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1. Best Practice - I : Birthday Kit

2. Objectives of the Practice:

- ✚ Practice strengthen the bond between college and students and parents.
- ✚ To celebrate birthday in a creative, academic and innovative manner.
- ✚ To generate a platform to boost the creativity and helps to elicit and revive student's interest.
- ✚ To empower the students connection and academic attachment with one another which is a great cause in encouragement of creation of a fertile academic environment.
- ✚ To inculcate the habit of sharing and caring among the student community.
- ✚ Instead of merely receiving gift on birthday, experience joy in sharing and contributing to Department library enrichments.
- ✚ To promote affinity towards reading and thereby gathering new ideas and broaden their perspectives.

3. **Context:** Usually most of the rural area students are not having the opportunities celebrate their birthday in their home. Our college believes in the consistent upgrading of student's academic horizon. To attain this, we have implemented a few practices and the most notable of it is the concept of 'Birthday Kit'. The institution is striving to provide quality learning experience to the students to the geographically remote territory and other localities. The student community mostly hail from social and economically backward classes of the society. To generate a fertile field for inculcating nurturing and nourishment of new ideas and transferring them to the upcoming academic generations our college has implemented the practice of birthday kit.

4. **The Practice :** Honoring students in front of faculty and students by the Principal on the eve of their birthday makes them feel privilege. Here the students instead of sharing toffies or

candies will share the sweet nectar of knowledge and ideas. This healthy practice of donating a book on one's birthday to the department library allows the students to experience the joy of sharing the ideas and knowledge. Thus every student become a part in creating the campus better academic arena for them as well as the generations to come. This practice also enrich the department library and multiplies the joy of occasions. The best gift on a special day is to generate and revive the affinity among friends towards gathering new ideas and broadening their prospective. This also emboldens the basic human aspects of understanding and strengthening in the bond which binds us altogether which is a need of the hour in the present society.

5. Evidence of Success

Students are very happy to celebrate their birthday in the presence their teachers and college friends which develops social confidence in students

2019-20



2020-21



2021-22



2022-23



2023-24



6. Problems encountered and resources required: The funds were limited and hence only a pre-fixed amount could be spent for the birth day celebration.No problems were encountered, rather from such practice we increase the number of our book resources in Department library.



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