

## **The National Service Scheme (NSS)**

Our college started NSS activities from session 2012-13. We have two units viz. Self-finance unit and finance unit, each comprising of 100 students.

A plethora of activities are conducted under Regular activity program viz. blood donation, tree plantation, health checkup camp, AIDS awareness, environment awareness, Swatchha Bharat abhiyan, road safety, voter awareness program, sickle cell testing, anti-terrorism & drug abuse, skill development & career counseling, superstition eradication, snake awareness, Betee- bachao bette- padhao, cashless India etc.

Special Camping forms an integral part of National Service Scheme. It has special appeal to the youth as it provides unique opportunities to the students for group living, collective experience sharing and constant interaction with community. Special camp was conducted in the adopted village Deolapar (Ramtek) for the last 3 years. During these 7 day Special Camping Programs, activities such as 'Youth Against Famine', 'Youth Against Dirt and Disease', 'Youth for Rural Reconstruction', 'Youth for Eco-Development', 'Youth for Mass Literacy', 'Youth for National Integration & Social Harmony' etc. were organized. For 2019 – 20, the theme of Special Camp was 'Youth for Sustainable Development with special focus on Watershed Management and Wasteland Development. During these camps our NSS volunteers were also groomed for personality development, leadership qualities, entrepreneurial activity, organic farming etc.

Our NSS volunteers and Program Officer participated in various university level, state level and national level camps. Our college devotedly works for social awareness and for the development of less privileged people.

**It is a matter of pride that during session 2018-19 we received the Best NSS college unit and Gunjan Kharabe, Asst. Prof. of our college received the Best Program Officer award of Rashtrasant Tukdoji Maharaj Nagpur University.**

