## Yashwantrao Chavan Warana Mahavidyalaya, Warananagar

Internal Quality Assurance Cell

## **Distinctiveness of the Institute**

## VINAY KORE CAREER ACADEMY

The Institute was established in 1964 by great visionary late Shri. Tatyasaheb Kore with the vision 'To become an academy of excellence in higher education and human resource development in rural area' and mission 'We stand united and determined for the total transformation of rural youth of Warana region towards self-reliance, confidence, and enlightenment through higher education.'

'Vinay Kore Career Academy', the 'Academy of Students Managed by Students' is one of various programs established to transform the rural youth into a globally competent human resource. The academy is established in 2013 with financial assistance from Hon. Collector, Kolhapur District with the objective to create awareness amongst the rural youth and prepare them to opt career in civil services. Total 84 students of the academy are qualified for various posts through competitive examinations in the last 9 years. It is obvious from the results that the academy is doing great in fulfilling the objectives.

The management built separate buildings and required infrastructure for the efficient working of the academy. The academy has a rich library with 4450 books, an ICT room with 15 computers and LAN connection, a Lecture hall, a Conference room, reading rooms, a subscription of News Papers and magazines, a Coordinator cabin, drinking water, and sanitary facilities.

Human resources include Coordinator, Core Committee Members, one peon, and students. The coordinator organizes frequent meetings of the Core Committee to take a review of activities going on, problems faced and needs, to plan future activities. Students organize lectures on guest resources with the help of the coordinator. A monthly meeting of girl students is arranged with ladies staff members to discuss their problems and special needs. The peon and sweeper do daily cleaning.

The motto of the academy is 'For students by Students'. Most of the activities, except financial matters, are managed by students under the guidance of the Coordinator. The academy is self-disciplined and open for 24 X 7. All students keep their shoes out. They take care not to disturb other students and observe strict silence in the academy. Senior students teach regular students and share their experiences with peers. Students working under the 'Earn and learn' scheme manage library activities and test series.

The VKCA offers Regular MPSC and UPSC coaching, crash courses for Banking, languages, and study-only batches. Students are motivated by arranging motivational lectures of regional officers, interaction with successful alumni, peer discussions, and waiving off of the fees for mains passed students. Notice board is used efficiently and effectively to

communicate information regarding achievements, guest lectures, test series, current events, etc.

## Glimpses of the activities at Vinay Kore Career Academy





