

JOY OF GIVING

Title of the Practice

“Joy of Giving”

Objectives of the Practice

- To inculcate the habit of sharing and caring among students and staff by extending help to the needy.
- To sensitize students towards identifying real-life needs of underprivileged children and responding meaningfully.
- To develop moral values, empathy, and social responsibility among students, shaping them into responsible citizens.

The Context

There are several orphanages and welfare organizations in and around Rajahmundry that take care of underprivileged children. These institutions require continuous support in meeting the daily necessities of children. Recognizing this social responsibility, the Department of Physics has been actively involved in encouraging students to participate in community service activities through the initiative “**Joy of Giving.**”

The Practice

As part of the “Joy of Giving” initiative, the **Department of Physics**, along with **PG First Year students**, organized a social outreach activity on **31st January 2026**. The faculty and students visited **Sri Gowthami Jeevakarunya Sangham**, located at **Pushkar Ghat, Rajahmundry**, which is an orphan home catering to **boy children below 15 years of age**.

Understanding the immediate and essential requirements of the children, the department and students collectively contributed funds and donated **daily necessities** such as detergents, soaps, oil, toothpaste, kesari, dal, and other essential groceries. The materials were handed over to the caretakers of the orphanage for the welfare of the children.

The faculty and students spent quality time interacting with the children and the caretakers, understanding their living conditions, listening to their experiences, and expressing support and encouragement. The department members also discussed with the caretakers about the **future needs of the orphanage** and assured them of continued support through student-driven initiatives.

Evidence of Success

- The caretakers and children of the orphan home expressed happiness and gratitude for the support extended by the department and students.
- Students actively participated and experienced a sense of fulfillment by contributing to the welfare of the children.
- The interaction helped students develop empathy, social awareness, and responsibility towards society.
- The department identified further needs of the orphanage and resolved to extend continued assistance in the future with greater student involvement.

Outcome

The program successfully motivated students towards social service and reinforced the importance of community engagement. The initiative strengthened the bond between the institution and society, making students aware that even small efforts can make a meaningful difference in the lives of others.









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