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Proceedings of the IQAC meeting held on 8 May, 2023 at 10.30 p.m. in the college Meeting Room.

The Principal and Chairperson of the IQAC welcomed the members present for the meeting. She thanked the member for all the support provided during the NAAC visit and for interacting with the NAAC Peer Committee. She mentioned about the NAAC grade of 3.02 (A).

Agenda 1: Presentation of the activities for the year 2021-2022

The IQAC coordinator presented the report of work for the year 2021-2022 related to criteria of NAAC.

The following suggestions were proposed by the members:

- Orientation programme for new teachers a strategic plan could be formed by the management.
- Subscription for e-resources
- To identify better areas of distinctiveness such as development of research competencies, women empowerment, inclusiveness, service learning.
- Prioritize institutional values and could be used as a best practice.
- Sincere there is lack of professionalism, more training is required, especially in Child Psychology and dealing with differently abled children.

Agenda 2: Discussion on the NAAC peer team report and grading.

The grade sheet was presented before the members and the following discussions were held to improve upon certain parameters.

- The scores for Infrastructure and Learning Resources is 2.36 out of 4. The chairperson justified that the money spent on infrastructure has not met the benchmarks set by NAAC, hence our scores were reduced.
- Faculty to take up research funded projects from DSERT, UNESCO, UBCHEA. The
 problem needs to be unique and innovative. Some of areas suggested were Tribal studies,
 Women and children, Dropouts, Abuses, Legal aspects for children, Justice for children,
 Literacy rates among women, Language skills; Workshops need to be organized to write
 research proposals.
- Feedback mechanisms to be strengthened on curriculum aspects.
- Publication in UGC refereed journals.
- Completion of library automation to be seen to.
- Sharing of experiences by a staff with other colleagues after they attend any conferences, seminars or workshops. Research scholars and M.Ed. students could also participate.

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The discussion continued with the institutional preparedness for ITEP. The principal mentioned that merging our Teacher Education Programme with sister institution is uncertain. Since this institution has to work independently for a 4 year programme, visualizing from a multidisciplinary perspective is required which was suggested by the members.

The Principal thanked all the members for their whole hearted participation towards the growth of the institution and assured to implement the suggestions. The meeting ended at 12.15p.m.

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