

**5.3.2 Presence of Student Council and its activities for Institutional development and student welfare.**

University is the hub that provides holistic development to all students and consists of a well-balanced frame between academic learning and co-curricular activities. The management of SGT University works on the ideology and vision that every student must be exposed to different opportunities and should not be confined to the parameter of the department they choose to explore academically.

Event management is not just a part of the council but a connection between students and the administration. It is an organization that connects people and messages. It makes people think and act in a different way. It instructs people to share, teach and motivate each other.

The student council works to execute the events, festivals, seminars, workshops concerts, conventions, and annual fests through meticulous planning. Event clubs involve studying the concepts and themes of the event, identifying its target audience, and coordinating the technical aspects followed by mock drills before launching the event. The process of planning and coordinating the event also includes budgeting, arrangement, site selection, acquiring necessary permits, coordinating transportation and parking, arranging for speakers or entertainers, arranging decor, event security, catering, coordinating with third-party vendors, and emergency plans. Each event is different in its nature so the process of planning & execution of each event differs from one to another. Events build social and business relationships and give their members the opportunity to meet and interact with different members. Some of the major events are Phoolon ki Holi, Diwali Fest, Sports meets, Saraswati Puja, Teacher’s Day, and many more.

**ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE STUDENTS’ COUNCIL:**

* To conceive and propose an event with certain importance in terms of students’ welfare, student development, academic promotions, university representation, and boosting cultural/ social awareness.
* To plan, manage and conduct an event end to end with great efficiency and student participation.
* Coordinate and supervise other intra- varsity clubs for proper and streamlined working and representation of every club.
* Connecting with other universities and their student councils for regular updates on competitions and conferences.
* Coordination and management of university representation at various inter-varsity competitions.
* The events conducted by the Students’ Council are:
  + Phoolon ki Holi: With the message of spreading peace through flowers Holi is celebrated in a grand way at SGT University. The Students’ Council plays a pivotal role in organizing and executing the event.
  + Pre-Diwali Events: The Students’ council organizes various competitions as Pre-Diwali celebrations.
  + Diwali Fest: Diwali is celebrated every year as a cultural extravaganza in which students from the clubs monitored by the students’ council participate.
  + Yugam: an inter-university fest conceptualized and executed by the council under the guidance of the Student’s welfare office.
  + Saraswati Pooja
  + Save and Support Girl Child
  + Women Empowerment
  + Christmas Eve: an event specially for students away from home during the festive season.
  + Symphonious: The Musical Fest
  + Esperanza: Intercollege Dental Fest with a 1000+ registration from other colleges was well organised by the students.
  + Stage Management of major university events like Convocation, Synergy-the Techfest, etc.