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

## **Response:**

A distinctive feature of our college is its sincere efforts in adoption of problem based teaching-learning supported by research aptitude among students of all faculties.

Most of the undergraduate students have participated in a variety of community-based projects, and they continued till the end of their degrees.

Financial support for this project have been provided to students through a variety of sources including the funds received from RBI, DBT Star College scheme, DBT BUILDER Scheme and support from various NGO. Over 1500 undergraduate and 700 postgraduate students have conducted independent research projects as part of the DBT Star College Scheme, which is still in use today. More than 200 participants got benefited through Hands on training workshops organized under DBT Builder scheme. Under PMMSY 34 samples of 11 different fish species are screened in the laboratory.

Students detected the sources of mass fish mortality in Jambhulwadi Lake and reported their findings to PMC in May 2023. Forty students have been participated in Ecorestoration projects at Khatpewadi Lake and Someshwar Kund in collaboration with Kirloskar Vasundhara club, Pune.

Over 45 students of Commerce Faculty are working as "Bank Mitra Volunteers" and near about 200 people got benefited in 2022-23.

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