



# Institutional Policies

Anti-Ragging Cell

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## **Anti-Ragging Policy**

### **1. Preface**

Christ College of Science and Management, Alambady, is a NO RAGGING ZONE with ZERO TOLERANCE towards any incident of ragging, by preventing its occurrence and having appropriate measures to curb any incident of ragging.

### **2. Objectives**

- Ensure ragging free campus.
- To bring awareness among the students about the ill effects of ragging, its impact on human life and consequences of involvement in the act of ragging
- To set up a monitoring system comprising of Anti Ragging Squad (ARS) to vigil the on campus and off campus situations to eliminate the chances of ragging cases
- To generate an atmosphere of discipline among students, that any act of ragging shall not go unnoticed and unpunished.

### **3. Composition of the Committee**

- Principal
- Vice Principal
- Legal Advisor
- Faculty Representatives
- Student Representatives

#### **4. Roles and Responsibilities of Anti Ragging Committee**

- To ensure compliance with the provision of UGC regulation 2009 at the institute level.
- To monitor and oversee the performance of anti-ragging squad in prevention of ragging in the institution.

#### **5. Anti-Ragging Squad**

- Formation Mobile squad shall be formed from time to time to facilitate up keeping and upholding the objectives of the cell. The squad so formed shall be with the approval of the Head of the Institution and known only to Anti-Ragging Committee.

#### **6. Roles and Responsibilities of Anti-Ragging Squad**

- The Anti-ragging squad is formed for overseeing the implementation of the recommendations of the anti-ragging committee.
- The Anti-Ragging Squad shall be maintaining vigil, oversight and patrolling functions and shall remain mobile, alert and active at all times in the campus.
- In any case of ragging sighted, the situation shall be secured, reported to the Anti-Ragging Committee for further course of actions

#### **7. Policy Guidelines**

Government/University Grants Commission (UGC), guidelines notified vide no.F.1-16/2009 (CPP-II) dated 21-10-2009 on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009 (Under Section 26(1) (g) of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956) are strictly implemented at Christ College of Science and Management, Alambady, Malur.

According to the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India Ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts which may cause or is likely to cause physical or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in a fresher or a junior student:

- 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 indiscipline 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, post, 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.

## **8. Measures to curb ragging**

- a. Students and parents submit anti-ragging related affidavits to the institutions at the time of admission
- b. Awareness programs are conducted and Anti ragging act is read out in the class during the induction and orientation programs for fresher and senior students.
- c. Anti-Ragging regulations are displayed in the prominent places in the campus and hostels and on the Institute's website.

- d. Anti-Ragging Committee is constituted to ensure compliance with the provisions of the Regulations as well as the provisions of any law for the time being in force concerning ragging; It will also to nominate, monitor and oversee the performance of the Anti-Ragging Squad in prevention of ragging in the institution
- e. Anti-Ragging Squad will be called upon to make surprise raids on hostels, and other places vulnerable to incidents of, and having the potential of, ragging and shall be empowered to inspect such places.
- f. Anti-Ragging Squad is empowered to conduct an on-the-spot enquiry into any incident of ragging referred to it by the Head of the institution or any concerned complainant and the enquiry report along with recommendations shall be submitted to the Anti-Ragging Committee for action.

## **9. Redressal Procedure**

- If the ragging instance is reported to be in occurrence, then the Anti-Ragging Committee members shall immediately arrange for securing the complainant and/or victim.
- The victim should be taken for counselling
- A written complaint shall be received from the complainant and/or victim describing the full details instance, date, time and place of occurrence.
- The complainant's and/or victim's identity such as name, branch, semester, section, contact number, e-mail id, parent's name, parent's contact shall be obtained
- The alleged's identity such as name, branch, semester, section, contact number, email id, parent's name, parent's contact shall be obtained
- The complaint shall be noted down in the Ragging Complaints Book.
- The complaint shall be brought to the notice of the Head of the Institution
- A hearing shall be held in consultation with the chairman to resolve the issue to decide upon the action within five working days.
- The actions against the alleged if found guilty shall be recommended by the Anti-Ragging Committee to the Head of the institution in reference to the recommended actions by the UGC and supreme court orders

## **10. Punishments**

Depending upon the nature and gravity of the offence as established, the possible punishments as per UGC Section 9 for those found guilty of ragging at the institution level, shall be any one or any combination of the following:

1. Filing of a complaint by the affected student with the Police Authority (as per the Supreme Court's Directive).
2. Withholding/withdrawing scholarship/fellowship and other benefits.
3. Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
4. Suspension/Expulsion from college / hostels
5. Cancellation of admission
6. Debarring from appearing in any test/examination/placement or other evaluation process.
7. Withholding results / Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
8. Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution.

**Principal**