STATUTORY DECLARATION UNDER SEC-4(1)(B) OF RTI ACT 2005

Details of Institution

Name	GOVERNMENT POST GRADUATE COLLEGE		
Address	Obra, Sonebhadra-231219, UP		
Website	http://gpgcobra.ac.in/		
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Principal	Prof. Pramod Kumar		
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Geo Location	Latitude: 24.470921(N) & Longitude: 83.000218 (E)		

About:

Government Post Graduate College, Obra, Sonebhadra was established in the year 1982. It is a fully government owned and managed college for higher education. The college was previously affiliated to the VBS Purvanchal University, Jaunpur and from 2007 it is affiliated with Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapith, Varanasi for UG and PG programs. College is recognized by University Grans Commission (UGC) under 2 (f) and is the beneficiary of financial assistance under 12-B since 2005.

This College in its first cycle of NAAC was awarded B+ grade with 76 percent of score in March 2007. As Obra is situated in the southeast of Uttar Pradesh bordering four adjacent states-Jharkhand, Chattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh and Bihar, the students from these states often get admitted in UG and PG programs, however less in numbers. The college offers fourteen Undergraduate and nine Postgraduate courses respectively. Social Science, Arts, Science and Commerce are the major subjects offered by this college. Furthermore, the college has signed MoU with other institutes for better employability and skill-oriented academic development. The courses under NEP 2020 commenced in 2021-22 with Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) system.

As far as the organization structure is concerned, Principal acts as the head of the institute appointed by the Department of Higher Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh. Faculty members get appointed after the selection and recommendation from the Uttar Pradesh Public Service Commission (UPPSC). The Department of Higher Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh is responsible for the appointment,

tenure, promotion, and transfer of faculty members. Nonetheless, the UGC regulations are applicable to the faculty members for their career advancement.

Principal of this college is sole authority for financial management and spending, as he/she act as DDO. The senior faculty members assist in financial matters and non-academic activities for smooth functioning and substantial achievements of this college. Various cells and committees are structured involving experienced and new faculty members to realize various academic and extracurricular provisions. The financial, internal audit, purchase, GeM procurement, quality maintenance cell, ICT, incubation center, start up, council and students' union, grievance, student support and progression, NSS, NCC, Rover-Rangers, discipline, hostel, scholarships, environment ethics, and campus development committee exist for overall expansion of this college.

Nowadays, the non-teaching staff is appointed by the Directorate of Higher Education, Prayagraj, however the staff members work under the direction of the principal of this college. Principal is the immediate authority to lead the faculty and non-teaching staff as per government policy and procedure.

Vision and Mission:

The vision of this college is to acquire relevant knowledge along with skills and proper competencies and provide holistic education through appropriate curriculum, programs and academic innovations concentrating on employability and self-efficiency. College continuously promotes national integration, human rights, ethics, standard, fraternity, and community development activities through inclusive practices. The mission of this college is to promote knowledge for nation building.

Amenities:

Being a Government PG College, the facilities are extremely effective for academic advancement constantly. The smart class, updated lab facility, library, computer center, e-learning park, Wi-Fi, online admission, computerized exam records, reading room, common room, gymnasium and outdoor sport ground, vast campus with greenery is the foremost scaffold of this college. The canteen and parking cum cycle stand facility provides suitable support to the students admitted from the remote areas of Sonebhadra district. The college receives development grants directly from the state government for facility enhancement. It also gets benefit from the center sector schemes in higher education such as *Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan* (RUSA) and UGC.

Sec-4(1)(B) of RTI Act 2005

Any person seeking certain related information might send the application under RTI Act-2005 supplemented by a postal order/demand draft of Rs. 10/- in favor of the Principal, Government Post Graduate College, Obra, Sonebhadra. The application may be sent to the Public Information Officer (PIO) or handed over in his/her office during working days. The details of the officers are as follows:

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