



আম্বেদকর কলেজ

ফটিকরায়, উনকোটি, ত্রিপুরা

Ambedkar College

A Govt. Degree College Affiliated to Tripura University
(UGC 2f & 12B recognized and NAAC Accredited)

Fatikroy, Unakoti, Tripura – 799290

6.5.1

Institutional Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has contributed significantly for institutionalizing the quality assurance strategies and process

In pursuance for quality assurance, up-gradation of quality and assessment and accreditation the Internal Quality Assurance Cell came into existence in the year 2012. Since its inception IQAC has become instrumental in planning, guiding and monitoring various measures for quality improvement for overall development of the college.

Significant practices institutionalized as a result of IQAC initiatives, during last five years are:

- 1. Practice of collecting Feedback:** One of the distinctive practices that was brought into practice by IQAC to improve and assess the quality in different affairs of the college and has been institutionalized is – feedback system. To improve and ensure the quality of education and governance of the college takes online/offline feedback from its stakeholders, viz. students, teachers, non-teaching staff and alumni. Moreover, from the year 2018-19 IQAC has introduced online internal Students Satisfaction Survey on teaching, learning and evaluation, that is, may be, first time in any Govt. Degree colleges of Tripura. After collection of feedbacks from students, especially from even semester students, those are kept in sealed pockets till their final semester examination is over. And then IQAC forms a feedback analysis committee with experienced faculty members to prepare the feedback analysis report. The committee prepare the report and submit the same to the principal in a sealed cover, and then principal forward the same to IQAC for further action. The outcome of the analysis of the feedbacks and suggestions/recommendations recorded therein are taken into consideration while planning the “Future Plan” for the college.
- 2. Practice of conducting Student Induction Programme:** Induction programme for students at the beginning of every academic session is one of the distinctive practices introduced by IQAC and that has been institutionalized. In every academic session activity of IQAC begins with this programme. This practice was initiated to make the students, especially new comers, aware about the rules and regulations of the college, and to guide the newcomers in a new environment that will be give them confidence and encouragement to sail their academic pursuit in long run. This is a day long programme. During this programme teachers are introduced to the students and an interactive session happens to make the students ease and free to adopt administrative and academic atmosphere of the

college. Rules and regulations of the college are explained to the students by senior faculty members. The general criteria of B.A., B.Sc. programmes and some common course criteria are also explained to the students in this meeting. Selected senior students are also given a chance to share their experience in the college campus to motivate the young minds of the new entrants.

3. **Parents Meeting:** The practice of meeting with parents is at the beginning of every academic year is initiated by IQAC and has been institutionalized. At the beginning of every academic year IQAC sends personal invitation to parents through students, also publish public invitation in local news papers. And on the day of the meeting parents were explained about the various ongoing developmental activities in the college. Also parents were encouraged to share their views on developmental activities as well as views, suggestion, difficulty etc. pertaining to any matter of the college. Outcome of the meeting in the form of any suggestion from parents regarding the development of the college is properly recorded and taken into consideration during the preparation of “Future Plan” at the end of every academic year.
4. **Alumni Meeting:** College has a registered Alumni Association. IQAC’s initiative to have meeting with alumni members at least once in every academic year has become an institutional practice. At some point of time in every academic year members of the alumni association are invited for a meeting. And therein ongoing developmental activities are discussed with alumni members and seek their suggestions on the development of the college. Also plan for future collaborative programmes are discussed therein. Besides, as and when required alumni members are consulted for different matters. Suggestions of alumni members are formally recorded and taken into consideration during preparation of “Future Plan” of the college.
5. **Participation in NIRF:** Despite of various constraints IQAC has taken initiative to participate in the NIRF to assess and assure the overall quality of the college. Our college is the first Govt. General Degree college of Tripura to participate in the NIRF ranking in the year 2017-18; but unfortunately we did miss the date for the same in the year 2018-19. And have participated in the NIRF for the year 2019-20.