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Attention to all UG Students.

DFAP (Drugs Free Andhra Pradesh) Programme.

Activity2: SENSITIZATION CLASS:-

The Government of Andhra Pradesh has launched an initiative to make Andhra Pradesh drug-free. We invite all UG students to participate in a SENSITIZATION CLASS activity to raise awareness about the dangers of drug abuse.

The Government of Andhra Pradesh is committed to creating a drug and tobacco free society. To curb the menace of drugs and tobacco, various initiatives have been launched to raise awareness among the youth and the broader community. The Drug Free Andhra Pradesh [DFAP] is a comprehensive drug and tobacco prevention awareness program, being implemented across all universities and colleges of Andhra Pradesh. College-based drug awareness program is essential in equipping young adults with the knowledge, resources, and support needed to make informed choices, prevent substance abuse and foster a healthier campus environment. The program can help students:--

Understand the harmful consequences of drugs and tobacco use

Understand the legal penalties and university rules regarding drugs Learn

Effective strategies to confidently refuse drugs or tobacco

Event Details:-

- Date: 26/03/2025 AND 27/03/2025
- Time: 60 MINUTES FOR EACH CLASS
- Venue: E CLASS ROOMS AND LABS
- Topic: **HARMFUL AND PENALTIES ABUSE OF DRUGS**

Rules:-

1. Mandatory that each student attends this class
2. After class students to give the online test and get E Certificate (repeat class for those who fail)

Let's work together to create a drug-free Andhra Pradesh!

Gist on DFAP (Drugs Free Andhra Pradesh) Programme

The Drug-Free Andhra Pradesh (DFAP) wing of St. Joseph's Degree College received a circular from the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education (APSCHE) instructing to conduct a mandatory SENSITIZATION CLASSES activity on the theme "HARMFUL AND PENALTIES". The activity was conducted on 26 AND 27 MARCH 2025, to all the students from life science, mathematics, commerce and management departments. The number of enthusiastic participation from students across three departments is:

- Commerce & Management: 300 students
- Mathematics: 150 students
- Life Sciences: 200 students

The objective of this initiative was to spread awareness about the dangers of drug abuse and encourage students to take a firm stand against substance abuse. Each participant understanding of harms of drugs, know legal penalties, and effective strategies refuse drugs.

The principal of the college appreciated all the participants for their effort and commitment towards this crucial social cause.

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