

Anti-ragging Policy

Ragging is a disturbing reality in the higher education system of our country. Despite the fact that over the years ragging has claimed hundreds of innocent lives and has ruined the careers of thousands of bright students, the practice is still perceived by many as a way of 'familiarization' and an 'initiation into the real world' for young college-going students.

Meaning and definition of ragging

The Supreme Court defined ragging in the Vishwa Jagriti matter (1999) as, "Any disorderly conduct whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness any other student, indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in a fresher or a junior student or asking the students to do any act or perform something which such student will not in the ordinary course and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of a fresher or a junior student." (Raghavan Committee Report, 2007, para. 3.19).

According to the UGC Regulation on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Institutions, 2009, ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts:

- 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.
- Indulging in rowdy or undisciplined 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.
- 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, torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student.
- Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student or a fresher.
- Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students.
- Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students

- 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
- Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, posts, or public insults would also include deriving perverted pleasure, and vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student.
- Any act of physical or mental abuse (including bullying and exclusion) targeted at another student (fresher or otherwise) on the ground of colour, race, religion, caste, ethnicity, gender (including transgender), sexual orientation, appearance, nationality, regional origins, linguistic identity, place of birth, place of residence or economic background.

Government steps against ragging

UGC Regulation on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009

In order to address the issue of increase in ragging cases in campuses, the University Grants Commission (UGC) has brought out the UGC Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009. These regulations are to be followed mandatorily by all Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs).

Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)

The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) on receipt of any complaint of ragging in a school affiliated to it, takes action as per the Affiliation Bye-laws and existing guidelines which are available at <https://saras.cbse.gov.in/> and www.cbse.gov.in/, respectively.

All India Council for Technical Education

All India Council for Technical Education (Prevention and Prohibition of Ragging in Technical Institutions, Universities including Deemed to be Universities imparting technical education) Regulations 2009” under Section 23 and Section 10 of the AICTE Act, 1987.

Medical Council of India

The Medical Council of India has made the "Medical Council of India (Prevention and Prohibition of Ragging in Medical Colleges/Institutions) Regulations, 2009" under Section 33 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.

Measures for the prohibition of ragging

UGC has established an Anti-Ragging toll-free “helpline” 1800-180-5522 in 12 languages for helping victims of ragging.

The UGC has developed an Anti-Ragging Website - <https://www.antiragging.in/>. The Portal contains the record of registered complaints received and the status of the action taken thereon.

Videos on Anti ragging are available on the UGC website.

Punishments accorded

According to the UGC Regulation on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009, depending on the nature and gravity of the guilt established by the Anti-Ragging Squad, those found guilty may be awarded one or more of the following punishments, namely;

- Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
- Withholding/ withdrawing scholarship/ fellowship and other benefits.
- Debarring from appearing in any test/ examination or another evaluation process.
- Withholding results.
- Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
- Suspension/ expulsion from the hostel.
- Cancellation of admission.
- Rustication from the institution for periods ranging from one to four semesters.
- Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution for a specified period.

As our institution is associated With Higher Education Institution we follow UGC guidelines on higher education to deal with ragging.



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Date: 4th July, 2023

Office Order

As per the regulation "Anti Ragging Committee" has been constituted for the Academic Year 2023-24. The committee shall deal with the Ragging complaints from the students, teaching staff etc. This committee will monitor the measures taken by the college for prevention of ragging, will look into specific instances of ragging and complaints of ragging and suggest appropriate action/punishment against individuals who indulge in ragging.

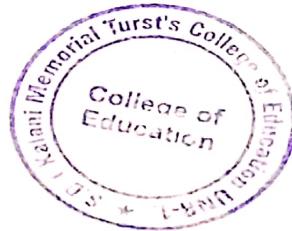
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All the members are requested to take note of the same and co-operate in maintaining conducive academic atmosphere for our students both in college and in hostel premises.

Committee should conduct meetings as per the requirements and record be maintained accordingly. The entire concerned are requested to take the note and act accordingly.

Dr. Sonia Bhasin

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Date: 7th July, 2023.

NOTICE FOR THE 1st MEETING OF THE ANTI RAGGING COMMITTEE FOR THE AY 2023-24

The Anti Ragging Committee Meeting is scheduled on **FRIDAY, 11th July 2023 at 12 PM TO 1 PM in the Conference Hall Shaheed Dunchand College of Education Campus at Shaheed Dunchand Tejandas Kalani Memorial Trust's College of Education A- Block Road Near Shahad Railway Station Ulhasnagar 421001.**

Sr. No.	Members	Designation	Signature of Member Present
1	Mr. Ramesh Kedar	Chairman	Ramesh
2	Mrs. Nivarozin Rajkumar	Member	Nivarozin
3	Mr. Manoj Lassi	Media Member	Manoj Lassi
4	Mr. Rajendra Detha	NGO Member	Rajendra Detha
5	Mrs. Shalaka Mohare	Member	Shalaka
6	Mr. Sandeep Bhalerao	Member	Sandeep Bhalerao
7	Mr. Mohit Moorpani	Parent Member	Mohit Moorpani
8	Mrs. Asha Dodeja	Parent Member	Asha Dodeja
9	Miss. Hitaishi Nainani	Student Member	Hitaishi
10	Mr. Inder Chandnani	Student Member	Inder Chandnani
11	Mr. Vishnu Tandale	Non-Teaching Staff Member	Vishnu Tandale

Agenda for the meeting.

- 1) To assign role and responsibilities to members.
- 2) To design and circulate google form for student's feedback.
- 3) Any other Issue to discuss with the permission of the chair.

You are requested to be attend the meeting on the date, time and at the venue as aforesaid.



Mr. Ramesh Kedar

Chairman

Chairperson
S. D. T. Kalani Memorial Trust,
Ulhasnagar - 421001.





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Minutes of the meeting of Anti Ragging Committee held under Chairmanship of Mr. Ramesh Kedar on FRIDAY, 11th July 2023 at 12 PM TO 1 PM at Time in the Conference Hall Shaheed Dunichand Tejandas Kalani Memorial Trust's College of Education A- Block Road Near Shahad Railway Station Ulhasnagar 421001.

Members Present:

Sr. No.	Members	Designation	Present
1	Mr. Ramesh Kedar	Chairman	Present
2	Mrs. Nivarozin Rajkumar	Member	Present
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9	Miss. Hitaishi Nainani	Student Member	Present
10	Mr. Inder Chandnani	Student Member	Present
11	Mr. Vishnu Tandale	Non-Teaching Staff Member	Present

Members Absent: No member was absent.

QUORUM: (Name of Chairman) Chairman took the chair and declared that the required quorum was present to convene the meeting.

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Meeting Review:

- 1) Chairman informed that role of responsibilities of the members have been allotted to prevent any ragging incident as well as to work for adequate information to fresher's for their right and to seniors for consequences for indulging in ragging.

Resolved to authorize Mr. Ramesh Kedar to assign role and responsibilities to the members and to amend the same as and when required.

- 2) Chairman informed that a goggle form has been designed wherein students / fresher's can fill in their details and send feedback about ragging of any kind, online from e-mail/WhatsApp.

Resolved to authorize Mr. Ramesh Kedar to finalize the information of google form and to get it circulated to students WhatsApp group etc.

- 3) Any other Issue to discuss with the permission of the chair.
No issue has been found to discuss.

4) VOTE OF THANKS

Chairman thanked all the members present in the meeting.



Mr. Ramesh Kedar

Chairman

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