

4.2 Library as a Learning Resource

4.1.1 Library is automated with digital facilities using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS),adequate subscriptions to e-resources and journals are made. The library is optimally used by the faculty and students

Response:

The college library has a spacious reading area and a separate space for an internet facility(E-library with 8 desktops). The layout of the library is enclosed with an area of 22.61X10.00 Sq. Mts. It accommodates 108 students. Our college has constituted a four-membered advisory committee of faculty members, which supervises the purchase of the books required by each Department and helps in the smooth functioning of the library. The college library is a member of Inflibnet and Shodhganga, The college ID for the N-list is 6005.

The constitution of the committee is as follows: Chairman: Dr. Ajay Kumar Pathak

Asst Prof: Nadar Sita Mookkan

Asst Prof: Gaurav Singh

Students: Mayur Sonawane

Students: Sanjana Pradha

The following initiatives have been taken and implemented by the committee:

- 1) Renovation of library facilities and furniture.
- 2) Separate spacious seating arrangement for referencing in the thesis section.
- 3) Upgradation and automation of library facilities
- 4) Library has been made user-friendly by:
 - Systematic classification of resources into various heads likes text books, reference books, journals etc.
 - Orientation of new students towards optimal and disciplined utilization of library facilities
 - Cooperative and helpful Librarian and an assistant extending whatever help in locating required book/thesis/journal etc.
 - Availability of photocopying facility.

| SR NO. | PARTICULARS | AREA |
|--------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Total area of the library | Sq. Mts. 22.61X10.00 |
| 2 | Total seating capacity | 108 |

| SR NO. | LIBRARY SCHEDULE | TIMINGS |
|--------|------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | On working days | 10:00 a.m. -05:00 p.m |
| 2 | On holidays | Closed |
| 3 | During vacation | 10 a.m. -05:00 p.m |

Library Resources:

| SR NO. | PARTICULARS | COUNT |
|--------|---|-------|
| 1 | Total Reference book including IT/CS/COMMERCE/BMS | 994 |
| 2 | Books | 2412 |
| 3 | Text book | 887 |
| 4 | Total books | 4293 |

The college subscribes to a number of reference books and textbooks, e-journals of Springer, and volumes of journals. Each year new books are added. The college started working with VMS App library software in 2019, which was in use till 2022, at present as per UGC norms library is automated with KOHA software. KOHA is an Open source integrated library system (ILS) used worldwide in school and college libraries .at present version 22.05 KOHA is set up for automation. Koha has most of the features that would be expected in an ILS, including:

- Various Web 2.0 facilities like tagging, commenting, social sharing & RSS feeds
- Union catalog Facility
- Customizable search
- Online circulation
- Barcode printing
- Patron card creation
- Report generation
- Patron self-registration through OPAC

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