

GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE, BELLAMPALLY

DISTRICT: MANCHERIAL

TELANGANA STATE

(Affiliated to Kakatiya University)



DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

RECORD OF BEST PRACTICES

BEST PRACTICE (2020-2021)

The department of Zoology has adopted a practice that solved the problem of the students who cannot afford to buy the books by maintaining a book bank of not only the subject textbooks but also the study material and reference books sponsored by the faculty member.

Title of the practice: Maintenance of Book Bank

Objectives of the practice:

- To provide free books to the students from economically backward classes
- To make available all types of important reading materials i.e. text books, reference books, hand outs, non book materials (paper clippings) of the subject concerned to support learning
- To support the students to increase their reading habits

The Context: It is observed that some bright students are not succeeding in their exams just because they are not capable of buying books. So the faculty of Zoology has started maintaining the departmental library with books sponsored by the faculty member.. The service was started during the academic year 2020-2021.

The Practice: Initially it was started with few books circulated to students periodically for the entire academic year as per the availability of number of books.

- The notice of the books available with Zoology Book Bank is circulated as soon as the college opens every year
- The books are provided to the needy students as per their availability
- They are recollected from the concerned students after the completion of their issue period/completion of their turn
- No fees is charged for this service
- Record of Issue and return is kept separately

Evidence of Success: Many students have shown better performance in their university examinations and the pass percentage has increased. The practice is very useful in providing support to students.

Problem encountered and Resources required:

- More fund has to be allocated
- Cupboards for arranging the books in separate sections
- Increase in the no. of text books and reference books
- Healthy and cordial relationship among the students



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