PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I welcome all students to Sanskar Sarjan Education Society's D.T.S.S. College of Commerce and P.D. Turakhia Junior College of Commerce and Science. The college is permanently affiliated to University of Mumbai; enlisted under section 2 (f) and 12 (B) of U.G.C. Act, 1956; and has been re-accredited with A Grade by NAAC.

Right from its humble origins, the Sanskar Sarjan Education Society and its institutions have been working to further the cause of holistic education amongst the economically-disadvantaged sections of the slums-dominated Kurar Village area. The education we aim to provide focuses on equipping our students to meet the challenges of the competitive job market as well as making them socially aware citizens of our nation. We are consistently following our roadmap to achieve our goals.

It gives me a great pleasure to share with you that the College today has a wide variety of programs to suit the changing needs of the students' community. Starting with B.Com., we have expanded to include career-oriented, self-financed, graduate level programs such as B.A.F, B.B.I, B.M.S., and B.Sc. (I.T). We also offer post-graduate programs such as M.Com. (Accounting), M.Com. (Management) and M.Sc. (I.T). Our commitment to academic research led us to develop Research Centres in Commerce and Accountancy, which runs M.Phil. and Ph.D. programs in Commerce and Accountancy. The D.T.S.S College of Law is the latest member of our academic community.

A College is the focal point of community activities. It is also a prestigious and permanent asset of the nation, functioning as a hub of various activities such as teaching-learning, examinations and assessment, projects and surveys, women development programs, workshops on personality development, interview techniques and quantum intelligence, career options in management, field visits, industrial visits, get-togethers, book- exhibitions, talent shows, disaster management, literary associations, health check-up camps, blood donation camps, guest lectures, scholarships to meritorious students, freeships, book bank schemes, A.N.G.C. scholarships, so on and so forth! D.T.S.S. college is a centre for all this and much more.

The act of college Building is an act of faith. It is not the responsibility of the college alone to develop an Institute and turn it over to the community, rather it is a co-operative effort

of the college and the community. D.T.S.S. College is part of the larger community. It plays the role of a guide and helps to solve the problems of the society. This means, the college and the community are working as partners. Our college trains students in order to create good citizens through the department of Sports, N.C.C., N.S.S., Rotaract Club, Women Development Cell, Cultural Committee, Literary Associations, Nature Club, Life-Long Learning and Extension; Dramatic Associations and the much-appreciated Shri Gitesh Pranlal Majlani Annapurna Scheme.

The most important point to keep in mind is that D.T.S.S. college is in conformity with the needs of the student-community it seeks to serve. The college is putting forth all efforts for the development of the human personality in all its dimensions-intellectual, physical, social, moral and spiritual. The aim of our college is:

- 1. Development of human resources.
- 2. Development of creativity and problem solving.
- 3. Commitment to human values and social justice.
- 4. Promotion of national integrity.
- 5. Development of a secular, democratic and scientific attitude.

The college strictly follows the rules and regulations prescribed by the University of Mumbai and the University Grants Commission's (U.G.C.). Competent faculty with rich academic experience, a wi-fi enabled campus, well-equipped and technologically-advanced Library and Computer Laboratories, and, above all, a student-centric approach has made D.T.S.S. College one of the most renowned colleges in the western suburbs of Mumbai.

I would like to congratulate all the members of D.T.S.S. family for their dedication and contribution to the successful functioning and continuous development of the college!

With warm regards, Dr. M. S. Kurhade, PRINCIPAL