**7.1.9 Sensitization of Students and employees of the institution to the constitution obligations: Values, rights, duties, and responsibility of citizens.**

**Response:**

The college sensitizes the students and staff to observe **fidelity to the constitution** through invited talks apart from observing the **Constitution Day** where all the rights and duties of law-abiding citizens are highlighted and reinforced. All such programmes are attended by staff and students.

Courses like **Ethical Studies** and **Human Rights** reinforce the constitutional values of justice, equality, liberty, and fraternity.

Through **Media Literacy** the students are sensitised into imbibing and promoting responsible citizenry.

**Part V** activities promote awareness on fundamental rights and also cases where the rights are infringed.

Some of the activities which sensitize students towards constitutional responsibility are as follows:

* **Participation in the local community:** Students engaging in meaningful activities in their visits to the orphanages, old age homes, hospitals, and school for the blind.
* **Participation in the democratic process:** The staff and students are sensitised on voters’ responsibility and on maintaining integrity by taking pledge on Voter’s Day and National Integrity Day.
* **Respect the rights and beliefs of others:** The students and staff are sensitized on the need to follow secular ideals.
* **Preserve the composite culture of India:** Events are organized to help them appreciate the variety of cultures.