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GOVERNMENT SCIENCE COLLEGE

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NAAC Accredited – B+
(CGPA-2.69)

Institutional Distinctiveness

Government Science College - Gandhinagar (GSCGNR) was established in 1970 and is managed by the Education Department - Government of Gujarat. The College is headed by the Principal (GES, Class-I) who earlier also served as Joint Director at Commissionerate of Higher Education, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

The college is affiliated to Gujarat University, Ahmedabad and provides access to academic excellence and offers all-round development of students belonging all sections of the society irrespective of gender, caste, creed, religion and socio-economic status.

GSCGNR is the only Government College (Affiliated, UG) of Gandhinagar District offering higher education in science stream. The college is located near the heart (Mahatma Mandir - the convention and exhibition center developed by Government of Gujarat) of Gandhinagar City - the Clean and Green Capital of Gujarat.

The college is having a huge Eco-friendly campus (Area: 199064.87 m²) serving as habitat for diversified flora and fauna.

The college is having highly qualified teaching staff. More than 80% of teaching staff are having Ph.D. as their highest qualification. All teaching staff members are selected by Gujarat Public Service Commission (GPSC) and appointed as GES (Gujarat Education Services) Class-II, College Branch officers.

The college offers some unique flag-ship programs/policies of state government to the students, such as (1) Finishing School Training Program, (2) UDISHA [Universal Development of Integrated employability Skills through Higher education Agencies], (3) Placement cell, (4) Innovation club, (5) SSIP [Student Startup and Innovation Policy], (6) SAPTDHARA etc.

The college uses various software and web portals for academic and administrative activities. For example: (1) Cogent Portal, (2) Sathi software (3) Soul 2.0 software (4) E-Sarkar portal (5) IFMS and PFMS portal (6) Placement Portal (7) Karma yogi portal for PAR [Performance Appraisal Report], (6) Software for fees collection etc.

The college strictly follows purchase policy prepared by the state government and purchase all its required items online through Government-e-Marketplace (GeM) portal.

Followings are the areas in which college stands out as unique within the time period of last five academic years.

A. Academic excellence

Government Science College – Gandhinagar is well known for its teaching – learning activities. Highly qualified teaching staff members of the college, remains dedicated to their teaching activities and their academic efforts are reflected in the number of students who won gold medals in Gujarat University examinations.

- (1) **AY 2018-19:** Gold Medal was awarded to a final year student of **Microbiology Department** for getting highest marks in external examination conducted by Gujarat University.
- (2) **AY 2019-20:** Gold Medal was awarded to a final year student of **Botany Department** for getting highest marks in external examination conducted by Gujarat University.
- (3) **AY 2020-21:** Gold Medal was awarded separately to a final year student of **Physics, Botany and Microbiology** department for getting highest marks in external examination conducted by Gujarat University. Thus total **03 Gold Medals** have been awarded.
- (4) **AY 2021-22:** Gold Medal was awarded separately to a final year student of **Zoology and Physics** department for getting highest marks in external examination conducted by Gujarat University. Thus total **02 Gold Medals** have been awarded.
- (5) **AY 2022-23:** Gold Medal was awarded separately to a final year student of **Physics and Microbiology** department for getting highest marks in external examination conducted by Gujarat University. Thus total **02 Gold Medals** have been awarded.

Thus total **09 (Nine) students of the college have won gold medal** in the Gujarat University examination within last five academic years.

B. Social services and extension activities

Government Science College – Gandhinagar offers NSS program to inculcate sense of social service and social responsibility by engaging students with community and helping both to develop holistically. NSS unit of the college, had organized **04** Camps and more than **40** social activities/programs in nearby communities during last five years. Followings are some unique programs:

(1) AY 2018-19: Youth Empowerment

The NSS unit in collaboration of IITE (Indian Institute of Teacher's Education) has successfully organized Gandhinagar District Youth Parliament on 28/01/2019 in which 47 students have participated and expressed their views about health of Indian economics, Terrorism, Khelo India program, Climate change etc. Top 5 students (winners) have been screened out and awarded, while Top 3 students have been referred for state level youth parliament program. Minister of State Shri Ramanlal Patkar, MLA Shri Ashokbhai Patel

other dignitaries graced the program. Leadership quality, the power of oratory and communication skills were observed in the budding representatives of people. 'Parliament for People' was envisaged.

(2) AY 2019-20: Cleanliness Drive

The NSS unit has successfully organized **Swachh Bharat Summer Internship: 2019** program of one week duration, in which **45** students participated. Visible cleanliness activities were conducted by students in Government Boys Hostel and Fatepura Village of Gandhinagar District. Dustbin making program and Drama on Cleanliness theme generated substantial awareness about cleanliness, among participants.

(3) State and National awards

State and Central Governments have identified the positive impacts of social activities carried out by NSS unit and awarded the program officer and the unit both.

State level award for best NSS program office (Year 2017-18) has been given to **Dr. U. P. Tarpada**.


National award for best NSS program officer (Year 2019-20) has been given to **Dr. U. P. Tarpada** and for the best NSS unit has been given to the **Dr. M. G. Bhatt**, Principal, Government Science College Gandhinagar, by the then President of India, **Shri Ram Nath Kovind**.

Thus **01(One)** state level award and **02 (Two)** national awards have been given to the college.

C. Awards in Competitions of Sports and Cultural Activities

Total **08 (Eight)** students of the college have won certificate or medal for giving best performance in university/state/national level competitions of sports or cultural activities.




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