



# Annai Violet Arts & Science College

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## **7.3.1. Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust within 1000 words.**

The primary vision of the college is to impart quality education, which is considered as power and wealth in today's society. Among various distinctive features of the AVASC, peer learning / buddy system and college students' welfare fund are two main features. Through this the students delightfully share their knowledge with their fellow classmates and make them an upgraded person and better advanced individual. The buddy system/peer learning has really supported the fellow classmates to reach to the next level. The primary goal of this system is to increase student achievement by increasing student learning. This system helps the fellow students to overcome the language barrier and inferiority complex, which has been holding them down. It also enhances good learning, speaking, reading, writing (LSRW) skills among the students. This is achieved through enhancing their personality and inculcating reading habits among the student, which motivates them to feel free and be socially conscious. This system performs as a bridge between management and students and serves as a helping hand between the faculty members in rendering their services and reducing their burden. Moreover, it helps the fellow students to attain higher level in their academics.

There are few problems which are tackled with the help of this system. They are lack of interest among students in curricular and extra-curricular activities, financial crises, lack of awareness limited language skills, absence of self-motivation, lack of self-interest, lack of concentration and stress. The various problems are solved with the help of this system. The peer learning or buddy system also influences the students who need academic support as well as sports and other activities. Moreover, the buddy or peer learning systems are encouraged by the institution so that it will give an opportunity for the fellow students to take initiative to influences others and to train their fellow mates. The college introduced the zero hour system in order to encourage the students to stay back to improve their language and personality skills. The fellow students who excel in academics help the late bloomers with various techniques. The students are guided with the story books and novels related to the syllabus. In addition to this they help the class mates by teaching them the chapters related to the syllabus before their examinations. Yet another techniques used by their peers is by making them indulged in various games to improvise the knowledge associated with general topics. This technique helps the slow learners to broaden their understanding and help them to face any competitive exams.

In addition to the buddy system yet another vision of the college is to provide quality education to the students from various economic backgrounds. Financial problem is one of the prevailing concerns of the potential students who try very hard to achieve their higher education. For this the college formulated a welfare system which provides the students with the scholarship, which in turn will help the students to achieve their academic goals without any financial discrepancies. The main aim of the welfare scheme is to motivate students to continue their education despite their economic difficulties. Because the weaker section of the society suffers from low educational attainment. The institution educates economically backward students and provides them with an opportunity for them to gain knowledge and make them face the competitive world. Talented students who excel in sports activities also benefit from this welfare scheme. Moreover, the orphans and students with a single parent were also profited from this scheme. The teacher along with the institution identifies the economic situation of the students individually and provides them with financial support by paying them a certain amount of fees. In addition to this, they provide special guidance to these students to help them face academic and social pressure. There are numerous students who have been benefited by this scheme, which helped them to achieve the higher education without any issues.