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Outcomes of Extension Activities in the Neighbourhood Community

Over the past five years, Government College, Bahu, Jhajjar has made significant strides in sensitizing students to social issues and fostering their holistic development through various extension activities. These initiatives have not only impacted the local community but also inculcated ethical and moral responsibilities in students, aligning with the core mission of the institution to produce morally upright and socially aware citizens.

1. Sensitizing Students to Social Issues

The college emphasizes the importance of students engaging with their immediate neighbourhood and broader society. By involving themselves in activities organized by various college cells such as the NSS, Women Cell, Placement Cell, Red Cross Society, Road Safety Club, Legal Literacy Cell, and Eco Club, students gain first-hand experience in addressing social issues. These cells have conducted numerous programs including the Swachh Bharat Campaign, Road Safety Week, Yoga Day, Tree Plantation drives, and various rallies.

2. Impact on Students and Community

Students have actively participated in rallies focusing on critical issues such as drug de-addiction, road safety, cleanliness, anti-tobacco, water conservation, voting awareness, Beti Bachao-Beti Padhao, and balanced diets. These activities foster a sense of community, friendship, and team spirit, while also raising awareness about vital social concerns. The college's NSS unit has organized camps in different villages, promoting environmental initiatives such as bans on single-use plastics, waste management programs, and plantation drives. These activities instill in students a sensitivity and respect for the environment.

3. Empowerment and Safety Initiatives

The Women's Cell has been proactive in addressing safety and empowerment issues for female students. Programs like self-defense training and extension lectures on domestic violence, health and hygiene, sexual harassment, women empowerment, and legal rights have been instrumental in educating and empowering female students. Similarly, the Red Cross Society has organized several camps and programs to raise awareness about health issues such as HIV/AIDS, menstrual hygiene, and anemia. These initiatives ensure that female students are well-informed and better prepared to handle health-related challenges.

4. Development of Leadership and Social Responsibility

Participation in these extension activities has a profound impact on students. They develop critical leadership skills, self-confidence, and a sense of community responsibility. Activities like NSS camps and community outreach programs cultivate hidden talents, raise awareness about social and personal responsibilities, and foster a spirit of common brotherhood transcending religious, linguistic, and regional diversities. These programs also emphasize

renouncing practices derogatory to the dignity of women, contributing to a more respectful and inclusive society.

5. Producing Responsible Citizens

Through these diverse activities, Government College, Bahu, Jhajjar has succeeded in producing responsible citizens who are organized, trained, and motivated. The holistic development fostered by these initiatives ensures that students not only excel academically but also grow spiritually and socially. The extension activities carried out over the past five years have had a lasting positive impact on both the students and the community, highlighting the college's commitment to creating a better and more socially aware society.



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