



Guru Vishwambharkrupa Bahuuddeshiya Shikshan Prasarak Mandal Lakkadjawalga's

## **Shivneri Mahavidyalaya, (Arts, Commerce & Science)**

NAAC accredited 'B+' Grade with 2.54 CGPA

Shirur Anantpal – 413 544 Tq. Shirur Anantpal, Dist. Latur

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### **INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)**

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## **7.3 Institutional Distinctiveness**

### **Title: A vision to offer a “Quality Education to Rural Masses”**

Guru Vishwambhar Krupa Shikshan Prasarak Mandal' Lakkad Jawalga's established Shivneri Mahavidyalaya in June 2000 with a vision to offer a “Quality Education to Rural Masses”. The college offer degree programmes in Arts, Commerce and Science disciplines. The institute also offers distance education programmes Master of Arts (M. A) and Master of Commerce (M. Com). The college is permanently affiliated to SRTMU Nanded. The institute is recognized under the Section 2 (f) 12 (B) of the UGC Act 1956. The college has been accredited by NAAC in 2017 with securing a CGPA 2.54 (B+ Grade) in Cycle-I.

- 1. Uniqueness of the location of Institute:** The college located at Shirur Anantpal town of Latur district of Marathwada region of Maharashtra State. As there is no any other higher education institution in vicinity of about 35-40 km, this Institution is playing a key role to offer a higher education to the students in rural area.
  - **Enrollment percentage:** The institution has two uniqueness in context to number of enrollments i.e., out of the total students enrolled during the last five years average percentage of students belongs to reserved category is 62.70%. The average percentage of Girl students is 48.26%.
  - **Social Outcomes of the institution:** Due to this institute the parents granting the permission to their Girls to take higher education which may led to avoid the social issues like early marriages. Furthermore, the students from deprived and marginal community have got an opportunity to take higher education in their areas. The presence of this institution has resolved the issue of migration of the students from rural area to urban center for higher education. It led to enhance the gross enrollment ratio of rural masses in higher education.

- 2. Infrastructure facility**

The college has a three-story building raised on **4 acres of land** with a built-up area of **3211 Sq M**. Institution has adequate infrastructure and physical facilities for teaching learning process.

**Teaching:** There is total 18 numbers of spacious and well-furnished classrooms and 12 laboratories functional in the science, commerce and Arts discipline.

A separate language laboratory of 13 computers enabled with ETNL software and 08 computers for English and Commerce department. As a part of ICT enabled teaching learning there are three classrooms equipped with LCD projector.

**Sports:** Indoor Hall established during 2017-2018. It consists of 02 wooden badminton courts, 01 Table tennis court. For playing outdoor game we have a very big ground available with an area more than 2.5 acres. This area is used for playing different games like valley ball, kho-kho, kabbadi,

cricket, athletics, wrestling etc. Beside college main building we have provided a separate well-equipped Gymnasium Hall with (20 X 30 sq.ft.) size for physical exercise.

**Library: College** has a Central Library consist 9893 books. It consists software's like ILMS, OPAC, DELNET etc. The college has total 44 numbers of computers with internet facility for the use of students and teachers. CCTV facility for Safety of students.

### 3. Quality Teachers Profile

The college has 33 full time teaching staff, 01 full time Principal and 08 Part time teachers. Out of which 19 teachers have been awarded Ph.D. 16 teachers are recognized as a research supervisor in concerned subjects. 10 teachers are promoted as Associate Professor under CAS. 06 teachers are elected/nominated as Member of Board of Studies of the parent university.

### 4. Exploration of Knowledge through Research

The college received a grant of Rs. 1.05 Lakhs in lieu of completion of two (02) Minor Research Projects funded by affiliated university. In addition, Rs. 1.35 Lakhs for another two ongoing research projects. Faculty members have published 104 research papers in the journals as notified on UGC CARE list. The number of books and chapters in edited volumes/books published and papers published in national/ international conference proceedings are 41. The institute have 05 functional MoUs; 11 research linkages and 15 teachers contributed research work with the collaborative research activities during the last five years.

### 5. Social Outreach

Beside the academic duties the college strive to maintain the cordial relation and harmony with society through social outreach programmes. The social outreach activities are enlisted as follows;

#### ▪ Organization of Covid-19 Vaccination Drive I & II

The college has organized two Covid-19 vaccination drives incollaboration with the Primary Health Centre, Shirur Anantpal under the programme of Maharashtra State's *Mission Kavach-Kundal* on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2021 and *Mission Yuva Swasth* on 30<sup>th</sup> October 2021. In this two vaccination drive 61 peoples were vaccinated.

#### ▪ Provided a Building for Covid-19 Quarantine Centre

In accordance to directives from the Tehsil and Taluka Health Officer; the college has provided a building of Women's Hostel and Indoor Stadium for Quarantine Centre during Covid-19 pandemic. About 362 patients were admitted and treated in the Quarantine Centre during the pandemic period.

#### ▪ Financial Assistance to CM Relief Fund

- a) Kerala Flood Affected Peoples and hand over the amount of Rs. 37321/- to the Chief Minister Relief Fund of Maharashtra State.
- b) The college has organized a Rally for the collection of public funds for the Relief to Sangli (MS) Flood Affected Peoples and Rs. 23125/- contributed to the CM Relief Fund.
- c) The Teaching and Non-Teaching staff of the college has contributed One Day Salary during the Covid-19 pandemic i.e. Rs. 129614/- to the CM Relief Fund.
- d) d) The Teaching and Non-Teaching staff of the college has contributed One Day Salary during the Covid-19 pandemic i.e. Rs. 222309/- to the CM Relief Fund.

▪ **NSS Activities:** The institute has a functional National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of 150 students and 02 Programme Officers. NSS unit is consistently engaged in social outreach activities through its regular activities in college premises and special camps in a neighborhood adopted village as per university guidelines. Activities viz. *Awareness for Environment conservation, personal hygiene, Gram Swachhata Abhiyan, plantation programmes, Cattles Health Inspection Camps, Eradication of Blind Superstitions, Addiction free society, Awareness on Health issues* etc.

- **Appreciation from Authorities:** The appreciation of the extension work carried out in neighborhood community is recognized and letters of appreciation were issued by the concerned offices Viz. Grampanchayat office, Tehsil office and Primary Health Centre (PHC).

#### **6. Excellence in Sports**

Due to availability of well-equipped sports facilities, the college has organized university level sports events every year. During the last five years 246 students participated in university level events. Out of which 27 students received awards/ medals in sports competitions at University, Zonal and National level competitions.

#### **7. Recognitions and Awards**

Shivneri Mahavidyalaya's commitment to excellence is demonstrated by the numerous accolades its faculty and staff have received. In 2022-23, Dr. Dhalgade A.B. and Dr. Halse B.P. were both honored with the Akhil Bhartiya Aanatar Vidyapith Kustipurush award from SRTMU Nanded, reflecting their significant contributions in their respective fields. Additionally, in 2018-19, Suryawanshi S.H. was recognized as an Excellent Non-Teaching College Employee Class 4 by SRTMU Nanded.

#### **8. Environmental Consciousness**

The college campus scenery itself reveals the efforts of the institution for environmental conservation. The environmental awareness programmes, roof water harvesting facility, waste management, floral diversity, energy conservation practices are carried out by the college. The college has conducted Green audit, Environmental audit and Energy audit of the campus from certified authority.

#### **9. NEP Preparedness**

In order to adopt and implement the NEP-2020, the college has taken numerous efforts to sensitize the all stakeholders through various workshops. All the students are enrolled under ABC programme. Furthermore, as per the directives of the affiliated university the college played a significant role to inculcate awareness in junior college students regarding the provision under NEP-2020 through School Connect programme.