

Post Graduate Government College for Girls Sector 42, Chandigarh

(A Premium Multi-Faculty NAAC Accredited Grade 'A' Institute)

Affiliated to Panjab University, Chandigarh

Anti-Ragging Policy



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1. Aim of the Policy

Post Graduate Government College for Girls, Sector 42, Chandigarh maintains a healthy and congenial academic environment for the students. The institution offers protection to the new entrants from the menace of ragging. To this end, our Institute has constituted an Anti-Ragging Cell. The cell is headed by Principal of the institution, along with several other committee members comprising of senior faculty. Anti-Ragging Squad members have been deputed to monitor discipline inside the campus.

2. Objectives

The objectives of the Anti-Ragging Policy are:

- To secure almost all areas in the college (i.e. canteen, parking places, different blocks, play
 grounds etc.) and ensure that at least one faculty member is present at a particular time at all
 locations to avoid ragging.
- To take precautions to avoid ragging activities at other locations like bus stops and give instructions to student volunteers & secret informers at various boarding points.
- To conduct anti-ragging campaigns in the form of Flex boards and Posters in college premises and surrounding areas.
- To associate with Grievances & Redressal committee and help in anti-ragging activities.
- To conduct awareness programmes on Ant-Ragging in the form of meetings and PPTs to the senior students and staff.
- To conduct meeting whenever required and discuss relevant issues.

3. Scope

All the stakeholders of Post Graduate Government College for Girls, Sector 42, Chandigarh including the Management, Principal, Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff, Students and those shall adhere to the Policy.



4. What Constitutes Ragging?

Ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts:

- a. Any conduct by any student or students whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness a fresher or any other student.
- b. Indulging in rowdy or indisciplined activities by any student or students which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship, physical or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in any fresher or any other student.
- c. Asking any student to do any act which such student will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame, or torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student;
- d. Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student or a fresher.
- e. Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students.
- f. Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students.
- g. Any act of physical abuse including all variants of it: sexual abuse, homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene and lewd acts, gestures, causing bodily harm or any other danger to health or person.
- h. Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, posts, public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure, vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student.
- i. Any act that affects the mental health and self-confidence of a fresher or any other student with or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power, authority or superiority by a student over any fresher or any other student.

5. Procedure for lodging complaint

- The students may feel free to put up a grievance in writing/or Email to the respective committee incharge.
- The Grievance Cell will act upon those cases which have been forwarded along with the necessary documents.



• The Grievance Cell will assure that the grievance has been properly solved in a stipulated time limit provided by the cell.

6. The Roles and Responsibilities of the Anti-Ragging Committee

To root out ragging in all its forms from the College by preventing its occurrence by following the provisions of these regulations and punishing those who indulge in the same despite of `prohibition and prevention'.

It shall consider the recommendations of the Anti-ragging Squad and take appropriate decisions, including spelling out suitable punishments to those found guilty.

The Anti-ragging Squad will have visit, oversight and patrolling functions. It shall be kept mobile, alert and active at all times and shall be empowered to inspect places of potential ragging and make surprise raids on hostels, classrooms, and buses. The squad should investigate incidents of ragging and make recommendations to the Anti-ragging Committee and shall work under the overall guidance.

The Anti-Ragging Committee should also review the efforts to publicize anti-ragging measures, cross-verify the receipt of undertaking from students and their parents/guardians every year and should facilitate the implementation of anti-ragging measures.

Undertaking by the student and parent/guardian has to be submitted.

7. Anti-Ragging Undertaking

All the students admitted in the college (ongoing/ new admissions) are required to submit online the Anti-Ragging Undertaking at the Anti-Ragging Web Portal of Government of India:

www.antiragging.in or www.amanmovement.org



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