## Kanoria PG Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Jaipur

## Annual Report by the Principal for the Session 2018-19

On this occasion, I am extremely privileged and honoured to extend a heartfelt gratitude and warm welcome to our honourable Chief Guest, a very distinguished personality, Shri Sachin Pilot, Deputy Chief Minister of the State, for honouring us by accepting our invitation. I express my sincere gratitude to Dr. Rima Hooja, a Renowned Historian, Archaeologist, Writer and alumna of our college, for giving her consent to deliver the prestigious Krishna Terway Memorial Lecture.

I whole heartedly welcome our own Justice Pana Chand Ji Jain, President, Kanoria Girls College Trust, Shri Vimal Kumar Bhatia, Secretary, Kanoria Girls College Trust, Prof. P.S. Bhatnagar, Shri Sanjeev Surolia, Shri Anket Baghel and other members of the Trust Executive Committee whose keen interest encouragement and cooperation is helping the college to run smoothly. I extend my welcome to all the parents and dear students.

Today, the 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Day of our college is a significant day for all of us gathered here. It is a day for us to recall the noble vision of Shri Bagirath Ji Kanoria, Miss Prabhu, Miss Krishna Terway and Dr. B.M. Singhi, founders of this prestigious institution. I want to pay tribute to their initiative taken 55 years ago with handful of students, strengthen now in to 6411 students.

I am grateful to the present management of the college for selecting me as a torch bearer for headway of the institution.

On this wonderful day, when we have gathered here to acknowledge and celebrate the contributions of all achievers, I deem it an honour to present our 54th Annual Report.

Kanoria PG Mahila Mahavidyalaya is a pioneer and prime college of the state. We strongly believe in the concept of holistic education and preparing students to meet the challenges of life. In its long and dynamic journey of extending the outreach of education for girls, the college has remained an interface between knowledge and societal expectations.

For the academic session 2018-19, total 5829 students were enrolled for 9 undergraduate courses run in the college. BA Economics Hons. is the UG Course re-introduced in this session only. 582 students were admitted in 15 post graduate courses out of which M.Sc. Maths, M.Sc. Physics and MJMC are the newly introduced PG Courses.

Our college is one of the approved study centres of Indira Gandhi National Open University. Our centre offers more than 20 certificates/ diploma/PG diploma/UG and PG courses of IGNOU.

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I am trying to highlight in brief the activities conducted for the development of the students and achievements of the students. The extensive report is in your hands in form of the Chronicles of Kanoria 2018-19.

Keeping pace with evolving needs of our times, we have ventured to collaborate with some of the best names in academics and industry to introduce skill enhancement and value added courses to enable the students to be self-reliant. The college has signed MOU with Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai to run industry relevant course. MOU with Institute of Cost Accounting of India for the Certified Accounting Technician Course, MOU with iECEN, Milan, Italy for Fashion Designing Course. The Certificate Course in Organic Farming in collaboration with Morarka Foundation. The college runs certificate courses of Functional English, Hindi Bhasha Kaushal, French and German Language and Diploma in Art & Craft, Office Management, Nutrition and Dietetics, Music and dance, etc. These skill enhancement courses along with their regular degree courses prepare the students to become sustainable in their life.

Kanoria College also has affiliation from Government Agencies for Research in Science and Social Science. In this context, I want to mention the MOU signed with Government of Rajasthan regarding Soil Health Card Project. A Soil Testing Lab has been established in the campus in which our students with the help of faculties and Government Officials testing soil samples to make Soil Health Card for the farmers. MOU is with the college under which students are trained to cultivate the Spirulina Algae.

In our efforts towards academic excellence and growth, the college initiated actions to bridge the gap between the theory of text books and its applications. Formation of Subject Associations is one of the remarkable efforts. Commerce and Management Association every year organize CAMFEST to enhance student learning through various activities. Science Associations organize exhibitions in which chart, project and working models prepared by students were displayed.

As I share the yearly updates of our activities, I take the humility to say that we did our best to do as we have planned and I am proud of my beloved students and staff members who strive hard to achieve beyond expectations.

Excellence in academics is the hall-mark of a good institution and the results of our students in the university examinations have made us proud.

It is a moment of delight for us that all the PG departments of our college have 100% result in all the semesters. In UG courses, the average pass percentage is 94% and 100% results in B.Sc. Biotech Part-II and III and BA Hons. Part-II and III.

To nurture the creativity, imagination, communication and entrepreneurship skills, to explore the hidden talents of students, various clubs like, Nature Club, Entrepreneurship Club, Sukriti Art & Craft Club, Natyam Club, Abhivyakti Club, Swaranchal Club, Creative Writing Club and Media Club exist in the college. These clubs conduct various

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activities like workshop on theatre, anchoring, creative writing, entrepreneurship skills, business plan, singing, environmental awareness, best out of waste, face painting, etc. the list goes on.

And as result of these activities, I feel proud in informing that we have a vast pool of talents in various literary and cultural events. Dandiya Utsav is celebrated in the campus to enjoy the festival of Navratra with rhythm. Every year Youth Week- Kasturi is the most awaited event for the students of the college and other colleges in which various Intra and Inter college competitions are organized. Other marked annual events of the college are English Play and Dance Drama. In this sequence, this year, Shakespeare's Play "As You Like It" was staged on 30th January 2019 at Jawahar Kala Kendra.

To keep the connect of the students with the culture and tradition of India, college has been a devout associate of Spic Macay. This year Pandit Deepak Maharaj performed Kathak and Assamese Dancer Dr. Meernanda Barthakur performed Satariya Classical Dance in our college.

Like every year, this year also our students actively participated in various activities and competitions of Inter-college events. To mention a few, Laxmi Rathore consistently winning 10 English debate in and around Jaipur from two years, similarly, Nukkad Natak Team of the college has commendably won 8 Nukkad Natak competitions this year. Janis Hashmi excelled exceptionally well in Hindi Debate by winning numerous prizes. Charu Sharma, Runjhun Ghosh, Simran Bhagtani and Jyoti Lalchandani kept up the college flag by winning various dance competitions in college fests.

Kanoria College is having two units of NSS. A seven-day camp and three one-day camps were organized during the session. Plantation, blood-donation, cleanliness drive, road-safety program, environment sensitization, etc. are the regular activities.

Briefing achievements of NSS Volunteers

Shraddha Sharma of B.Com Part-III has been selected in RD Parade 2019. Aishwarya Bishnoi, Nidhi Aswal, Pragya Khandelwal attended National Integration Camp in January 2019 at Varanasi and Prerna Sharma and Sakshi Tanwar at Jaipur. NCC Cadet, Garima Vijay has been selected in RD Parade 2019. Hanshu Shekhawat has also attended various camps of NCC.

Sports:

I feel proud to put forward achievements of our students in sports. Vedika Mishra from our Football Team has been selected to represent India in 28th Kelly McGrills Classic International Women and Girls Flag Football Championship in Key West, Florida, USA.

In Inter-college tournaments, Himangi Gupta won one gold, one silver and three bronze medals in Swimming, Varsha Saini won Gold in Wrestling. Simran won Gold in Judo and Hanshu Shekhawat won one Gold and one Bronze medal in Judo. In Boxing,

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Sandhya won Gold, Priyanshi and Ankita won Silver and Palak and Rishita won Bronze medal.

Our Football team stood winner and volleyball team secured 3<sup>rd</sup> Position in Inter college tournaments.

Under all India/ West Zone Tournaments, Hemlata and Saroj selected for Hockey, Vishakha for volleyball, Hemlata, Sanjana, Hemadri, Vedika, Saloni and Pooja selected for Football. Nisha for Tennis, Varsha Saini for Wrestling, Hanshu Shekhawat and Simran selected for Judo. Sukriti selected for Air Rifle and Pistle. Sandhya for Boxing, Savita, Arpita and Divya for Handball and Cheshta, Vandana, Nisha selected for Basketball. Safal and Priyanshi selected for Cricket.

All the students who excel in academics and co-curricular activities will be felicitated today with prizes.

The college witnessed election of student council on 31st September 2018. Again proud announcement that ours is the only college in the city, conducting election by the indirect method recommended by Lingdoh Committee Ms. Sakshi Tanwar of B. Com Part-III was elected as President and the student union was inaugurated on 11th October 2018 by Shri B.L. Soni, ADG, Police CID CB Jaipur.

Another feature of the Kanoria College is to organize Parent-Teacher Meet which is always overwhelmed by the parents.

We have a strong Alumni Association. Many of our alumni are doing great work in their respective domains and raise the bar of excellence.

Centre for Career Guidance, Training and Placement is committed to provide a successful future and better placement opportunities for the students. The centre organized various interactive session and recruitment drives during the session 2018-19 and around 50 students were selected in campus placement.

To boost up the sight of exploration, the students are offered with excursion, tours and pleasure trips every year.

The college library is rich and technologically uplifted with a collection of about 58000 books, 112 journals and magazines, 14 daily newspapers and Inflibnet, N-List E-Journal where 31,35,000 e-books and 6000 e-journals are accessible, E-Shodh Sindhu. College library is also having membership of National Digital Library. College library is fully computerized. Students can search the location of book in the library on computer by its title/ author publisher. Organising Book-Fair in the college campus is a regular feature of the library. This year, Book-Fair was organized on 28th and 29the August 2018. 10 publishers from the country exhibited their books. Kanoria College has 21

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well-equipped laboratories and this year English Language Lab has been inaugurated to build a structured environment for interactive learning.

The campus is actually a green campus with rain water harvesting structures, compost pit, eco-friendly building, solar lights and geysers and this year a solar panel of 75 KV capacity has been installed to generate 80 % of electricity requirement of the campus.

To house 300 students, there are two hostel buildings, well equipped with modern amenities. In campus we are having crèche facility for our staff members.

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has been set up as per UGC guidelines to implement, review and update the quality policy of the college and to bring about continuous improvement in teaching learning process and related administrative mechanisms.

Visits by eminent personalities in diverse fields inspire the students, faculty and staff at the institute. Conferences, workshops, etc. on contemporary issues are important activities to stimulate discussions of different areas.

This year, Kanoria College hosted-

- National Workshop on Spirulina- The Edible Algae: Nutritive and Therapeutic Approach towards Entrepreneurship
- International conference on Frontiers at the Chemistry- Allied Sciences Interface
- National Workshop on Genetic Modification of Using CRIS-PR Technology
- Workshop on Advance Hands on DNA on Molecular Biology Techniques and Molecular Marker Analysis
- State Level Workshop on Sensitization on Comprehensive Manual for Safety and Security of Children in School

The college organized following professional development programmes for teaching and non-teaching staff-

S. No.	Dates (from-to)	Title of the professional development program organized for teaching staff	Title of the administrative program organized for non-teaching staff	No. of participants
1	18-08-2018	"Teaching & Research: Exploring Undiscussed Parameters"		106
2	22-09-2018	'State Sovereignty & Globalization'		103
3	15-10-2018	Peer Learning Session		85
4	16-10-2018	Simple Ways to Reduce Stress		92
5	24-11-2018	Convergence of Social Structures into Electoral Politics		83
6	22-12-2018	Global Environment Issues		78
7	22-01-2019	Workshop on "Research Methodology" by Prof. (Retd.) B. L. Gupta for Commerce faculties	THE DESIGNATION OF THE PERSON	20
8	25-06-2019 to 28-06- 2019		Computer Skill Training Workshop	10

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In the session 2018-19, 12 faculty members attended Professional Development Programmes, Orientation / Induction Programmes, Refresher Course, Short Term Course etc. which are as follows-

Name of teacher who attended	Title of the program	Duration (from - to)	
Charu Goyal	109th UGC sponsored Orientation Programme	18-02-2019 to 16-03-2019	
Dharma Yadav	Refresher course in Research Methodology in Social Science and Humanities	28-01-2019 to 16-02-2019	
Kumud Tanwar	108th UGC-Sponsored Orientation Programme	03-12-2018 to 29-12-2018	
Meenakshi Srivastava	109th UGC sponsored Orientation Programme	18-02-2019 to 16-03-2019	
Neetu Mahawar	110th UGC-Sponsored Orientation Programme	03-06-2019 to 29-06-2019	
Nidhi Gupta	Reresher Course in Climate Change and Environmental Studies	08-10-2018 to 27-10-2018	
Preeti Sharma	108th UGC-Sponsored Orientation Programme	03-12-2018 to 29-12-2018	
Prema Singh Lavania	FDP on Pedagogy for online and Blender teaching-learning Process	30-10-2018 to 13-12-2018	
Richa Chaturvedi	108th UGC-Sponsored Orientation Programme	03-12-2018 to 29-12-2018	
Sarika Kaul	108th UGC-Sponsored Orientation Programme	03-12-2018 to 29-12-2018	
Sweety Mathur	109th UGC sponsored Orientation Programme	18-02-2019 to 16-03-2019	
Tina singh Bhadouria	109th UGC sponsored Orientation Programme	18-02-2019 to 16-03-2019	

After the drive in the pool of intellect our teachers have come out excelling by getting honours and acclamations from various recognized institutions.

- Dr. Sarla Sharma and Dr. Ratna Saxena honoured for Excellence in Education
- Dr. Rekha Gupta received Spandan Yuva Sameekshak Samman-2018
- Dr. Preeti Sharma received creative teaching award by Konark Academy, Jaipur
- Dr. Ranjula Jain, Dr. Sunita Shekhawat and Dr. Neelam Bageshwari received Appreciation Award for "Women Leadership in Disaster Management" by Safety Professionals Association of India
- Dr. Sheetabh Sharma was awarded "Hindi Sahitya Manishi Samman- 2018" and "Braj Lok Kala Samman- 2018"
- Dr. Richa Chaturvedi elected Secretary of Indian Dietetic Association, Rajasthan Chapter and appointed as an expert for examining two projects of DST, Rajasthan running in Kumbhalgarh and Devli.
- Dr. Reema Srivastava got editorial membership in International Journals-
  - Archivers of Endocrinology & Diabetes Care, USA and
  - Hong Kong Journal of Obs and Gynae.
- Dr. Manisha Mathur selected as a member of the Scientific Committee of the 16<sup>th</sup> International Public Administration Forum to be held in Turkey during February 2019.
- Dr. Mohita Chaturvedi Sharma successfully completed a two-year international project titled "Asian Patient Perspectives Regarding Oncology, Awareness, Care and Health" sponsored by Lien Centre for Palliative Care, Singapore.
- Ms. Himanshi Rastogi has completed a project with UNISEF Rajasthan on working with Anganbadi with Ministry of Women and Child.

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Keeping in mind the vision and mission of the college, I would like to mention the new courses that will be opened from the session 2019-20.

- · BA Political Science Hons.
- B.Sc. Home Science
- Batchelor Degree in Fashion Designing
- · MA Hindi
- MA Public Administration

I am grateful to the members of Trust Executive Committee for their support. I owe my gratitude to the Director of the College Dr. Rashmi Chaturvedi for always being the guiding light and source of inspiration for entire college. Also I want to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Sarla Sharma, Dean Students' Affairs for conducting all students related activities from the admission process to the annual function and Dr. Deeptima Shukla, Dean Academics for coordinating various academic activities throughout the session. I should be failing in my duty, if I do not thank all the faculty members, office staff and other supporting staff members for their contribution.

I am thankful to my versatile and committed team for their contribution to enhance the standards of this college. I am sure that our collective efforts shall take our college to greater heights; and at the end, I would like to thank all our eminent guests for sparing their valuable time.

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