

### 7.3 Institutional Distinctiveness : Nurturing of Constitutional Culture

Distinctiveness refers to those activities, qualities, and accomplishments that enable an institution to enjoy a unique identity or an academic reputation for which institution is known, admired, and valued. One of the important visions of the college is “*Developing critical and analytical thinking in terms of social justice*”. Treating unequal people equally is social justice, for this there must be a conscientization which means building perception about the social order. College nurtures constitutional culture to develop critical thinking and the end objective is to inculcate rational thinking.

The Indian constitution is firmly grounded in the key values of liberty, equality and justice, with the foundational support of the values of fraternity and dignity. To inculcate the constitutional values among the students and to imbibe deeply among them is the challenge to any academic institute. The institute has successfully implemented such constitutional culture in its practice. The institution highly believes in the democratic nation where everybody enjoys his or her rights within the constitutional limits.

Constitutional culture and values are nurtured throughout the year and it reflects in the activities of the institution. Preamble of constitution is displayed permanently at the corridor, and on constitution day teachers and students read the preamble. Special lectures were organised on occasion of Babasaheb Ambedkar Mahaparinirvan Diwas and Birth anniversary, Ambedkariate Scholar Dr. Subhash Khandare delivered speech on '*Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and the Indian Constitution*'. Quiz competition on Indian Constitution was organised at Jijamata High school. A seminar was held on the occasion of The World Indigenous People Day and August Kranti Din

In regular reaching teachers focused on rationality building and classroom discussion involved various social issues.

  
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