# Maharaja Manindra Chandra College

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# Institutional Best Practices 2021-2022

## **Best Practice I:**

### 1. Title of the Practice

Free ship and concession for the students having financial difficulties

# 2. Objectives of the Practice

The aim of the practice is to provide the financial support to the students having financial difficulties. This will help those to continue their studies without any mental stress.

#### 3. The Context

The college receives students from various backgrounds. There are several students who are meritorious but not capable of paying tuition and other fees due to their financial conditions.

#### 4. The Practice

The institution has initiated a scholarship scheme to distribute fund to the needy students as full semester tuition fees waiver or half semester tuition fees based on their financial status and also performance in the academic and related activities. In this year college decide to waive off the tuition fees of three months for all the students of 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> semester students (1997) as all of them had to face the hard time of pandemic.

# 5. Evidence of Success

A large number of students come to study here often belong to the lowest income groups. Many are first generation learners and receive absolutely no support from their families. These students would not be in a position to pursue higher education if it were not for the extensive support–financial and otherwise-offered by the College.

# 6. Problems Encountered and Resources Required

The number of students having financial difficulties is large, due to lack of sufficient funds, it becomes difficult to provide financial help to all of them.

### **Best Practice II:**

#### 1. Title of the Practice

Prize distribution to encourage the students

# 2. Objectives of the Practice

In order to encourage the students to excel in the academics, the college felicitates the students with several prizes as books, medals etc.

#### 3. The Context

A healthy competition among students can boost up and improve the quality of their study. As a result, a pretty good number of students perform well in the exam.

#### 4. The Practice

The college provides several prizes as mainly books and gold medals to the students who rank 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in each subject taught in the college. Not only for the final year students, the prizes are also provided to the intermediate year students. Many teachers of the college donate memorial prizes in the memory of their beloved family members. The alumni association of the college also gives prizes for the students.

# 5. Evidence of Success

This practice encourages the student to study more and acquire good grades to avail these prizes. The choice of text books as prizes helps those needy students in the intermediate year to continue further study without difficulty.

# 6. Problems Encountered and Resources Required

With the increasing price of gold, it becomes difficult to provide identical gold medals as before due to lack of sufficient funds.