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3.4.1 Outcomes of Extension activities in neighborhood community in terms of impact and sensitizing the students to social issues for their holistic development during the last five years

Over the past five years, Pandian Saraswathi Yadav Engineering College has actively engaged in various extension activities through our NSS Unit, NCC Unit, and RRC. These initiatives have had a profound impact on the neighborhood community and have played a crucial role in sensitizing our students to social issues, contributing to their holistic development.

1. Community Impact:

Water Body Restoration: Restoration projects were undertaken in Arasanoor, Pacheri, and Enathi, revitalizing local water bodies. These efforts improved water quality, increased water availability, and enhanced the local ecosystem, benefiting both the environment and the community.

Hospital Campus Clean-Up: A clean-up drive at Arasanoor hospital campus ensured a cleaner, healthier environment for patients and staff. This initiative raised awareness about the importance of hygiene and cleanliness in healthcare settings.

Tree Plantation: Tree plantation drives along the Sivagangai Highway and at Arasanoor hospital contributed to greening efforts, improving air quality, and providing shade and aesthetic value. These activities promoted environmental sustainability and community engagement.

Digital Training: Through collaboration with Digitall Organization, we provided digital literacy training to village residents in Melur. This initiative empowered community members with essential digital skills, enhancing their access to information and technology.

Zero Carbon and Go Green Awareness Program: Awareness programs were conducted to educate the community about reducing carbon footprints and promoting green practices. These efforts fostered a culture of environmental responsibility and sustainable living.



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Blood Donation Camps: Regular blood donation camps were organized for government hospitals, ensuring a steady supply of blood for medical emergencies. These camps highlighted the importance of blood donation and encouraged voluntary participation.

2. Sensitizing Students to Social Issues:

Volunteering and Participation: Participation in these activities allowed students to witness the challenges faced by the community first-hand. Volunteering nurtured empathy, compassion, and a sense of duty towards societal betterment.

Practical Learning: Students applied classroom knowledge to real-world scenarios, enhancing their problem-solving skills and gaining valuable practical experience. This hands-on involvement enriched their academic journey.

Awareness and Advocacy: Engagement in community projects made students more aware of issues like environmental degradation, healthcare challenges, and digital illiteracy. This awareness motivated them to advocate for change and continue contributing to social causes.

Leadership and Teamwork: Organizing and executing these activities helped students develop leadership qualities, teamwork skills, and project management capabilities. These experiences fostered collaboration and strengthened their personal growth.

3. Holistic Development:

Ethical and Moral Values: Participation in socially impactful activities reinforced ethical and moral values among students, emphasizing the importance of integrity, empathy, and ethical decision-making.

Cultural Sensitivity: Interaction with diverse community members exposed students to various cultural perspectives, promoting inclusivity and cultural sensitivity.

Lifelong Commitment to Social Causes: The positive experiences from these extension activities instilled a lifelong commitment to social causes in our students. Many have continued to engage in community service and contribute to societal development as responsible citizens.



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In conclusion, the extension activities conducted by Pandian Saraswathi Yadav Engineering College through our NSS Unit, NCC Unit, and RRC have significantly benefited both the neighborhood community and our students. These initiatives have addressed crucial social issues, sensitized students to these challenges, and contributed to their holistic development, preparing them to be socially responsible professionals and citizens.



PSYEC NSS Unit I & II and Youth Red Cross(YRC) jointly organized a blood donation camp at our College campus on 26.04.2023



Management Appreciates the Government Blood Bank Staff Members



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Students Donated Blood for the Government Hospital, Sivagangai



Distributed Food and Bed sheets to the Children home on 29.08.2018



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Tree plantation in the Arasanoor Village Hospital



Tree plantation in the Vandiyur Water Tank



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Tree plantation in the Enathi Village





Donated sarees and food to the old age home people