

### **7.3.1 INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS**

The performance of the institution in one area is its distinctive vision. We are motivated by the ideals of both Swami Dayanand and our founder member, late Smt. Bhagwati Laroia, visionaries, who believed in giving holistic education to girls to create good citizens who can contribute effectively towards nation building. This College is a girls college and situated in the semi urban area. Every year a number of rural students as well as students from marginalized section take admission in different courses. The college is running 19 departments and 4 community college courses. Our college is the only college in the district that is providing Sanskrit as elective subjects to the students so as to instill good values among students:

- Sanskrit is a repository of knowledge. The ancient Sanskrit literature holds much knowledge about society and the universe.
- Incredibly easy to learn.
- Mother of many languages.

Also it is the only institute in the district which is providing music instrumental as an elective subject to the students. Learning a music instrument not only sustains and feeds the mental equilibrium but also improves so many other cognitive and physical aspects of the human body. It is a matter of great pride that our student Ms. Prabhdeep Kaur who opted for both these subjects topped Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar in 2019 and brought laurels to our institution.

  
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