St John's College, Anchal

Report of Anti Ragging Squad 2021-2022

Despite the challenges posed by the pandemic, the anti-ragging committee has remained resilient and adaptive, incorporating COVID-19 protocols seamlessly into its operations under the chairmanship of the principal Rev. Fr Johnson G and the convener of the committee, Dr Jithin Jose P. The other members, Dr Benzon K B, Dr Kavitha C H, Dr Jensy Roshan F, Mr Tony Philip, administrative staff and student representatives from UG and PG courses also supported the committee in the functioning of the committee.

Virtual platforms have been utilized effectively to disseminate information, conduct awareness campaigns and facilitate reporting mechanisms, ensuring continuity in efforts to prevent ragging. The students were given assurance regarding the confidentiality of ragging complaints and the committee was successful in maintaining trust among students amid the transition to online reporting mechanisms.

The committee also collaborated with faculty, staff and student representatives to reinforce antiragging policies and promote a culture of mutual respect. The members of the squad were given training on handling ragging complaints if any, in virtual environments, including conducting investigations and providing support to victims.

Despite limitations, efforts have been made to maintain a zero- tolerance policy towards ragging while adapting to remote learning environments.

Convener

Principal