

## **Reforms in Higher Education**

### **Academic Reforms**

1. Choice based credit System(CBCS) implemented at PG/UG level in Universities and affiliated colleges for enhancing academic flexibility.
2. Introduction of semester system of examination at undergraduate level.
3. With two tier (Objective & Descriptive) Scheme of examination for various UG courses.
4. School System adopted in Universities for promoting cross disciplinary teaching and research.
5. Organising of National and International Conferences for building an enabling environment for academics and research.
6. Revamping and updating syllabi has been done based on UGC guidelines/competitive examinations so as to ensure higher probability of employment of our students.

### **Administrative reforms :**

1. The whole process of filing of applications, downloading of admit cards, declaration of results and downloading of result cards have been made online.
2. In tune with E-Governance, generation of salary slips, submission of APR's , online notifications have been made.
3. The process of financial reforms is underway at the universities level with justified budget distribution to various departments, civil society representatives as part of budget allocation committee.
4. Principals of Degree Colleges have been authorised to incur expenditure to the extent of Rs 50 Lacs during a financial year from their local/Pool fund for infrastructure/academic development.
5. State Public University ACT has been comprehensively revised the posts of Vice Chancellors are already filled up.03 no of colleges are functioning as autonomous colleges.

## Testimonials of the Students

### Lab1: Biological Invasion Research Lab, Department of Botany:

#### Parvez Ahmad : Research Scholar, Department of Botany

Biological Invasion research lab was recently upgraded by the Government under RUSA scheme. Under the Rusa scheme, lot of facilities have been provided in the labs and the major facilities that have been provided are the adequate light facility, in addition to that adequate water supply has been provided and also the AC's have been setup which are providing the research scholars the kind of atmosphere/ambiance that is needed. As research scholars we are highly thankful to Government for providing us this facility wherein we feel that we are safe and also we are highly motivated to do excellent research work.



**Lab 2: Plant Physiology & Biochemistry Research Lab- Department of Botany.**

**Nafeesa, Research Scholar, Department of Botany**

This lab has been recently renovated as per RUSA guidelines and the lab looks fantastic now and is providing absolute environment for carrying out every kind of research experiment, I as such on behalf of my research scholar team thank Government and RUSA for helping us to ease up our research work in the field of Science.

