of Vidya Bhawan celebrated the event at Vidya Bhawan G.S. Teachers College campus. The programme began with the welcome speech of Dr. Arvind Ashiya, the Principal of the College. He reflected on the glorious past of seventy five years of a democratic nation like ours and 90 years of gradual progress of Vidya Bhawan Institution. The Chief Guest of the programme, Shri Dileep Galundia, Vice President of VBS, on the occasion said that this is the time to remember the martyrs for their sacrifices. We have to be enthusiastic and determined to keep growing with Vidya Bhawan's values and traditions. We have various institutions working within the aegis of Vidya Bhawan. We need to plan and find ways for building up economic strength of our Institution. Shri Ajay S. Mehta, the President of VBS, reflected upon the democratic values that are inbuilt in Vidya Bhawan's value system. Now it is our teachers' duty to transact these values in the students and make them a responsible citizen. The vote of thanks was rendered by Chirag Dhupia where as compelling was done by Dr. Mukesh Sukhwal, Counselor of Student's Council.

## NEW PUBLICATION 'TUESDAY TALKS' LAUNCHED

On the auspicious occasion of Independence Day, the College launched a new publication entitled 'Tuesday Talks' in collaboration with the English Department of the College. The publication is aimed at covering the meetings held every Tuesday to enhance the professional capacity of the faculty.

## AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

On the 31st of August 2021, a programme for B.Ed. and M.Ed. was organized in collaboration with MGNCRE of Indian government. The students were asked to participate in the programme by contacting and interviewing persons associated with any type of the business. They had to find out the nature of their work and their devotion to the said work. The students were also told to motivate or honour them. They had to post the related photos in the social media whether it be whatsapp status, face book wall or twitter. Then they had to prepare the document in the form of report which they had to submit in their subject societies. The students actively participated in the programme and got informed of many such businesses.

## September

### SCHOOL INTERNSHIP- B.ED. FIRST YEAR

From the 1st of September to the 18th of October 2021, B.Ed. first year students began their practical round of school internship. The schools that were co-opted for the exercise were schools from Udaipur and surrounding districts. The objective was to facilitate a real school and classroom transaction for the up-gradation of various skills for the B.Ed. practitioners.

### RESEARCH WORKSHOP

The M.Ed. first year students had their tool presentation workshop from the 10th to the 11th of September 2021. The students presented their constructed tools on which the suggestions of the faculty were rendered.

### CRITICISM LESSON

After the successful completion of the internship programme of the B.Ed. first year students, it was time for déjà vu. The students were made to ponder and reflect on the various teaching-learning practices that they followed during their internship programmes in the course of Criticism Lesson and the internal practical examination of the B.Ed. curriculum. The programme was held during the period from the 11th to the 14th of September 2021. The faculty members of the Institution helped the students in introspecting and analyzing the various highlights and loopholes of the rendered lessons. The criticism lessons were taken online where student-teachers were asked to deliver the lessons within the live classrooms. They had to stay connected with the subject groups of the College.

## October

### S.U.P.W. CAMP

The College conducted S.U.P.W. camp of M.Ed. first year during the 27th of September and the 1st of October 2021.

S.U.P.W. camp of B.Ed. first year students was also organized from the 26th of October to the 9th of November 2021. The tasks performed by the students were survey on the theme ‘Status of vaccination of Covid-19’, Society survey, best out of the waste, activities related to polythene free environment and campus beautification.

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## FINAL LESSON

From the 22nd to the 23rd of October 2021, the final lesson of the B.Ed. first year students of the session 2020-21 was organized. The lessons prepared and presented by the students were based on constructivist approach that is prevalent in teaching-learning processes.

## November

## EXTERNAL VIVA VOCE

On the 22nd of November 2021, an external viva voce of dissertation of M.Ed. second year students, session 2019-21 was conducted.

## ORIENTATION OF M.ED. FIRST YEAR

The College organized an orientation programme for M.Ed. first year students from the 25th of November to the 6th of December 2021. The students were introduced with the syllabi of the papers of M.Ed. first year programme. Then onwards their regular classes were scheduled.

## December

## ADMISSION PROCEDURE

An online admission process for the students of B.Ed. first year programme was carried out from the 11th of November to the 7th of December 2021. Total 176 students have got admitted till date.

## INTERNAL ASSESSMENT OF INTERNSHIP

On the 2nd of December 2021, the internal internship assessment of the second year students was conducted in the tutorial groups. The students were asked to provide the required information related to their internship works, submit their internship diaries, completion certificate, grading sheets, etc.

## EXTERNAL INTERNSHIP VIVA-VOCE

The external internship viva-voce of B.Ed. second year students was organized on the 3rd and the 4th of December 2021. The students gave written Internship exam prior to viva-voce. Then they presented their comprehensive reports through PPT which included their experiences, reflections, conceptualization and their learning in the viva-voce. The external examiners questioned them on the basis of their entire report and their learning from the internship experiences.

## EXTERNAL THEORY EXAMINATION

The College has been the examination centre of M.Ed. and B.Ed. programmes of Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur. The colleges which had centre at V.B.G.S.T.C. were V.B. Gandhian College, Asian College of Education and Chanakya B.Ed. College. The examinations were commenced during the 24th of September and the 7th of December 2021. The examination details are as follows:-

| Name of the Examination | Dates |
|---|---|
| M.Ed. I year | 25.11.2021 to 30.11.2021 |
| M.Ed. II year | 24.09.2021 to 08.10.2021 |
| B.Ed. I year | 11.11.2021 to 07.12.2021 |
| B.Ed. II year | 15.11.2021 to 01.12.2021 |


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