

The Principal  
Govt. Degree College  
Anantnag.

*Answer  
to organize  
counseling program*

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Subject: Permission to organize a counseling programme for the female students of the college.

Respected sir,

In reference to the above cited subject, College Women Development Committee and GSASH is organizing awareness cum counseling programme for the female students of the college to provide an open forum for open dialogue and discussion on gender equity on 19/12/2023.

In this regard your good self is requested to kindly direct the College Protocol Committee and IT personnel available in the conference Hall to provide the necessary arrangements for the same.

Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,

*[Signature]*

Convener  
Women Development Committee.

## Report

Counseling Session for female students of the College organized by WDC/GSASH of Govt. Degree College, Anantnag.

**Theme: Gender Sensitization:**

**Sub Theme: Counseling Session for female students.**

To discuss importance of gender sensitization in our college, College Women Development Committee (WDC) and GSASH organized a program on 19th December 2023.

The counseling programme was meant to create awareness among female students that equality in terms of the rights is the main essence of any academic institute and same is true for our college. The worthy principal of the college Prof. Muzafar Ahmad Bhat in his address to female students encouraged students to report gender based biases and notions, ensuring that students shall be provide ample support and safe space to confront such issues.

The convener of the college WDC Prof. Mubashir Kaul in his speech talked about the importance of the WDC and working mechanism of this committee that facilitates a gender – sensitive environment enabling women and men to maximize their potential and a forum for open dialogue and discussion on gender issues. Prof. Kaul further highlighted the issues that female students often face in the college campus and affirms that such committees are here for empowering women and their overall development in the college, upholding the mission for gender equity and support.

Discussion during the interactive segment, the esteemed Principal along with the concerned committee members encouraged to provide a comprehensive outlook of the concerns and problems faced by the students in the college and feedback for overcoming such issues in the future. The feedback from the female students highlighted the challenges of gender based violence and continuous assessment to be taken up to improve counseling services and areas within the campus. The session concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Prof. Zeenat Khursheed, Asst. Professor Department of Chemistry and member of WDC and GSASH.

Report submitted for approval.

Convener  
Women Development Cell/GSASH.

Dated: 20/12/2023

