



**MAHARSHI DAYANAND COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCE & COMMERCE**  
**PAREL, MUMBAI-12**

Academic Year 2023-24

Dept./ Association IQAC

Activity Name: Preparation for NAAC

Date: 11 /09 /2023

Title: Preparation for NAAC

Total number of Beneficiary: 72 Teachers

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell of M. D. College organized a session on “Preparation for NAAC” on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023 by Honorable Vide-chancellor Dr. Hemalata Bagla, HSNC University, Mumbai; Director, Niranjani Hiranandani School of Real Estate & Management. The workshop was organized with an objective to prepare the teachers for the upcoming NAAC peer-team visit for assessment. The session was inaugurated by welcome speech by Principal Dr. Chhaya Panse madam emphasizing the achievements and accolades of MD college and the hard-work put in by the college for the NAAC 4<sup>th</sup> cycle. Prof. Dr. Hemant O. Sharma introduced the Honorable VC to the audience. Dr. Hemalata Bagla explained the teachers that NAAC not only about accreditation but is also about self assessment of the efforts put-in by teachers for the progress of the pupils and college. Madam emphasized that the entire college staff should work like a single unit under the leadership of the Principal and every teacher must be aware of the college activities, number of departments, students enrolment, CIE, ICT enabled classrooms, library, and that every teacher must read the Self Study Report submitted by the college to the NAAC. The college must portray the strengths in drama, sports and research, and best practices. Madam also emphasized the importance of statutory bodies such as Anti-ragging cells, student’s grievance cell, Internal Complaint Cell and alumni association.

The cultural programs to be conducted during the NAAC peer-team visit must show the rich culture of Maharashtra. The college should also portray the initiative taken for green campus including solar panels, rainwater harvesting, waste composting, and plastic free campus. The teachers must convey participation in syllabus framing and Pos, PSO, and CO framing for the UoM as member of BOS, and syllabus committees of UoM to the NAAC peer-team. Display to the peer team the social activities done through NCC and NSS and other departments of the college. The process of identification of slow and fast learners and mentoring must be known to each teacher. The participation of students in various committees must also be emphasized. Teachers must be aware of the best practices of the college and distinctiveness. The college weaknesses should be portrayed in a positive way and that the mitigation measures are in place to overcome the same. The session concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Usha Dubey. All teachers from the arts, science and commerce faculties were benefitted through the session.

Dr. Vaishali U. Somani  
Organizer / Convener

Dr. Chhaya S. Panse  
Principal

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