



### **5.3.2 - Institution facilitates students' representation and engagement in various administrative, co-curricular and extracurricular activities (student council/ students representation on various bodies as per established processes and norms )**

Regardless of the Covid-19 pandemic, the Student remained active and extra co-curricular activities committee organized several activities online with great enthusiasm and success. Every year The College has a dynamic Student Council and Student Representatives that serve on different Committees of the College. To foster fellow feeling and disciplined way amongst the student every year we formulate Students Council according to guidelines provided by University at SOFT'. The elections are conducted for the various posts. Election process is conducted on our ERP System – Educloud, where in the polling and the results are published for fair results, but due to pandemic as per the University guidelines Student Council was not formed for year 2020-21 but Class representatives were selected by on the basis of Academics. Committee of curricular activity prepares annual schedule for Cultural, Sports and NSS activities with the help of faculty head of particular department, under guidance of Head of the department and SNDT University schedule and support. Various cultural activities are conducted like Independence Day celebration, Teacher's Day celebration, Women's day and republic day celebration Welcome & Induction of freshers, etc. Due to Pandemic this year these activities were planned discussing online by faculties and students, and were conducted online. Students were encouraged to participate in college level and intercollege level competitions in dance, singing, poetry, poster making, recipies , etc.

Students are also encouraged to actively play the role in various committees and they have time to time meetings with head of department and principle on topics like Academics, Student welfare, Hostel development, Health & hygiene, Sports & cultural and social activities.

Few members of student's council are also the part of National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of SOFT. They actively participate and encourage other students of the college to participate.

Objectives of Council and Committee

- To encourage communication of the information between students and Teaching faculty
- To promote intellectual and cultural life awareness, mental and physical health and building of character in students
- To encourage students to participate in various Academic & Co curricular activities
- To work for equality, secularism and socio-economic progress

SOFT has always been encouraging towards Student engagements by providing them support in organizing & coordinating events.