

# ANDHRA LOYOLA COLLEGE

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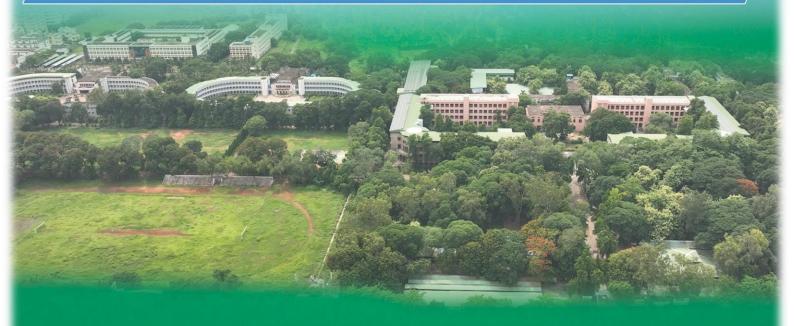
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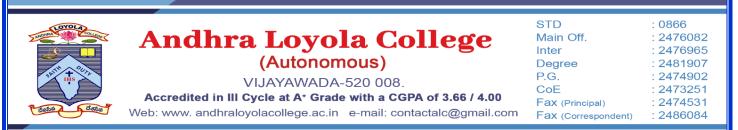
THE ONLY COLLEGE IN BOTH THE TELUGU STATES TO HAVE BEEN RANKED AMONG THE TOP 150 COLLEGES BY NIRF SINCE THE INCEPTION OF THE RANKING IN 2017

SELECTED UNDER THE STAR COLLEGE SCHEME OF DBT AND FIST PROGRAMME OF DST, GOVT.OF INDIA SELECTED FOR ENHANCEMENT OF QUALITY AND EXCELLENCE UNDER RUSA BY MHRD, GOVT.OF INDIA

# ANTI RAGGING CELL: 2019-20

A College Dedicated to All-Round Development of its Students





## ANTIRAGGING CELL

Andhra Loyola College, Vijayawada, aims at fostering a safe and inclusive learning environment for students. The College emphasizes zero tolerance towards any form of harassment, bullying, or intimidation among students. By enforcing anti-ragging rules, the college ensures the physical and emotional well-being of its students, promoting a conducive atmosphere for academic growth and personal development. These measures not only uphold ethical standards but also contribute to building a culture of respect, empathy, and camaraderie within the college community, enhancing the overall educational experience.

#### **GUIDELINES:**

- Under the UGC Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009.
- Andhra Loyola College strictly observes the provisions of the Act of the Central and the State government on Ragging.
- Ragging a cognizable offence under the law on a par with rape and other atrocities against women and ill-treatment of persons belonging to the SC,ST and prohibiting ragging in all its forms in the institution.
- Andhra Loyola College takes strict action against those found guilty of ragging and/or of abetting ragging

The establishment of anti-ragging committees at the collegiate level is a critical measure to safeguard student welfare. Ragging, often veiled as innocuous initiation practices, can evolve into severe physical and psychological trauma, adversely impacting students' academic performance and mental health. These committees function as a proactive deterrent, fostering a nurturing and respectful campus environment. By implementing stringent policies and establishing channels for reporting incidents, they empower students to voice concerns regarding any form of harassment or bullying. This fosters a culture of inclusivity and mutual respect within the college community.

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

- 1. Prevent all forms of ragging in educational institutions.
- 2. Educate students on what constitutes ragging and its consequences.
- 3. Foster a culture of respect and inclusivity on campus.

- 4. Empower students to report ragging incidents without fear.
- 5. Enforce strict anti-ragging policies and punish offenders.
- 6. Conduct awareness programs to highlight the negative effects of ragging.
- 7. Maintain vigilance and conduct surprise inspections to deter ragging.
- 8. Provide counselling and support services to victims of ragging.
- 9. Collaborate with authorities to ensure effective implementation of anti-ragging laws.
- 10. Promote a safe and welcoming environment for all students.

#### CLAUSE 9.1

• Andhra Loyola College shall punish a student found guilty of ragging after following the procedure and in the manner prescribed herein under:

a) The Anti-Ragging Committee of the institution shall take an appropriate decision, in regard to punishment

or otherwise, depending on the facts of each incident of ragging and nature and gravity of the incident of

ragging established in the recommendations of the Anti-Ragging Squad.

b) The Anti-Ragging Committee may, depending on the nature and gravity of the guilt established by the

Anti-Ragging Squad, award, to those found guilty, one or more of the following punishments, namely;

- Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
- ▶ Withholding/ withdrawing scholarship/ fellowship and other benefits.
- > Debarring from appearing in any test/ examination or other evaluation process.
- Withholding results.
- Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
- Suspension/ expulsion from the hostel.
- Cancellation of admission.
- Rustication from the institution for period ranging from one to four semesters.
- Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution for a specified period. Provided that where the persons committing or abetting the act of ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective

#### DUTIES

Inspect places of potential ragging and make surprise raids on hostels and other hot spots.

Investigate incidents of ragging

#### PUNISHABLE INGREDIENTS OF RAGGING

- Abetment to ragging
- Criminal conspiracy to rag
- Unlawful assembly and rioting while ragging
- Public nuisance created during ragging
- Violation of decency and morals through ragging
- Injury to body, causing hurt or grievous hurt
- Wrongful restraint
- Wrongful confinement
- ➤ Use of criminal force
- Assault as well as sexual offences or unnatural offences
- ➢ Extortion
- Criminal trespass
- Offences against property
- Criminal intimidation
- Attempts to commit any or all of the above-mentioned offences against the victim(s)
- > Threat to commit any or all of the above-mentioned offences against the victim(s)
- Physical or psychological humiliation
- > All other offences following from the definition of "Ragging".

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# ANTI-RAGGING COMMITTEE (2019-20)

Rev.Fr.G.M.Victor Emmanuel, S J	Chairman, Principal
Rev Fr. Dr.S. Melchior, S.J.	Vice-Principal (UG) Coordinator
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Mr.J.V.Nagendra Prasad	Vice-Principal (UG)
Ms.D. Tabitha	Vice-Principal (UG)
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Dr.R.P.L.Durga Bai Poonam	Vice-Principal(PG)
Rev. Fr. P. Anil Kumar, SJ	Vice-Principal (Inter)
Mr. P. Venkata Rao	Vice-Principal (Inter)
Dr.T. Srikumar	Dean of Sciences
Dr.R. Ravindra Bhas	Dean of Humanities
Dr.A Samuel Dayakar	Dean of Student Activities
Ms.Mary Manjula	Women's Cell Coordinator
Dr. A. Ravi Kumar	Dept. of Physics
Mr.D. Praveen	Dept. of English
Dr.B.Siva Kumari	Dept. of Botany
Ms.L.Nageswari Devi	Dept. of Comp. Science
Ms.K.Seshu Latha	Dept. of Physics
Ms. A. Lavanya	Dept. of Computer Science
Ms.D.Tabitha	Dept. of Mathematics
Ms.J.Hari Priya	Dept. of Mathematics
Dr.B.Kannamba	Dept. of Chemistry
Dr.Ch.Bhargavi	Dept. of Chemistry
Ms.S. Sri Lakshmi	Dept. of Bio Tech
Ms.T.Sandhya Sri	Dept. of Zoology
Ms.T.Roja Mani	Dept. of Lib. & Inf. Sci
Dr.V.Gopala Reddy	Dept. of Telugu
Mr.P.Srinivasa Sastry	Dept. of Physics
Mr.V.Devasahayam	Dept. of Physics

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MEMBERS	
A. Revanth Siva Krishna,	NOC-2
V.Madhuri,	NBA- 5

NMP-4

NB-12

## MENTORING CELL ON RAGGING

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#### MINUTES OF ANTI-RAGGING COMMITTEE

#### **Meeting-1**

On June 14th, 2019, an orientation session took place at Devaiah Auditorium to greet incoming first-year students. Rev. Fr. S. Melchior, SJ, Vice-Principal (UG) – Coordinator, discussed the issue of ragging, underlining its different forms and the college's firm stance against it. Dr. M. Sivaram, Vice Principal(UG), reiterated the institution's zero-tolerance policy on ragging and briefed students on support services. Mr. V. Nagendra Prasad and Ms. D. Tabitha, Vice-Principals (UG), provided insights into college regulations and committees role, ensuring students' awareness.

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#### **Meeting-2**

On September 28th, 2019, Dr. A Samuel Dayakar, Dean of Student Activities, and Ms. Mary Manjula, Coordinator of the Women's Cell, led an awareness campaign for degree students in the Seminar Hall. The program aimed to instil principles of respect, empathy, and accountability, aiming to create a united campus environment. Through interactive discussions, students addressed their concerns and received practical advice to enhance a supportive and safe learning atmosphere. Overall, the initiative aimed to foster inclusivity and cooperation, thereby enhancing the overall welfare of the campus community.

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