Department of Social Work: NSS & UBA

Report for the month of Apríl 2022

National Service Scheme – Unit I & II

I. Formation of NSS Board for NSS Unit I:

This month, 15 shortlisted students were called for group interviews followed by orientation about NSS. The motivated students further got their friends to join NSS as active volunteers. A series of meetings were held with the students which not only gave them a fair understanding of the expanse of NSS work but also provided an opportunity to build rapport with each other. The NSS Board will be eventually formed in July once College resumes for the new academic session. However, it is worth mentioning that those who were selected came regularly and volunteered to help in whatever work as required.



Group interview and orientation underway

II. Update on social credit verification of semester VI students of both campuses:

Till this month, NSS Unit I received around 1800 credit sheets from semester VI students for verification, another 114 credit sheets were received from NSS Unit II at Raghabpur campus. Approximately around 900 credit sheets (for NSS Unit I) were verified this month and for NSS Unit II approx. 80 credit sheets were verified this month.

III. Update on progress of Kadam 2021

Kadam 2021 is the Annual Report of the department. With help from students of MCVA and MMFI, work progressed to a large extent. Two drafts were completed and work is on to make the final draft. The covers have been completed and by next month the final draft along with the covers will be sent to Fr. Principal for approval.

IV. Orientation and training for NSS Unit II staff:

On 1st April, Mr. Pradip Mandal joined NSS Unit II. Around 8 meetings were held to orient Mr. Pradip Mandal about NSS and UBA work. He was further trained on how to verify credit sheets, prepare event calendar, how to keep and update stock register etc. It was a tedious task as Mr. Pradip is not professionally trained in social work. However, his eagerness to learn was appreciated.

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan – Progress Report

I. Follow-up of organic kitchen gardening in Shalpukur village:

On 9th April, the SHG members of Shalpukur village initiated the process of preparing the compost. The SHG women were able to prepare the compost in line with the training that they received in March 2021. Before the onset of monsoon, the compost will be ready for use. The NSS staff members were in touch with the women to motivate and guide them for the same.



Raw materials for preparing organic compost
