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Anekant Education Society's

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Criterion VII: - Institutional Values and Best Practices

7.2.1 Q₁ M **Best Practice-I Green Initiatives**

INFRASTRUCTURAL DEVELOPMENT MEASURES:

ENERGY CONSERVATION

1. Roof-top Grid Connected Solar Power Plants:

The college has started its energy conservation by installing 20kW and 2kW solar power plant on the rooftop of Administrative Building and Library respectively. Both Solar Photovoltaic (SPV) systems are estimated to afford an annual energy generation of 32,880 units (5units × 22kWp ×320days) for captive use under ideal conditions. The energy output of the solar panels meet the energy requirement of the college and excess power produced by the solar panels are supplied to the power grid of MSEB.



Solar Panel at rooftop of administrative building with 16 modules





Solar Panels at rooftop of administrative building with 40 modules

2. Solar Water Heaters at Roof-top:

Solar water heaters use natural sun light to heat water. The girls and boys hostels of the college are equipped with solar water heaters with storage facility, ensuring hot water supply at all times. There are 26 units of solar heaters on the rooftop of Girls' Hostels providing hot water for bathing. Also, there are 18units of solar heaters on the rooftop of Boys Hostel providing hot water for bathing.

Sr. No.	Name of Hostel Wing	No. of Units	Capacity (in Liter)
1.	Girls' Hostel New	10	5000
	Wing		
2.	Girls' Hostel A	04	4800
	Wing		
3.	Girls' Hostel B	04	6000
	Wing		
4.	Girls' Hostel C	04	4800
	Wing		
5.	Girls' Hostel D	04	2000
	Wing		
6.	Boy's Hostel	18	9000
Total		44	31600





Solar Heater at Rooftop of 'New' Wing of Girl's Hostel

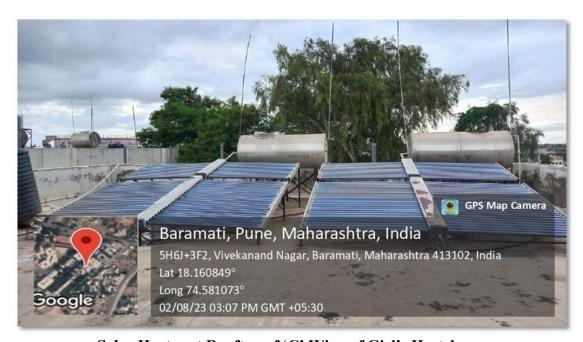


Solar Heater at Rooftop of 'A' Wing of Girl's Hostel





Solar Heater at Rooftop of 'B' Wing of Girl's Hostel



Solar Heater at Rooftop of 'C' Wing of Girl's Hostel





Solar Heater at Rooftop of 'D' Wing of Girl's Hostel



Solar Heater at Rooftop of Boy's Hostel



3. Sensor based Energy Conservation



Sensor based energy conservation at Library (Reading Hall)



Sensor based energy conservation at Library (Book Section)



1. Use of LEDs/Power-Efficient Equipments



LED lights in front of Principal's cabin



LED lights in Administrative office



WATER CONSERVATION

***** Water Conservation in the College:

The college has very effective water conservation and distribution system in the campus. The water bodies in the campus are well maintained and utilized with proper cultivation practice. We have the following water conservation facilities in the campus.

A Rain Water Harvesting:

The college has rain water harvesting system to conserve the rain water. The earth water level is increased with Rain water harvesting which helped to have water to our college bore well. It increases natural storage of water, and helps the college in getting water for various purposes.

The following are the details of rainwater harvesting systems constructed in the campus.

Sr. No.	Location	No. of harvesting	Capacity in liter
		tank	
1.	Prerna Building	02	100000
2.	Near Microbiology Dept	01	300000
3.	New Building	02	100000
4.	Junior College Building	01	60000
5.	Girls' Hostel	01	60000
6.	Behind Prashasan Bhavan	01	60000
Total		08	680000





Rain water harvesting System near main building 3, 00,000 Lt. Storage Capacity



Underground Storage Water tank in the college



Physics-Micro Department: Rain Water Harvesting System



SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

***** Waste Management:

The college has implemented a comprehensive waste management system that emphasizes the reduction, reuse, and recycling of waste. Effective waste management is crucial for maintaining environmental sustainability and ensuring community health. Students are actively involved in these efforts, and waste management has been integrated into the academic curriculum. Below is an overview of handling of various types of waste.

Solid Waste Management:

In the solid waste there are two types of waste:

- > Dry Waste
- **≻** Wet Waste

Dry Waste Management:

The college has a MoU with the local municipality for segregating, collecting, transporting, treating, and disposing of solid waste. The college has made available the Penguin-dustbins to collect plastic and garbage in the key-places like girls' waiting room, administration building, girls' hostel, Auditorium, etc. Non biodegradable materials such as plastic wrappers and bags, broken glass pieces, dishes, etc and Biodegradable materials such as paper cups, paper dishes etc. are collected by the waste pick-up van from Baramati Municipal Council. The college has an agreement with local scrap dealer for collection and disposal of waste papers, plastic scrap and other waste materials.

Wet Waste Management:

Wet Waste especially from Canteen and Mess kitchens, such as vegetable refuses; food scraps etc. are disposed-off in biogas and Vermi-compost plant.



BIOGAS PLANT

As a part of kitchen waste management plan a biogas plant has been set up in the campus. Its processed capacity is 150 kg kitchen waste per day and its gas generation capacity is 45kg per month.





Biogas Plant at Hostel Mess



VERMI-COMPOST PLANT

Vermi-compost unit is developed and monitored by the department of Botany. The garden and laboratory waste is used to feed the earthworms. Vermi-compost produced in the unit is used as a fertilizer for the plants and trees in the college garden. It helps to keep the campus eco-friendly.



Vermi-compost plant in the college



PLASTIC COLLECTION BINS

The college has installed smart bins in various corners of the campus. These bins are labeled properly for discarding the paper and plastic trash.





Colored Bins for trash collection



MoU with Baramati Municipal Council

The college has established a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Baramati Municipal Council for collecting solid waste from the college campus and generating awareness among the students about solid waste management as an effort to protect the college campus and conserve its environment.





Collection of dry waste from the college campus by Baramati Municipality workers



LIQUID WASTE MANAGEMENT

***** Liquid Waste Management:

Each department has designated collection points or drains for liquid waste, which is segregated based on its type. Sewage and industrial effluents are treated separately to ensure proper disposal. Liquid waste from departments such as Chemistry, Microbiology, Botany, and Zoology is treated in a centralized effluent treatment plant. The plant is installed at a proper place in the college garden so that the treated water is reused for gardening, reducing dependence on municipal water sources. The liquid waste management system is regularly monitored to ensure compliance with environmental standards.

Specification of the Effluent Plant:

Establishment Year - 2015 Cost - 2.65 Lakhs Capacity - 2000 liters/day to 5000 liters/day



Effluent Treatment Plant







Effluent Treatment Plant in the college garden



E- WASTE MANAGEMENT

& E-Waste Management:

The college has partnerships with authorized recyclers to manage electronic waste. The damaged or out-dated computers, CDs and other e-equipment's are sorted out and sent to the college central store. These e-equipment's are sold out by means of a tendering process. Collection points are available where students and staff can dispose of old electronic devices for recycling. Awareness programs are conducted to educate the community about responsible e-waste disposal. The college organizes e-waste collection drives in association with TATA croma. This drive is conducted every year with an aim to promote responsible disposal practices and contributing to the circular economy. The institution also promotes the refurbishment and reuse of electronic devices whenever feasible.

❖ Details of E-Waste Management Programs organized in 2023-24

Sr. No.	Name of the Program	Date and Year	No. of Participants
1.	E-Waste Collection Drive	23/01/2024	107



Students submitting their e-waste goods at the collection point





Collected E-waste materials are kept in a big box for recycle

KAVIVARYA MOROPANT BOTANICAL GARDEN

The college has a well maintained and spacious Botanical garden. It is named after well known Marathi poet, *KaviMoropant*, who lived in Baramati during 18th century and is known for his mastery over *Arya*. The Botanical Garden of the college is one of the best gardens in the affiliated colleges of SavitribaiPhule Pune University, Pune. The college has also set up a medicinal plant garden where different medicinal species are nurtured, conserved and cultivated for research and educational activities related to plant species known for medicinal purposes. In the botanical garden, the college has also built up Butterfly plant section which helped in the pollination of plants and shrubs. Moreover, there is a section for Cacti and Succulents where endangered species of cacti and succulents are preserved and conserved for research purposes. The botanical garden also encompasses a nursery shed. The nursery unit houses a variety of fruits, vegetables and decorative plants. On the occasion of Independence Day and Republic Day the decorative plants from the nursery are offered for selling-cum



display on the college ground. The landscape of trees and plants in the botanical garden enriches the biodiversity of Baramati and also produces a tranquil ambiance to the college campus and creates a soothing environment.

❖ Details of *Kavivarya Moropant* Botanical Garden

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Entry Gate of Kavivarya Moropant Botanical Garden





Avenue of the Botanical Garden



Greenery of the garden





Passage way to various sections of the garden



Right side passage way of the garden





Left side passage way of the garden

Trees Plantation by NAAC Peer Team 2017



Tree planted by Prof. K. Muthuchelian, Chairman NAAC Peer Team 2017



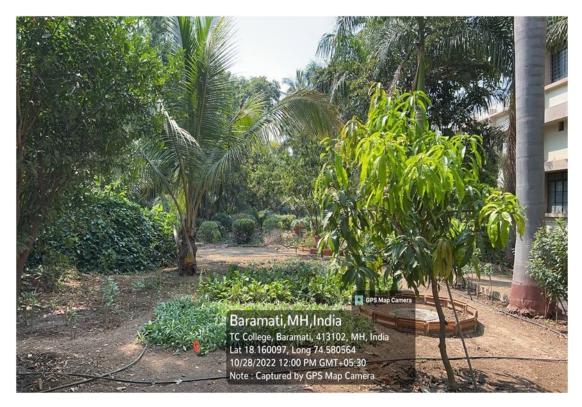


Tree planted by Prof. R.G. Alaagi, Coordinator NAAC Peer Team 2017



Tree Plantation Prof. M. Venkateshwar, Member, NAAC Peer Team 2017





Tree Planted by a distinguished guests

Medicinal Plant Garden



Medicinal Plants Section





Medicinal Plants in the Garden

Butterfly Plant Garden



Butterfly Section





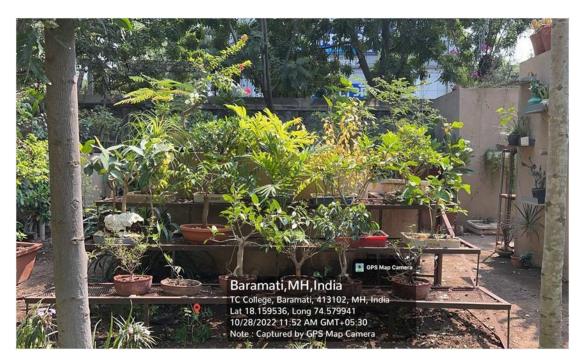
Butterfly Plant Section

Bonsai Plant Garden



Bonsai Plant Section





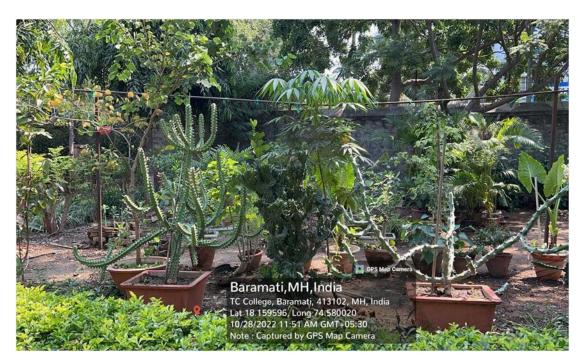
Bonsai Plants in the garden

Succulent Plant Section



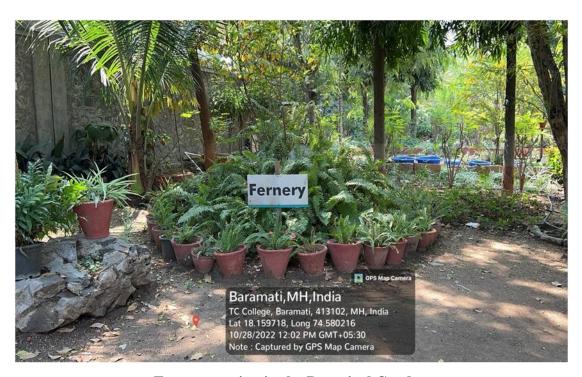
Succulent Plant Section





Cactus in succulent section

Fernery

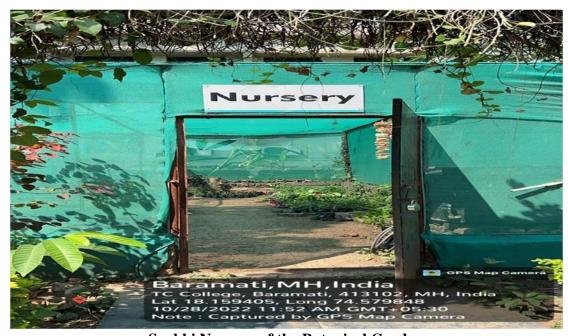


Fernery section in the Botanical Garden



Surabhi Nursery

Surabhi Nursary of the college is also located within the botanical garden. Various plants are propagated in this nursery. The college organizes an exhibition cum selling of decorative plants nurtured in the Surabhi Nursery on Independence Day and Republic Day at Gymkhana of the college. Teachers and students always give a big response to this activity.



Surbhi Nursery of the Botanical Garden



Plant saplings in the Nursery





Exhibition cum selling of plants prepared at Surbhi Nursery



Staff members buying plants in exhibition



Lotus and Water Lily Tank

One of the landmarks of the *KavivaryaMoropant* Botanical Garden is the water lily tank and lotus tank, giving a wonderful sight as soon as one enters in the garden. Located at the middle of the botanical garden, the tank is full of floatingwhite water lilies. The garden also makes space for two lotus tanks. Theses tanks are specially designed to hold lotus flowers in full bloom, a mix of white and pink colors. The given below video links and photos capture the breathtaking beauty of these lotuses and water lilies in the garden.











Lotus in Moropant Botanical Garden







Bloomed Lotus in the garden





Blooming lotuses in the garden



Lotus Tank in Kavivarya Moropant Botanical Garden



Greenery and Landscaping

The campus of the college is beautifully landscaped in a lush of green stretch of 38 acres land. Out of 38 acres land, 11.3 acres are under canopy. The college maintains the greenery of the campus by regular planting of large number of plants. Evergreen trees, planted on the both sides of pedestrian friendly pathways, add aesthetic quality to the campus beauty and create a conducive learning environment for the students. The well designed campus landscape of the college not only captures the attention of visiting people but also boost mental health and wellness of students and faculty.



Main Gate of the College





Internal Entrance Gate



No entry Vehicle point





Inside view of landscaping from second entrance gate



View of landscaping on the pathway





Inside view of pathway



Administrative building lawn





Landscaping near Administrative Building



Landscaping near Main Building





Greenery and landscaping behind main building



Vocational Centre Landscaping





Prerna Bhavan



Examination Centre Building



Tree Census and QR Coding of Plants

As a part of Green Initiatives, the college has done digitalization of plants on the campus. Tree census has done wherein systematic survey of plants that collects data about trees in a college campus area often with the goal of understanding tree populations and biodiversity.

With QR codes linked to detailed plant profiles, our tree census fosters a deeper connection between the campus community and the natural environment surrounding them. Total 130 plants in campus area are mapped with QR code. After scanning QR code of plant it provides Botanical name, English name, Marathi name family and its medicinal uses. The generated QR code is mapped to a distinct tree species that is shown in the following photo. It provides an interactive way for people to access information about trees using their smart phones.



QR code for plant identification





QR Coding of Plants in the campus



QR coded tree in the garden





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Best Practice-II Women Empowerment

INFRASTRUCTURAL DEVELOPMENT MEASURES

Safety and Security

The college is committed to the goal of developing a safe and secure environment for women in the campus. The college is well equipped with a comprehensive CCTV system comprising 230 CP Plus cameras, monitored via five screens, installed at most of the places such as class rooms, central library, parking, administrative building, hostels, laboratories and corridors. The college has appointed four male and two female security guards in the campus. To address the grievances of lady students, the college has installed complaint boxes at appropriate places where students can drop their grievances. The institute is fully equipped with fire safety mechanism ensuring the safety and well-being of all individuals in the premises. Fire extinguishers are installed at corridors of all the buildings for safety against fire hazard.

CCTV Surveillance:



CCTV equipped classrooms





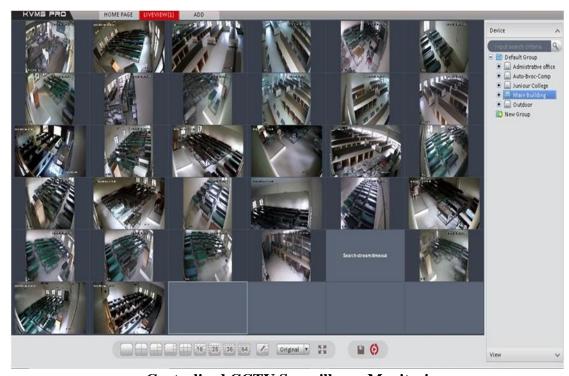
CCTV at outside classroom



CCTV Surveillance monitor







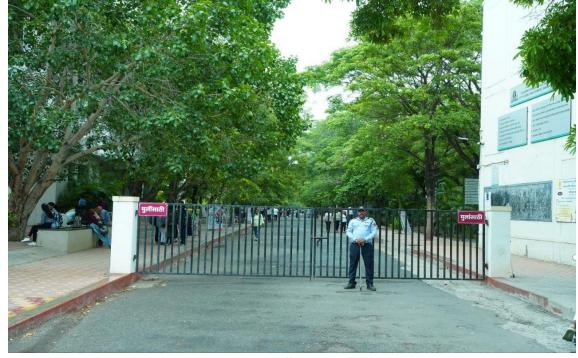
Centralized CCTV Surveillance Monitoring



SECURITY GUARDS



Male and Female Security Guard at Main Entry Gate



Guard at Internal Security Gate



FIRE EXTINGUISHER

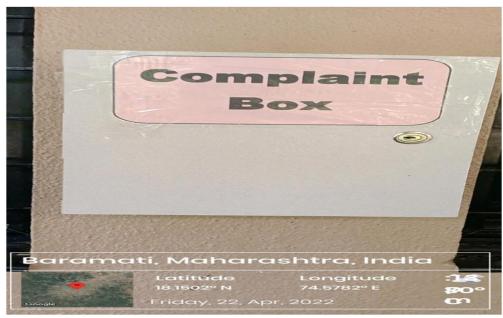




Fire Safety System



COMPLAINT BOX



Complaint Box at Administrative Building

Hostels for Girls and Working Women

The college has five women's hostels on the campus, four for students and one for working women with capacity of 1000 and 30 respectively. All these hostels are well furnished with the facilities like security, well managed and hygienic mess, RO drinking water, recreational hall with television and newspapers, Gym for physical fitness, health center with first aid kit. For safety and security of hostellers the 24 hr security is provided by the college. Additionally, biometric system is installed at entry and exit gate of each hostel wing. Spacious open space and parking facility is available at all girl's' hostels.





Girls Hostel Wing No. 1







Hostel Wing 3





Hostel Wing 4



Hostel Wing 5

HOSTEL MESS





RECREATIONAL HALL AND GYM



Recreational Hall at Girl's Hostel



Evening Prayer at Recreational Hall





Gym at Girls' Hostel



Girls doing workout in the gym



Health and Hygiene

As per UGC guidelines, the college has established "Student's Counseling Centre" comprising of a Professional Psychiatrist and two senior faculty of the institution to address the issues related to sexual harassment and other genders specific problems. The college has a well maintained Yoga Hall for meditation and Yoga practice. The girls' common room is made available for girl students to take rest and other personal and medical needs. This room is located in on ground floor itself for better and easy access. Availability of washroom, with 24 hour tap water, soap, covered dustbins, 'sanitary pads vending machine' and 'disposal machine' are ensured in the common room. Sanitary female staff is deployed to keep the ladies common rooms and washrooms clean and hygienic. Regulars heath health check-up and screenings are conducted to monitor student well being. The college maintains a separate sick room equipped with essential first aid and medical assistance.



Counseling Cell for Mental Health



Yoga for Mindfulness



Yoga Hall for Meditation and Health



Guided meditational at Yoga Hall



Cultural Hall for Recreation





Students preparing for cultural performance



Medical Health Centre



Health Center with Primary Medical Aid



Free medical check-up for girls and women on the campus



Common Rooms and Washrooms



Rest Room for girl students



Rest Room for Women staff





Washrooms for women at every floor

