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7.3.1 Highlight the performance of the Institution in an area distinct to its priority and thrust (within a maximum 200 words)


Enhancing Experiential Learning through Extension Activities

Extension activities form an integral part of the Curriculum at NGM College. The fifteen Extension activities clubs/centres functioning at the College offer a rich array of opportunities and experiences whereby students extend and enrich their previously learned academic skills through experiential learning. Extension Activities help students develop their non cognitive skills through opportunities to learn and use social and intellectual skills, access to social networks of peers and adults, and opportunities to face new challenges. They also help students to work as a team and to practice interpersonal skills as they work with others.

The fifteen extension programs are offered as one-credit courses under Part-V. Every undergraduate student is required to participate in one of these activities for a minimum duration of two years (4 semesters). The evaluation of student performance is carried out by the Faculty Coordinator of the Extension Program, taking into account factors such as attendance, participation in camps, involvement in community activities, and recognition through awards, certificates, or prizes.

NCC Cadets participate in camps and training exercises where they learn to lead and work as a team in practical scenarios, such as drills and community service initiatives. Adventure Activities like trekking and obstacle courses promote physical fitness and also teach resilience and strategic planning. Participation in disaster management and first-aid training enable cadets to apply their learning in real-life emergency situations.




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NSS hosts projects like health camps, literacy programs, and environmental clean-up drives, providing hands-on experiences that connect students with community needs. After projects, NSS also facilitate sessions where members reflect on their experiences, what they learned, and how it relates to their academic studies.

YRC and RRC organize blood donation drives and health awareness campaigns enabling students to engage with the community and understand public health issues.

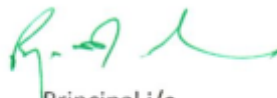
Green Society's environmental projects like Tree plantation Drives, Pongal Bird count provide direct exposure to sustainability practices and challenges.

CRD and Arutchelvar Manavar Sindhanai Mandram students engage in rural-immersion programs where they assess community needs and implement development projects, applying theoretical knowledge in practical settings. Their partnering with local authorities to empower rural communities gives them real insights into governance, policy-making, and community engagement.

Rotaract and Equal Opportunity Centre students have the opportunity to engage in dialogue, reflection and action towards creating a more inclusive and equitable society.

In **Entrepreneurial Development Centre** programs students develop and pitch their business ideas, receiving mentorship from local entrepreneurs. This hands-on approach allows them to learn about the entrepreneurial process in a practical setting.




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