Our institute "MET's Institute of Pharmacy, Bhujbal Knowledge City, Adgaon, Nashik" started NPTEL Local Chapter from January 2020. It is one of the value addition towards the institute.

NPTEL Course contents are useful for students and teachers to improve the quality of learning. In addition, the course materials are freely accessible by everyone independent of their geographic location. These courses can be used by professionals for updating their academic background. Open and distance education using NPTEL contents are long term prospects for IITs. The contents helps for focused learning and providing a common set of standards for professional education in India through participation by everyone concerned under this platform.

NPTEL has been offering self-study Open online courses along with certification. Through this online portal, 10hr, 20hr and 30hr courses of 4, 8, and 12 weeks duration respectively in various engineering disciplines, sciences, humanities, management and research that includes relevant exposure to tools and technologies, are currently being offered by NPTEL.

Benefits to students and teachers:

- Enrolling and learning from the course involves no cost.
- Flexibility for the student as he/she can prioritize his/her time and work at one's own pace.
- Variety of programs and courses.
- Engineering, Science, Humanities, Management, are the disciplines of courses offered, which enables the students can try pursuing learning in areas other than their expertise and interest.
- Clarify doubts with course instructors via email, discussion forum and other online media.
- Networking Opportunities.
- The peer group includes a mix of users from across the globe, from colleges.
- Across India and professionals from the industry which will enrich the learning experience.

- Inculcate mode of self-learning
- Evaluate themselves on how they compare against the pool of students nationwide.

Teachers and students of our institute are using this facility by registering to various online courses.

For more information, refer links are provided:

- NPTEL Local Chapter URL : <u>https://nptel.ac.in/LocalChapter/statistics/3593/</u>
- Course Registration URL : <u>https://swayam.gov.in/</u>

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