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“Intellectual growth should commence at birth and cease only at death.”
Albert Einstein.

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Editorial

स्वयम् (SWAYAM): शिक्षा में डिजिटल विभाजन को समाप्त करने की दिशा में एक महत्वपूर्ण पहल

शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार द्वारा शुरू किया गया स्वयम् (SWAYAM) भारत की शिक्षा व्यवस्था को आधुनिक और समावेशी बनाने की दिशा में एक महत्वपूर्ण पहल है। SWAYAM का पूरा नाम Study Webs of Active-Learning for Young Aspiring Minds है। इसका शुभारंभ 9 जुलाई 2017 को किया गया। यह भारत का स्वदेशी ऑनलाइन शिक्षा मंच है, जिसे विशेष रूप से उन विद्यार्थियों के लिए विकसित किया गया है जो आर्थिक, सामाजिक या भौगोलिक कारणों से गुणवत्तापूर्ण शिक्षा से वंचित रह जाते हैं। इसका मुख्य उद्देश्य शिक्षा में सुलभता (Access), समानता (Equity) और गुणवत्ता (Quality) सुनिश्चित करना है।

स्वयम् भारत का एक प्रमुख MOOC (Massive Open Online Course) प्लेटफॉर्म है, जहाँ विद्यार्थी निःशुल्क ऑनलाइन पाठ्यक्रमों का अध्ययन कर सकते हैं। इस मंच पर देश के प्रतिष्ठित संस्थानों एवं अनुभवी शिक्षकों द्वारा तैयार किए गए उच्च गुणवत्ता वाले पाठ्यक्रम उपलब्ध हैं। विद्यार्थी घर बैठे वीडियो व्याख्यान देख सकते हैं, अध्ययन सामग्री डाउनलोड कर सकते हैं तथा अपनी सुविधा के अनुसार अध्ययन कर सकते हैं। यह विशेष रूप से ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों के विद्यार्थियों के लिए अत्यंत लाभकारी सिद्ध हुआ है, जहाँ उच्च शिक्षा के अच्छे संसाधनों की कमी होती है।

स्वयम् की एक प्रमुख विशेषता इसकी चार-स्तरीय शिक्षण प्रणाली है—

1. वीडियो व्याख्यान - विषयों को समझाने के लिए विशेषज्ञ शिक्षकों द्वारा रिकॉर्ड किए गए व्याख्यान।
2. अध्ययन सामग्री - डाउनलोड एवं प्रिंट की जा सकने वाली अध्ययन सामग्री।
3. स्व-मूल्यांकन परीक्षण - क्विज़, असाइनमेंट तथा छोटे परीक्षणों के माध्यम से सीखने का मूल्यांकन।
4. ऑनलाइन चर्चा मंच - विद्यार्थियों की शंकाओं के समाधान हेतु संवादात्मक मंच।

यह प्रणाली विद्यार्थियों को स्व-अध्ययन तथा मार्गदर्शित शिक्षा दोनों का अनुभव प्रदान करती है।

इस मंच की एक अन्य महत्वपूर्ण विशेषता इसकी क्रेडिट ट्रांसफर प्रणाली है। विश्वविद्यालयों और महाविद्यालयों में अध्ययनरत विद्यार्थी स्वयम् के मान्यता प्राप्त पाठ्यक्रमों को पूरा करके उनके शैक्षणिक क्रेडिट अपनी डिग्री में जोड़ सकते हैं। इससे उन्हें लचीली शिक्षा प्राप्त करने का अवसर मिलता है तथा वे अपनी रुचि के अनुसार विभिन्न विषयों का अध्ययन कर सकते हैं।

NPTEL, UGC, CEC, NCERT तथा NIOS जैसे राष्ट्रीय संस्थान स्वयम् के पाठ्यक्रमों की गुणवत्ता बनाए रखने का कार्य करते हैं। इस मंच पर कक्षा 9 से लेकर स्नातकोत्तर स्तर तक के पाठ्यक्रम उपलब्ध हैं। विज्ञान, इंजीनियरिंग, मानविकी, प्रबंधन, भाषा अध्ययन तथा सामाजिक विज्ञान जैसे अनेक विषय इसमें शामिल हैं। जो विद्यार्थी प्रमाणपत्र प्राप्त करना चाहते हैं, वे नाममात्र शुल्क देकर परीक्षा में सम्मिलित हो सकते हैं। इन परीक्षाओं का संचालन सामान्यतः राष्ट्रीय परीक्षा एजेंसी (NTA) द्वारा किया जाता है।

अंततः, स्वयम् ने भारत में डिजिटल शिक्षा को नई दिशा दी है। यह न केवल शिक्षा को सस्ता और सुलभ बनाता है, बल्कि सभी तक समान पहुँच सुनिश्चित करते हुए विद्यार्थियों को आत्मनिर्भर और तकनीकी रूप से सक्षम भी बनाता है। आज के डिजिटल युग में स्वयम् शिक्षा के क्षेत्र में समान अवसर प्रदान करने वाला एक प्रभावशाली मंच बन चुका है।

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EDUCATIONAL NEWS

INTERNATIONAL

1. Norway Restricts AI Use in Elementary Schools

Norway has announced strict restrictions on the use of generative AI tools in elementary schools. The government believes that excessive dependence on AI may affect children's reading, writing, and critical-thinking abilities. Students in higher grades will be allowed supervised use of AI. The policy is part of a broader effort to strengthen foundational learning and reduce excessive screen exposure among young learners. Educational authorities have emphasized that technology should assist teachers rather than replace traditional teaching methods. The decision has attracted international attention and sparked discussions about the future role of AI in education.

Date: 19 June 2026

Source: Reuters

2. GEMS Education Expands School Infrastructure in UAE

Despite regional uncertainties, GEMS Education has announced major expansion plans in the United Arab Emirates. The organization intends to invest heavily in new schools and educational infrastructure over the next few years. The expansion aims to accommodate growing student enrollment and improve educational opportunities for expatriate and local families. Education experts view the move as a sign of confidence in the region's long-term educational growth.

Date: 24 June 2026

Source: Reuters

3. Australia Invests \$3.6 Billion in Higher Education

The Australian government has unveiled a major higher-education reform package worth approximately \$3.6 billion. The initiative aims to increase university participation among disadvantaged and rural students. Additional funding will support scholarships, student services, and academic assistance programs. Officials believe the investment will help create a more inclusive education system and strengthen the nation's future workforce.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Adelaide Now / Australian Government

4. Illinois Institute of Technology Opens Mumbai Campus

The Illinois Institute of Technology has announced the opening of its new campus in Mumbai, India. The campus is expected to begin operations in the 2026 academic session and will offer internationally recognized degree programs. The initiative reflects growing collaboration between Indian and foreign universities and provides students with access to global educational opportunities without leaving the country.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Times of India

5. European Union Awards Erasmus Scholarships to Indian Students

Seventy-five Indian students have been selected for prestigious Erasmus Mundus scholarships funded by the European Union. The scholarships will allow students to pursue master's degrees at multiple European universities with full financial support. The program promotes academic exchange, international cooperation, and global learning experiences for students.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: European Union / Times of India

6. Teacher Shortage Remains a Challenge in Australia

Education authorities and teacher unions in Queensland, Australia, have expressed concern over continuing teacher shortages. Although new schools are being built, there is a growing need for qualified teachers to staff them. Policymakers are considering recruitment and retention measures to address the issue and ensure quality education for students.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Courier Mail

7. UNESCO Promotes Ethical Use of AI in Higher Education

UNESCO has launched new initiatives to encourage the responsible and ethical use of artificial intelligence in higher education institutions. The organization is working with universities and policymakers to ensure that AI supports learning while maintaining fairness, transparency, and academic integrity. Training programs for educators are also being developed.

Date: 28 May 2026

Source: UNESCO

8. UNESCO Expands Digital Citizenship and AI Literacy Programs

UNESCO has introduced additional programs aimed at improving digital citizenship and AI literacy among students and teachers. The initiative seeks to prepare learners for a rapidly changing technological environment while promoting responsible use of digital tools. Experts believe digital literacy will become an essential skill in future education systems.

Date: June 2026

Source: UNESCO

9. Heat wave Disrupts School Operations in the United Kingdom

An intense heat wave has affected more than a thousand schools across England and Wales. Several institutions adjusted schedules or temporarily closed to protect students and staff from extreme temperatures. The incident has renewed discussions about climate resilience and infrastructure preparedness in schools.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: The Sun (UK) / UK Education Reports

10. Open University Supports Wider Access to Higher Education

The Open University in the United Kingdom has called for more inclusive university admission policies. Educational leaders argue that higher education should remain accessible to students from diverse backgrounds and learning pathways. The discussion reflects broader debates about equity, inclusion, and lifelong learning opportunities.

Date: 23 June 2026

Source: The Guardian

National

1. DIKSHA Becomes India's 'One Nation, One Digital Platform' for School Education

The Government of India has officially designated DIKSHA as the national digital platform for school education. The platform offers curriculum-based learning materials, teacher training, assessments, and multilingual digital resources, making quality education more accessible to students and teachers across the country.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: *Times of India*

2. Bihar Revises School Timings Due to Heatwave

The Bihar Education Department has changed school timings across the state because of severe heatwave conditions. The revised schedule applies to secondary and higher secondary schools and is intended to protect students and staff from extreme temperatures. Authorities stated that student safety remains the top priority. Similar measures have been adopted in several states facing unusually high temperatures this summer.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Times of India

3. Congress Launches Nationwide Education Campaign

The Congress party has launched a nationwide campaign called "Chhatron Ki Goonj" focusing on issues in India's education system. The campaign aims to highlight concerns such as examination management, educational reforms, and student welfare. Press conferences and public discussions are planned across multiple cities to draw attention to challenges facing students and educational institutions.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Times of India

4. CBSE Releases Majority of Class XII Revaluation Results

CBSE has announced that over 87% of Class XII revaluation applications have been processed. The board stated that evaluations were conducted through a robust system to ensure fairness and accuracy. The development comes amid discussions regarding transparency in digital evaluation processes. Students and parents have welcomed the timely release of the revised results.

Date: 22 June 2026

Source: Times of India

5. NMC Directs Medical Colleges to Strengthen Vigilance for NEET

The National Medical Commission instructed medical colleges to restrict leave and strengthen monitoring mechanisms ahead of the NEET-UG re-examination. The objective is to ensure the smooth and secure conduct of the examination. Institutions were advised to maintain strict vigilance and cooperate with authorities to preserve examination integrity.

Date: 18 June 2026

Source: Times of India

6. Education Ministry Reviews NEET Re-Examination Preparations

Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan chaired a high-level review meeting before the NEET re-test. The meeting focused on examination security, student welfare, and logistical arrangements. Officials were instructed to ensure adequate facilities such as drinking water, proper seating, and smooth examination management for candidates across the country.

Date: 19 June 2026

Source: Economic Times

7. NCET 2026 Results Declared by NTA

The National Testing Agency (NTA) announced the results of the National Common Entrance Test (NCET) 2026. The examination is an important gateway for admission to integrated teacher education programmes. Candidates can access their scorecards through the official portal. The announcement marks another step toward strengthening teacher education under the National Education Policy.

Date: 11 June 2026

Source: Times of India

8. Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board Gets New Infrastructure

The Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board inaugurated its new building in Patna. The new facility is expected to improve administrative efficiency and provide better support for Sanskrit education in the state. Officials emphasized the importance of preserving and promoting classical Indian languages through improved educational infrastructure.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Times of India

9. CUET-UG 2026 Topper Highlights Concept-Based Learning

CUET-UG 2026 topper Devina Gahlot shared her preparation strategy, emphasizing conceptual understanding rather than rote memorization. She credited NCERT textbooks and consistent study habits for her success. Her achievement has encouraged students to focus more on understanding concepts and developing analytical skills.

Date: 24 June 2026

Source: Economic Times

10. India Strengthens Security Measures for National Entrance Exams

Following concerns about examination fraud, authorities implemented enhanced security measures for national entrance examinations, including NEET. These measures include stricter monitoring, secure distribution systems, and increased coordination among agencies. The initiative aims to restore confidence in the examination process and ensure fairness for millions of students.

Date: June 2026

Source: Reuters / Wall Street Journal

Jharkhand

1. JTET 2026 Registration Process Concludes

The Jharkhand Academic Council (JAC) completed the registration process for the Jharkhand Teacher Eligibility Test (JTET) 2026. The examination is essential for candidates seeking teaching positions in primary and upper-primary schools across the state. Thousands of aspiring teachers applied for the examination. Education experts believe that JTET plays a significant role in improving the quality of school education by ensuring that qualified teachers enter the profession. Candidates are now preparing for the next stages of the recruitment process.

Date: 20 June 2026

Source: Times of India

2. Jharkhand Opens B.Tech Admissions for 2026

The Jharkhand Combined Entrance Competitive Examination Board (JCECEB) has started the admission process for B.Tech and BE programmes in engineering colleges across the state. Students who qualified in JEE Main 2026 are eligible to apply. The registration process will continue until 2 July 2026. The admission drive is expected to benefit thousands of students seeking engineering education in Jharkhand. Authorities have also emphasized reservation provisions and transparent merit-based selection.

Date: 24 June 2026

Source: Times of India

3. Ranchi Student Achieves Perfect 500/500 After CBSE Revaluation

A Class XII student from Ranchi achieved a perfect score of 500 out of 500 after applying for CBSE revaluation. Initially scoring 95.2%, the student gained an additional 24 marks during the rechecking process. The case has highlighted the importance of the revaluation system and encouraged students to seek review if they believe an error has occurred. Educationists have called the incident a reminder of the need for accuracy in evaluation.

Date: 23 June 2026

Source: Times of India

4. Jamshedpur Women's University Begins Admission Process

Jamshedpur Women's University has announced admissions for the 2026 academic session. The university is offering undergraduate programmes in various disciplines and expects a large number of applications. Officials have encouraged students to complete the admission process within the prescribed schedule. The university continues to expand opportunities for women's higher education in Jharkhand.

Date: 13 May 2026

Source: The Avenue Mail

5. Focus on Teacher Education Through NCET and JTET

Jharkhand has witnessed increased attention toward teacher education this year. Along with JTET, candidates are also exploring opportunities through the National Common Entrance Test (NCET) for integrated teacher education programmes. Educational authorities believe that strengthening teacher preparation will improve classroom learning outcomes and support the goals of the National Education Policy (NEP).

Date: June 2026

Source: JAC / Education Reports

6. Heatwave Conditions Affect School Operations

Several districts in Jharkhand have been facing high temperatures and humid weather conditions. Education authorities have been monitoring the situation to ensure student safety. Schools have been advised to take precautionary measures, including ensuring adequate drinking water and avoiding prolonged outdoor activities. Weather experts expect some relief with the advancement of the monsoon.

Date: 25 June 2026

Source: Navbharat Times

7. Increased Demand for Engineering Education in Jharkhand

The launch of the new engineering admission cycle has highlighted growing interest in technical education among students. Government engineering colleges and technical institutions across Jharkhand are expected to witness strong enrollment. Experts attribute the trend to increasing career opportunities in technology, artificial intelligence, data science, and engineering sectors.

Date: 24 June 2026

Source: JCECEB / Times of India

8. State Open University Expands Distance Learning Opportunities

Jharkhand State Open University continues to strengthen access to higher education through distance and open learning programmes. The university provides opportunities for working professionals, rural learners, and students who cannot attend regular classes. Officials believe open and distance education will play an important role in increasing the state's Gross Enrollment Ratio in higher education.

Date: June 2026

Source: Jharkhand State Open University

9. Government Emphasizes Digital Education and Technical Skills

The Jharkhand government has continued efforts to strengthen higher and technical education institutions across the state. Officials are focusing on improving access to engineering, technical, and professional education. The initiative aligns with national goals aimed at enhancing employability and digital skills among youth.

Date: June 2026

Source: Department of Higher and Technical Education, Jharkhand

10. Discussion on Safety and Child Protection in Educational Institutions

A recent incident in Sahibganj has renewed discussions on student safety and child protection measures in schools and hostels. Education authorities and community leaders have stressed the importance of strict monitoring, awareness programmes, and safeguarding mechanisms to ensure a secure learning environment for all students.

Date: 20 June 2026

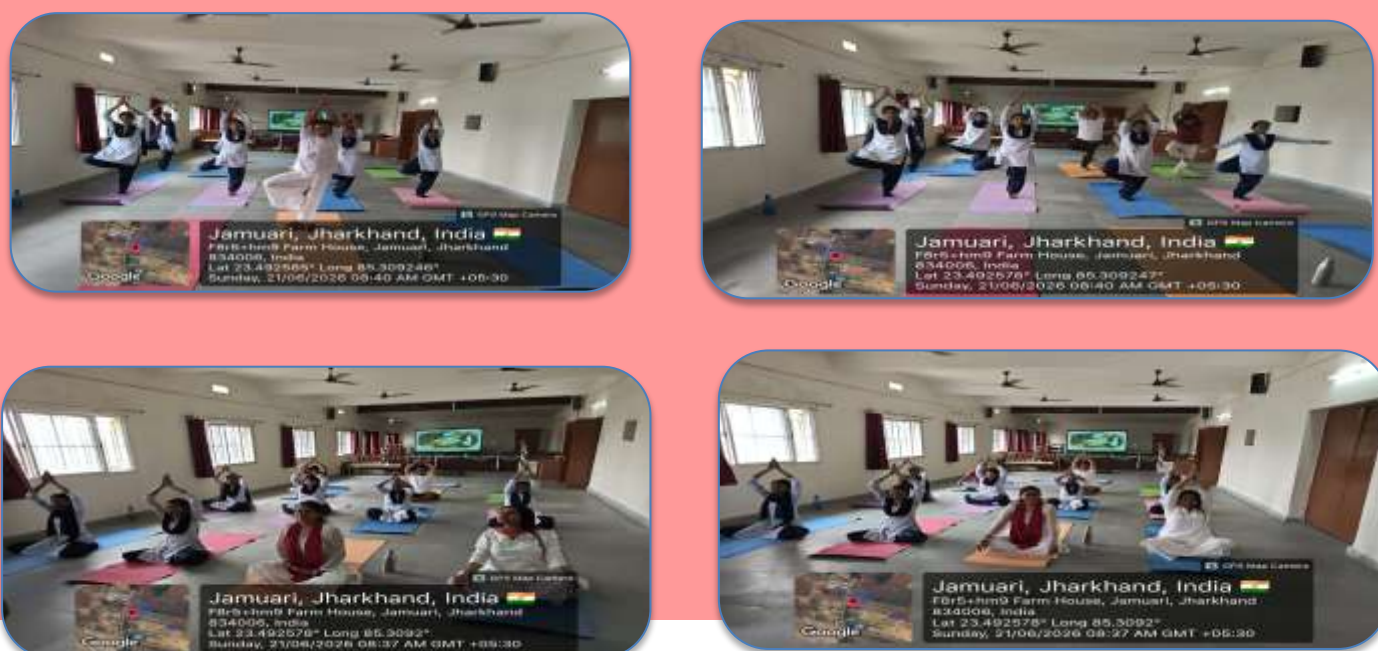
Source: Times of India

ACTIVITY GALLERY

1. 8 Days Educational Tour concluded from 28/05/2026 to 04/06/2026



2. Yoga Day was celebrated on June 21st



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3. New Principal's Room Inaugurated

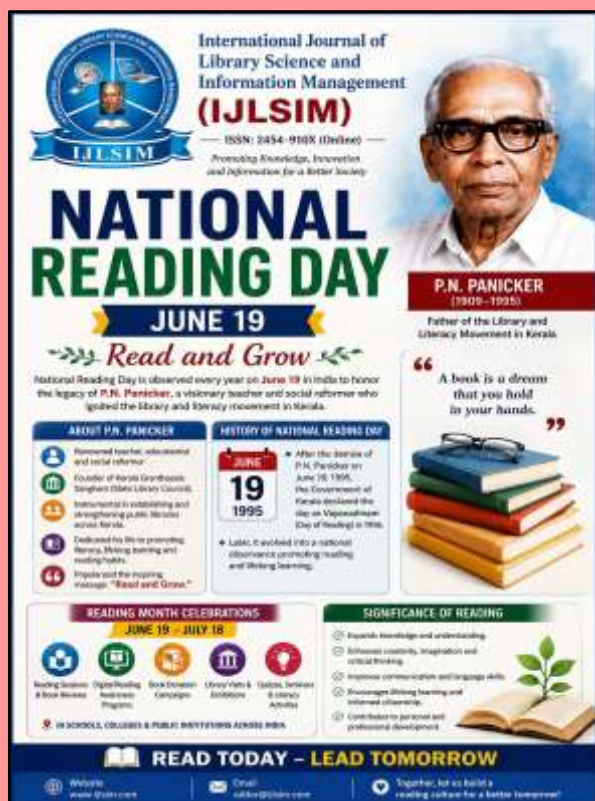


NEW INITIATIVE

1. Preparation of the Question Bank

The preparation of a Question Bank has been initiated under the supervision of IQAC to strengthen academic activities through the active contribution of all teaching members. The Question Bank will become a part of the college library, providing students with easy access to a wide range of subject-wise questions for study, practice, and examination preparation. This initiative aims to enhance the quality of teaching and learning while promoting academic excellence.

SNIPPETS



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NATIONAL READING DAY

JUNE 19
Read and Grow

National Reading Day is observed every year on June 19 in India to honor the legacy of P.N. Panicker, a visionary teacher and social reformer who ignited the library and literacy movement in Kerala.

ABOUT P.N. PANICKER

- Renowned teacher, educational and social reformer.
- Founder of Kerala Gramothaka Sangham (State Library Council).
- Instrumental in establishing and strengthening public libraries across the state.
- Dedicated his life to promoting literacy, lifelong learning and reading habits.
- Popularized the inspiring message, "Read and Grow."

HISTORY OF NATIONAL READING DAY

JUNE 19 1995

After the demise of P.N. Panicker on June 15, 1995, the Government of Kerala declared the day as Vignayadanam Day of Knowledge in 1996.

Later, it evolved into a national observance promoting reading and lifelong learning.

“A book is a dream that you hold in your hands.”

READING MONTH CELEBRATIONS
JUNE 19 – JULY 18

SIGNIFICANCE OF READING

- Expands knowledge and understanding.
- Enhances creativity, imagination and critical thinking.
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National Assessment and Accreditation Council
Public Notice

22nd April 2026

As per Dr. Radhakrishnan Committee recommendations, NAAC has proposed to launch the Basic (Binary) Accreditation followed by Maturity-Based Graded Levels (MBGL) Accreditation.

HEIs accredited under RAP (Revised Accreditation Framework) whose validity was set to expire or likely to expire during the period between 27th January 2024 and date of launch of Maturity Based Graded Levels (MBGL) Accreditation shall be extended for a maximum period of six months after the launch of MBGL Accreditation. Such HEIs may also opt for Basic Accreditation to be launched soon.

However, such HEIs should continue to maintain and improve quality through their IQAC efforts.

Sd/- Director, NAAC



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SHOCKING

Almost 15 million-year-old fossils
from the Miocene period were found in
Baripada town of Mayurbhanj district

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NAAC IS CHANGING. ARE WE READY?

From Activities & Compliance to Outcomes & Impact

OLD NAAC (7 CRITERIA) → **NEW NAAC (10 ATTRIBUTES)**

FROM "WHAT DID YOU DO?" TO "WHAT DIFFERENCE DID YOU MAKE?"

THE NEW NAAC FRAMEWORK: 10 KEY AREAS

1. CURRICULUM Relevance, flexibility, industry alignment, and learner-centric design.	6. EXTENDED CURRICULAR ENGAGEMENTS Community outreach, social responsibility, industry interaction, and holistic development.
2. FACULTY RESOURCES Quality, competency, development, research engagement, and professional growth.	7. GOVERNANCE & ADMINISTRATION Transparent leadership, institutional effectiveness, and strategic planning.
3. INFRASTRUCTURE Modern learning spaces, laboratories, digital resources, and technological readiness.	8. STUDENT OUTCOMES Employability, entrepreneurship, higher education progression, and overall student success.
4. FINANCIAL RESOURCES & MANAGEMENT Sustainability, resource mobilization, and efficient utilization of funds.	9. RESEARCH & INNOVATION OUTCOMES Meaningful research, patents, publications, technology transfer, and societal contributions.
5. LEARNING & TEACHING Innovative pedagogies, student engagement, and outcome-based learning outcomes.	10. SUSTAINABILITY OUTCOMES Environmental responsibility, sustainable practices, and long-term institutional impact.

WHAT THIS MEANS FOR INSTITUTIONS

CHALLENGES AHEAD

- Moving from process compliance to outcome orientation.
- Robust data collection and analysis.
- Strong Internal Quality Assurance Systems.
- Faculty development and capacity building.
- Strategic planning linked to measurable goals.
- A culture of accountability and continuous improvement.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

- Redefined educational quality and impact values.
- Enhance employability, innovation, and impact.
- Strengthen stakeholder trust and satisfaction.
- Align with global quality assurance trends.
- Build institutions that make a difference for students, society, industry, and the nation.

THE QUESTION IS NO LONGER "HOW MUCH DID WE DO?" BUT "HOW MUCH DIFFERENCE DID WE MAKE?"

LET'S EMBRACE THE CHANGE. LET'S CREATE IMPACT.

#NAAC #HigherEducation #Accreditation #QualityAssurance #OutcomeBasedEducation #InstitutionalExcellence #StudentSuccess #ResearchInnovation #Governance #Sustainability #IQA2020 #AcademicQuality

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Forthcoming events

1. Felicitation Program

Tentative Date – 1st Week of August 2026

2. Seminar proposed on NAAC.

Tentative Date – 3rd Week of August 2026

3. Two days National seminar on Emerging Trends, challenges and practices in guidance and counseling

Tentative Date – 4th week of August 2026

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