

SRI JAGADGURU CHANDRASHEKHARA BHARATHI MEMORIAL COLLEGE SRINGERI 577139

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CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS

This college lays great stress on the development of character in the students and express them both inside and outside the college to be worthy of the highest standards of behavior, individual and collective. Courtesy, helpfulness and tolerance are the virtues which they are particularly advised to cultivate.

Students are admitted to the college on the clear understanding that they cheerfully obey all the rules and regulations of the college. The following rules and regulations have been framed to achieve the above objectives.

- 1. Students shall wear the prescribed uniform dress on the campus.
- 2. Students are expected to show respect to the teachers and elders.
- 3. While the students are strictly prohibited from smoking on the premises, they are advised in their own interest not to smoke even outside the campus.
- 4. Students are strictly prohibited from entering the premises and the classes under the influence of intoxicating drinks. They are advised in their own interest to desist from consuming intoxicating drugs.
- 5. Students should not loiter around or inside the premises of the college during the working hours. Leisure hours must be spent usefully in the college library. All the movements on the campus and from one class room to another should conform to the standard of academic decorum and dignity.
- 6. Students should note the following schedule of bells at the beginning of each class.
 - **I Bell** Students shall enter the classes and wait for the teachers silently;
 - **II Bell -** Classes commence after prayer. Students are required to stand quietly and show respect while the prayer is played.

The working hours of the college for class work are 9-25 am to 1-10 pm and 1-50 pm to 5 pm.

- 7. Students are expected to enter the classes on time. Normally students coming late shall not be permitted to enter the class
- 8. Students who habitually come late, or who absent themselves frequently from the classes without valid reasons approved by the Principal will be subjected to such disciplinary action as the Principal may prescribe in addition to losing their attendance.
- 9. The name of the student who absents himself/herself continuously for more than a week without the sanction of the Principal shall be struck off the roll number unless satisfactory reasons are given for his/her absence.
- 10..An identity card will be issued to the student which he/she should always possess and should be able to produce on demand by the teachers or by the Principal in the class rooms, corridor, laboratory, and library.
 - These identity cards are to be produced at the examinations along with the hall tickets on all examination days. Failure or refusal to produce it when demanded is a clear case of disobedience.
- 11. While the college does not hold itself responsible for the conduct of the student outside the premises, the Principal may take cognizance of any serious mis-conduct outside which is likely to reflect upon the fair name of the college and take such disciplinary action against the offender as he deems fit and proper.
- 12. Wilful damage to the college property-books, furniture, water, gas and electrical installations etc. will have to be paid for.
- 13..Irregular attendance, habitual late-coming or indifference to class work will be regarded as sufficient reasons for punishment by the Principal and this may result in dismissal from the college.
- 14. The Principal, in consultation with the college council, shall have the power to rusticate any student from the college if in the opinion of the council his/her continuation in the college is not desirable in the interest of the college.
- 15. In the classroom the student shall sit in the seat allotted to him/her by the teacher. Refusal to occupy the allotted seat is regarded as an act of indiscipline.

16. Absence at the class test or college examination without prior permission of the teacher is considered as an act of indiscipline.

17. Tours or excursions will not be organized by the College. Students are strictly prohibited from participating in such unauthorized activities.

18. Any activity organized by the students inside the college campus, such as picnics, tours, etc. without the approval of the college authorities is strictly prohibited. The management of this institution shall not be in any way responsible for any untoward consequences following such unauthorized activity, outside the college campus.

19. Ragging is strictly prohibited in the college campus. As per the UGC regulations the following constitutes Ragging:

- a) Any conduct by any student or students whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness a fresher or any other student;
- b) Indulging in rowdy or indiscipline activities by any student or students which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship, physical or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in any fresher or any other student.
- c) Asking any student to do any act which such student will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame, or torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student;
- d) Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student or a fresher.
- e) Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students.
- f) Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students;
- g) Any act of physical abuse including all variants of it; sexual abuse, homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene and lewd acts, gestures, causing bodily harm or any other danger to health or person.

- h) Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, post, public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure, vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student;
- i) Any act that affects the mental health and self-confidence of a fresher or any other student with or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power, authority or superiority by a student over any fresher or any other student. Ragging is a punishable non-bailable criminal offence and students are strongly advised to abstain from any of the above mentioned activities.