



St. Mary's Group of Institutions Guntur

(Formerly St.Mary's Engineering College, St.Mary's P.G. Centre & St.Mary's College of Pharmacy)

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Distinctive Practices in St.Mary's

Our Institution consistently inspires students and provides platform for technical skill development, multidisciplinary project development, Entrepreneurship development, Ethical and Human values development. With the thrust of academic and technical excellence, Institution motivates and support students to participate in various Local, Regional, and National competitions. Students learn ethics, team building, technical skills, presentation skills. As majority of our students are from rural areas and diversified communities, institute's focus is on enhancing their communicative abilities, competitive skills, making them strong in facing socio-economic challenges, and thus transform them as responsible citizens.

- a) **Skill Development** : The Institution arranges skill enhancement programs to develop their skills for example - Personality enrichment, Employability skill development, Entrepreneurial development, Language skill development, etc.
- b) **Projects** : Students at the UG and PG degree courses take up Internships in industries and pursue their projects which give them hands on training experience in their fields of interest.
- c) **Entrepreneurial Development** : The institutional ED Cell critically works on generating the excitement in the young brains to generate innovative ideas and thus laying the stones for entrepreneurship. Budding entrepreneurs are motivated for startups so that they are self-sufficient and independent financially and can either support their education or family.
- d) **Ethical and Human Value Development** : Ethical values is the foremost interest of the institution, Students are motivated to visit orphanages, old age homes, Cancer institute's and serve the local adopted school or village through NSS. Students of the college are always sensitive to the social/national crisis during the natural devastations. The Vision of the Institute focuses on four aspects essentially: Global Standards, Value based Education, Social Responsibility, and Sustainable Development. The positive outcomes are achieved by incorporating the curriculum delivery blended with ethical values. The structured induction of the student into the curriculum enables to visualize the career opportunities and the approach towards achieving them. The institute provides sufficient encouragement to establish startups and develop their ideas into commercially viable products, facilitates the students to work on innovative project ideas.