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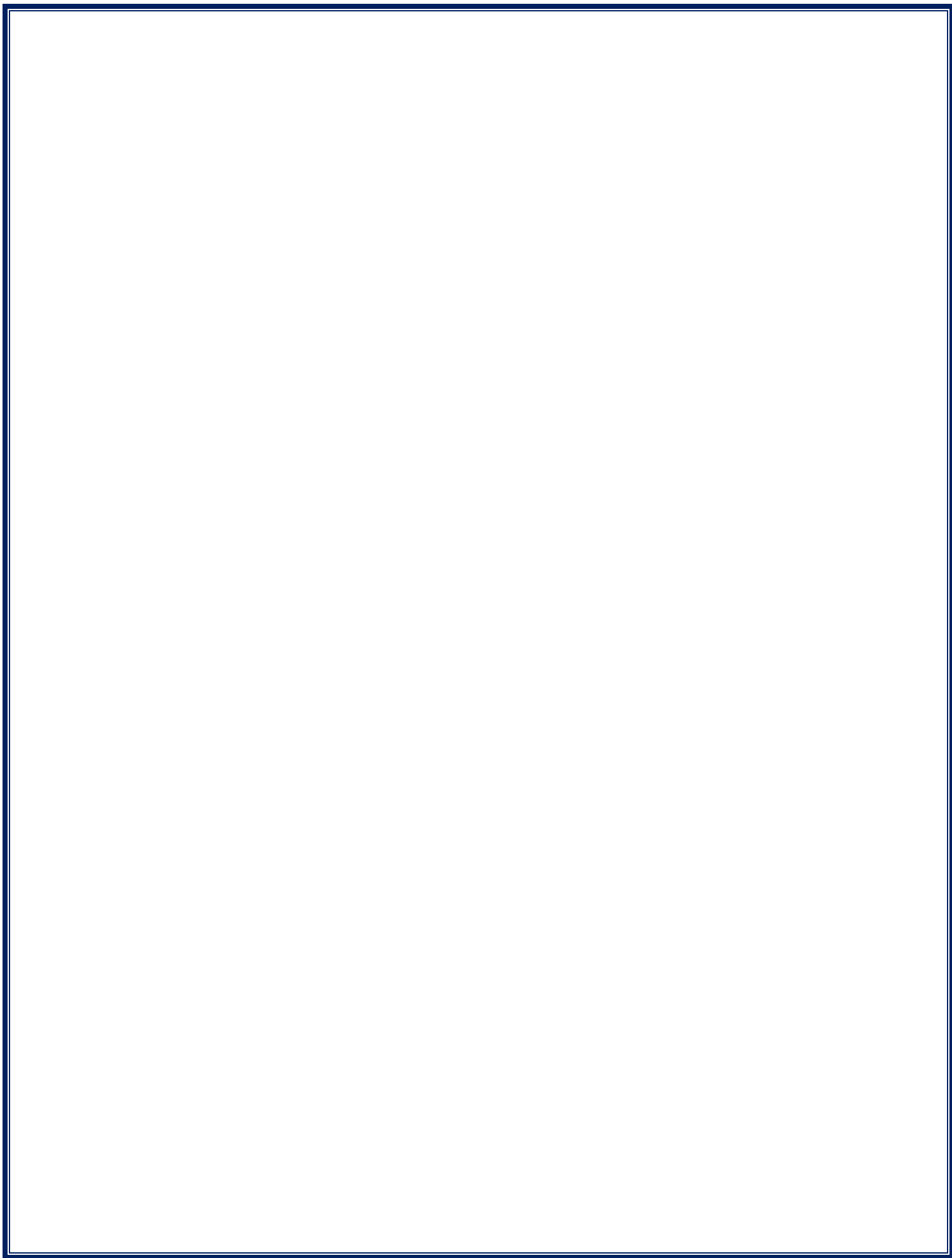
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Group discussion- I semester

Is Political Party Alone Responsible For The Development Of The Country? Then Who Else? Justify-2009

Report On-20/2/09

Report: The faculties choose a student to lead the group for the group discussion. The topic was given to the students but they were not made known until the group was formed. However the groups were divided into 3 groups. The Students had to speak on this topic. The Faculties were the judge. The points should be valid and appropriate. There were 18 participants, in each group there were 6 people. The people had to speak one at a time.

The conclusion was that the Political party alone is not responsible for the development of the country but every citizen in the country is as important for a country's development. However the Political party is core responsible since the monetary is handled by them to make changes and plan and implement the required changes. Monetary also plays a very important role in the development of the country. NGO's and the individual citizen play a role in the development of the country.

All the group members had a point to make the discussion went on for an hour. It was very informative and lively.

Group discussion in Room 302-III semester

**What are the Causes of Poverty? What are the measures to eradicate poverty?
Who is responsible?**

2009

Report- On- 17/07/09

In this session there were one general group all the group members will have opportunity to speak on this particular topic. The faculties were present they were making points on some valid points what are the crucial or the important causes of poverty.

All the group member gave very valid points on the causes of poverty.

1. Corruption- the public authorities are not people focused but they are self centered.
2. Distribution of wealth- The wealth is not distributed among all.
3. Education- Illiteracy is one solid cause of poverty
4. Unemployment- due to population growth there is unemployment in the country
5. Discrimination of Girl child- Girl children are not given equal opportunity to work.

There were so many other points given by the students to eradicate poverty. It is important that every citizen understands the over all growth of the nation. Also encourage Girl children to work and contribute to the economic growth of the country. To create employment opportunities to the people.

There were 21 students in the group and all the members in the group participated.

Group discussion

Can Indian Women Wear Jeans and trousers? Does our culture allow?

Report-On-23/5/10

This is a very contrary topic to be discussed in public and in a group. The group was made into 2 both boys and girls were in the group.

There were so many contrary points that came out and it had to be controlled by the faculties. The group leader had to give opportunity to all the group members since they wanted to know everyone's opinion.

The points were interesting, some said our culture is changing and we also need to change, but we should not forget our culture. There is nothing wrong in wearing jeans and trousers until we are comfortable wearing it. Few boys also said that they accept girls wearing jeans. Jeans cannot be worn everyday it is occasional and people have mixed wearing, so jeans also gets its turn depending on the occasion and willingness.

The discussion was good and it actually made people think about this topic. Some people had valid points to make. It was good discussion.

Group discussion

Why Rape? Who is at fault? Male or Female?

On-18/12/10

Report- This is been a very complicated problem in the contemporary era. The Dept of social work wanted to throw some light on this concern to understand the minds of the students in understanding this issue.

The students came up with so many concerns which leads to this crime. The discussion was competitive. There was one general group with a team leader to manage the group. The members in the group had equal opportunity in the group discussion. The main causes of rape is in the minds of the rapist, there is a crave for that particular crime. Sometimes women are also at fault, but the man or the person who commits the crime is at fault. He has to have self control and avoid heeding to such kind of a thought.

The discussion was very productive and the group came up with so many suggestions which every man should cultivate behaving himself as a normal human being.

Group discussion in Room 303-I semester

Gender Discrimination: Are men and women treated Equally in India?

Report On-21/02/11

This is a very common and a long term problem in India. This needs attention from the society and from each individual. Girl child is been discriminated in our India society compared to a male child. Women and men are not treated equally in our Indian society. There are so many cause for this problem.

The group came up with so many suggestions which could allow them to excel equally with men. First cause is that the women are not given or allow to opportunity to prove of show whats their worth. They are not less then any man. Women should be given opportunity and encouraged in their families, it could be in their paternal or maternal families.

In many families women are the back bone for a man success. She plays a very important role behind the scene, its just that man takes the credit.

The discussion was very productive and very interesting since the group opened up and spoke.

Dept of Social Work-2011

Group discussion

Can children be beaten up in school if they are at fault? Yes/No justify?

Report-On-16/08/11

This is a very contrary topic, since the trend is changing in many schools and colleges and also in many homes. In earlier days the students or the children were punished in schools and colleges. However the trend is changing. The school teachers are demanded not to punish the children by beating them up physically.

This topic turned out to be interesting, since there were many different opinions from the group members.

There is no wrong to beating up a child perhaps the teacher should be conscious of where he/she beats up the child. It also depends on the wrong done by the child.

The group came up with different kinds of points that was very interesting. I am sure it throw a lot of insight to many students in understanding this concept.

The session went on for an hour it was very interesting and productive.

Dept Of Social Work-2012

Group discussion in Room 303-I semester

Finance management/ how to manage finance without opting for loan? Is Loan important?

Report- On-21/03/12

This was a topic that was chosen for the day and expecting a very good response from the students. As expected the outcome was very good. There were 22 students who participated in the activity the group were divided into 3 groups.

The group gave so many ideas to manage finance and deal with whatever money is available. Loan is good however it depends on the cause, secondly when a loan is taken it has to be managed and payment commitment should be kept.

The discussion went on for an hour the group kept the constant speed and tempo of the group discussion. It was really good one to know that our students had an idea to manage finance. It was very productive and very lively discussion made by all the group members.

All the group members were actively involved.

Dept Of Social Work-2012

Group discussion in Room 302-III semester

Western Culture/Indian Culture

Report-On-11/11/12

This topic is also an very important topic. Since India is also adopting or being influenced by the western culture. Again it was a general topic and there was just one group. The Leader of the group had to see if all the members in the group participated in the activity. It was a very interesting and all the group members in the group participated.

The session went on for almost an hour and the group came up with some good points. Western culture should be followed in terms of Clothing, food, speaking behaving and so and so forth. However Indian culture should not be forgotten. It terms of following the discipline, respecting elders and behaving well in the society and dressing up modestly and etc.

The students came up with good points, it was a very healthy discussion and very productive. How teens and of this generation have been so much influenced. It is very important that we teach and keep the Indian culture in loop, so that we would not be completely influenced with the Western culture.

The session was very good and healthy, very productive.

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Dept Of Social Work-2013

Group discussion in Room 303-II semester

What are the Causes of Suicide? How to eradicate this issue?

Report- On-13/04/13

Every day there is news on suicide and every day there is attempt to suicide. Here the point is that why people commit of attempt suicide. Many a times there is no answer, some people lose hope in themselves, depressed with so many things that happens in and around them.

The group came up with many causes for suicide and also they came up with so many suggestions to eradicate of reduce the rate of suicide. Suicide happens in all the class people.

To eradicate suicide is timely help by the parents, spouse understand what that person is actually going through emotionally, identifying and timely help may eradicate or reduce the rate of suicide.

The session went on very well and was very productive and informative, it actually made them think and understand.

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Is smoking/drinking a fashion among teens? Ignorance/awareness

Report-On- 18/06/13

In today's world smoking and drinking among teens is increasing rapidly. In many schools and colleges students are also into drugs and other bad habits. This is mainly because of the peer group. It is very important that the teachers and the parents have a check on them and their life style.

Since our students are not new to this world, it is important for them to understand that they are not very far in falling into this category. Indirectly they are also made aware of the consequences of falling prey into this habits.

The discussion was very interesting, the students were very much involved and participated actively, there were 25 students. The session went up to an hour.

Group discussion in Room 303-II semester

Should men learn Cooking and handle Household work? Justify

Report-On-27/03/14

This is a very interesting topic. The students were divided into 2 groups and they were 25 students altogether. The leader of the group had to see if all the members in the group were involved in the activity and participated equally. The session started off well, the points were very funny but real and fact.

In the modern era the families are nuclear and in most of the families both the spouse work. Hence the women of the house end up doing everything and over burdened with work. It is very important that the male also lends a helping hand in rising up the kids, cooking cleaning up the house and contribute to the house hold work too. It is not a mean job or the man does not lose respect in the house it is just that he shares the responsibility in the house also.

The points were very vital and made a lot of sense. The students shared some of the experiences and also have seen people taking up such responsibility in their neighbor hood.

The session went on very well and lot of involvement from the group was seen, especially the boys. Some had mixed opinion and some were open for take some points that were very much made sense to the group.

Dept Of Social Work-2014

Group discussion

Advantages/Disadvantages of gadgets

Report-On-22/10/14

The group had 20 members divided into 2 groups and they were speaking for and against the use of gadgets. The group came up with so many valid and vital points of advantages and disadvantages of using gadgets, it also includes Smart Phones, i pad, tabs, social networking sites and etc.

The **disadvantages** are many than advantages, the teens especially are victim and being influenced into wrong peer group and habits. The main concerns is that they get into the glamour world and want to fit into it. They get into wrong relationship and mess up their life, they become anti-social always fiddling with phone no time for face to face talk. This also affects them physically and mentally which is not a very good thing.

Advantage is that they get information what's happening in the world and get updated with good information but however there is more bad than good.

The group had their point to make and it was very interesting.

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