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Government College of Education, Jammu bags A grade under new NAAC grading pattern

The government college of education, canal road, Jammu has bagged A grade awarded by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) under the new grading pattern. The council introduced the new pattern from July 2016 and began to assess institutions based on seven grades from the earlier four. This method was introduced to encourage healthy competition among institutions so that they would strive for excellence.

College had submitted its Self-Study Report for Assessment and accreditation for the second cycle in January 2015. The three members NAAC Peer Team visited the college from 9th to 11th March, 2017 for validation of the Self Study Report. They visited all the departments and interacted with the teaching and non-teaching staff, students, alumni and parents. They also visited all the support facilities, playground, hostels, canteen etc.

On the basis of the evaluation of Peer team, College bagged a cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 3.06 to get an A grade in the 2nd cycle. The council yesterday declared the results of its latest assessment on the basis of which grades were awarded. The accreditation and re-accreditation results of institutions in the country were approved by Standing Committee of NAAC in its 23rd Standing Committee meeting held recently.

Under the new grading system, CGPA reflects the quality status of higher education institutions. The council uses seven criteria to assess institutes ranging from teaching-learning and evaluation, curricular aspects, research, consultancy and extension, infrastructure and learning resources.

"We have been able to score good points on teaching and evaluation system, creating an independent atmosphere on the campus for skill development of students, making the institution disabled-friendly, track records of students getting jobs, introduce facilities to make classroom teaching interesting and innovate excellent facilities to promote creativity, including one of the best libraries in the state," Dr. Smotra said.

On this occasion, an elated Principal Dr. Koushal Smotra congratulated the entire staff and students of the College. She also thanked college alumni, parents of the students for their never ending support. The entire staff vowed to maintain and improve the present status achieved. She also has a special word of thanks for NAAC coordination team of College led by Dr. Anil Verma, IQAC Co-ordinator.

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Principal