

# CODE OF CONDUCT

## 1. Purpose

This Code of Conduct establishes the standards of behavior expected from all students, faculty, and staff of the B.Ed. College. It aims to promote professionalism, ethical practice, academic integrity, and a safe, respectful learning environment.

## 2. General Conduct

- All members of the college community must uphold dignity, respect, and courtesy in all interactions.
- Discrimination based on caste, religion, language, socioeconomic status, disability, or any other factor is strictly prohibited.
- Any form of harassment—verbal, physical, emotional, or digital—is not tolerated.

## 3. Academic Integrity

- Students must maintain honesty in all academic work, including assignments, examinations, and practicum tasks.
- Plagiarism, cheating, impersonation, or falsification of records is strictly prohibited.
- Faculty must ensure fairness, transparency, and objectivity in teaching, assessment, and evaluation.

## 4. Attendance and Punctuality

- Students must maintain the minimum attendance required by SNDT Women's University for theory and practicum.
- Punctuality is expected for all classes, school visits, internships, and college events.
- Repeated absenteeism or late arrival may lead to disciplinary action.

## 5. Classroom Behavior

- Students must participate actively, respectfully, and constructively in classroom activities.
- Use of mobile phones or electronic devices during class is allowed only for academic purposes.
- Disruptive behavior, talking during lectures, or disrespect toward faculty or peers is not acceptable.

## **6. Practicum and Internship Conduct**

- Students must follow the rules and culture of the practice-teaching school.
- Professional attire, punctuality, and responsible behavior are mandatory.
- Lesson plans must be prepared diligently and submitted on time.
- Confidentiality regarding students and school records must be maintained.

## **7. Dress Code**

- Students must dress modestly and appropriately, reflecting the professionalism expected of future teachers.
- Clothing should be neat, clean, and suitable for academic and practicum settings.

## **8. Use of College Property**

- College facilities, equipment, library resources, and digital platforms must be used responsibly.
- Damaging property, misuse of resources, or unauthorized access to restricted areas is prohibited.

## **9. Digital and Social Media Conduct**

- Students must use digital platforms ethically and responsibly.
- Posting defamatory, abusive, or inappropriate content related to the college, faculty, or peers is prohibited.
- Cyberbullying or academic dishonesty through digital means will result in disciplinary action.

## **10. Anti-Ragging Policy**

- Ragging in any form is strictly prohibited as per UGC and SNDT Women's University regulations.
- Any student found involved in ragging will face strict disciplinary action, including suspension or expulsion.

## **11. Grievance Redressal**

- Students may approach the Grievance Redressal Committee for issues related to academics, harassment, or administrative concerns.
- Complaints will be handled confidentially and fairly.

## **12. Disciplinary Action**

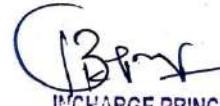
Violation of the Code of Conduct may result in:

- Warning
- Counseling
- Suspension
- Cancellation of admission
- Any other action deemed appropriate by the college authorities

## **13. Commitment to Professional Ethics**

All students and faculty must uphold the ethical standards expected of educators, including:

- Respect for learners
- Commitment to inclusive education
- Professional responsibility
- Continuous self-improvement



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