

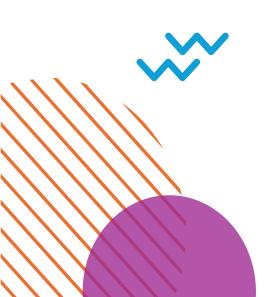
# Government Degree College Kaffota District Sirmaur, Himachal Pradesh

Ranking of Government Colleges in HP

# Criterion 5 Best Practices, Innovation and Institution Distinctiveness

**Key Indicator 5.2 Special Initiatives Taken** 

Metric 5.2.viAdoption of village/ educational institutions







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## **RANKING FRAMEWORK**

### 5. BEST PRACTICES, INNOVATION AND INSTITUTION DISTINCTIVENESS

#### 5.2. Special Initiatives Taken for

#### 5.2.6. Adoption of village/ educational institutions

#### **Response: Yes**

Government Degree College Kaffota takes proactive steps in community engagement through its National Service Scheme (NSS) unit, which has adopted nearby villages to foster sustainable development and social responsibility.

#### i. Adoption of Villages:

In the academic year 2023-24, the NSS unit adopted Village Kaffota, and in the current year, 2024-25, it has adopted Village Kando. This adoption forms part of the college's commitment to supporting neighbouring communities by addressing local needs and promoting sustainable practices.

#### ii. Community-Focused Activities:

The NSS volunteers conduct various activities in the adopted villages, including cleanliness campaigns, awareness rallies on social and environmental issues, and tree plantation drives. These initiatives are designed to raise community awareness, improve local conditions, and foster a spirit of environmental stewardship.

#### iii. Intensive Engagement During Special Camps:

During the NSS 7-Day Special Camps, students and volunteers engage more intensively with the adopted villages. These camps allow for focused work on projects related to sanitation, health awareness, and environmental protection, resulting in meaningful community impact and hands-on experience for students.

By adopting and actively engaging with villages, Government Degree College Kaffota contributes to the holistic development of the surrounding rural communities while instilling a sense of social responsibility and civic duty in its students.