

Student Development

- The College has been giving equal importance to curricular and co-curricular activities aiming to have overall development of students, like sports, cultural activities and *etc.*
- Ccurricular activities provide opportunities for students to build quality human resource to meet the future needs in the area of horticulture and agriculture sectors in the country, while co-curricular activities available in the College helps the students to become better citizens of the country.

Though B.Sc. (Hort.)and B.Sc. (Agri.) graduates are technically sound may lack in communication and entrepreneurship skills which affects their employability. To overcome these shortcomings, College administration has taken several initiatives as presented below:

- Practical exposure to understand real field conditions under RHWE programme and the subsequent project work in their chosen field helps them to narrow down their interests and focus on their core area of interest.
- Project work by each department is based on the real farmer issues that are discussed in ‘Farmer’s Thinking Forum’ meetings conducted in the campus. Wherein students were encouraged to participate and understand the needs of the society.
- Hands on training and field exposure visits that form a part of the curriculum also play a major role in student development. To augment the knowledge gained, non-academic clubs help to build confidence to engage and channelize the student’s energy in a productive manner.
- The theory and practical sessions attach emphasis on production, protection and post-harvest handling aspects including creation of value chain for horticulture produce.
- Students are motivated to know their strengths and weaknesses, procedure for setting academic goals in areas like time management, comprehending the assignment, establishing a disciplined study routine, knowledge about the faculty and optimum use of the campus resources helps to improve the student’s performance.

The College admits on an average 80 students for UG programmes both in Horti and Agri. In addition, 15 per cent ICAR quota, 5 per cent lateral entry and 15 per cent NRI quota for B.Sc. (Hons.) Horticulture.

Personality Development

Counselling System

- Students on their admission shall be divided into convenient batches by the Dean concerned and each batch is assigned to one of the teachers, who is designated as student Counsellor.
- The Counsellor shall maintain the record of the student in the format prescribed by the University.
- The Counsellor will establish and foster close personal relationship with students assigned to him by periodical meetings with individual batch of students in order to understand their problems and to provide remedial actions as may be necessary in consultation with the course teacher (s) and the Dean concerned.
- It is compulsory that the student on his own behalf should meet the Counsellor from time to time in a semester failing which the Counsellor shall not sign the Registration Card for the next semester.
- Among other things, the Counsellor shall help the students in planning their academic programmes.
- Only the designated Counsellor shall sign the Registration Card of the student.
- However, the concerned Head of Department/Dean can sign under genuine cases.
- All representations from the students should be routed through their respective Counsellor/s.
- The Counsellor shall report the progress of the Counselee to the Parent/Guardian in the prescribed format.

Personality Development Programmes

- Along with curricular activities, College also conducts various kinds of personality development programmes for the students to get trained and lead themselves in a right path of their choice.
- To facilitate this, College has invited Resource persons, Experts, Achievers from different spectrum hoping that such activities gives an insight and strength to studentsto make best use of opportunity.

Details of Personality Development Programmes conducted from 2016-17 to 2020-21

Sl.No.	Name and Address of the Guest	Date	Topic
1	Dr. K.P Puthuraya Prof. of Human Physiology	21.11.2016	Career Guidance to Students
2	Mr. Dugappa, DYSP, Hiriya	15.09.2016	Rules and Regulation to Correct Corruption
3	Mr. Thippeswamy, Financial Literacy Councilor, UFLC, Hiriya	26.06.2016	Financial Literacy and Management
4	Mr. Satishkumar, Sub-Inspector, Police Station, Hiriya	26.6.2016	Anti Ragging and Crime
5	Dr. A.B. Patil, Registrar, HUC, Bagalkot	04.01.2017	Opportunities for Horticultural Graduates and Futuristic in Agricultural Education
6	Mr. Baltej Singh Mr. Priyanand Singh Mr. Siddagangaiah World Bank Consultants	11.05.2017	Finance Management
7	Justice N. Santhosh Hegde, Retired Supreme Court Judge, Bengaluru	02.10.2017	Personality Development and Corruption
8	Mr. S. S. Palled Senior Sessions Judge, JMFC, Hiriya	15.12.2017	How to Reduce Corruption
9	Mr. K.T.Gururaj, Circle Police Inspector, Hiriya Rural Station	25.01.2018	Anti-Ragging and Personality Development
10	Mr. Maheswarappa Ex. Principal, Govt. Arts College Chitrdurga	14.04.2018	Personality Development and Indian Constitution
11	Dr. K. K. Kamani Professor, Govt. Science College Chitrdurga	14.04.2018	Personality Development and Indian Constitution
12	Dr. V. Nagaraja Academic Council Member, UAS, Bengaluru	17.06.2019	Personality Development
13	Dr. J. Venkatesh	17.06.2019	JRF Examination

	Former DoE, UHS, Bagalkot		
14	Mr. D.T. Ramanujam Focus Academic, Mysore	20.06.2019	How to Achieve Goal and Personality Development
15	Dr. Kumar. S Business Manager, ABI, ICAR-IIHR, Hesarghatta, Bengaluru	20.06.2019	Financial Management
16	Dr. R. Prasanna Kumar Board of Management, UAS, Bagalkot	10.07.2019	Youth Role in Modern Days
17	Dr. Shiva Kumar Medical officer, G.A.H, Dept. GoK, Hiriyur	05.09.2019	Health and Sports in Student Life
18	B. Suresh Gowda Advocate and Resource Person, Kolar	05.11.2019	Personality Development
19	Mr. D.T. Ramanujam Focus Academic, Mysore	20.06.2019	A Good Leader to a Great Leader
20	Mr. B. Suresh Gowda, BA, LLB	05.11.2019	Value Based Model Education Awareness Programme
21	Mr. D.T. Ramanujam Focus Academic, Mysore	25.02.2020 to 26.02.2020	Students Counseling and Personality Development
22	Dr. M.S. Vignesh Registrar, SSET, Sagar DSW (Retd.), UAHS, Shivamogga	11.01.2021	Achievement Motivation for JRF and Competitive Examinations