

### Sophia College Autonomous Student Satisfaction Survey (2020 - 2021)

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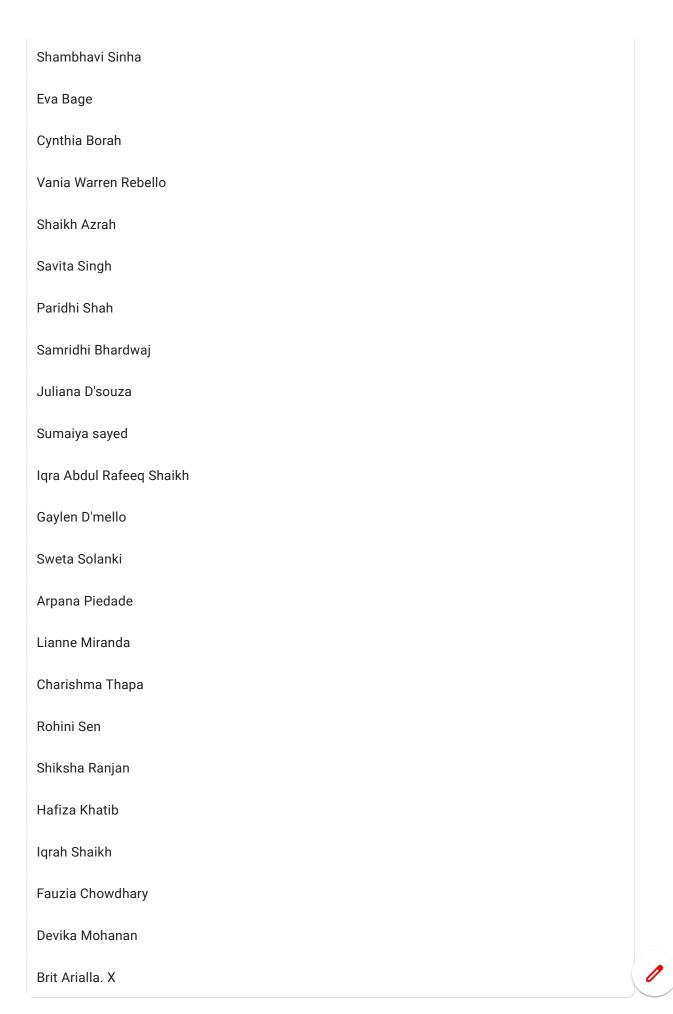
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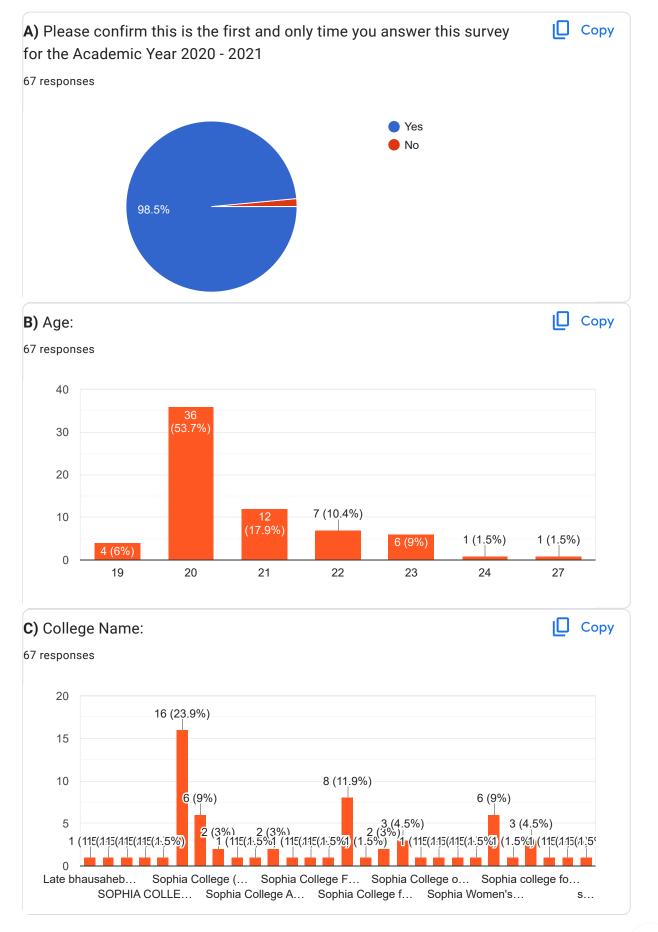
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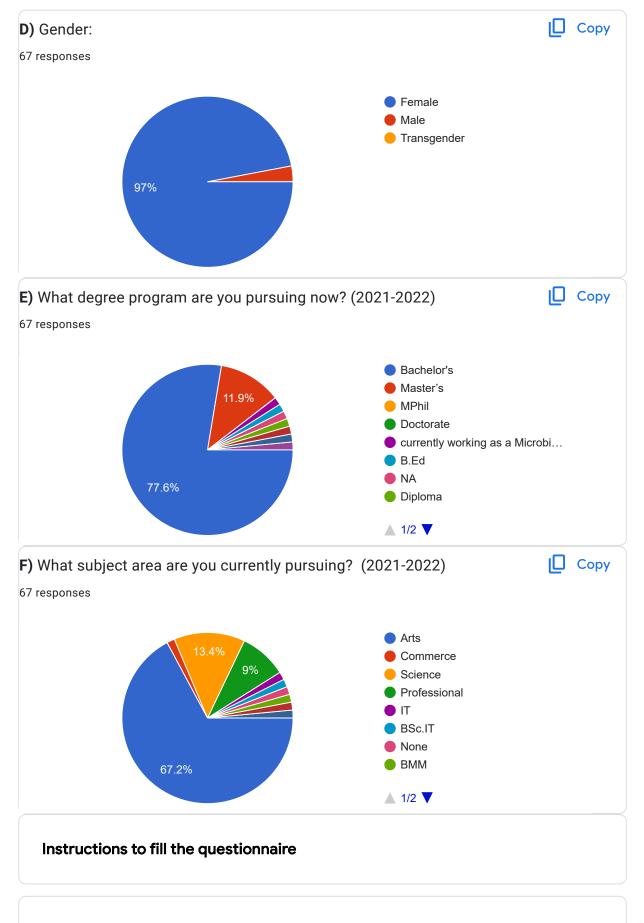


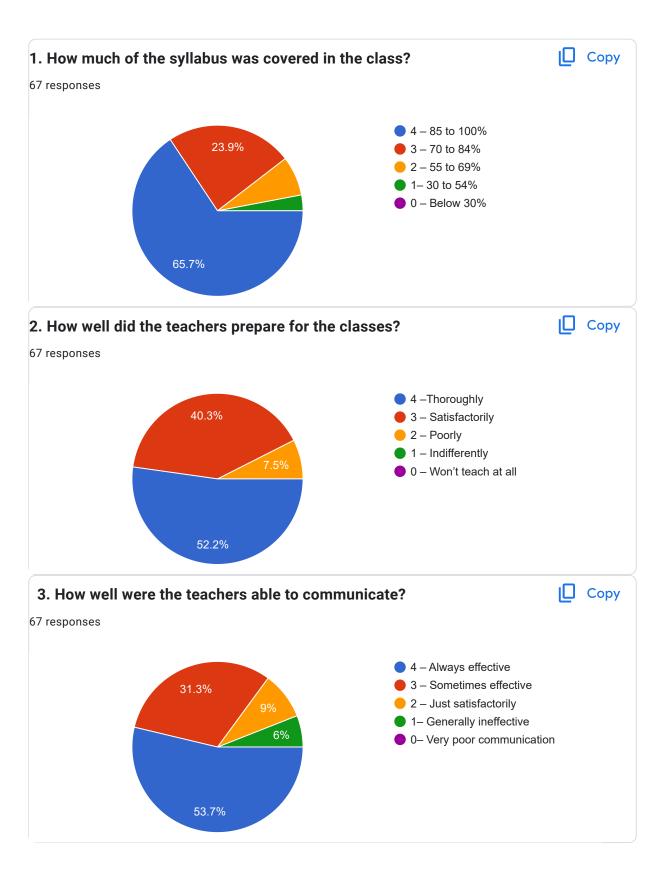
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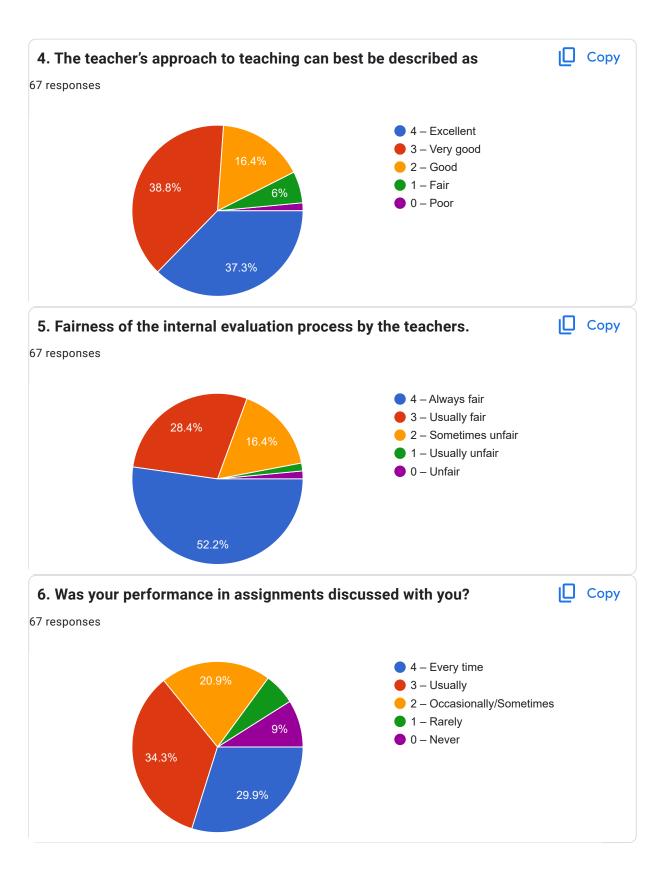
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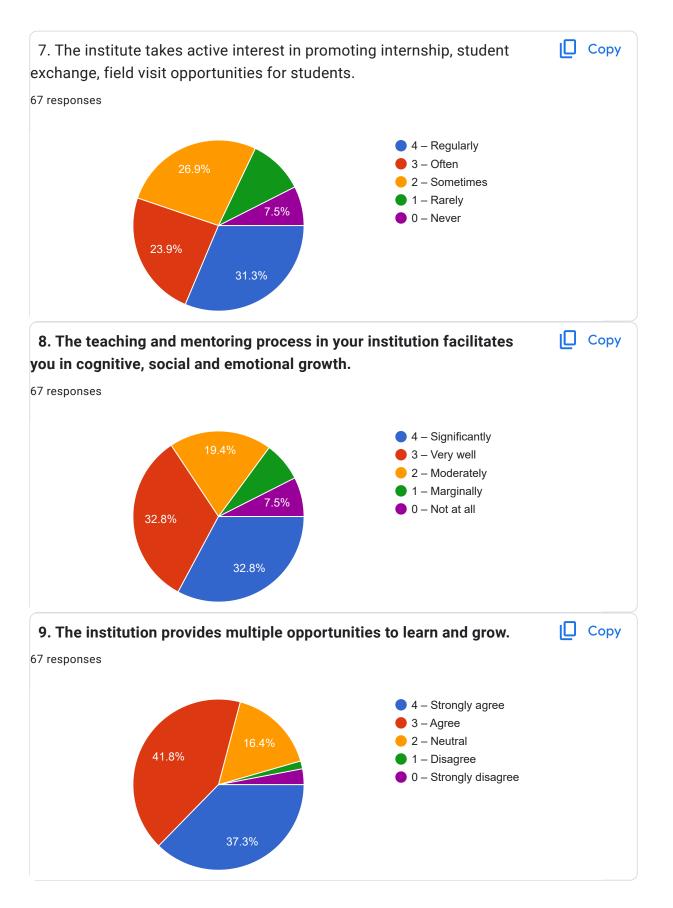
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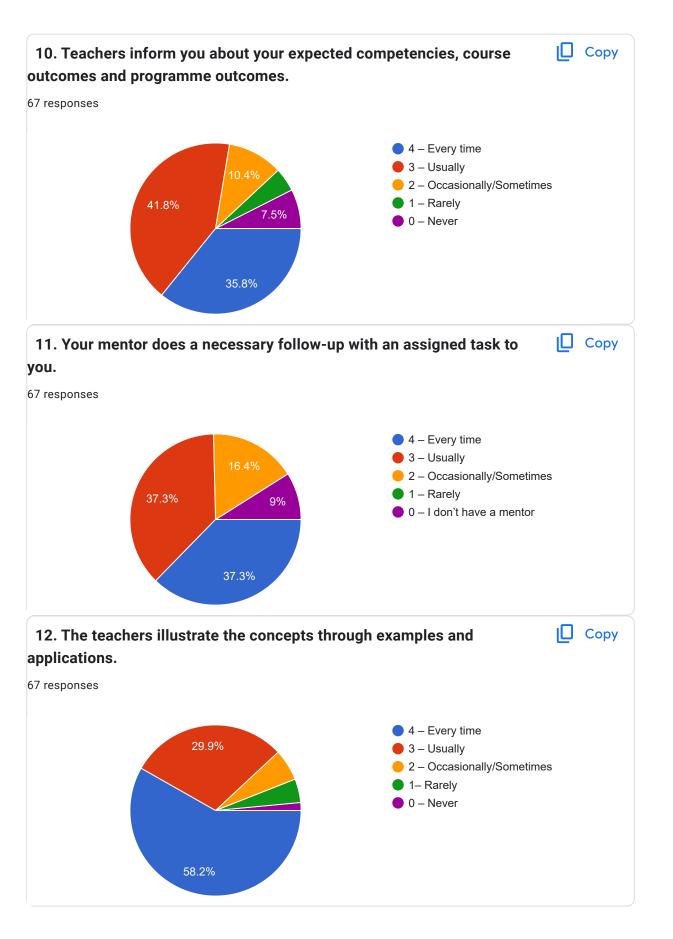


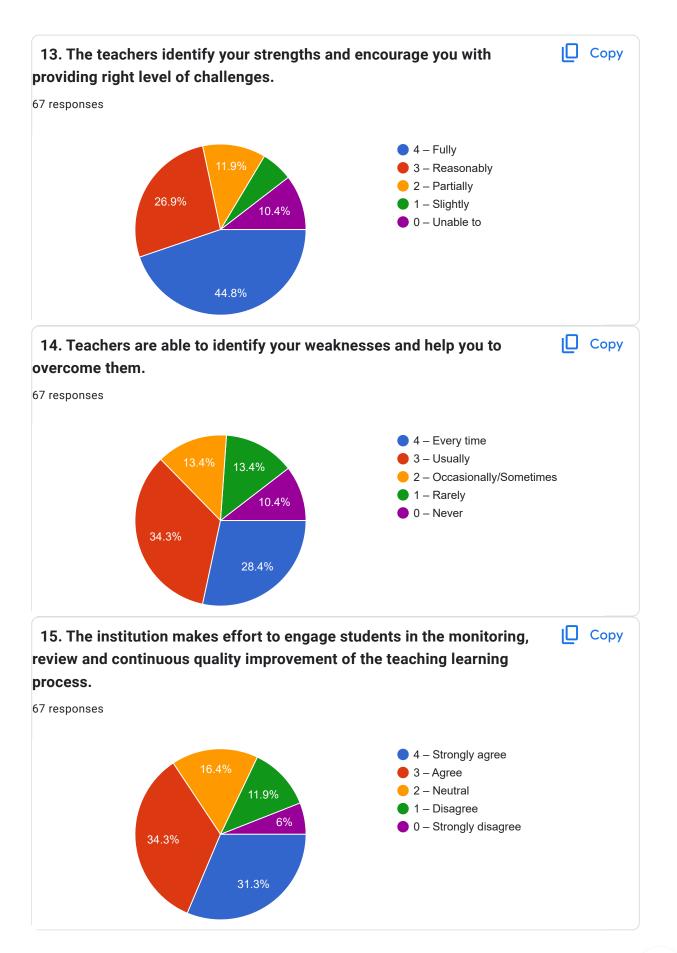


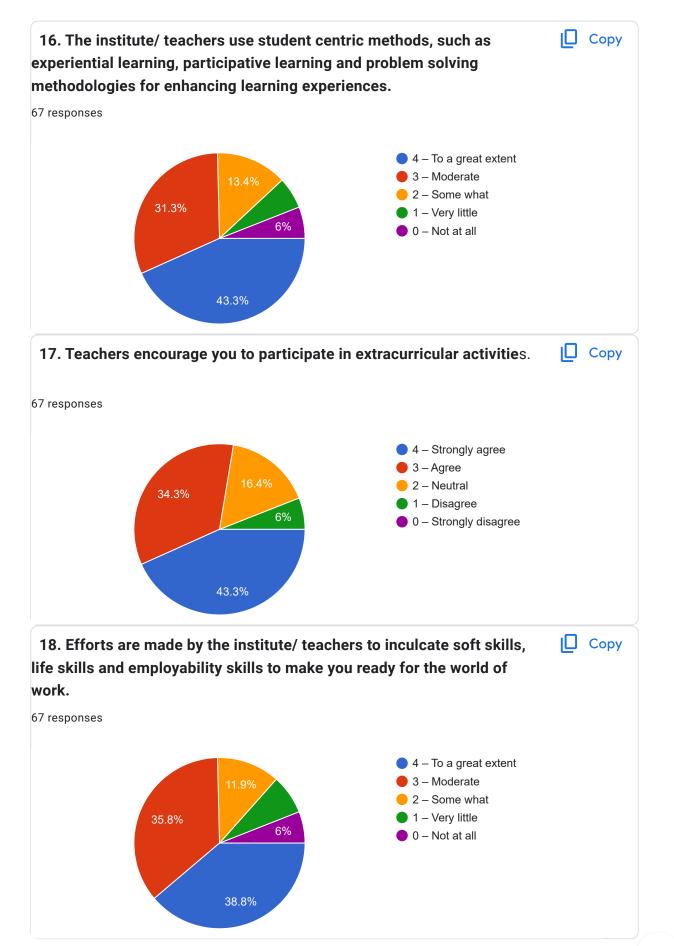


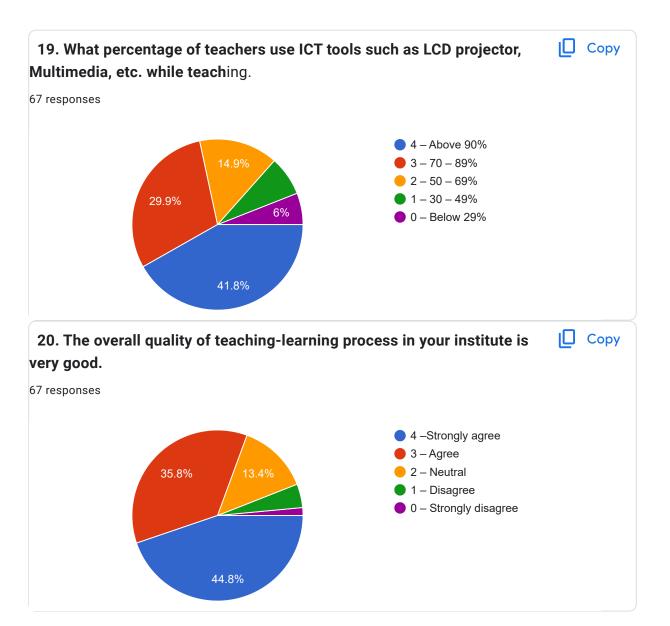












## 21. Give three observation / suggestions to improve the overall teaching – learning experience in your institution.

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#### No suggestions

#### Suggestions-

- 1. Teachers being more approachable and understanding.
- 2. Internships being encouraged.
- 3. One hour lectures max for better grasping of concepts being taught in class.
- 1. The syllabus and course structure itself needs to be reworked; the current syllabus is extremely outdated, the content of the papers we are offer overlap which seems redundant.
- 2. There is no application based learning happening: the assessment methods mostly focus on gauging the rote learning capacity of the students.
- 3. Most of the college faculty (of course, there are a few exceptions) is unqualified to be teaching in an undergraduate institution; they show no enthusiasm or passion towards the subject they are teaching, in addition to being unapproachable, extremely rude, condescending and discouraging.
- •The teachers and faculty should be more cooperative and accomodative of the students' needs.
- •Some faculty members lack teaching skills or are not understanding of students. Higher authorities should intervene and look into it upon students' request instead of dismissing them or refusing to take charge.
- •Teachers should put aside their biases about their departments and SM and DM students when it comes to teaching and providing any kind of help.

Exam paper should be discussed in the class

- 1. Teachers are often very dismissive of the problems students face that genuinely affect their academic progress, and this makes it incredibly difficult for students to seek help from their teachers (especially with regards to missing classes, tests and delayed submission of assignments)
- 2. Some teachers are incredibly condescending when clarifying doubts and correcting mistakes made by students, which further discourages students from asking for clarification of concepts or explanations concerning mistakes made in tests
- 3. The guidance given for writing assignments and structuring essays is incredibly vague, and students are often left floundering about trying to understand how best to go about writing an assignment or preparing answers for the exams, which significantly impacts our performance in assessments

Easier dissemination of resources like reading material whose quality is also good so that it's comprehensible, more discussions and debates



Take us out on field visits and outings.

If checking is done a little lenient for average students, given more time for writing tests,

nil

Everything is perfect

Appropriate teaching with all the efforts

- 1. Emphasis on skill-based learning
- 2. Emphasis should be on practical learning rather than theory.

Extra: Enough study leaves should be given for exam preparation.

no suggestions

- 1. More sessions related to future opportunities (stream-wise), especially for students in their second and third years needed.
- 2. Better feedback mechanism needed.
- 3. Internship opportunities available should be widened and their advantages better highlighted by the Placement Cell.

Suggestions

Students should be given enough time to work on assignments and internships.

None from my side.

More research centric tasks should be given to improve the knowledge of a topic, surprise quiz to revise topics taught in the respective week

The teachers always help to take initiatives.
organizing many student activities
most imp thu g was open communication about exams nd paper discussions.

I have a great experience studying in such great institution .I have only 1 suggestion to make history subject easy by giving students chance to explore more with more expert lectures and arrange history related fest for history students

The time duration mentioned in the survey was the academic year 2020-2021. The forementioned academic year had been a huge change compared to previous years, mainly due to the pandemic situation. While there were no teachers pushing us towards field experiments, and internships during this time, this was mainly due to the health and safety concerns. The year went well, and it was a great change taking classes from the house, and it was a new learning experience for both the teachers and students (along with their families). The college really did adapt well to the situation, is my opinion of the same.

- 1. prioritizing personal connections especially after pandemic
- 2. assignments can be done virtually to save time



- 3. more virtual learning because it helps us retain materials better
- after COVID, there should be more in-person classes
- there should be extra classes at the end of each unit to clear doubts
- there should be precision on the syllabus and resources to study so its not confusing or burdensome
- -Scheduling of SEE and IA's can be improved tremendously; no time off is provided in between for the student to study, and IA's were conducted in the same week as SEE exams, causing too much pressure on students.
- -When lecturers don't conduct lectures, they do not inform the students well in advance (they should inform a day before or at-least 6 hours before), and sometimes all lectures are cancelled at the last minute, making travel for a long distance futile.
- -The portion was rushed off in the end, and many topics were given for "self study."
- 1) Teacher's should ensure that students get chance to do internship.
- 2) Placement should be provided.
- 3) Can promote and ensure hands on learning.

Providing a time table can help in managing time and planning projects, including a few more field visits.

As a Covid Batch i do think the experience was quite restricted, but the teachers and the school at large made a lot of efforts to give us a well rounded experience.

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They should not make Extra curricular activities compulsory like Sports Day and film soc it really affects people's health and film soc takes up a lot of time for me to do Something productive instead

Nothing

No comments

My experience was good

I believe the should a gap between internals and SEE it's very difficult for students manage both at same time.

And also introducing couple of assignments and projects to make students life little easier and more creative towards the subject

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- a thorough project assessment and feedback should be given

We would love if there was more of technology use, if teaching was done with help of discussion method which can help us to interact.



- 1) In Sophia College, the technology used by teachers are good. All the Teacher's don't use but some do.
- 2) Teachers are very supportive and always ready to talk to a student in any difficulties.

#### NA

- Having field classes; open air classes (inhibited by the pandemic)
- Having online classes gave us less time to spend together with our batch and the faculty. Scheduled time to talk and informally learn from each other would've been much appreciated
- Spaced out internal examination schedule

I'm satisfied with the overall teaching

- 1)The teachers can be overly critical of one aspect and generalize the entire class population for partaking in it.
- 2)Constant claims about understanding us, yet being harsh about our shortcomings instead of helping us.
- 3)Our institution does not permit us to use curriculum textbooks in the library.

The group discussions were really helpful but perhaps more access to reading material could be great

- 1. Use of contemporary examples during teaching.
- 2. Do small revisions in class before something new is thought.
- 3. Have group activities and discussions during class on the topic being explained.

The teacher should improve there teaching pattern,

the teacher should motivate the student so that they can perform better.

The teacher should be friendly with the student so that they can share their issues with them

- 1. Practical teaching (Not just cramming)
- 2. Give examples relating to moral life
- 3. Lessons should be taught like a story
- 1. The institution should provide students with more internships and exposure opportunities. (Suggestion)
- 2. Every teacher should discuss the student's performance on one on one basis so that the student can have a better understanding. (Suggestion)
- 3. Overall everyone makes efforts to provide best quality education and is sincere towards their responsibilities. (Observation)

Teachers are always helping and kind staff play important role and the office staff is so helpful in our institute . proper facilities with great guidance. good learning experience nothing all good.

- 1) More accountability
- 2) Revisions
- 3) Use of advanced technology



1. be more considerate, 2. continue use of Google classroom and 3. organize relevant student-centered activities in class.

No suggestions from my side as the institution provides us with great learning experience and an amazing set of teachers who not only help us grow but even encourages us to do it more creatively.

I believe the teachers should be more lenient and supportive as well as with the examination pattern because students coming from online mode find it difficult to overcome large content and syllabus.

Th teachers should stick to the portion and try to complete it on time which rarely happens. There should also be an understanding between students and teachers ,where examinations are concerned and the examination dates should be flexible considering last semester was the worst experience having all important examinations back to back The teachers should come prepared before hand while she's about to teach rather than preparing for the syllabus on the spot

The teaching-learning experience in our college has been satisfactory for me. I do not have any suggestions or observations about improvement.

The Department of Psychology could be more accommodating to the students instead of discouraging them from taking the subject altogether if the student is facing difficulties. The professors from the Department of Psychology could also be more accessible to the students for the ease and improvement of communication.

Everything was great. I loved my college journey and all the teachers were very helpful and inspiring.

As a student from the Arts Background, I believe that it would be best to minimize the use of PPT as a tool for education as that restricts the teacher for wider discussions. The teachers can also help students with career counselling and share possible opportunities to explore.

Emphasis on more of quality education

They should often use multimedia platform

- 1) Teachers have a huge impact on a student's life. However, there have been instances where a teacher has taken their authority way too far by treating students poorly, demeaning them in ways and even humiliating them in front of everyone. This kind of behavior is very upsetting and does impact the self esteem and confidence of students around. A kind approach towards dealing with situations would be appreciated from some of the teachers.
- 2) Feedback for better performance is lacking from all the subject teachers' behalf. IAs are being taken, however, performances assessed are not being discussed with students leading to one committing the same mistake in the coming IAs. An approach to understanding where the students went wrong and thus helping them overcome the said difficulty is missing and highly recommended.
- 3) Feedback from students should be taken more often.



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