

#### **4.1.1: The Institution has adequate infrastructure and physical facilities for teaching-learning. viz., classrooms, laboratories, computing equipment etc.**

##### **Additional Information:**

##### **Classroom: -**

The college has 16 classrooms of various sizes for classes of various strengths. All the classrooms are well ventilated, well-equipped with sufficient number of benches and fans. All classrooms are digitalized. All faculties deliver their lectures using laptops, provided by the college for effective teaching and learning process. Overall teaching and learning process is based on ICT which is highly interactive. Teaching faculties use various online resources and the college has wi-fi campus.

##### **Library: -**

The college has allotted separate floor of 3600 sq. ft. for the library. The Library is well equipped with a separate reading room facility for boys and girls and teachers. Simultaneously, there is a separate reading space for researchers. The total collection of libraries is as follows: Books 45,796, Periodicals 60, Periodical bound volumes 540, Newspapers 08, CD's/ DVD's- 205, Maps 51, Online E-journal 6,000 + (N-List), Online e-books 31,00,000+(N-List).

Hindusthani Prachar Sabha has generously donated 1831 Reference Books and ten steel cupboards and as per their suggestion a separate section is allotted to them in the library.

##### **Departmental Libraries: -**

In addition to Central Library, all the departments in the college run their own departmental libraries. They issue their own books to their students. The students take benefit of both the libraries. The departmental libraries facilitate the teaching learning process and look forward to cultivate a reading culture.

##### **Information Technology Centre: -**

Anilaben Kantilal Kothari Information Technology Centre in our college is updated time to time according to the requirements of various courses. It is well equipped with advanced technology needs. The college has provided air-conditioning facility to the IT center. The students of B.Sc.IT, B.Com. with Banking and insurance, B.Com. in Accounting and Finance, T.Y.B.Com and computer courses are benefitted from the same.

##### **Research Centre: -**

The college has a Research Centre in the subject of Hindi under the guidance of Dr. A.K.Singh, Head, Department of Hindi. It is the only Centre of this kind in the tribal and remote area of Thane District.

Eight Students are awarded with Ph.D. Degree and five students are presently pursuing their research from this Centre. The students are encouraged and instructed to take benefits of this facility and register their names for the research work.

A separate computer with internet facility and printer has been provided to the unit.

**YCMOU Centre: -**

The college has allotted a room to YCMOU Centre. YCMOU also utilizes classrooms for counseling and other academic matters after college hours and holidays to provide continuous education. 159 students have been admitted during the academic year 2017-18.

**N.C.C. Office: -**

The College has provided a separate room for N.C.C. office on the first floor. The Army Unit of National Cadet Corps has been incepted in our college since 01<sup>st</sup> Oct., 2009 under the '1 Maharashtra Battalion, Mumbai Group B.' As per the existing reservation policy, 33% seats are allotted to girls students /Cadets. It helps to create an atmosphere of discipline and nationalistic zeal among the college students. N.C.C. Unit give disciplined training to the college students. It indirectly helps in getting the trained personnel to the defense department. The unit enrolls every year 54 (36 Boys + 18 Girls) students as cadets in the N.C.C. Unit.

A separate computer with internet facility and printer has been provided to the unit.

**N.S.S. Office: -**

The college has allotted a separate room for N.S.S. office at the second floor. The NSS Unit has been commenced in our college from the inception of the college. It helps the students to develop their personality. It also helps to create awareness about the social development and responsibility among them. Every year 200 volunteers are enrolled in two N.S.S. Units.

A separate computer with internet facility and printer has been provided to the unit.

**Women's Hostel: -**

There are 24 well furnished rooms that can accommodate 72 female students. Those who wish to continue their higher education may take the benefit of this facility.

**Additional Infrastructure: -**

In the space in front of the college building, we have a spacious concrete stage built by the Leo Club of Shahapur. So also, there are Gymkhana, College Canteen and Well with a pump house. The stage is utilized for the major functions of the college. Beside the stage, there is a garden. Separate parking blocks have been allotted to staff and open parking space for students and visitors.