

## The performance of the institution in an area distinct to its priority and thrust

## Cultural Policy

The plurality and multiplicity of our culture has a distinguished heritage of excellence in scripture, spirituality, philosophy, yoga, health practices, environment protection, dress, food, art, literature, music, dance, theatre, sculpture, architecture, folk arts, artifacts, festivals, sports, cinema, painting, languages and dialects, customs, belief systems and many more. Mangalore University with intensions of preservation, promotion and transmission of culture, drafted a cultural policy in addition to intellectual training in various academic aspects. This would also help students to have sense of identity, belongingness as well as appreciation for other cultural aspects. The cultural policy ensures the students to have the opportunities to participate in cultural life and to have creativity, diversity and artistic qualities as part of their personal growth. It is also hoped that the policy will take its place in this time-honoured tradition of societal welfare Kalyana and contribute to the emergence of a more cultured society.

Based on the guidelines specified in the policy, talent search competitions are being conducted in every academic year to identify and encourage talented students. In addition to this, the prevailing numerous appropriate cultural programs at university and affiliated college levels are also encouraged in all possible way. All these aspects would strengthen the culture related programs envisaged by the NEP2020.

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