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# SWARNACHUD COLLEGE

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## INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS OF SWARNACHUD COLLEGE, MITRAPUR

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Located in Mitrapur, a remote area under the jurisdiction of Integrated Tribal Development Agencies of Nilgiri in Balasore District of Odisha, Swarnachud college has become a center of education for the poor and under privileged students of the locality. The prime vision of the institution has been to provide quality education at an affordable cost and make higher education a viable reality for a neglected section of society where the majority of the inmates are engaged in stone quarries as wage earners and lead a livelihood solely dependent on forest products. It is with such a background, Swarnachud College was established in 1978 with the aim of promoting quality higher education as well as creating a holistic development in the student through participation in social, physical, moral and educational culture. In order to achieve these objectives, the institution has adopted a number of measures. Top priority is given to the sphere of teaching, learning and evaluation. Introduction of Lesson Plan at the beginning of the academic session and the progress made is closely monitored by the academic team headed by the Principal. Internal examinations, extra-classes for slow learners, Seminars, Discussions, and field visits to industries and exhibitions are integral to the teaching and learning practices of institutions. The college library refreshes its stock of books and references each year keeping in view the requirements of the staff and the students. The college has helped the students in obtaining various National and State scholarships like Senior Merit scholarships, Students' Merit award and other aid from local industries to support their aspiration for higher education. Through the NSS and YRC Wings of the Institution, a number of programmes have been launched this year aiming at the social, physical and moral development of the students through participation. Programmes launched by the institution this year with participation of students such as "Weaning poor ST/SC wage earners back to College Education" and "Swachha Campus- Green Campus" are aimed at achieving development through a practical application of an educated consciousness to its surroundings. The institution which was established 38 years ago, has remained steady fast in the path of realizing its vision.

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