## PANCHMURA MAHAVIDYALAYA

(A Degree College of Arts, Science & Commerce)

NAAC Accredited B+ College (2nd Cycle)

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## 7.3 - Institutional Distinctiveness

## 7.3.1 - Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust within 200 words

Panchmura Mahavidyalaya is located in a rural, backward area and the college was built on the land donated by local farmers and from the fund raised by local teachers and farmers with the dream that their wards will get opportunities for accessing higher education near to their residence at affordable cost. Our institutional distinctiveness lies in the fact that due to its locational status where a significant student population hails from financially backward and weaker sections, our primary target and challenge is to provide our students with the opportunity for Higher Education at a minimum financial cost. The official Facebook page and WhatsApp groups have been used effectively as modes of communication with students. Official YouTube channel is effectively used as a teaching tool along with G-suite accounts for live google meet classes. Effective use of the Learning Management System with class notes and regular assessments is done. Digital library with e-books using INFLIBNET login access for students of all departments have been used effectively. In addition to conventional teaching-learning, Skill-based training in Hardware, Soft Skill development and Basic Computer training is done after class hours to empower them with various skills for self-reliance and entrepreneurship development.

Apart from this the college provides the financial assistance to the learners through scholarship assistance from Government and Non-Government organizations to almost 100% of the learners. In addition to this, college provides free-ships to those learners who could not qualify for Government and Non-Government Scholarships. Measures taken to promote holistic development of the students such as sports equipment's, availability of smart class rooms, E-library facility, high skilled faculty members, Women football team and hostel facility containing all types of modern facilities.

