## K. J. Somaiya College of Science and Commerce Autonomous – Affiliated to University of Mumbai Vidyavihar, Mumbai - 400077

Reaccredited 'A' grade by NAAC

## Institutional Distinctiveness (2018-2019)

The Institute is progressive with the following goals and objectives:

- To build a strong Academia-Industry bridge.
- To provide flexibility in the courses offered and proactively adapt to the changing needs of students and the society.
- To establish a center for multidisciplinary activities.
- To mold individuals who would nurture the cultural heritage of our country and contribute to the betterment of the society.

In an effort to strengthen the objective of preparing the students for the industry, the postgraduate students were motivated and encouraged to successfully complete their internships in various industries and research Institutes of great repute. The Institute also ensured the induction of the undergraduate students into research by involving them in small projects under STAR-DBT grant. Institute consistently strives for up-gradation of the basic infrastructure required to progress and excel in the fields of research and development. In addition the academic standards were raised by faculty adopting new pedagogies of delivering the curriculum to ensure the learners keen interest and enthusiasm to upgrade oneself.

In order to inculcate values of truth, respect, faithfulness and liberty a course in Value education: 'Sanskaarshala' was also initiated. Along with the above mentioned values, different programs are provided on stress, disaster and time management. Students are taught the importance of yoga, meditation and introspection. Continuous mentoring of student and motivational guidance is provided at every level. They are provided psychological assistance through actively functional counseling cell. The needy students are given timely help through the counselor. The institute tries to have all its policies in accordance with the values.

One credit Course Sanskar shala in the Academic year 2018-2019





A workshop for students on Stress Management by the Mind trainer and voice culture specialist Mr Shekhar Kunte on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2018.



The workshop on "Yoga and meditation for Healthy Life" by Dr. Rita Dhame on International Yoga Day.



"International Yoga Day" 21<sup>st</sup> June 2018.



To provide the programs of high demand to its students, the Institute in this academic year 2018-19, initiated M.Sc in Statistics and has got enrollments to the full capacity, reflecting the trust of the stakeholders in the quality of education provided by the Institute. It has been an opportunity to offer several elective courses in addition to their core programs. Institute considers the demands of the current global scenario and accordingly designs the curriculum for the ultimate stakeholders. The Institute has always strengthened the holistic development of the students in the vocation of their choice, paralleled to the vision of the Institute.

In coherence with the objective of contributing to the betterment of the society, the Institute enrolled itself for the UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN, the flagship program of Government of India. Under this initiative, it adopted five villages in the Dahanu district, Maharashtra .

Thus, the Institute stands out on the map of education with distinctiveness.

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