



AQAR Report

2022-23

Criterion VII

Institutional Values and Best Practices

The institute is proactively taking efforts in providing an inclusive environment. The initiatives are to promote better education, economic upliftment of the needy and setting communal harmony. The institute also organizes various cultural programs to celebrate the cultural diversity of India. Students from various regional and cultural backgrounds participate in such programs and present their regional or cultural folk songs and dances. These cultural events are organized at different levels- departments, hostels, and university and on different occasions like Independence Day, Republic Day, Azad Day etc. To cater to the linguistic diversity, all students related competitions like Essay Writing, Debate, Declamations and etc are organized.

The various departments of the Institute conduct seminars, workshops, and outreach programs to promote communal harmony and tolerance. Various activities like Painting Greeting Cards for Jawans, Freedom Run, Slogan Writing Competition, Essay Writing Competition, Patriotic Song Singing Competition, Lectures by Eminent Personalities and Mass recitation of National Anthem by all students are exercised and performed.

Amritsar Group of Colleges, under Ministry of HRD-adopted 2 villages near Manawala, Amritsar region to conduct activities for their socio-economic development. Institute has conducted lectures in these villages for increasing their environmental and ethical awareness. Institute has also tested the quality of drinking water available in these villages

Institute also organizes extension activities in schools as a part of Education Social Responsibility. The extension activities are targeted towards enabling a holistic environment for student development.

Classes for children of workers were conducted by engineering students to educate them

Blood donation camp is annually organized at AGC in association with Rotary Club of Amritsar, where students, faculty and staff contributed voluntarily by donating blood for the noble cause of serving society and proudly adorn the badge of a blood donor.

Following table shows the list of various activities organized on national festival days and on great Indian leader's birth anniversaries:

S.No	National Festival/ Great Personalities Birth/Death Anniversaries	Activity Organized	Date
1	Hawan & Shri Akhand Sahib Ji Path	To mark the beginning of the session, AGC Amritsar organized Havan and Shri Akhand Sahib Path every year to welcome new year and to bring the blessings of the Almighty for the year ahead.	First Week of January every year
2	Republic Day	The College celebrated India Republic Day with gaiety and patriotic fervor. National Flag is hoisted in college campus, the staff and students saluted the National flag and pledged to uphold the honor and integrity.	26th January (every year)
3	Lohri Celebration	Every year at AGC Lohri celebrated with lot of exuberance and fanfare. This festival is celebrated to mark both celebration and sharing.	13th January (every year)
4	Basant Celebration	Basant Panchmi	Specific date

		<p>was celebrated with full vivacity and festivity at AG, Amritsar. Everyone yellow clothes and Yellow laddoos specific to the occasion were also distributed among all present.</p>	acc. to Calendar
5	International Women day	<p>International Women's Day is all about feeling self-worth and achieving the goals as per the potential. International Women's Day is celebrated on March 8 every year to honour women, salute their courage, celebrate their success and raise awareness about women's equality.</p>	8 March (every Year)
6	Teez Celebration	<p>Festival of Teej is celebrated every year with enthusiasm and excitement. Female staff members and girl students of the college participated during this occasion. The main motive behind celebrating this festival is to make everyone aware about the Punjabi customs and</p>	Specific date acc. to Calendar

		traditions and to develop liking for them	
7	Independence Day	At AGC, Amritsar, we celebrate Independence day every year. Freedom Fighters who had given us freedom they are recalled. At that day college is filled with the spirit of Nationalism.	15th August (every year)
8	Raksha Bandhan at Wagha Border	Girls Students and Coordinators of NSS Wing and Jagriti of Amritsar College of Engineering and Technology have volunteered to celebrate Raksha Bandhan at Wagha Border every year.	Before Raksha Bandhan (Any Working day of college)
9	Blood Donation Camp	NSS Volunteers participated and donated blood in Blood Donation Camp organized by All India Pingalwara Charitable Society, Amritsar on Death anniversary of Bhagat Puran Singh.	As arranged by NSS Department of Colege. Mainly 2 times in a year.
10	Teachers Day	A teacher serves the society by instructing and guiding countless students through the different stages	5 th Sep (every year)

		<p>of their growth. A teacher plays different roles in a student's life. The teacher is a philosopher enlightening their students about the ways of the world.</p> <p>At AGC we celebrate Teacher's day every year to honor the best fretnity who is shaping the young minds. Various programs arranged for teachers and in every department best teachebasis on some parameters BEST TEACHER AWARD given.</p>	
11	Diwali Celebration	<p>Diwali, the most important religious festival in the Hindu religion, is marked by millions of people across the globe. It also represents the triumph of good over evil and light over darkness, with the word Diwali, or Deepavali, meaning 'a row of lamps'. Every year at AGC Diwali celebration done with national and International Students.</p>	As per Calendar Date

12	Seminar on Health Related Tips	Various Seminars, workshops and Guest Lectures are arranged in college to promote Health related Safety tips among students and staff members for sound health.	2-3 times in a year. Specially in the beginning days of semester.
13	Human Values Workshops and FDP's	Under Value Education Cell of AGC, Amritsar Various Workshops, FDPs are arranged for students as well as for faculty members for inculcating Universal Human Values.	After end of semester examination