

# Yearly Status Report - 2019-2020

Part A				
Data of the Institution				
1. Name of the Institution	LONAVALA EDUCATION TRUST'S DR. B.N.PURANDARE ARTS, SMT. S.G. GUPTA COMMERCE AND SMT. SHARDABEN AMRUTLAL MITHAIWALA SCIENCE COLLEGE, VALVAN,LONAVALA,TAL. MAVAL, DIST. PUNE			
Name of the head of the Institution	Dr. Bhagwat Nivrutti Pawar			
Designation	Principal			
Does the Institution function from own campus	Yes			
Phone no/Alternate Phone no.	02114273006			
Mobile no.	9168809018			
Registered Email	iqac.lonavalacollege@gmail.com			
Alternate Email	lonavalacollege@gmail.com			
Address	Valvan, Off Old Mumbai Pune highway, Lonavla, Tal: Maval, Dist: Pune			
City/Town	Lonavala			
State/UT	Maharashtra			

Pincode	410403
2. Institutional Status	
Affiliated / Constituent	Affiliated
Type of Institution	Co-education
Location	Rural
Financial Status	Self financed and grant-in-aid
Name of the IQAC co-ordinator/Director	Dr. Digambar Jagannath Darekar
Phone no/Alternate Phone no.	02114273006
Mobile no.	9637989278
Registered Email	digambar.darekar@yahoo.com
Alternate Email	iqac.lonavalacollege@gmail.com
3. Website Address	
Web-link of the AQAR: (Previous Academic Year)	<u>http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/upload</u> <u>s/NAAC/Resubmitted_AQAR_2018-19.pdf</u>
4. Whether Academic Calendar prepared during the year	Yes
if yes,whether it is uploaded in the institutional website: Weblink :	http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/uploads/A cademic_Calendar/Academic_Calendar_2019 -20.pdf
5. Accrediation Details	

Cycle	Grade	CGPA	Year of	Vali	dity
			Accrediation	Period From	Period To
2	В	2.32	2013	08-Jul-2013	07-Jul-2018

6. Date of Establishment of IQAC

13-Mar-2006

# 7. Internal Quality Assurance System

Quality initiatives by IQAC during the year for promoting quality culture

Item /Title of the quality initiative by IQAC	Date & Duration	Number of participants/ beneficiaries		
Opportunities in Taiwan Universities for Higher Education	26-Aug-2019 1	65		
Workshop on Academic and Administrative Software for College Staff	05-Dec-2019 1	36		
One Day Seminar on Future of e-Marketing in Digital India	16-Jan-2020 1	62		
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# 8. Provide the list of funds by Central/ State Government- UGC/CSIR/DST/DBT/ICMR/TEQIP/World Bank/CPE of UGC etc.

Institution/Departmen t/Faculty	Scheme	Funding	Agency	Year of award with duration	Amount
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9. Whether composition of IQAC as per latest NAAC guidelines:			Yes		
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10. Number of IQAC meetings held during the year :		4			
The minutes of IQAC m decisions have been upl website			Yes		
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11. Whether IQAC rec the funding agency to			No		

12. Significant contributions made by IQAC during the current year(maximum five bullets)

Research Promotion and Development

Constitution Awareness Programme

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13. Plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the academic year towards Quality Enhancement and outcome achieved by the end of the academic year

Plan of Action	Achivements/Outcomes
Plan to Organise Seminars	One day seminar on Communication Skill Management and Personality Development was organised by the Department of Commerce.
Plan to promote participative learning of students	Students of Geographey department participated in debate competition organised by Modern College, Pune

14. Whether AQAR was placed before statutory body ?	Yes
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Name of Statutory Body	Meeting Date		
IQAC	26-Apr-2021		
15. Whether NAAC/or any other accredited body(s) visited IQAC or interacted with it to assess the functioning ?	No		
16. Whether institutional data submitted to AISHE:	Yes		
Year of Submission	2020		
Date of Submission	22-Jan-2020		
17. Does the Institution have Management Information System ?	Yes		
If yes, give a brief descripiton and a list of modules currently operational (maximum 500 words)	Yes, The institute has Management Information System (MIS)		
Part B			

**CRITERION I – CURRICULAR ASPECTS** 

#### 1.1 – Curriculum Planning and Implementation

1.1.1 – Institution has the mechanism for well planned curriculum delivery and documentation. Explain in 500 words

At the beginning of the term, all the departments are asked to give their tentative planning for the programs to be taken in the academic year. In the year 2019- 20 CBCS was introduced for the first-year students. The CBCS system introduced by SPPU was to be followed for all the first-year courses, there were additional courses introduced in this course that was introduced to the students. The subjects in which teachers have specialization are allotted to them. The separate timetable is prepared for Arts faculty, Commerce and Science faculty keeping in mind the teachers who are commonly teaching in all the three faculties / two faculties. .For effective lecture delivery both conventional and advanced learning methods are used such as chalk and blackboard, paper presentation, a seminar by students, group discussion, field trips PPT, Movies downloaded and shown to the students. lectures of experts are organised. Every department maintains its student record of attendance along with its marks. The exam department is vigilant and puts up a special notice on the board as well as announces it in the class. Filling up of exam forms, last date etc. Syllabus planning and its completion reports are collected by the end of the term.

1.1.2 – Certificate/ Diploma Courses introduced during the academic year

Certificate	Diploma Courses	Dates of Introduction	Duration	Focus on employ ability/entreprene urship	Skill Development
Not introduced	Not introduced	15/06/2019	0	NA	NA

1.2 – Academic Flexibility

1.2.1 - New programmes/courses introduced during the academic year

Programme/Course	Programme Specialization	Dates of Introduction	
BA	Arts	15/06/2019	
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1.2.2 – Programmes in which Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)/Elective course system implemented at the affiliated Colleges (if applicable) during the academic year.

Name of programmes adopting CBCS	Programme Specialization	Date of implementation of CBCS/Elective Course System		
BA	First year Arts	15/06/2019		
BCom	First Year Commerce	15/06/2019		
BSC First Year Science 15/06/2		15/06/2019		
1.2.3 – Students enrolled in Certificate/ Diploma Courses introduced during the year				

	Certificate	Diploma Course
Number of Students	Nil	Nil
1.3 – Curriculum Enrichment		

1.3.1 - Value-added courses imparting transferable and life skills offered during the year

Value Added Courses	Date of Introduction	Number of Students Enrolled
Direct tax counselor	20/08/2019	63

	20/0	1/2020	264	
Employability skill enhancement programme	20/0	1/2020	264	
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3.2 – Field Projects / Internships unde	er taken during the	year		
Project/Programme Title	Programme Specialization		No. of students enrolled for Field Projects / Internships	
BCom	Not ap	plicable	Nill	
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4 – Feedback System				
4.1 – Whether structured feedback re	ceived from all the	stakeholders.		
Students			Yes	
Teachers			Yes	
Employers		No		
Alumni			Yes	
Parents			No	
4.2 – How the feedback obtained is b	eing analyzed and	utilized for overal	I development of the institution?	
aximum 500 words)				

useful to them in what ever jobs they are pursuing or the career that they have taken up. The alumni suggests that the syllabus was up to the mark it did have relevance and the quality of the teachers was good.

#### **CRITERION II – TEACHING- LEARNING AND EVALUATION**

#### 2.1 – Student Enrolment and Profile

### 2.1.1 – Demand Ratio during the year

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	Name of the Programme	Programme Specialization	Number of seats available	Number of Application received	Students Enrolled
	BA	Arts	372	212	198
	BCom	Commerce	744	550	487
	BSc	Science	360	122	115

MCom		Commer	ce	1	.60		95		87
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2.2 – Catering to S	tudent Di	versity							
2.2.1 – Student - Fu	Ill time tead	cher ratio	o (currer	nt year data	)				
Year	Numbe students e in the inst (UG	enrolled titution	studen in the	nber of ts enrolled institution PG)	fulltime teachers fullti available in the available in the institution i		Numbe fulltime te available institu teaching c cours	eachers in the tion only PG	Number of teachers teaching both UG and PG courses
2019	80	00		87	21	_	-	1	22
2.3 – Teaching - Le	earning P	rocess	;						
2.3.1 – Percentage earning resources e		-		ffective tead	ching with L	earning	Managem	ient Syst	tems (LMS), E-
Number of Teachers on Roll	Numbe teachers ICT (LM Resour	using IS, e-	res	ools and ources ailable	enabled classroom				E-resources and techniques used
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2.3.2 – Students me	entoring sys	stem ava	ailable ir	n the institut	ion? Give d	etails. (ı	maximum {	500 wor	ds)
Yes, the Studen class teachers f communicate with of the college. Th	for each cla the studen	ass as pe ts about acher gui	er the sp the time ides aca	pecialization e table, Inte ademic grov	n of subjects rnal examin	ation da elated is	teachers ta ates, curric ssues and	ake the ular, co-	responsibility to curricular activities
Number of studen institu		in the	Nu	mber of full	time teache	rs	Ме	entor : M	entee Ratio
8	87				22			1	:40
2.4 – Teacher Prof	ile and Q	uality							
2.4.1 – Number of fu	ull time tea	chers ap	pointed	during the	year				
No. of sanctioned positions	d No. of	filled po	sitions	Vacant p	ositions		ns filled du current yea	<b>v</b>	lo. of faculty with Ph.D
23		20			5		Nill		15
2.4.2 – Honours and nternational level fro	-		-				gnition, fel	llowship	s at State, National
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2.5.1 – Number of days from the date of semester-end/ year- end examination till the declaration of results during the year

Programme Name	Programme Code	Semester/ year	Last date of the last semester-end/ year- end examination	Date of declaration of results of semester- end/ year- end examination
MCom	Commerce	Annual	19/10/2020	12/11/2020
BSc	Science	Annual	24/10/2020	12/11/2020
BCom	Commerce	Annual	21/10/2020	12/11/2020
BA	Arts	Annual	26/10/2020	12/11/2020
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2.5.2 - Reforms initiated on Continuous Internal Evaluation(CIE) system at the institutional level (250 words)

The examination department of the college conducts following initiation and reforms for the smooth functioning of the examination process and through this students can be continuously evaluated. 1. Arranged Semester wise internal examination for each department of science faculty 2. Arranged Term-end Examination for Arts and Commerce faculty. 3. Assigned seminar and project work. 4. Conducted Oral examination. 5. Arranged mid Semester examination for internal evaluation of first year B. A and B. Co

2.5.3 – Academic calendar prepared and adhered for conduct of Examination and other related matters (250 words)

Yes, The institute prepared Academic Calendar at the beginning of each academic year which tentatively includes internal examination months, vacation, holidays, different events suggested by the JD office, SPPU, Pune and UGC. The college conducts most of the activities as per this academic calendar. College uploads academic calendar every year on the college website.

#### 2.6 – Student Performance and Learning Outcomes

2.6.1 – Program outcomes, program specific outcomes and course outcomes for all programs offered by the institution are stated and displayed in website of the institution (to provide the weblink)

http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/uploads/NAAC/PO\_PSO\_CO\_2019-20.pdf

2.6.2 – Pass percentage of students

Programme Code	Programme Name	Programme Specialization	Number of students appeared in the final year examination	Number of students passed in final year examination	Pass Percentage			
Arts	BA	Arts	24	22	91.67			
Commerce	BCom	Commerce	122	121	82.79			
Science	BSC	Science	16	16	100			
Commerce	MCom	Commerce	62	61	98.39			
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#### 2.7 – Student Satisfaction Survey

2.7.1 – Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) on overall institutional performance (Institution may design the questionnaire) (results and details be provided as weblink)

http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/uploads/NAAC/SSS\_AQAR\_2019-20\_Responses.pdf

RITERION III – RI	•							
.1.1 – Research fund			from vari	ous agencie	s, indu	stry and ot	her orga	nisations
Nature of the Project			-		otal grant		mount received during the year	
Any Other (Specify)	0		NA		0		0	
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2 – Innovation Eco	system							
.2.1 – Workshops/Se actices during the ye		ed on Intel	lectual Pr	operty Righ	ts (IPR)	) and Indus	stry-Acac	lemia Innovative
Title of worksho	p/seminar	1	Name of t	he Dept.			Da	ite
Intellectual Right			Scie	ence			26/08	/2019
education at	portunities inHigher education at Taiwan Universities		Scie	ence			26/08	/2019
Communication	One day seminar on Communication skill and management		Commerce		01/02/2020			
.2.2 – Awards for Inn	ovation won by I	nstitution/	Teachers/	Research s	cholars	/Students	during th	e year
Title of the innovatior	Name of Awa	ardee	Awarding	Agency	Dat	e of award		Category
Nil	Nil		N	il	15	5/06/201	.9	Nil
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Incubation Center	Name	Sponse	red By	Name of Start-u		Nature of up		Date of Commencemer
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3 – Research Publ								
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.3.2 – Ph. Ds awarde			ble for PG	College, Re				
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.3.3 – Research Pub								
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	International	Botany	1	0				
	International	Mathematics	1	0				
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	3.3.4 – Books and Chapters in edited Volumes / Books published, and papers in National/International Conference Proceedings per Teacher during the year							
	Department Number of Publication							
	Psycl	nology		1				
	Eng	lish		1				
	Bot	tany		1				
Chemistry 7								
	Phy	sics		2				
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3.3.5 – Bibliometrics of the publications during the last Academic year based on average citation index in Scopus/ Web of Science or PubMed/ Indian Citation Index

Title of the Paper	Name of Author	Title of journal	Year of publication	Citation Index	Institutional affiliation as mentioned in the publication	Number of citations excluding self citation
Advanced Room Tempe rature Sin gle- Electron Transistor of a Germanium Nanochain with Two and Multit unnel Junctions	Dr.Amar S.Katkar	Dr.Amar S.Katkar	2020	1	Dr.B.N.P urandare A rts,Smt.S. G.Gupta Commerce and Smt.S. A.Mithaiwa la Science college,Lo navla,MS,I ndia	1
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 3.3.6 - h-Index of the Institutional Publications during the year. (based on Scopus/ Web of science)

Title of the Paper	Name of Author	Title of journal	Year of publication	h-index	Number of citations excluding self citation	Institutional affiliation as mentioned in the publication
Advanced Room Tempe rature Sin gle- Electron Transistor of a Germanium Nanochain with Two and Multit unnel Junctions	Dr.Amar S.Katkar	ACS Applied El ectronics Materials	2020	2	1	Dr.B.N.P urandare A rts,Smt.S. G.Gupta Commerce and Smt.S. A.Mithaiwa la Science college,Lo navla,MS,I ndia

NUMERICAL SIMULATION OF BLOOD FLOW WITH SODIUM ALGINATE (SA) NANO PARTICLES IN STENOSED HUMAN ARTERIES IN THE PRESENCE OF BODY AC CELERATION	Dr.Nit S. Bodk		of 11 .n 77	019 7 File	1	Ni	<pre>11 Dr.B.N.P urandare A rts,Smt.S. G.Gupta Commerce and Smt.S. A.Mithaiwa la Science college,Lo navla,MS,I ndia</pre>
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3.4.2 – Awards ar during the year	nd recognitio	on received for ex	tension acti	vities fror	m Government	and other	recognized bodies
Name of the	activity	Award/Reco	gnition	Awa	arding Bodies	N	umber of students Benefited
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3.4.3 – Students participating in extension activities with Government Organisations, Non-Government Organisations and programmes such as Swachh Bharat, Aids Awareness, Gender Issue, etc. during the year

Name of the scheme	Organising unit/Agen cy/collaborating agency	Name of th	ne activity	Number of teach participated in su activites	
International Yoga Day	NSS and Social workers in Lonavala	Lean Yogasa Medita		23	20
Tree Plantation (60 tress)	NSS and Lonavala Nagarparishad	Plan trees : sports of co:	ground	5	130
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Counting of money at Ekvira Temple, Malvali	NSS and Ekvira Trust	collecte in Ek temp	Counted 4 cted money Ekvira emple, lavali		60
Maharashtra Police foundation day	NSS and Police training ceter Khandala	Wea Disp	apon Day	5	150
Fit India Movement and Sports day	NSS and Sports Department	Compet relate fitnes Ra:	s and	б	70
Swachhata Pandhrawda	NSS	Clean campus coll		3	40
Voter awareness programme	NSS	Ran Competit Ess compet	ay	2	60
Indian Constitutional Day	NSS	Guest	lecture	3	155
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			-	nge, student excha inancial support	nge during the year Duration 0

3.5.2 - Linkages with institutions/industries for internship, on-the- job training, project work, sharing of research facilities etc. during the year Nature of linkage Title of the Name of the Duration From Duration To Participant linkage partnering institution/ industry /research lab with contact details 15/06/2019 15/06/2019 NIL NIL NIL 0 View File 3.5.3 - MoUs signed with institutions of national, international importance, other universities, industries, corporate houses etc. during the year Organisation Date of MoU signed Purpose/Activities Number of students/teachers participated under MoUs 15/06/2019 Nill NIL NIL View File CRITERION IV – INFRASTRUCTURE AND LEARNING RESOURCES 4.1 – Physical Facilities 4.1.1 – Budget allocation, excluding salary for infrastructure augmentation during the year Budget allocated for infrastructure augmentation Budget utilized for infrastructure development 1200000 412206 4.1.2 - Details of augmentation in infrastructure facilities during the year Existing or Newly Added Facilities Campus Area Existing Class rooms Existing Laboratories Existing Seminar halls with ICT facilities Newly Added Seminar Halls Newly Added <u>View File</u> 4.2 – Library as a Learning Resource 4.2.1 - Library is automated {Integrated Library Management System (ILMS)} Name of the ILMS Nature of automation (fully Version Year of automation software or patially) Vriddhi Partially 2.0 2019 4.2.2 - Library Services Total Library Existing Newly Added Service Type 1828167 Text 16682 1149 95682 17831 1923849 Books 1357564 5694 1351370 52 6194 5746 Reference Books

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institute uses a mechanism for the maintenance of the physical and academic facilities as per the following points: 1) The institute makes provision in the budget for maintenance. 2) Permission is sought from Institute. 3) The institute invites quotations for the proposed work from different vendors. 4) Work order is issued after a comparative analysis of different quotations. 5) Job completion report is prepared by a technician and signed by the concerned head 6) Payment is processed through concerned authorities and forwarded by the Principal for final payment. Procedure for utilization of facility: 1) Science Laboratory: The maintenance of electrical and electronic equipment is verified by the faculty members of concerned departments and whenever necessary, a college technician for repair is called for maintenance. Regular updates of dead stock register. 2) Computers, equipment, Internet services Electricity maintenance: - The college has appointed one technical persons for maintenance and up gradation of technical issues related to computers, server, xerox machines, printers, scanners, internet services and electricity issues. 3) The institute website is maintained and updated regularly. 4) Library: Library staff takes care of the regular functions of library. Library attendants take care of issue of books, collection, cleaning the stock room and reading hall regularly. Students can use the central reading hall in campus from 9.30 am to 4.30 p.m. Students must procure a library card after admission which can be used for issuing two books every week. 5) Classroom College timetable is designed by time table committe. keeping in mind the maximum utilization of classrooms and physical facilities. Separate non-teaching staff is appointed for cleaning classrooms, college campus and housekeeping. 6) Sports complex: Incharge of sports department looks after the development and maintenance of sports facilities. Gym equipment are maintained and repaired as and when required. All the available sports facilities are properly utilized for the promotion of sports in the institute. The institution ensures that all the basic and essential infrastructural facilities maintenance are made available for imparting quality education.

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#### **CRITERION V – STUDENT SUPPORT AND PROGRESSION**

#### 5.1 – Student Support

5.1.1 – Scholarships and Financial Support

	Name/Title of the scheme	Number of students	Amount in Rupees		
Financial Support from institution	NIL	0	0		
Financial Support from Other Sources					
a) National	Scholarship/Frees hip	32	230932.5		
b)International	NIL	Nill	0		
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5.1.2 – Number of capability enhancement and development schemes such as Soft skill development, Remedial coaching, Language lab, Bridge courses, Yoga, Meditation, Personal Counselling and Mentoring etc.,

Name of the capability enhancement scheme	Date of implemetation	Number of students enrolled	Agencies involved			
Remedial Coaching	21/12/2019	7	English Department			
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Year	Name of the scheme	Number of benefited students for competitive examination	Number of benefited students by career counseling activities	Number of students who have passedin the comp. exam	Number of studentsp place
2020	Competitive Exam	65	Nill	Nill	Nill
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	mechanism for trar gging cases during t		dressal of student	grievances, Preven	tion of sexual
Total grievar	nces received	Number of grieva	ances redressed	Avg. number of d redre	
N	ill	N	ill	N	ill
- Student Pro	gression				
2.1 – Details of ca	ampus placement d	uring the year			
	On campus			Off campus	
Nameof organizations visited	Number of students participated	Number of stduents placed	Nameof organizations visited	Number of students participated	Number of stduents placed
NIL	Nill	Nill	Tungarli Jim	1	1
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2.2 – Student pro	gression to higher e	education in percen	tage during the yea	ar	
2.2 – Student pro Year	gression to higher e Number of students enrolling into higher education	education in percent Programme graduated from	tage during the yea Depratment graduated from	Ar Name of institution joined	Name of programme admitted to
	Number of students enrolling into	Programme	Depratment	Name of	programme
Year	Number of students enrolling into higher education	Programme graduated from	Depratment graduated from	Name of institution joined Dr.B.N.P.A rts,Smt.S.G. G.Commerce and Smt.S.A. Mithaiwala Science college,	programme admitted to
Year 2019	Number of students enrolling into higher education 40	Programme graduated from B.Com. B.Sc.	Depratment graduated from Commerce	Name of institution joined Dr.B.N.P.A rts,Smt.S.G. G.Commerce and Smt.S.A. Mithaiwala Science college, Lonavla Savitribai Phule Pune U niversity,Pu	programme admitted to M.Com.

5.2.3 – Students qualifying in state/ national/ international level examinations during the year (eg:NET/SET/SLET/GATE/GMAT/CAT/GRE/TOFEL/Civil Services/State Government Services)

Items	Number of students selected/ qualifying				
NET	Nill				
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#### 5.2.4 - Sports and cultural activities / competitions organised at the institution level during the year

Activity	Level	Number of Participants			
Open Marathon	Intercollege	4			
Disc throw	college	10			
Shotput	college	10			
Cricket	college	60			
Volleyball	college	48			
Kabaddi	college	48			
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#### 5.3 – Student Participation and Activities

5.3.1 – Number of awards/medals for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at national/international level (award for a team event should be counted as one)

Year	Name of the award/medal	National/ Internaional	Number of awards for Sports	Number of awards for Cultural	Student ID number	Name of the student	
2019	NIL	National	Nill	Nill	00	00	
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5.3.2 – Activity of Student Council & representation of students on academic & administrative bodies/committees of the institution (maximum 500 words)

As per the Maharashtra University Act, every year college is appointing college UR (University Representative) through students from students council election. But due to the Covid-19 situation, this year election was not conducted so the college could not assign a college representative.

#### 5.4 – Alumni Engagement

5.4.1 - Whether the institution has registered Alumni Association?

Yes

Yes, the college has registered Alumni Association named with "Lonavla Mahavidyalaya Maji Vidyatrthi Sanghtana" under Charity commissioner, Maharashtra State Government Charity with the registration number of Maha/1807/2019/Pune on 02/12/2019. As per the rules and regulations of Maharashtra society act, the governing body of alumni association was formed. Body of Alumni Association comprises seven alumni and is being chaired by Adv. Sanjay Shankar Wandre. About 63 members are working as a part of an alumni association. The alumni association is intended to work for economically deprived students and support for all-around development of the college. Following activities has been carried out by the alumni association, 1. Distribution of Saris and food packets to tribal region people on the occasion of republic day. 2. Tree plantation and cleaning of college campus is done by the alumni. 3. Alumni was actively participated in cleaning of college sports complex. They also have installed LED lights at sports complex. 4. During the Covid-19 pandemic situation, as a social responsibility alumni has sanitized the Gymkhana of college. 5. With NSS unit of college, alumni were participated in distribution of masks at Nagarparishad Lonavla and rural police station.

5.4.2 – No. of enrolled Alumni:

63

5.4.3 – Alumni contribution during the year (in Rupees) :

5.4.4 - Meetings/activities organized by Alumni Association :

05 activities

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#### **CRITERION VI – GOVERNANCE, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT**

#### 6.1 – Institutional Vision and Leadership

6.1.1 – Mention two practices of decentralization and participative management during the last year (maximum 500 words)

College practices decentralization and participative management through apex management body, Under Management CDC committee. members discuss issues related to development of college with college Principal as head of the committee. Principal appoints different committees and respective committee coordinators with its members for carrying out the activities of the college effectively with improvement of students, all factually members and college staff. This facilitates decentralizing to a better extent. Two best practices: 1. Admission committee During the last week of every academic year admission committee constituted for efficient admission work, representative of each department are appointed to frame rules of admission by keeping into consideration the various rules and regulations of government of Maharashtra and SSPU Pune University. On the onset of academic year the admission committee coordinators brief the details about admission producer and arrangement (if any). And principal addresses the admission committee members and the administrative staff. Through online producer http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/index.php students fill up the admission form and submit the hard copy in the college office along with all necessary documents. Faculty members class in charge from the concerned departments guide them for seeking admission and offer counselling whenever necessary. After scrutiny of the admission forms, faculty members with assistance of office staff prepare the merit list where ever necessary. The merit list is displayed on the college notice boards. As per merit lists students are allowed to take admission to their respective classes. Under single window system the admission procedure is completed and students are allotted college I-D card. In case of any ambiguity, Principal discuss with the concerned Head of the Department or faculty in charge and admission procedure is finalize under the guidance of Principal. Each and every committee members are empowered with certain authority. This decentralization policy permits large no of students to complete the admission process within short period. Through this participate management policy every committee members gets opportunity to contribute in admission process. In this manner decentralization system is practiced in all committee. Within certain limits, every committee is given authority to take decisions and thus participative management facilitates the division of work. Thus all the aforementioned practice provide an effective mechanism for college governance. 2. Examination Committee:

6.1.2 – Does the institution have a Management Information System (MIS)?

Yes

6.2 – Strategy Development and Deployment

5.2.1 – Quality improvement strategies adopted by the institution for each of the following (with in 100 words eac				
Strategy Type	Details			
Research and Development	College takes efforts to develop and strengthen research culture among students and teaching faculty member's. College teachers are encouraged to publish their research papers in journals. To motivate and to develop research activity the college has internet library facility to search reference books and research papers. Research journals are also made available in the library. Students are motivated to participate in avishkar competition organization by Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune. Innovative ideas were given to the students and at initial level in the college students of all departments presented their research projects which were scrutinized by judges from respective fields, short listed research projects take parts for the University level Avishkar competition for every year. College principal guides and encourage the students for this activity. While fostering the research culture in the college utmost care is taken to see the ethics, and morality are maintained in the research activity.			
Teaching and Learning	To improve quality in teaching learning system, teachers are allowed to attend refresher courses and orientation courses. Teachers are provided internet facilities for browsing and surfing for recent research work and for online teaching. Teachers participated in online MOOC courses on SWAYAM. Teachers have also completed online MOOC courses to improve teaching and learning. Reference books are made available to teachers and students for better teaching and learning in the college library. To ensure quality of teaching learning process teachers are encouraged to conducts workshops, seminars and conferences.			

# 6.2.2 – Implementation of e-governance in areas of operations:

E-governace area	Details	
Planning and Development	E-governance is the integration of Information and Communication Technology in all the working processes of college planning and development. Implementation of e-governance in	

	<pre>planning and development of the college process is essential for more transparency, reducing manual efforts, increasing work efficiency and saving time and cost of work. To emphasize the same college has been using Vriddhi software for Student support, Examination, Finance Account, Library, etc. The name of the software Vendor is Vriddhi Software Solutions Pvt Ltd. Apart from this software college communicates college notices, important circulars, time tables, events, activity brouchers and meeting links via e-mail and college WhatsApp group with teaching and non-teaching staff members. ICT tools such as social media, college facebook account, college Twitter account, the college website and WhatsApp group are helpful for college planning and development and have been used for educational activities.</pre>
Student Admission and Support	Vriddhi Software is partially used for student's data management, Admissions and students support in order to generate their fees receipts, Admission receipts, issuing them Identity card, library cards. Apart from that Vriddhi software is used for students support to hand over their Leaving certificates, Bonafide certificates and all related data management of students.
Administration	Under the green initiatives, IQAC, college office and most of the departments of the college uses Google facilities like Gmail for communication of information, Google Docs for preparing college notices and activity reports, Google Forms for collecting online feedbacks from Students, Teachers and Alumni. Extensive use of Google Drives for storing the important data. The college has Biometric attendance for teaching and non- teaching staff. CCTV Cameras have installed at various places of need on the college campus. Partial use of ICT has been introduced in the Administrative work. College WhatsApp Group helps to share important notices of the college, University circulars, events and activity information, online meeting links, etc. Similarly, IQAC WhatsApp Group is used to communicate important NAAC, AQAR information and

	updates to IQAC members and criterion in charges. Overall this tool helps for awareness and of smooth functioning of the institute
Examination	To achieve Paperless communication and maintain transparency exam section collect the internal exam and term end exam question papers via emails from all academic departments. The exam department shares the important circulars, notices and time tables via the WhatsApp group of the college. Vriddhi Software is used partially in the exam department for filling internal and external exam marks of first-year degree programmes for 2013 pattern students or backlog students from 2013 pattern. It also helps to generate their result. Apart from that it helps for result analysis and maintains their result data.
Finance and Accounts	For proper data management and data creation in the finance and Accounts section, the college uses the Vriddhi software partially. Tally ERP 9.0 for the transparent functioning of the Finance and Accounts department. The same software is used to generate various reports like Consolidated Day Book General Day Book Daily Cash Collection report.the

# 6.3 – Faculty Empowerment Strategies

6.3.1 – Teachers provided with financial support to attend conferences / workshops and towards membership fee of professional bodies during the year

Year	Name of Teacher	Name of conference/ workshop attended for which financial support provided	Name of the professional body for which membership fee is provided	Amount of support
2019	Dr. D.J. Darekar	Revised Accreditation Framework: Issues and Perspectives	NA	3840
2019	Dr. S.G. Sontakke	Revised Accreditation Framework: Issues and Perspectives	NA	2460
2019	Dr. N.S. Bodke	Revised Accreditation Framework: Issues and Perspectives	NA	1800
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6.3.2 – Number of professional development / administrative training programmes organized by the College for teaching and non teaching staff during the year

Year	Title of the professional development programme organised for teaching staff	Title of the administrative training programme organised for non-teaching staff	From date	To Date	Number of participants (Teaching staff)	Number of participants (non-teaching staff)		
2019	NAAC Supported software	NAAC Supported software	03/03/2019	03/03/2019	26	6		
2019	Workshop on academic and admini strative softwares.	Workshop on academic and admini strative softwares.	05/03/2019	05/03/2019	29	7		
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6.3.3 – No. of teachers attending professional development programmes, viz., Orientation Programme, Refresher Course, Short Term Course, Faculty Development Programmes during the year

Title of the professional development programme	Number of teachers who attended	From Date	To date	Duration
Refresher Course	б	15/06/2019	30/05/2020	21
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6.3.4 - Faculty and Staff recruitment (no. for permanent recruitment):

Teac	hing	Non-te	aching
Permanent	Full Time	Permanent	Full Time
Nill	Nill	Nill	Nill

6.3.5 - Welfare schemes for

Teaching	Teaching Non-teaching	
Employee's Provident Fund, DCPS, Leaves, Group Insurance, Medical Reimbursement	Employee's Provident Fund, DCPS, Leaves, Group Insurance, Medical Reimbursement	Earn and Learn Schemes, NSS, Insurance from university

#### 6.4 – Financial Management and Resource Mobilization

6.4.1 – Institution conducts internal and external financial audits regularly (with in 100 words each)

Yes, an external audit is done annually after the completion of every financial year. The chartered accountant who works as an auditor is appointed by the institution. The financial audit conducts every year. Accession record is verified by auditors such as all purchased records and dead stock of the laboratories, Verification of accession record of library, deadstock and equipment of gymkhana. The nature of the payment is categorized into revenue expenditure and capital expenditure. This is also verified by the auditor. The bills and vouchers of revenue expenditure are verified. After final checking of the records, the external auditors sign the receipts and payment. The funds received from different heads such as UGC funds for development and research, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune funds for development and research, tuition fees collected from students, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune financial assistance for student welfare, NSS, organization of the conference, student welfare schemes etc. All these funds are mobilized as per requirement and for infrastructure developments. College also receives salary support from the government for the aided post of teaching and non-teaching staff and nonsalary grants from the government. For all these expenditures under various heads utilization certificates are prepared where ever necessary. This is duly verified by the CA and submitted to the corresponding authority. This is audited by the external auditor nominated by the institution.

6.4.2 – Funds / Grants received from management, non-government bodies, individuals, philanthropies during the year(not covered in Criterion III)

Name of the non government funding agencies /individuals		Funds/ Grnats	received in Rs.	F	Purpose			
	Individual		111		Development and			
Vier			<u>v File</u>	Meritori	lous students			
6.4.3 – Total corpus fund generated								
0								
6.5 – Internal Quali	ty Assurance Sy	vstem						
6.5.1 – Whether Aca	demic and Admini	strative Audit (AAA	) has been done	<del>?</del> ?				
Audit Type		External		Inte	rnal			
	Yes/No	Age	ncy	Yes/No	Authority			
Academic	No		NA	No	NA			
Administrative	e No		NA	No	NA			
6.5.2 – Activities and support from the Parent – Teacher Association (at least three)								
There was no	activities o	arried out th	is year by 🗄	Parent-Teacher	r Association.			
6.5.3 – Development	programmes for s	support staff (at lea	st three)					
1.Traning Pr		C supported so .Sanvidhan Awa			operty Rights			
6.5.4 – Post Accredit	ation initiative(s) (	mention at least thi	ee)					
	ent and Pers	cure E-marketi onality develo lucation in Ta	opment 3.Gue	est lecture on	communication , Opportunities			
6.5.5 – Internal Qual	ity Assurance Sys	tem Details						
a) Submiss	ion of Data for AIS	HE portal		Yes				
b)P	articipation in NIR	F	No					
	)ISO certification		No					
d)NBA or any other quality audit			No					
6.5.6 – Number of Q	uality Initiatives ur	dertaken during the	e year					
Year	Name of quality nitiative by IQAC	Date of conducting IQAC	Duration Fron	n Duration To	Number of participants			

2019	Traning Program on NAAC supported software	23/10/20	19 03/12	/2019	03/12/201	L9 36
2019	One day seminar on Dr.Babasaheb Ambedkar Mah aparinirvan din	23/10/20	2019 06/12/2019		06/12/201	40
2019	Sanvidhan Awareness Program	23/10/20	19 29/11,	/2019	29/11/201	19 19
2019	Intellectual Property Rights	23/07/20	19 26/08	/2019	26/08/201	L9 65
2019	Opportunit ies in Education in Taiwan Universities	23/07/20	19 26/08	/2019	26/08/201	L9 65
2020	Rasing day (Police Foundation Day)	23/10/20	19 02/01	/2020	02/01/202	20 89
2020	One day seminar on Future E- markating	23/10/20	19 16/01	/2020	16/01/202	20 62
2020	Guest lecture on Income Tax	23/10/20	19 14/01,	/2020	14/01/202	20 86
2020	One day seminar on c ommunication skill, Management and Personality development	23/10/20	19 01/02	/2020	01/02/202	20 104
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CRITERION VII -	- INSTITUTIONA	L VALUES A	ND BEST PF	RACTICES	5	
7.1 – Institutional	Values and Socia	l Responsibil	ties			
7.1.1 – Gender Equ year)	uity (Number of geno	der equity prom	otion program	nes organiz	ed by the ins	stitution during the
Title of the programme	Period from	m P	eriod To	od To Number of Participants		
				Ferr	nale	Male

07/03/2020

95

Nill

07/03/2020

Women's Day

Program	nme							
A Gue lecture "Social Me Youth	on edia &	28/08/20	19 28/0	8/2019	90			30
7.1.2 – Enviror	nmental Cons	ciousness ar	nd Sustainability//	Alternate Ene	ergy ini	tiatives su	uch as:	
Percentage of power requirement of the University met by the renewable energy sources								
Total Tube lights in college: 161 LED Bulbs Tubes fixed: 130 Percentage of Low Consumption lights used: 80.75								
7.1.3 – Differer	ntly abled (Div	vyangjan) frie	endliness					
lte	em facilities		Yes	/No		Nu	Imber of benef	iciaries
Scribes	for exami	ination	3	<i>l</i> es			1	
7.1.4 – Inclusio	on and Situate	edness						
Year	Number of initiatives to address locational advantages and disadva ntages		th to	Duration		ame of itiative	Issues addressed	Number of participating students and staff
2019	1	Nill	21/06/2 019	1	ti	nterna ional ga Day	Yoga de monstrati on to college students and staff	45
2020	1	Nill	02/01/2 020	1	of at Te	nting money Ekvira mple, lvali	voluntary work	64
2020	1	Nill	08/01/2 020	1	r Pol und	aharas htra ice fo lation day	Awareness about Police Eq uipments	124
2020	1	Nill	01/02/2 020	1	se on nic Ski age ers y D	ne day minar "Commu cation 11 Man ment P onalit evelop ment	lity Deve	104
2020	1	Nill	12/02/2 020	1	Vis Mag	Field sit to ganlal ctory	Practical Learning	20

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2019	Nill	1	23/12/2 019	7	NSS Camp in Tungi Village	Social Work	92	
2019	Nill	1	28/12/2 019	1	Skits on social Issues	Social Awareness	10	
2019	Nill	1	29/08/2 019	1	FIT India Movement Rally	Health Awareness	70	
2020	NILL	1	01/01/2 020	1	Grantha Dindi	Awareness on Regional Language (Marathi) Grantha	55	
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7.1.5 – Human	Values and P	rofessiona	I Ethics Code of co	onduct (handbo	ooks) for variou	us stakeholder	S	
	Title		Date of pu	ublication	Foll	Follow up(max 100 words)		
	e of Conduc ospectus			6/2019	Follow up(max 100 word Any Organization requires a modus oper or general guideline run smoothly. Educata institution has man stakeholders which m a code of conduct and professional ethics framed in our college all stakeholders including students employees, teaching non-teaching staff, committee, HODs, and manual of profession ethics is given for classroom teaching laboratory, etc. The of conduct is also g to students throug Prospectus, which published every year given to the student the time of initiat admission process		operandi alines to ucational as many ich needs act. The ct and chics is llege for dents, hing and aff, CDC s, and a essional en for ching, The code so given hrough nich is year and idents at itiating	
7.1.6 – Activities conducted for promotion of universal Values and Ethics								

Activity	Duration From	Duration To	Number of participants
Samvidhan Day (Guest lecture on Indian Constitution)	25/11/2019	25/11/2019	70

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necessary so that harmful chemicals are disposed of properly. Chemical waste recycling is carried on by Chemistry department of college at regular intervals. 2. Less use of Paper: Majority of the administrative and academic work is carried on with the help of computers and internet. The college has installed Vriddhi software through which all the record of students admitted every year is maintained in that software. The office coordination is done through mails. The student's assignments and project are collected in soft copies so that there is less use of paper. 3. Tree Plantation: Landscaping with trees and plants:- 10th July, 2019: Plantation of 60 Saplings was done in sports ground of college by college students and social workers from Lonavala

city. 28th August 2019: Tree plantation in college campus by college students along with Mayor, Corporators, and Chief Officer of Lonavala city. 4. Cleanliness Drive in College Campus (Swatch Abhiyan) : The students of the college under the department of NSS regularly undertake cleanliness drive in the college campus. This activity was conducted on the following days: a. 20th July 2019: Cleaning of drinking water tanks. b. 13th 14th August 2019: Campus Cleaning for celebration of Independence Day. c. 17th August 2019: Cleaning of drinking water tanks by NSS students. d. 11th September 2019: Cleaning of various areas in college campus. e. 23rd November 2019: Cleaning of Science Building and cleaning of drinking water tanks. f. 23rd 24th January 2021: Cleaning of campus for celebration of Republic Day. 5. Plastic- free campus: 1. Students are instructed not to bring "use and throw" plastic materials inside the campus. 2. Environmental Science is offered for UG students. 3. Awareness programme about environment pollution and 'how to protect environment' are conducted. Students are advised to use paper plates, jute materials etc. which helps to reduce the use of plastic and papers and to contribute towards sustainable environment. 4. 25th September 2019: 'Plastic Nirmulan Drive' .

## 7.2 – Best Practices

7.2.1 - Describe at least two institutional best practices

Best Practices Academic Year\_2019-20 Title of Best Practice 1: Earn-While-Learn Scheme This scheme is recently known as Padmabhushan Karmveer Bhaurao Patil Earn and Learn Scheme. This is one of the best practices of the college which has made a positive impact on the functioning of the college. 'Earn and Learn Scheme' is implemented for poor, economically backward and needy students of the college to help them to overcome their financial issues whilst pursuing higher education independently. Most of the students of this college come from the rural areas, especially economically weaker sections of the society, are deprived of education due to the financial weaknesses of the family. Keeping

this sole objective in mind college implemented this Scheme to enable the students to overcome such obstacles. This scheme helps to develop selfdependence among students and enables them to appreciate the dignity of Labor. Different types of nature of work of students as reflected in pics as well:- • Laboratory work. • Library work. • Cleanliness of campus. • Tree plantation. • Garden Work. The overall progress of the villagers living in a remote area is still restrained by various social factors like Illiteracy, health issues related to unhygienic living conditions, superstitious outlook, lack of information, etc. These factors are restraining the progress of the villagers that compelled us to organize an awareness campaign especially targeting these issues through extension activities This practice is implemented with the help of NSS Volunteers, college students and staff. Through this practice, various problems of nearby villages were addressed. It allows the students to actively contribute their services for the cause of the community, thus enabling them to have first-hand experience of various problems plaguing our society thereby helping them develop their perspective towards social sector development. NSS unit of our college with the full support of our NSS volunteers under the leadership of the programme officer worked with the rural community to conduct the following activities in the village • Village Cleanliness: The college students, staff and the villagers contributed to Village Cleanliness. • Tree Plantation: With the help of villagers college students planted the plants and samplings in the village. • Women Empowerment: College arranged the rally for women empowerment. • Awareness programmes: College faculty delivered speeches for the awareness of the villagers about many issues like sanitation, the importance of water conservation, health issues, hygiene, AIDS awareness etc. • Medical Check-up Camp: College with the help of the NSS unit arranged a free medical check-up camp. • Eradication of Superstition Rally: College students arranged dramas, plays, skits etc. to spread awareness and eradication of superstition among the people. • Arranged lectures on the importance of education for school children of the village.

Upload details of two best practices successfully implemented by the institution as per NAAC format in your institution website, provide the link

http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/uploads/NAAC/Best%20Practices\_2019-20.pdf

#### 7.3 – Institutional Distinctiveness

7.3.1 – Provide the details of the performance of the institution in one area distinctive to its vision, priority and thrust in not more than 500 words

INTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS Despite lot of focus on education, there continues to be a persistent gap between female and male access to education, and continued neglect of girls' education remains a hard reality, particularly in rural Maharashtra. An inherent gender bias in the rural society against female education is regarded as the main reason for not getting females enrolled in school and colleges. In rural Maharashtra, the foremost factor limiting female education is poverty as a majority of the people are poor and cannot afford to give education to their children. To overcome this our college has undertaken following steps:- a) Encouraged girl students from rural areas to continue with their studies by taking counselling sessions. b) Undertaken 'Earn learn programme' for the rural girl students so that they could develop their skills whilst studying and could sustain their education by earning from the aforesaid programme. c) Undertook various lecturettes to disseminate the importance of

educating a Girl Child women empowerment

Provide the weblink of the institution

http://lonavalacollege.edu.in/uploads/NAAC/Distinctive%20practice 2019-20.pdf

8.Future Plans of Actions for Next Academic Year

1. Installation of New drinking water filters and coolers. 2. Construction of pedestrian pathways 3.Botanical Garden