## PGP COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY



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## 7.3.1: Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust within 1000 words

## Response:

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SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY TOWARDS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND NATION BUILDING

PGP College of Engineering and Technology was started in the year 1999. The main feature of the college comprises world class infrastructure with experienced and talented faculties, excellent pass percentage, good placement records and society-oriented products/projects developed by the students.

PGP provides quality education with minimum fess structure. PGP undertakes all steps to ensure that scholarship sanctioned by Central and state government are enjoyed by the students. In addition to this PGP provides empowerment to students by providing scholarship for economically backward and meritorious students. Tuition fee waiver schemes has been provided to economically backward students. It helps in empowering their academic and career goals by removing the financial barrier. PGP Merit Scholarship has been given to students who have scored more than 80% in Higher Secondary Examination.

PGP has also been keen is committed in rendering services for the development of the society. Numerous social welfare programs have been undertaken by the institution. PGP has now grown into an educational foundation promoting the values, professionalism, social sensitivity and dynamic entrepreneurship. Numerous Carrier guidance and skill development programs have been conducted at various schools which serves as an eye opener for the students. More than 1000 students have benefited by this programs past 5 Years. Computer training certificate programmes have also been conducted for neighborhood school students and rural youth by our faculties to empower them in IT field. PGP has also conducted many training sessions in basic engineering practices as an effort to curb employability in rural youths.

PGP has adopted five village panchayat namely Paramathi, Villipalayam, Pillaikalathur, Konur and Oviyampalayam. The majority of the population of these districts depends on agriculture and Industry for their livelihoods. The College has played a significant role in improving the overall gineer age of economic condition of the region through its educational service, The institution addressed

this issue that poses a particular challenge to the backbone occupations of the region, namely Farming and Fishing. Kitchen waste based Biogas plant was installed at "PGP poonga" of the Paramthi. PGP organized "Waste to wealth" programme and training was given to produce PGP rich bio Manure in paramathi village. Around 50 farmers were benefitted by this program. We have conducted medical camp and eye screening camp at Konur village. We also conducted training program to the unemployed youth how to repair electric home appliances. Around 75 youth participated and benefitted. In Oviyampalayam village we have demonstrated trouble shooting of computer's and it's applications.44 women had participated. In Villipalayam we have developed and demonstrated solar powered fish drying machine. 51 persons attended and benefitted. Yoga practice session was conducted at Pillaikalathur.

PGP has conducted ecofriendly health progarmmes. Students involved in community development activities in the villages, visit to social welfare center, cleaning drives and distributing free meals to the needy people. The spirit of mutual work, discipline, social responsibility towards community and development and nation building is inculated through NSS, NCC.

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