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**STUDENT SUPPORT
AND
PROGRESSION**

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5.1.2 Efforts taken by the institution to provide career counselling including e-counselling and guidance for competitive examinations during the last five years.

During the NAAC assessment period, the University launched numerous initiatives to provide comprehensive career counselling and guidance to students preparing for competitive examinations. The Youth Welfare Department (YWD) and Placement Cell of MSU focus on students' welfare and prepare them for their future. They have conducted many activities that develop the students holistically. The YWD empowers every student in many dimensions and develops them to face the future world confidently and productively. Also, the YWD conducts elections where students are elected and trained to become budding leaders. Every department has a representative who elects a President, Vice President, Secretary, Joint Secretary and Executive members and works as a team to organise events that promote our culture and identity. This includes many programs to improve employability and creativity, develop life skills, and increase student competitiveness. The YWD, along with NSS, NCC and YRC, with the support of MSU Health Centre, spearheads awareness programs addressing critical areas such as health, cancer screening, legal rights and civil responsibilities like SWACH BHARAT, ensuring students receive a well-rounded educational experience beyond the classroom. Further, the Centre for Physical Education and NCC promotes placement opportunities through Form-3 and 'C' certificates. The University departments have organised many coaching classes to help the students clear various State and National level competitive examinations like NET, SET, GATE, TNPSC, and Indian Air Force (Uniform Services); many students have cleared various competitive exams during the assessment period.

MSU organises seminars and workshops on personality development, time management, and legal literacy to build essential skills that support academic and professional growth. MSU leverages online resources to extend its reach to students in remote areas, ensuring equitable access to guidance and support. The curriculum includes MOOCs, and students are mentored to complete the online courses successfully. Faculty members use online tools like Google Classrooms, Google Meet, Zoom, WhatsApp, and Telegram to foster learning beyond the classroom.

Talent enrichment activities complement the educational initiatives. These include cultural competitions and youth development seminars to help students discover and cultivate their unique talents and interests. Such activities enrich the student experience and prepare participants for diverse career opportunities. The Placement Cell is actively engaged in guiding students for higher education and provides opportunities for placement through campus interviews. Over the past five years, many students have been placed through campus interviews. MSU focuses on reaching the unreached, especially students from remote areas, and provides them with quality education and excellent professional opportunities. Various skill development training courses are imparted to students to develop them as successful entrepreneurs. These multifaceted efforts equip students with the necessary skills, knowledge, and confidence to excel in competitive examinations and navigate future career challenges successfully. By fostering an environment that promotes personal and professional growth, MSU is committed to ensuring the success of its students in all their endeavours. MSU aims to build their competencies for various career opportunities and promote their overall well-being, preparing them for competitive examinations and future career challenges.

SUPPORTIVE DOCUMENTS

S.N	Document(s)	Link to the Document(s)
1	Career Counselling	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion5/5121.pdf
2	Competitive Examinations	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion5/5122.pdf
3	National Cadet Crops	https://msuniv.ac.in/naac/criterion5/5123.pdf