## 7.2 - Best Practices

## 7.2.1 - Describe two best practices successfully implemented by the Institution as per NAAC format provided in the Manual.

Best Practice 1: Title: Community Services by the Students and Teachers and Social Responsibility

Best Practice 2: Environment-friendly actions within college campus

Objective 1: Better living standard of backward community in vicinity

Objective 2: Sustainable environment in and around college campus

The Context 1: Development of social responsibility among students

The Context 2: Practice and awareness about sustainable environment

The Practice 1: 'In collaboration with Natun Shambhunagar Primary School, the NSS unit of the college has organized NSS SPECIAL CAMP during 2023-24.including Dengue, Thalassemia awareness, Blood donation and group determination, campus clearing etc.

The Practice 2: Plantation, Solar power generation, Use of LED lights, strict ban on the use of single-use plastic and reducing other plastic wastes.

Evidence of success 1: Increased awareness regarding Thalassemia, Dengue and overall health and hygiene; enthusiasm about blood donation.

Evidence of success 2: A noticeable decrease in the electricity bill following the installation of LED lights and the solar panel; significantly enriched biodiversity following the plantation programmes.

Problems encountered and resources required-

- 1. Paucity of funds and less than ideal number of student involvement appear as hindrances
- 2. More vigilance is needed to ensure plastic ban which calls for further resources.