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7.3.1	<p><i>Describe/Explain the performance of the institution in one area distinctive to its vision, priority and thrust</i> संस्थया स्वस्य दूरदृष्टिं, प्राथम्यं, प्रधानविषयञ्च मनसि निधाय एकस्मिन् विशिष्टक्षेत्रे स्वेन कृतस्य कार्यनिष्पादनस्य विवरणं दीयताम् ।</p>
	<p>Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri National Sanskrit University, with its vision and priority, has made significant contributions in various fields such as Hindu studies, Indian knowledge tradition, architecture, sociology, yoga science, medical facilities, smart classroom management, modern technological library management, etc. in the academic and non-academic sectors. The Teaching Learning Center (TLC) established in the university's education department continues to work with a futuristic approach. The Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri National Sanskrit University's Teaching Learning Center was established in 2017 and has since organized 60 programs, including workshops, seminars, conferences, and training programs. The center's mission is to implement the recommendations of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, with a focus on quality teaching, equity, online education, technology use, Indian language promotion, vocational education, and multidisciplinary education. The center has also developed and conducted Annual Refresher Programs in Teaching (ARPIT) courses and published handbooks for teaching Sanskrit at the upper primary and secondary levels. In 2023, the center was renamed the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC) with the goal of developing skills and competencies in higher education faculty members for better teaching, learning, and research. In 2018, the Ministry of Education's Department of Higher Education identified the Teaching Learning Center as a National Resource Center (NRC) for developing and distributing online courses for Sanskrit language teaching methods. Under this initiative, three ARPIT courses were developed and conducted: ARPIT 2018 (Methodology of Sanskrit Language Teaching), ARPIT 2019 (Sanskrit Language Pedagogy), and a repeat run of ARPIT 2019 in 2020. All the ARPIT courses received a rating of 4.9 out of 5 from the enrolled teachers.</p> <p>In 2019, the center was recognized as one of the 30 new centers for</p>

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	<p>conducting the Faculty Induction Program (FIP), a mandatory one-month program for newly joined faculty members in higher education institutions. The center successfully conducted four FIPs.</p> <p>In September 2023, the University Grants Commission (UGC) renamed the Teaching Learning Center as the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center (MMTTC). The Ministry of Education has been working to strengthen and integrate HRDCs and PMMMNMTC centers to achieve the objectives of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. This initiative aims to optimize the use of resources and infrastructure to improve the quality of education.</p> <p>Recently, the Honorable Education Minister, Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, launched the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Program on September 5, 2023. This program is a significant step towards implementing the NEP 2020 goals.</p> <p>To implement this program, 111 higher education institutions (HEIs), comprising 66 HRDCs and 45 PMMMNMTCs, have been identified as Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centers (MMTTCs). Notably, our university's TLC is one of the selected centers.</p> <p>This initiative will help to promote synergy and integration among the identified centers, ensuring that the NEP 2020 objectives are met. By leveraging the strengths of these centers, we can achieve optimal utilization of resources and infrastructure, ultimately leading to improved educational outcomes.</p> <p>On October 30, 2023, the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center was inaugurated by UGC Chairman Prof. M. Jagadesh Kumar. The center's vision aligns with NEP 2020, aiming to provide quality teaching, research, and skill development for higher education faculty members. Since its renaming, the center has successfully conducted 24 programs, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 18 online NEP orientation programs</li> </ul>
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- 1 one-month faculty induction program
- 4 one-week short-term programs
- 1 two-week refresher program

These programs have benefited over 8,000 faculty members and researchers across the country. The center's initiatives focus on enhancing faculty skills and promoting research in higher education institutions.

This center organizes programs through both online and offline modes. For secondary level Sanskrit teaching, a three-day workshop on 'Format Development for Pupil Teacher Handbook' was organized from 26-8-19 to 28-8-19. The workshop was inaugurated by the then Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ramesh Kumar Pandey, and Prof. Amita Pandey of the center conducted the workshop. Seven participants attended the workshop. Additionally, a five-day workshop on material development for secondary level Sanskrit teaching was organized from 16-9-2019 to 25-9-2019. Prof. Jatindra of NCERT New Delhi's Language Education Department wrote the curriculum for this workshop. Fifteen participants attended this workshop.

Under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teacher Training, Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri National Sanskrit University's Teacher Training Center organized a national workshop on 'Creating and Using Learning Management System' from 22-1-2020 to 25-1-2020. The workshop focused on introducing LMS-related topics, LMS creation methods, its distribution, and skill development for exchange-related activities. The main objective of this workshop was to emphasize the development and management of education management systems.

Additionally, the Teacher Training Center organized a workshop on 'Constructivist Lesson Planning and Teaching Strategies' from 10-2-2020 to 20-2-2020. The inaugural session of this workshop was addressed by Dr. Sachchidanand Joshi, Member Secretary of Indira Gandhi National Center for the Arts (IGNCA), as the chief guest. The overall responsibility of the workshop was handled by Prof. Amita Pandey Bhardwaj, the workshop director. This workshop had 40 participants.

Thereafter, the Teacher Training Center organized a three-day online

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	<p>national workshop on 'Online Assessment Tools and Procedures' from 2-3-2020 to 4-3-2020. The program was inaugurated by Prof. Nagendra Jha, Head of the Education Faculty. This workshop had 36 participants.</p> <p>Under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teacher Training, Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri National Sanskrit University's Teacher Training Center organized a national workshop on 'Design and Development of Online Assessment' from June 8 to 10, 2020. The workshop aimed to introduce online assessment tools, software apps, and other equipment to 227 participants from various states, including teachers and researchers. The main topics covered were online assessment, visual assessment tools for short and long questions, and development of online assessment. The workshop was inaugurated by the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Ramesh Kumar Pandey, and the Director of the Center, Prof. Amita Pandey Bhardwaj, delivered the welcome address. The keynote speaker was Shri Mukul Kanitkar, National Organization Secretary of the Indian Teaching Council, who spoke on the topic of online assessment.</p> <p>The Teacher Training Center organized an online national workshop on 'Creating and Managing' from June 18 to 20, 2020. The subtopics included - online teaching overview, LMS-Edmodo, Moodle, Google Classroom, online course creation, and using Google tools for teaching and learning. In the special session, Prof. D.P. Singh, Chairman of the University Grants Commission, delivered his lecture on the aforementioned topics. In this workshop, 229 participants from various provinces took part and were trained.</p> <p>A national online workshop on 'Educational Philosophy and Psychology' was organized from July 20 to 24, 2020. The objective of this workshop was to introduce and analyze the basic concepts of educational philosophy and psychology. 266 participants from various provinces took part in this workshop and were trained. The main points of the workshop were - the basis of educational philosophy and psychology in Sanskrit literature, knowledge and science for education, emotional and spiritual intelligence, self-awareness from an Indian perspective, value-based education, Vedic education system, ancient education system - Nyaya and Buddhist philosophy.</p>
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	<p>In the current scientific era and with the use of modern technological methods, security is of utmost importance. To learn about security and security measures, the Teaching Learning Center organized a national online workshop on 'Cyber Security in Education' from August 17 to 21, 2020.</p> <p>A national online workshop on 'Developing Assessment and Research Tools' was organized from September 7 to 11, 2020. The main topics included - assessment and research, development of assessment tools, development of performance-based tests, question bank development and standardization, value outcomes, etc. 148 participants from various provinces took part in this workshop.</p> <p>Additionally, a national online workshop on 'Advance Features of MS Office' was organized from October 5 to 9, 2020. The keynote address was delivered by Dr. Onkar Rai, Director-General of Software Technology, India.</p> <p>Searching for an answer to the question 'How to conduct research in quantitative and qualitative research hypotheses', the Teaching Learning Center organized a national online workshop on 'Quantitative and Qualitative Approaches in Research' from November 18 to 28, 2020. The workshop was inaugurated by Padma Shri Chamu Krishna Shastri, Chairman of the Indian Language Council. 203 participants from various provinces took part in this workshop.</p> <p>To introduce the participants to the basic concepts of educational management and leadership, a national online workshop on 'Educational Management and Leadership in Sanskrit' was organized from March 15 to 19, 2021. Prof. Rupakishor Shastri, Vice-Chancellor of Gurukul Kangri University, delivered the keynote address.</p> <p>On June 14-18, 2021, a national online workshop on 'Development and Application of Open Educational Resources' was organized, where 49 participants from various provinces took part. The main topics included an introduction to OERS, development of text and image-based e-resources, etc.</p>
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	<p>From November 16 to 18, 2021, a national online workshop on 'Designing and Development of e-courses' was organized, where 42 participants took part and were trained.</p> <p>Similarly, from December 14 to 23, 2021, an online national faculty development program (FDP) on 'Professional Skill Development of Teachers' was organized, where Prof. Murli Manohar Pathak, Vice-Chancellor of the university, delivered the presidential address, and Director Amita Pandey Bhardwaj delivered the welcome address.</p> <p>On December 20, 2022, a program titled 'Indian Knowledge System and Science' was organized by the center, in which 127 participants from various provinces took part and were trained. The objective of this program was to explore the elements present in the Upanishads and to investigate the physical and mathematical subjects present in the Vedas and Upanishads. In this program, Dr. T.P. Shashikumar from Calicut University delivered a lecture on the observation of Indian scientific heritage, and Swami Chidanand, the founder of FOWAI Forum Mumbai, delivered a lecture on the Upanishads and physics.</p> <p>This center has another specialty that it also organizes the Faculty Induction Program (FIP). This center organized online programs on the topics of "Design, Development &amp; Standardize, Research Tools" from 12-11-2022 to 16-11-2022, "Enhancing Pedagogical Skills" from 21-11-2022 to 1-12-2022, "Application of Online Assessment &amp; Plagiarism Tools" from 16-1-2023 to 20-1-2023, and "E-Resource Development" from 13-2-2023 to 17-2-2023.</p>
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