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**SOP**

**FOR SLOW LEARNER AND ADVANCE LEARNER**

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## Introduction

The aim of "Policy on Advanced and Slow Learners" is to recognize the students admitted in the institute and make them competent to face the challenges of the life and contribute to social development through the critical thinking and excellent academic performance. To make the academic more supportive for slow learners and conducive for advanced learner to achieve more in their academic and personal life.

Faculty has to deal with different type of students; some students are quick in learning and some students are weak in learning. Therefore it is required to determine the abilities of the students in the class. A faculty has to adapt a new teaching methodology in such way that he/she may not lose the attention of the slow learners and turn off the advanced learners.

The purpose of assessment is to identify of the slow learners and advanced learners in the class, to take care of needs of slow and advanced learner, to facilitate them to improve their academics. To make their learning activity more enriching and effective.

Students are been categorized based on learning speed i.e..slow learner and advanced performer.

## Definition

### **The advanced learners:**

The students who can faster than the other students in the class and achieve high score are called advanced learners.

**The slow learners:** Slow learner are always the poor achiever and lag behind in their academic life.

They may fail in exams or will score only poor grades. They need more time and a regular monitoring to understand same concept.

After the admission students are been observed by the teacher for student's behavior directly or indirectly.

The student's behavior is not only observed in the classroom but outside also. Observation Checklist used for screening the slow learners

## Measurable Criteria for Advance Learners

Advanced learners are more potential with their comprehension, retention, memory, critical thinking, creativity and contextualization practice. They are identify by the teacher based on predesigned criteria such as always regular in attending the class, ability to perform task, attentiveness in the class, response to the questions, and emotional stability. On five point scale score is done.

**Measurable Criteria for Slow learner:**

Always irregular in attending the class, unable to perform task, Never response to the questions, and poor reasoning capacity. On five point rating scale students will be rate and scoring will be given.

**Preliminary assessment Test:**

After the orientation programme all students will appear for basic aptitude preliminary test it comprises of 10 multiple choice question, each correct answer will carry one mark

**Scoring for identifying slow performer and advance learner**

	1	2	3	4	5
<b>Regularity in attending the class</b>	Always irregular	Irregular	Sometimes irregular	Mostly regular	Always regular
<b>Ability to perform task</b>	Unable to perform task	with assistance	Some efforts made	good performance	very good
<b>Attentiveness in the class</b>	Always Distracted	Sometime distracted	sometime attentive	attentive	Always attentive
<b>Response to the questions</b>	Never responds	rarely responds	sometime responds	always responds	always responds appropriately
<b>Reasoning capacity</b>	Poor	Average	Good	Very good	Excellent
<b>Emotional stability</b>	always sad and depressed in mood	anxious and worried	Some times Happy and anxious	Always happy and in good mood	Calm relaxed and content mood
<b>Preliminary Test -10 Marks</b>					
<b>Total Score =30 +10=40 Marks</b>					

**Scoring key**

<b>Minimum Score 6</b>	<b>Maximum score 40</b>
<b>Less than 16</b>	<b>Slow learner</b>
<b>17 to 24 Score</b>	<b>Average learner</b>
<b>25 to 32 Score</b>	<b>Good learner</b>
<b>33 and Above</b>	<b>Advance learner</b>

## Activities To Improve Slow And Advance Learners

### A) Activities For Slow Learners

1. Special programmes created for slow performers
2. Detailing roommate to attained the class and help to perform the task .
3. Daily meet to mentors and counseling were done.
4. Assignments

### B) Activities For Advance Performers

- 1.Seminar presentation, attending Conference
2. Library hours for self directed learning
- 3.Group Project
4. Opportunities to organize activities like Quiz ,Debate etc.
- 5.Demonstration of Nursing Procedures

## Expected Out Comes For Slow Learners

We observe the improvement of following aspects in slow learners after one months of special teaching programme.

- Behavior Skills
- Communication Skills
- Attention Skills
- Completing the home work on time
- Avoiding the bad company
- Improvement in the level of confidence
- Get adjusted in the institutional environment and overcome the home sickness
- Improvement in the dress sense and punctuality
- Observe that frequency of using mobile phone should be less and should overcome from mobile addiction.

## **Protocols To Measure Achievement**

- Scores generated with every cycle test and Internal Assessment
- Student's participation detail and outcome record
- Attendance record for session conducted for slow learners
- Report of performance improvement for slow learners
- Progress report card of slow learners
- List / Record of tasks given to advanced learners

## **Criteria for Identify Slow Performer And Advance Learners And Assessment Methodology**

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The Following Flow chart is used to identify the slow performer and advance learners



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### Criteria for Identify Slow Performer And Advance Learners And Assessment Methodology

**Pre Academic Survey -Orientation Programme**  
 Idea about over all learning skill /ability of the batch

After orientation program students will be observed for three day's by using observation checklist and scores in Unit test (Preliminary Assessment Test 1)

**Report Analysis - Identification Of Slow Performers And Advance Learners**

Slow learner	Advance Learner
1.Special Program (Revision classes ) 2. Home assignment 3.Demonstration in Lab	1.Seminar presentation 2. Group Project 3 Library Work 4. Providing plat form to students quiz , Debate , Attending Conference 5.Motivate to participate in Sports

Assess performance in <b>Cycle Test 1</b>	Assess for Completion of Seminar Presentation on time , Project, Participated in Debate , quiz, Participates in Sports
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Performance is Good	Performance is Not Good	Performance is Good
Continue Mentoring- assess performance Assessment -Cycle Test 2	1.Intense teaching to the specific students-By subject teacher excluding teaching hours. 2. Performance Mentored by the mentor and Assessment -Cycle Test 2	Continue giving opportunity to the students

Improved performance - Continue mentoring - if required referral for counseling Assess progress	Assess progress
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Improved performance - Slow Learner and advance performer Measures was effective

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