



NAAC Accredited 'A' Grade

Guru Nanak College For Girls



Sri Muktsar Sahib (Pb.)

INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS

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Institutional Distinctiveness

The college is situated in one of the educationally backward districts of Punjab.

In 1970, the college was started with one academic programme i.e. B.A. But with an aim to develop skill, make youth employment ready, promote them for higher education and research in their respective areas of interest a variety of programmes in Science, Commerce, Arts and Computers faculty are now offered by the Institution. These are:

- **Under Graduate Courses** includes B.Sc (Medical, Non-Medical, Bio-Technology, Fashion Designing), B.Com, B.B.A., B.C.A. B.A. (with 16 elective subjects), B.A. (Hons.) in Punjabi & Sociology.
- **Post Graduate Courses** includes M.Sc. (Physics, Mathematics, Informational Technology, Fashion Designing), M.Com, M.A. (Punjabi, Hindi, Sociology, History).
- **Post Graduate Diploma Courses** includes Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Applications (PGDCA) and Post Graduate Diploma in Fashion Designing (PGDFD).
- **UGC approved job oriented Dual Degree Programs** in Fashion Designing, Journalism, Information Technology and Communicative English.
- **Short Term Courses** like Mushroom Cultivation, Vermicomposting, Computerized Accounting, English Speaking, Cooking and Baking, Basics of Computer, Preparation for competitive exams, Dyeing and Printing, Food Preservation, Cutting and Tailoring and Virasati Lok Kalavan. These courses are running at institution level.

To inculcate the moral and ethical values in the students, the institute is offering a value added course *Sikh Dharam Adhyian Pattar Vihar*

Course run by Dharam Parchar Committee of SGPC. Based on this exam, scholarships are provided to the meritorious students.

Under the visionary leadership and guidance of Management and Principal, college has been approved with **Skill Development Courses** by UGC under its NSQF scheme in 2018-19. These are:

- **Bachelor of Vocation** in Software Development, Retail Management and Food Science and Technology
- **Under Community College Scheme Advanced Diploma** in Fashion Designing & Clothing Construction and Advanced Diploma in Medical Lab Technology.

These skill development courses prepare the students in a particular area which is the contemporary need of the market. These courses offer many exit levels which helps the students in getting jobs and earn their living as and when required. The college has successfully collaborated with many firms, retail stores, medical labs, bakeries etc. for facilitating trainings and placements of B.Voc and Advanced Diploma course students.

In addition to the above mentioned courses, the institution has two NCC units, two NSS units and other such clubs aiming at holistic development of students by inculcating in them moral and ethical values, life skills, and an orientation of the needs of the community.

To enrich the curriculum, numerous activities are carried out throughout the year. These include field trips, industry visits, Guest lectures of experts from universities/industry and training programmes are also organized by various departments from time to time. Fashion shows and exhibitions are organized to

provide a platform to students to showcase their talent in addition to the curriculum enrichment. In order to elevate confidence level of students and for increasing the language proficiency various plays and screening of films based on literary are arranged. To facilitate better learning and impart necessary skills to the students, many skill enhanced workshops are also organized from time to time. These are workshops on chocolate making, Making of Eco-friendly bags, cutting, stitching, designing and paintings, Creative art, handicraft, creative writing, computer skills and Internet, Mushroom Cultivation and Spawn Preparation etc. Many skill based competitions are also organized from time to time such as Best out of Waste, Model Making, fashion shows, exhibitions, AD-MAD, AD-Selfie, Self created logo making etc. to enhance creativity and innovation among the students.

Thus, the college is distinct in the sense that it is offering numerous traditional and skill based courses along with various curriculum enriched activities in the rural area of Muktsar district.