

Silchar College Perspective Plan

Strengths:

1. Caters to the needs of the local folks and the downtrodden students. The nearby villagers and tea garden labourers can send their children to this institution which tries to accommodate the economically backward students.
2. There is a bunch of qualified and experienced faculty. Among the 15 faculties of the college, 6 faculties with Ph.D, 2 with Mphil. And one in the process of persuasion of Ph.D.
3. Since the institution is located away from the main town, the ambience of the college is quite peaceful.
4. The students are culturally strong and keep to their traditional roots.
5. The administrative and management policies and controls are well established and operated effectively.
6. Mentor Mentee system with regular monitoring of attendance of students and their performance in examination.
7. Almost zero incidences of ragging, gender-based violence or any other form of student unrest/protest.
8. Though the number of teaching staff is meagre, yet they are energetic young dynamic research oriented.

Weaknesses:

1. Financial constraint is major constraint which is pulling back progress of the institution in many aspects.
2. Lack of proper infrastructural provisions like a well-built large sized auditorium, well equipped canteen, hostel facilities etc.
3. Access to technology is limited.
4. The institution provides single stream i.e., Arts.
5. Requirement of major/honours in subjects other than Economics.
6. Participation of the parents is limited due to lack of awareness.

7. The number of dropouts is quite alarming which may be due to financial crisis.
8. The college is unable to provide platform to any vocational courses yet.
9. Absence of exam centre in the college due to which students face a lot of problems to appear their exams in other colleges.

Opportunities:

1. Uses its alumni base for institutional growth.
2. Ph.D. programmes offered by many public and private universities.
3. Through Memorandum of understanding with a few neighbouring colleges our institution has opportunities to go for student/faculty exchange programmes and can also organize seminars/ workshops/ symposiums etc at national and international level.

Challenges:

1. Compromise in the quality of student intake in certain departments due to change in preference.
2. Lack of technically trained teaching and non-teaching staff.
3. The institution has no journal or book publication with ISSN/ISBN.