

# Holy Cross College (Autonomous) Nagercoil - 629 004

Affiliated to Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli
Nationally Accredited with A+ Grade (CGPA 3.35) by NAAC IV Cycle
An ISO 9001: 2015 Certified Institution

SSR 2019-2020 to 2023-2024

# 5.1.4 The institution adopts the redressal of student grievances including sexual harassment and ragging cases

#### ANTI RAGGING

Anti-Ragging Awareness Talk - June 30, 2023

On June 30, 2023, an essential meeting was organized by the campus Animation team for our first-year students, with a specific focus on anti-ragging awareness. Sr. P. Leema delivered a crucial talk to 600 students about fostering a safe and respectful environment within the college and hostels.

During the session, she emphasized the importance of preventing ragging and creating a conducive atmosphere for students to thrive in their academic pursuits. The awareness talk covered the prohibited actions for seniors, outlined the steps for affected students to take, and elucidated the severe consequences awaiting those engaged in ragging activities.

Students were informed about the college's commitment to maintaining a zero-tolerance policy against ragging, and the potential repercussions for offenders, including termination of studies. Additionally, the existence of a designated complaint email ID was highlighted, providing a confidential and accessible channel for reporting any incidents.

The session aimed not only to educate the students about the severe implications of ragging but also to create a sense of responsibility and mutual respect among the student body. The proactive approach to anti-ragging measures contributes to a safer and more supportive learning environment for all students.



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# Campus Animation Team

**Organizes** 

#### Resource Persons

Dr. P. Sathya

Dr. Sr. Leema Rose

# Orientation Programme

Code of Conduct

**Antiragging** 

for the

I UG & I PG Students

Organizing Committee:

Dr. Sr. S. Sebastiammal

Dr. J.M. Vinitha Charles

Dr. Y. Christabel Shaji

Date: 30.06.2023

Time:

11.00 am

Venue:

Multipurpose Hall



Holy Cross College, Nagercoil 30.06.2023 11:43

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#### ANTI-DRUG AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Anti-Drug Awareness Program Meeting - August 11, 2023

A significant Anti-Drug Awareness Program was conducted on August 11, 2023, with a focus on enlightening and empowering the student community. An impressive turnout of 600 students participated in the meeting dedicated to addressing the critical issue of drug abuse.

During the session, a solemn oath was administered, urging the students to abstain from substances that can be harmful to both the body and mind. The pledge symbolized a collective commitment to a drug-free lifestyle, emphasizing the importance of individual responsibility in promoting a healthy and secure environment.

Notably, on the same day, the entire college, consisting of 1,998 students, collectively took the oath against drug abuse. This comprehensive commitment from the student body underscores the gravity of the issue and reflects the determination of the college community to foster a drug-free campus.

The success of the Anti-Drug Awareness Program lies not only in the significant turnout but also in the unity demonstrated by the entire student body in taking a stand against drug abuse. Such initiatives play a crucial role in building awareness, fostering a sense of responsibility, and creating a supportive environment for those striving to lead drug-free lives





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# ANTI - DRUG AWARENESS

RESOURCE PERSON ADV. A. ANTUSH JEROME MBA., LLB., DPT., DVMS

Time: 11.00a.m.

Date: 11th August, 2023 Venue: Multipurpose Hall

Patron: Dr. Sr. Mary Gilda, Secretary

Chairperson: Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, Principal

Organizing Secretaries: Dr. Sr. Leema Rose (Vice Principal 1)

Dr. P. Sathya (Vice Principal 2)





IT DOESN'T JUST AFFECT YOUR LIFE BUT IT AFFECTS EVERYONE



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Anti-ragging and Anti-drug Committee of Holy Cross College **Organizes A Seminar** In Collaboration With The Prison Ministry ofKottar Diocese on

# "Empowering Young Girls: Navigating Life's Highs without Dru

Date: 22/01/2024

Time: 11.00 am 12.30 pm

**Venue: Seminar Hall** 

**RESOURCE PERSONS** 

DR. PHILIP

DR. IMMACULATE

**Organizing Secretaries** 

Dr. P.LeemaRose

Dr. Sathya

Fr. Antony Prabu

Participants Science Students











On the 22nd of January 2024, a transformative initiative unfolded at our institution, focusing on empowering young girls to navigate life's challenges without resorting to drugs. The event, organized by a dedicated team led by Dr. Leema Rose, Dr. Sathya, Fr. Antony Prabu, and Mr. Peter Thomas, brought together esteemed resource persons, Dr. Immaculate and Dr. Philip.

The initiative witnessed active participation from nearly 220 first-year students, creating an environment conducive to learning and growth. The main objective was to equip these young minds with tools and insights to face life's challenges with resilience and wisdom.

The event commenced with insightful presentations from Dr. Immaculate and Dr. Philip, who shared their expertise on the psychological and medical aspects of coping with life's challenges. The discussions delved into the importance of mental health, effective communication, and building a support network.

Led by the organizing team, interactive sessions and group discussions allowed students to openly express their concerns and seek guidance. Dr. Leema Rose emphasized the significance of creating a safe space for dialogue, encouraging a culture of empathy and understanding.

To make the experience more engaging, a series of exercises were incorporated into the program. These activities aimed at promoting teamwork, self-reflection, and stress management. Students actively participated in these exercises, fostering a sense of camaraderie and shared experience.

Feedback from the participants highlighted the immense value they derived from the initiative. Many expressed gratitude for the opportunity to engage with experts and peers on topics that are often overlooked. The event not only provided valuable information but also created a sense of community among the first-year students.

In conclusion, "The Initiative for Life's Challenges" on January 22, 2024, stands as a testament to the commitment of our institution to the holistic development of its students. By addressing the specific needs of young girls and fostering an environment of open dialogue and support, the event has made a positive impact on the lives of those who participated. It is a step forward in nurturing resilient and empowered individuals who can face life's challenges with confidence and grace.

#### **DRUG AWARENESS**



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In Collaboration With Sunlight wellness centre
On

"Empowering Young Girls: Saying No to Drugs and Choosing a Healthy Lifestyle



RESOURCE PERSONS (BMDC GROUP 10)

DR. A. M. ARAASU, MRS. GAYATHRI, MRS, TAMILSELVI, MISS. ARUL MALAR, MR. ANTONY MASTER VOLUNTEER- NASH MUKTI BHARAT ABHIYAAN, K.K. DIST

Date: 15/02/2024

Time: 11.00 am 12.30 pm

**Venue:**Chemistry Seminar Class

**Participants** 

**Post Graduate Students** 

**Organizing Secretaries** 

Dr. P.LeemaRose

Dr. Sathva



On 15<sup>th</sup> February 2024 a compelling session on "Say No to Drugs" was conducted for the second-year PG students, aiming to raise awareness about the detrimental effects of drug use on individuals, families, and society. The event, organized by the Anti-Ragging Committee and spearheaded by Dr. Leema Rose and Dr. Sathya, witnessed the active participation of 125 students.

The resource persons for the session were experts in their respective fields, including Dr. Araasu, Mrs. Tamilselvi, Mrs. Gayathri, Miss. Arul Malar, Mr. Rajan, and Mr. Antony. Their presentations covered the multifaceted impacts of drug abuse, addressing the physical, psychological, and social consequences. Additionally, the session explored the rising concern of mobile addiction, emphasizing the need for responsible mobile usage.

Incorporating an interactive approach, the event also touched upon the importance of good manners and cultivating self-confidence. These aspects were discussed in relation to personal and professional development, encouraging students to build a foundation for a successful and respectful future.

Towards the conclusion of the session, the participating students took a collective oath to abstain from drug use throughout their lives. This symbolic gesture reflected their commitment to

a healthy and responsible lifestyle, fostering a drug-free environment within the academic community.

The organizational efforts of Dr. Araasu and the collaboration of the Anti-Ragging Committee played a pivotal role in the success of the event. Their dedication ensured a seamless and impactful session, leaving a lasting impression on the participating students.

In conclusion, the "Say No to Drugs" session served as a valuable platform for second-year PG students to gain comprehensive knowledge about the consequences of drug use. The holistic approach, encompassing mobile addiction, good manners, and self-confidence, contributes to the overall well-being and character development of the students. The event stands as a testament to the commitment of the institution and its anti-ragging committee towards creating a healthy and nurturing educational environment.









#### AWARENESS ABOUT SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Date : 06-03-2024

Venue : St. Joesph's Hall

Participants : 100 students from history and economics disciplines attended.

Objective : The meeting aimed to raise awareness about substance abuse among students

and highlight its historical and economic implications.

#### Highlights:

- 1. Introduction: The session commenced with an introduction highlighting the significance of the topic in both historical and economic contexts.
- 2. Presentation by Mrs. Saleth: Mrs. Saleth, a renowned expert in the field, delivered an insightful presentation. She discussed the historical evolution of substance abuse, tracing its roots and impact through various civilizations and time periods.
- 3. Economic Perspectives: The presentation also delved into the economic ramifications of substance abuse, emphasizing its costs on society, healthcare systems, and productivity. Mrs. Saleth presented statistical data and case studies to underscore the economic burden associated with substance abuse.
- 4. Interactive Discussion: Following the presentation, an interactive discussion ensued, allowing students to ask questions and share their thoughts. Topics ranged from preventive measures to policy implications and societal interventions.
- 5. Awareness Campaigns: Strategies for promoting awareness and prevention were also discussed. Students brainstormed ideas for organizing awareness campaigns within the university and local community.
- 6. Conclusion: The meeting concluded with a call to action, urging students to actively participate in combating substance abuse and spreading awareness among their peers.

#### Outcome:

Overall, the meeting provided a comprehensive understanding of the historical and economic dimensions of substance abuse. It empowered students with knowledge and equipped them with the tools to contribute towards creating a substance-free environment.

#### Future Steps:

- Organize follow-up workshops or seminars to delve deeper into specific aspects of substance abuse.
- Collaborate with relevant stakeholders to implement awareness campaigns and preventive measures.

- Encourage ongoing discussions and initiatives within the student body to address substance abuse effectively.

The meeting served as a crucial step towards fostering a culture of awareness and responsibility among students, paving the way for a healthier and more informed community.







#### ORIENTATION PROGRAMME ON ANTI-RAGING





## ANTI- RAGGING AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT COMMITTEE



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# DON'T BE A MUTE SPECTATOR TO RAGGING REPORT RAGGING INCIDENTS IMMEDIATELY

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## What is Ragging?

- a mental / physical / sexual abuse
- · a verbal abuse
- · an indirect behaviour
- a criminal offence/ wrongful restraint
- · an undermining human dignity
- a financial exploitation/ extortion
- · an use of force

EACH OF THE ABOVE IS A CRIMINAL OFFENCE

## A student indulging in ragging can be:

- Expelled from the institution
- . Banned from the Mess/ Hostel
- Scholarship can be withdrawn
- Debarred from examination
- . Declined admission to any institution.
- Institution have been asked to file FIR

JOIN HANDS TO MAKE OUR CAMPUS RAGGING FREE



## TOBACCO FREE CAMPUS/ ANTI NARCOTIC CELL HOLY CROSS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

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#### THIS IS A TOBACCO FREE CAMPUS



#### **CAUSES**

CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE, CANCER, CHRONIC LUNG DISEASE AND DIABETES.

#### PARTS AFFECTED

LUNGS, HEART, BLOOD VESSELS, REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS, MOUTH, SKIN, EYES, AND BONES.

Put it out **BENEFITS OF QUITTING** before IMPROVES MOOD, HELPS RELIEVE STRESS, ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION. it puts you

CLEAN MOUTH. THIN BLOOD. NORMAL HORMONE LEVELS. PROPER HEALING.

LET US HAVE AN ENVIRONMENT FREE FROM TOBACCO SO THAT OUR FUTURE GENERATION CAN BREATHE FREE

out.



#### ANTI-RAGGING PROGRAMME

The Orientation Programme of Anti-Ragging Committee was held on 23-07-2019 at 11.15 to 12.30 in two batches. The main aim of this Orientation Programme was to have "Ragging free Campus". A Power point presentation on ragging and its consequences was given to the students by Dr. Sr. Leema Rose our Vice-Principal. It was to give an awareness about it in order to be cautious and also prudent the power point slides covered the following aspects

- Ragging and its types
- The punishment for acts of ragging
- Why and how ragging affects the victims
- Rules and regulations and IPC for registering FIR.

UGC guidelines regarding anti-ragging were explained to the students. An award-winning documentary film about ragging was staged to them. 250 students gained from this orientation programme. The meeting came to an end with the vote of thanks. A Feedback by students on Anti-Ragging Programme held on July 23<sup>rd</sup> 2019.

It was good and we were able to understand everything. It helped us to know how to act in such situations. We also learned to give this same awareness to our friends and neighbours. The important points that we received are

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- Not to be depressed in such situations
- To be courageous in speaking
- Not to take wrong decisions in life
- Not to spoil and kill other's life.
- Became aware of the punishment of the ragging.

Video clippings on Anti-Ragging moved and touched us to respect the dignity of each person.

#### MEETING CONVENED BY THE ANTI-RAGGING COMMITTEE FOR THE STUDENTS





Moreover, during the Value Education Class issues of ragging that occur in different places which come out Newspapers / TV/ Internet are discussed and the teachers give awareness to the students so as to be prudent.

On September 23rd, 2019, the Women's Cell of our college is organising one day National Seminar on the Challenges faced by women during which the topic 'Anti ragging measures' will be dealt upon so that the students may be cautious about it.