

## **EMPOWERING WOMEN: STRENGTHENING NATION**

Government College for Girls, Sector-14, Gurugram is a pioneer institution dedicated towards holistic development of women by instilling life skills and leadership attributes in them. The college has a special locational adage of being situated at the heart of Gurugram which makes it easily accessible by students and Faculty members. The campus can be easily reached via Public Transport thereby reducing carbon footprints and sensitizing the College Fraternity towards clean, green and alternative sources of energy. The entire campus of the college is covered with solar panels in this regard. The college has a beautiful well-maintained residential campus with lush green lawns sprawling over 32 acres with 6 girls' hostels named after the important rivers of India that accommodate 850 students so that they can pursue their studies without any disruption. We can boast of a pool of exceptional infrastructural facilities like well equipped labs; Digital Lounge, Computer Lab, Skill Development Centre, Geography Lab, Mathematics Lab, Language Lab, Botany Lab, Zoology Lab, Home Science Lab, Bio-Technology Lab, Physics Lab, Chemistry Lab, Music Room etc. that assist the students in realizing their goals. The college envisions a world where women have their rightful place and are given due recognition as leaders who reach top positions in all sectors of human endeavour. GCG-14 is the only Government college in the state offering 23 Courses including Postgraduate courses such as M.C.A., M.SC., M.COM., M.A. Geography, M.A. English, M.A. Hindi offered by 19 Departments. The unique talents and potential for leadership in the students are cultivated not only in the classrooms but outside the classrooms as well.

**1. In the classroom:** Classroom teaching in the college is characterized by a thrust on non-hierarchical pedagogy and collaborative learning that encourages students to acquire critical thinking. Faculty provides nurturing and stimulating environment where students develop their communication skills, analytical abilities, academic ethics, and teamwork. Pedagogical methods include small group tutorials, field trips, class presentations and projects. The college has a well qualified staff with more than 90 teachers having PhD degrees. By the virtue of quality education imparted here, our students secure numerous distinctions in all the streams, which is a singular achievement by any college in Haryana.

**2. Beyond the classroom:** At GCG-14, learning and training go beyond the classroom walls. Students join societies and clubs as per their hobbies and interests. This helps them in developing holistic personality and imbibe the spirit of democratic planning and teamwork. The cultural society of the college has made an imprint in the state by winning trophies in zonal, inter-zonal and state level youth fest competitions. Students take part in NSS, NCC, Red Cross and sports, Legal Literacy Cell and spearhead several social outreach activities like; Aatma Nirbhar Bharat, Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, Child Labour, Promotion of Art and Culture, Prime Minister's overarching Scheme for Holistic Nourishment etc. Self-defence and well-being workshops give a critical edge to students in this journey making them confident to overcome barriers in society.

**3. Community Outreach:** GCG-14 is dedicated to community outreach. The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) Cell has adopted 5 villages (namely Chandu, Akalimpur, Budhera, Daultabad, Bhangraula) and one slum area- Chandan Nagar Basti. The cell has formulated a Village Development Plan (VDP) assisting rural communities in skill development and livelihood opportunities. Along with this the college has also adopted three orphanages- Salaam Baalak (Arushi Homes), Udyan Ghar and Bal Kalyan. Students visit these orphanages regularly which creates an attitude of

empathy among the students and makes them responsible towards the society. During the pandemic faculty of Home Science Department guided the students to make handmade, reusable masks. Opportunities for sale of these masks was also created to lead them towards social entrepreneurship. Students and staff members of the college initiated a college help-desk and resource pool during the second wave of COVID-19 where a large database of information regarding medical facilities and several health-related leads were collected and support was provided to the needy. The college itself was converted into COVID hospital during the pandemic by the District Administration.

**4. Placement/ Entrepreneurial Opportunities:** The Placement Cell collaborates with several prestigious companies working in different sectors, such as Navjyoti, SBI Cards, Haryana State CSR Trust, Telecom Sector, Hartron, E-Karma etc. and organises an annual zonal job fair for which these companies conduct career counselling sessions and leadership training programmes. Home Science department of the college instills entrepreneurship skills in the students. “Ecowako”- venture is started by students to recycle waste and save energy by converting trash items into creative products like used glass and plastic bottles, clay, jute etc. into lamps, trays and some decoration items. Workshops are organised by the department to provide training in Culinary and Crafts skills. Many of the students from Home Science department have started their own business enterprise.

**5. Excellence in Sports:** The students at the college have been consistently performing well since the inception of the college in different events like - Handball, Korfball, Boxing, Taekwondo, Ball Badminton, Hockey etc. Coaching, training and fitness classes were also organized by the department to improve the performance of the college teams. Alumni of this college too are making strong contribution in the world like Indian track and field athlete -Geeta Zutshi has been awarded with Arjuna award and the Padma Shri and retired IAS Ramesh Inder Singh too has been awarded Padam Shri.

In a nutshell, G.C.G.-14 prepares students to excel in academic scholarship, community engagement, and civic virtues towards building “Future Ready Naari”.

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08/12/2022: Legal Rights of women session by Dr. Shobhna Jeet, Associate Professor, School of Legal Studies



5/12/2022: College Level Science Exhibition



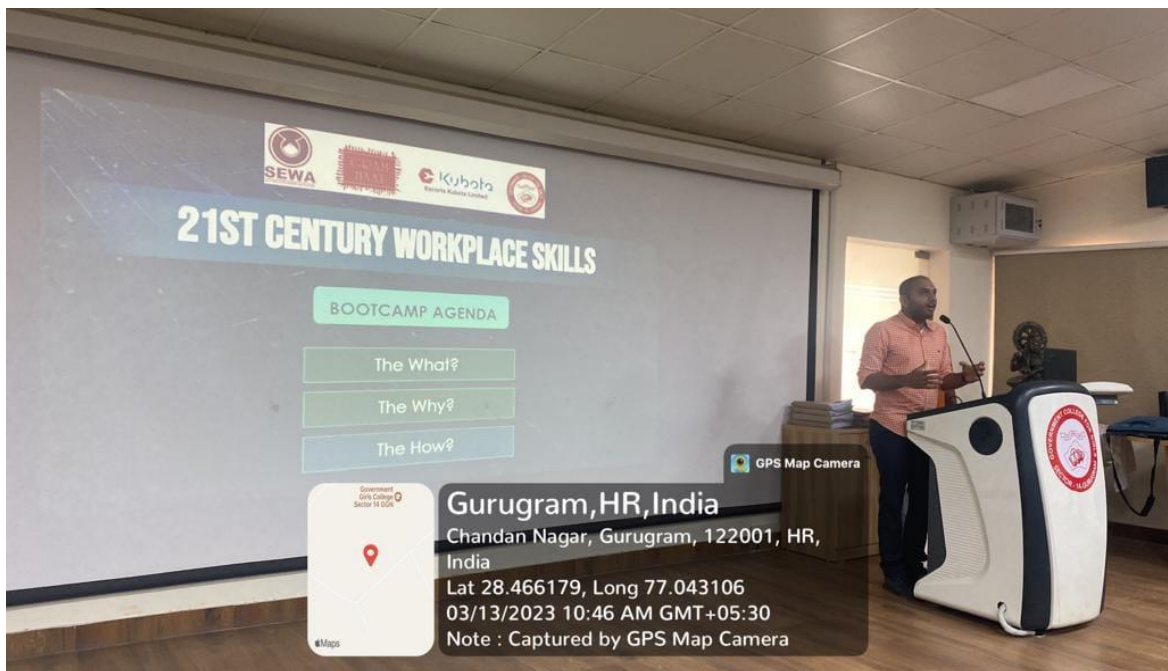


11/03/2023: Educational visit to National Science Centre by Biotechnology Students





28/02/2023: Education trip of Botany students to AMRIT UDYAN





(02-30)/03/2023: 21<sup>st</sup> Century skills by NIMAYA Foundation



Teaching in the orphanage





**2023 Environmental promotion activity in “Chandan Nagar Basti”**